

**Fairfield County Chapter**  
South Carolina Genealogical Society  
**Research Document**

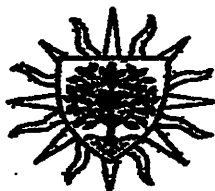
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Surname(s): LOOK Target:     /    /      
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Start research using Request, Family Group & Pedigree Sheets  
Check off each item as research is completed

- **BookCat (Online Card Catalog)**
  - **Key in surname being researched**
    - **FB = Family Books**
    - **FF = Family Files**
    - **VF = Vertical Files**
    - **VF Church = Vertical Files labeled Churches**
    - **VF Fairfield = Vertical Files labeled Fairfield**
    - **VF Plats = Vertical Files labeled Plats**
    - **VF Wills = Vertical Files labeled Wills**
  
- **Computer with Large TV Screen**
  - **Check ICON labeled Research Room**
    - **African American Folder**
    - **Books Folder**
    - **CDs Folder**
    - **Church Cemeteries Folder**
    - **Family Books Section Folder**
    - **Family Researched Files Folder (also check Master List Spreadsheet)**
    - **Funeral Homes Folder**
    - **Maps, Map Information Folders**
    - **Obits Folder**
    - **Plats Folder**
    - **Wills Folder**
  - **Check Online Research Sources Folder**
    - **Other web resources available, like USC Libraries, etc.**
  
- **Main Room – Southwest Corner (Stonewall Jackson, Robert E. Lee Portraits)**
  - **Local Church History & Denominational Church History**
  - **Deeds**
  - **Wills**
  - **Equity Court**
  - **Cemeteries**
  - **Birth Scrapbook**
  - **Marriage Notices & Scrapbook**
  - **Death Notices & Scrapbook**



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- **Main Room – Northwest Corner**
  - African American History
  - African American Obits
  - African American Cemeteries
  - Census
  - County History
  - Microfilm Index
  - Misc. Reference & Scrapbooks
- **Main Room – North Side (Preston Brooks Portrait)**
  - Gift Shop
  - Maps
- **Main Room – Northeast Corner (Trophies)**
  - Genealogy Society Information (Lineage Charts)
- **Main Room – East Side**
  - Family Books
- **Main Room – Southeast Corner (History)**
  - Colonial
  - American Independence & Scrapbooks
  - Native American
  - Mexican War
  - Southern Independence & Scrapbooks
  - World War I & Scrapbooks
  - World War II & Scrapbooks
- **Back Room – South Side**
  - Fairfield County & Community Vertical Files
  - Family Vertical Files (A-Z)
  - Genealogical Society Newsletters
- **Back Room – West Side**
  - Church History & Cemetery Vertical Files
  - Will Vertical Files
  - Plat Vertical Files
- **Back Room – Northwest Corner**
  - Microfilm Collection
- **Ask others for Ideas**
  - Check with Pelham
  - Check with Shelbia

## Genealogy Resource Library

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**From:** Genealogy Resource Library [fairfieldgenealogy@truvista.net]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, February 25, 2015 3:19 PM  
**To:** 'bren1942@charter.net'  
**Subject:** RE: Your Research Request Status

Brenda

We have searched our files and here is what we were able to find.

The best we can find for the husband of Susanna Cook is this – the only reference is from papers in the family files, a Mrs. J. T. McBryde made the following inscriptions of graves in Cook's Cemeteries on August 10, 1949, she also lists some info on some of the people, some of these cemeteries were moved when Lake Monticello was build, we have resurveyed as many of these cemeteries as possible and I will note any info that she notes and we cannot verify.

A grave for Nathaniel H. Cook – son of Capt. John and Martha Cook, Nathaniel married 1-Susanna E. Pope and then 2-Christina Chappell (found a grave for a N. H. Cook, cannot verify info)

A grave for Susanna E. Cook – daughter of Solomon Pope of Edgefield County (found a grave for Susanna E. Cook, cannot verify info)

A grave for Mary Cook – Born 1736, married 1759, died about 1766-first wife of Capt. John Cook (found a grave for Mary Cook, cannot verify info)

A grave for Sarah Cook – no info (found a grave for her)

A grave for Nancy Cook – no into (found a grave for her)

A grave for Susannah Cook – daughter of Nathaniel and Susanna Cook (found a grave for her, cannot verify info)

All the above are in a cemetery with a few addition graves and only have names but no info, you can get on findagrave and go to Cook cemetery to see these and other graves.

A grave for Capt. John Cook is located in Shiloh Methodist Church Cemetery, move there when Lake Monticello was built, 1730-1799

A grave for Mrs. Martha Cook was also moved to Shiloh – Wife of Capt. John Cook, born November 7, 1754, died 1796

So from her notes: Susanna was the first wife of Nathaniel H. Cook and daughter of Solomon Pope of Edgefield County, again I cannot verify this info.

Frances H. Price filled out a Lineage Chart on January 30, 1987 and it has the following info: Susannah E. Pope married Nathan Cook and she died before 1826; her parents were Solomon (1740-1794)and Susannah Dawkins (1749-May 22, 1794) Pope; Solomon's parents were Sampson Pope and Susannah Thomas, daughter of John Thomas. Nathan Cook was the son of Capt. John and Martha Pearson Cook, John was the son of Henry Cook of Brunswick County, Va. and Martha was the daughter of John and Mary Raiford, John was from Windson on Thymes in England

I do not think that the Mary who married Thomas Howell was a sister of Rachel, in Equity Court records Bill 1827-9 and Bill 1854-25, it shows a Mary as a sister of Rachel, but in the 1860 Census it shows Rachel Wooten and Mary Trapp living together, so she would not be the wife of Thomas.

A Nathan Cook left a will dated December 27, 1852 and lists his wife as Christiana and the following children: John P., Philip D, Martha Pearson Robertson and James Lawrence. These may only be the children of his marriage with Christiana and did not name his children from his first marriage to Susanna.

In Equity Court Records, Petition 1852-26, Rachel Wooten, wife of Matthew Wooten filed for separation, it names Matthew as her son and does not name any other children, we only have basic info on the Equity Court Records and if you want to read about the cases you will have to get with the State Archives in Columbia.

Again, I hope this will be of some help and not muddy the waters.

Jon Davis

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**From:** bren1942@charter.net [mailto:bren1942@charter.net]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, February 04, 2015 10:05 PM  
**To:** 'Genealogy Resource Library'  
**Subject:** RE: Your Research Request Status

Hi Eddie,

Thank you for the email. I live in Tennessee now. However, I would be glad to help with the queries if I can do it on the computer here. I have ancestry and I have an out of state library card so that I can find obits sometimes. I don't have the info that you have there but all of my direct line stayed in South Carolina so I have a few genealogy books. Mine are mainly from the Old Edgefield District as 6 of the 8 great grandparents lived in that district.

If you have someone that hasn't found their family or is a beginner, or anyone else that needs help, if you put them in contact with me I will try and help them. (and, of course, I don't charge anything. I just like helping people) I have to have someone to work with for info and questions. )

I will get my families info and mail it to you. I assume you want it on paper for the files.

Brenda

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From: "Genealogy Resource Library"  
To: [bren1942@charter.net](mailto:bren1942@charter.net)  
Cc:  
Sent: Wed, 4 Feb 2015 19:54:35 -0500  
Subject: Your Research Request Status

Hello Brenda,

Your request is getting priority as a member and is now number #6 of the 20 remaining request.

Thanks for your patience with us.

[The page contains extremely faint and illegible text, likely bleed-through from the reverse side of the document. No specific content can be transcribed.]

Apparently good news, the word must be out about us (see FYI below).

However, we are still supplied by a volunteer staff, with fewer and lesser hours over the holidays.

As FYI: we use to get on average about 3 request per month, this past year our average was 20 request per month, 19 last month;

our walk-in visitors is up from January 2014, 110, this past year our average was 139 walk-ins per month, 158 last month;

out of state visitors is up from January 2014, 2, this past year our average was 14 out of state visitors per month, 11 last month.

For our records would you please share any information you have updated on your family lines.

The information will be filed and made available in our family files.

This will aide to expedite future request for research and assist walk-in researchers.

Please let us know if you need any further assistance and feel free to call us to check the status of your request.

Eddie

Eddie Killian

Fairfield County Genealogy Society, President

Fairfield County Genealogy Society Library Research Volunteer

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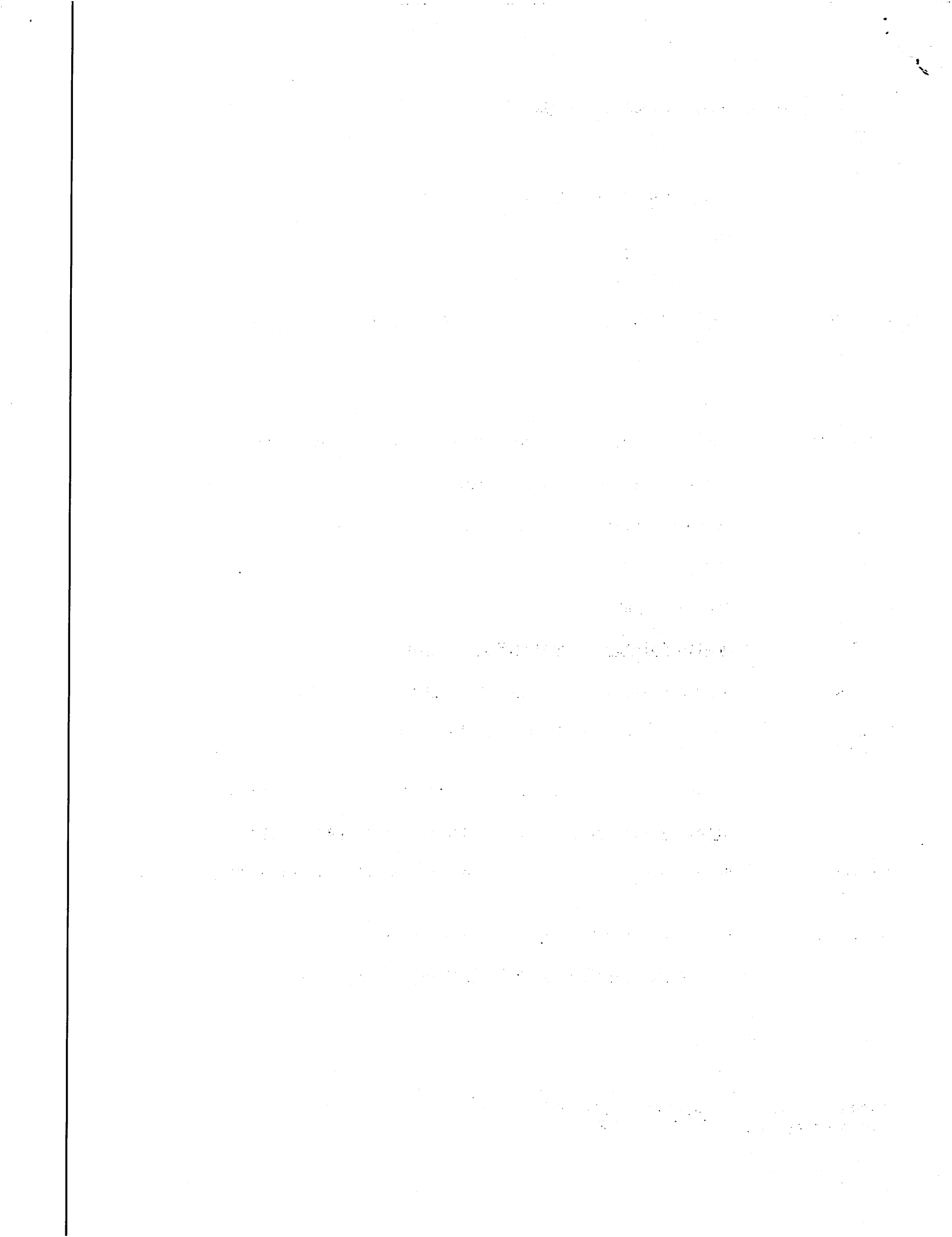
Meeting Date: Normally 3rd Thursday of the Month (usually at  
museum)  
Please check web site announcement page for latest details  
<http://www.fairfieldgenealogical.org/announcements.htm>

Projects: Research Library, Abandoned Cemeteries, DNA, Social Media, Community  
Outreach

Officers: Please check web site officers page  
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**From:** Linda Frazier [<mailto:lsfrazier5@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Thursday, January 22, 2015 10:11 PM





**To:** [bren1942@charter.net](mailto:bren1942@charter.net); fairfield genealogy

**Subject:** Re: Fairfield County Genealogy Society SPECIAL EDITION NEWSLETTER

Hello Brenda,

Thanks for sending the family information. We will make sure it gets in our family files in the research room. I will have the SPECIAL EDITION NEWSLETTER in the mail to you tomorrow. I will let you know when the information comes in.

It is always nice to get such positive feedback. Our research room is staffed by volunteers and they all do a wonderful job. You always meet the nicest people.

Welcome to our Fairfield County Genealogy Society!

Linda S. Frazier

On Thu, Jan 22, 2015 at 11:08 AM, <[bren1942@charter.net](mailto:bren1942@charter.net)> wrote:

Hi Linda,

I have the application filled out and will have it in the mail today. When I started with family tree dna I made a list of all my parents, grandparents etc. i had a column for the relationship (greats etc) and I had a column for what number cousin it would be. I made it for a cheat sheet for me but it has all of my grandparents with dates. I am going to enclose it. My brother did his dna for me and I have mt and family finder. I thought about putting my haplogroup and my brother's. I know that just means where they originated.

I appreciate your nice emails. And I hope to meet you and the others one day. I narrowly missed going up there the end of October (just before the Fort Jackson Reunion). Kay and Carey Brasecker came up from Florida and went to the museum. They bragged on it as did John Howell. Carey's grandfather and my grandfather were brothers. I didn't meet him until after I started genealogy.

Thank you again. Brenda

My address is:

218 Colonial Heights Road, Apartment 16

Kingsport, Tennessee 37663

Home phone: 423-406-1212

Cell: 321-961-3911

Email: [bren1942@charter.net](mailto:bren1942@charter.net)

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From: "Linda Frazier"

To: [bren1942@charter.net](mailto:bren1942@charter.net), "fairfield genealogy"

Cc:

Sent: Thu, 22 Jan 2015 08:25:03 -0500

Subject: Re: Fairfield County Genealogy Society SPECIAL EDITION NEWSLETTER

Hello Brenda,

I will forward this to our research room and add to our files. We would love to have you join us! We are looking at recording the workshops and getting them on our website. Our website has a tremendous amount of information available to our members. I have a copy of the SPECIAL EDITION NEWSLETTER with me and I'll be happy to put that in the mail to you (need your address). We are very interested in DNA and encouraging more to participate in this. We are working on a project for families of Fairfield County; more information will be available soon.

Our membership rates are: \$20.00/Individual, \$50.00/Patron, \$100.00/Benefactor and \$300.00/Life Time. We are not currently set up to take money online (we are looking into this) so you would need to mail it. Our mailing address is: Fairfield County Genealogy Society, P.O. Box 93, Winnsboro, SC. I have attached a membership form for you.

The first part of the document discusses the importance of maintaining accurate records of all transactions. It emphasizes that every entry should be supported by a valid receipt or invoice. This ensures transparency and allows for easy auditing of the accounts.

In addition, the document outlines the procedures for handling discrepancies. If there is a difference between the recorded amount and the actual amount received or paid, it is crucial to investigate the cause immediately. This could be due to a clerical error, a missing receipt, or a fraudulent transaction.

The document also provides guidelines for the frequency of reconciling the accounts. It is recommended to perform a reconciliation at the end of each month to identify any issues early on. This practice helps in maintaining the integrity of the financial data and prevents small errors from becoming larger problems.

Finally, the document stresses the need for confidentiality. Financial records contain sensitive information that should be protected from unauthorized access. Only authorized personnel should have access to the accounts, and all data should be stored securely.

The second part of the document focuses on the management of cash flow. It explains how to track income and expenses to ensure that there is always enough cash to cover the business's obligations. This involves monitoring the accounts receivable and payable closely.

The document also discusses the importance of budgeting. A well-defined budget helps in planning for the future and identifying areas where costs can be reduced. It is essential to compare actual performance against the budget to make informed decisions.

Furthermore, the document highlights the role of taxes in cash flow management. Understanding the tax implications of various transactions is crucial for maximizing the company's profitability. It is advised to consult with a tax professional to ensure compliance with all applicable laws.

The document concludes by emphasizing the importance of regular communication with stakeholders. Providing clear and concise financial reports to investors and management helps in building trust and ensuring that everyone is on the same page regarding the company's financial health.

The final part of the document provides a summary of the key points discussed. It reiterates the importance of accuracy, transparency, and regular reconciliation in maintaining the financial records. It also emphasizes the need for proactive cash flow management and budgeting to ensure the long-term success of the business.

The document ends with a call to action, encouraging all employees to take responsibility for their part in maintaining the company's financial integrity. It states that every transaction, no matter how small, can have a significant impact on the overall financial picture.

We look forward to hearing from you and hopefully meeting you in the future.

Linda Frazier

Corresponding Secretary

On Wed, Jan 21, 2015 at 9:47 PM, <[bren1942@charter.net](mailto:bren1942@charter.net)> wrote:

Hi Linda,

Thank you for the email and for the newsletter. Charter (my provider) is changing their website and I can't open the attachment tonight but I will check again in the morning.

I was born and raised in Columbia and most of my siblings and extended family still live there. I live in Tennessee now.

I would like to join the society although I won't be able to be at the meetings or to do research there very often. My great grandmother was Victoria Ann Howell, daughter of Thomas Howell and Lucy/Lisa Cook Howell, This Thomas was the son of Thomas Howell (born 1790) and Mary Wooten. There is a little doubt whether Mary was the daughter of Rachel Trapp Wooten and Matthew Wooten. Or she could be Rachel's sister and would be a Trapp. Dates lean toward Rachel's daughter. Susanna Cook was living with Thomas and Lucy in 1870 and I am trying to find her husband.

John Howell told me you all are interested in DNA (if my memory serves me well). I have my dna done on family tree dna.

Could you let me know what the membership is and can I pay on the phone with a credit card or should i mail it in.

Thanks again and I will be looking foward to working with all of you.

Brenda

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From: "Linda Frazier"

To: [bren1942@charter.net](mailto:bren1942@charter.net)

Cc:

Sent: Wed, 21 Jan 2015 15:59:36 -0500

Subject: Fairfield County Genealogy Society SPECIAL EDITION NEWSLETTER

Hello there,

John Howell gave me your contact information. We wanted to send you our SPECIAL EDITION NEWSLETTER FYI; we send out quarterly newsletters and will have our first one ready in a few weeks. Please take a look at pages 23-25 for benefits of being a member. We look forward to hearing from you and assisting you in your research.

*Linda Frazier*

Corresponding Secretary

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Planter of the Colony of Virginia in the Parish of Meherrin and County of Brunswick for 250 pounds three several tracts or parcels of land in Meherrin Parish containing 930 acres."

In Brunswick County, Virginia the Marriage Register records the marriage of John Cook and Betty Brown (Mary Elizabeth Brown) on September 24, 1759.

In 1764, John Cook<sup>Gr</sup> and wife Mary Brown Cook with three children, Elizabeth, Mary and Burrell came to South Carolina<sup>Gr Gr. Gr. Grandfather</sup> and located on new lands.

The following graves are found there today, August 10, 1949, in perfect condition.

1. Mrs. Mary Cook.....<sup>Born 1736</sup> (Married 1759. Died about 1766 <sup>Gr. Gr. Gr. Grandfather</sup>  
(1st wife of Capt. John Cook  
(Born 1736. Died 1798<sup>7</sup>)
2. Mrs. Martha Cook..... (Born November 7, 1754. Died 1796.  
(2nd wife of Capt. John Cook.
3. Mrs. Sarah Cook.
4. Mrs. Nancy Cook.
5. Nathaniel H. Cook.... (Son of Capt. John and Martha Cook  
(1st married Susanna E. Pope  
(2nd married Christina Chappell
6. Susanna E. Pope Cook... (Daughter of Solomon Pope  
(Edgefield, S.C.
7. Susanna Cook..... (Daughter of Nathaniel and  
(Susanna Cook
8. Henry Cook..... (Son of Capt. John and Martha  
(Pearson Cook. Died young.
9. Isaac Cook.....
10. William Thomas Cook...\*
11. Laurence H. Cook..... (Son of Nathaniel and Susanna Cook  
(Married Mary Ashford.

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\*Note by Walter M. Cook: This was the first born of Burrell Brown Cook - b. Oct. 24, 1819 - d. Oct. 12, 1820.

12. John Player.....(Son of George T. Player and  
 (Mary Cook, daughter of Nathaniel  
 (and Susanna Cook
13. B. Robertson.....(Son of \_\_\_\_\_ Robertson and  
 (Martha Cook, daughter of Nathaniel  
 (and Susanna Cook
14. Thomas Cook.

Captain John Cook, after the death of his wife Martha  
 Pearson Cook (2nd wife), emigrated to Hancock County, Georgia,  
 and married there a third wife. (JOHN & MARTHA TOMBSTONES WERE MOVED TO  
 SULLOW METH. CHURCH)

He died in Hancock County, Georgia in 1798, and was  
 buried in Island Creek Church Cemetary, near sparta. G. G. G. Grandfather