

Family Record

My father John R. Buchanan son of Wm. and Nancy Buchanan was born 17 Feb. 1797, in Antrim Co. Ireland. His father died in 1813, carrying the responsibility of providing for a widowed mother, and three sisters on him when a mere boy; unregrently, his educational advantages were limited. At the suggestion of his uncle Capt. John Buchanan who previously emigrated to America, and settled in the town of Winnsboro, Fairfield District, South Carolina; the entire family left their native land and came to this country, in 1818. The names of the three sisters respectively, were Mary Ann, (afterward Mrs Carlisle) Rachel (Mrs McCreeght) and Nancy (Mrs Lewis) excellent women, of strong christian character. Their mother died 13 Nov. 1829. After my father's arrival in Winnsboro, and through the influence of Capt. Buchanan, he was elected to take office of **Ordinary of Fairfield District**, which place he filled with great satisfaction, the remainder of his life.

He and my mother__ Miss Charlotte N. Hicklin, daughter of Wm and Sarah Hicklin of Chester District--were married 24 Nov. 1830. To them were born five children. Wm. Reuben, born Feb. 26, 1832. Nancy Sarah born Sep 15, 1833. Mary Elizabeth born Dec. 26, 1834. John Hicklin born Aug. 17, 1836. James Rae born Sep. 18, 1838. All lived to the age of maturity.

Nancy Buchanan was Nancy Ray Wilson
daughter of Nancy Ray Wilson &
Nancy Md. Wilkin Buchanan

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Marriages

John R. Buchanan and Charlotte N. Hicklin were married Nov. 17th 1830, by Rev. Wm. M. Kennedy.

Marriages of Their Children

J Barber Ferguson and Nancy S. Buchanan were married Nov. 26th 1851, by Rev. E. G. Maynardie.

J. B. Ferguson and Mary E. Buchanan were married May 28th 1857, by Samuel Townsend.

John H. Buchanan and Mary A. Mobley were married Nov. 10th 1874, by Rev. W. P. Kramer.

Marriages of the Grand-Children Of J. R. and C. N. Buchanan

Nannie Rea Ferguson and James B. Stevenson were married Dec. 11th 1884, by Rev. A. J. Canthen.

William B. Ferguson and Ella S. Stevenson were married Nov. 24th 1886, by J. L. McLin.

M. Lottie Ferguson and W. G. Peebles were married Nov. 18th 1889, by Rev. H.F. Chreitzberg.

J. Gamewell Ferguson and Lizza Weaver were married May 8th 1894, by Rev. J. B. Loy.

Janie Belle Ferguson and J. G. Cunningham were married Dec. 28th 1893, by Rev. J. E. Grier

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Births

John R. Buchanan was born in County Antrim, Ireland, Feb. 17th 1797.

Births

Charlotte N. Buchanan, wife of John R. Buchanan and daughter of Wm. and Sarah Hicklin was born in Chester District, S. C. July 28, 1810.

Births of Their Children

Wm Reuben Buchanan was born in Fairfield Distict, S. C. Feb. 26, 1832.

Mary Elizabeth Buchanan was born in Fairfield District, S. C. Dec. 26, 1834.

Nancy Sarah Buchana was born in Chester District, S. C. Sept. 15th 1833.

John Hicklin Buchanan was born in Fairfield District, S. C. Aug. 17, 1836

James Rae Buchanan was born in Fairfield District, S. C. Sept. 18th 1838.

Marriges of their Children

Nancy Sarah Buchanan and J. Barber Ferguson were married 26 Nov. 1851. Rev. E. J. Meynardie officiating Mary Elizabeth Buchanan and J. Barber Ferguson were married 28 May 1857. Rev. S. Townsend officiating John Hicklin Buchanan and Miss Araminta Mabley were married Nov. 10, 1874, Rev. W. P. Kramer officiating.

Deaths of Their Children

Wm. Reuben son of J. R. and C. N. Buchanan Died Dec. 5, 1852.
Nannie S. Ferguson daughter of J. R. and C. N. Buchanan Died June 22, 1855.
James Rae youngest son of J. R. and C. N. Buchanan Died 17 March 1864, in Virginia at Chimbaraza Hospital Richmond, of pneumonia.

Births, and marriages of their Grand-Children

Jonh Rea Buchanan, infant son of Nannie S. and J. B. Ferguson born June 15, 1855.
Wm. Reuben, so of M. E. and J. B. Ferguson born June 4, 1858.
Nannie Rea Ferguson to J. B. Stevenson born Sep. 16, 1859, Married Dec. 11, 1884.
John Gamewell Ferguson born July 30, 1861 Married to Lizzie Weaver Apr. 1894.
Wm. Buchanan Ferguson born Feb. 21, 1864. Married Nov. 23, 1886 to Miss Ella S. Stevenson.
Mary Lottie Ferguson born Sep. 17, 1868 Married Nov. 18, 1889 to W. G. Peebles.
Reuben Hicklin Ferguson born March 5, 1866. Married Oct. 10, 1906 to Miss Allene Grier.
Janie Bell Ferguson born Jan. 7, 1872. Married Dec. 28, 1898 to J. G. Cunningham.
George Pierce Ferguson born June 7, 1874.
Mary Moultrie Buchanan daughter of Araminta M. and J. H. Buchanan born June 28, 1876. Married Dec. 6, 1900 to W. A. Corkill.
John Rea Buchanan born Sep. 20, 1877
Charlotte Hicklin and Janie Kramer Buchanan-twins born July 21, 1881.

Deaths of Their Grand-Children

John Rea, infant of N. L. and J. B. Ferguson Died July 15, 1855.
Wm. Reuben son of M. E. and J. B. Ferguson died Feb. 13, 1859.
George Pierce Ferguson Died Sep. 1, 1875.
Janie Bell Cunningham daughter of M. E. and J. B. Ferguson Died 21, July 1899.
Charlotte Hicklin daughter of J. H. Buchanan Died Sep. 19, 1881.
Janie Kramer daughter of J. H. Buchanan Died Sep. 23, 1881.
John Rea son of J. H. Buchanan Died Aug. 27, 1901.

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Births of J.R. and C. N. Buchanan
Grand-Children

John Rea Buchanan Ferguson
was born in Chester District,
S. C. June 15th 1855.

Wm. Reuben Buchanan Ferguson
was born in Chester District,
S. C. June 4th 1858.

Nannie Rea Ferguson was
born in Chester District,
S. C. Sept. 16th 1859.

John Mbury Gamewell
Ferguson was born in
Chester District, S. C.
July 30th 1861.

Wm. Hicklin Buchanan Ferguson
was born in Chester District
S. C. Feb. 21, 1864

Reuben Hicklin Ferguson was
born in Chester District, S. C.
March 5th 1866.

Mary Charlotte Ferguson was
born in Chester District, S. C.
Sept. 17th 1868.

Jane Isbel Ferguson was born
in Chester County S. C. Jan-
uary 7, 1872.

George Pierce Ferguson was
born in Chester county, S. C.
June 7th 1874.

Mary Moultrie daughter of
John H. and Mary A. Buchanan
was born in Chester, S. C.
Wednesday, June 28th 1876, at
7 O'clock P. M.: Baptized at
St. Mark's Episcopal Church
August 9th 1877, by Rev. Bishop
Howie.

John Rea, son of John H. and
Mary A. Buchanan, was born in
Chester, S. C. Thursday, Sept.
20, 1877 at 7 O'clock, A. M.
baptized at St. Mark's Episcopal
Church, Sept. 26th 1878, by Rt.
Rev. Bishop Howe.

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Deaths.

John R. Buchanan
died April 30th 1847.

William R. Buchanan
died December 8th 1852.

Nancy S. Ferguson
died June 22rd 1855.

John Rea Buchanan
Ferguson died July
23rd 1855.

Wm. Reuben Buchanan
Ferguson died Feb.
3 or 13th 1859. (I could not read the date)

Charlotte N. Buchanan
died October 3rd. 1860.

Deaths

James Rea Buchanan
died in Hospital at
Richmond March 17, 1872.

J. Barber Ferguson
died Feb. 19th 1875.

George Pierce Ferguson
died September 1st 1875.

Janie Bell Cunningham wife
of J. G. Cunningham, and
daughter of M. E. Ferguson
died July 21st 1899.

William B. Ferguson died
Nov. 11, 1913.

John H. Buchanan
died Dec. 24, 1911.

Family Record Ferguson

James Ferguson, son of Samuel and Isabella Ferguson was born in Chester District, South Carolina Aug. 10th 1781. His birth place was within a mile of where he afterward settled, reared a family, and died May 3rd 1850. He held the responsible office of elder in the Presbyterian Church at Catholic,-- the name of the church where he held his membership, and within whose bounds he always lived. His life was an upright one, and merited the highest applause. "Well done, good and faithful servant." His wife Mary Stinson, daughter of William and Elizabeth Stinson and the sister of the late Daniel G. Stinson was born Oct. 15th 1789. She lived a devout, christian life, worthy of imitation, died Dec. 15th 1843.

Births, Marriages and Deaths
of Their Children

Wm. Stinson son of James and Mary Ferguson, born Sep. 13, 1808 Married Eveline Wade of Columbia, S. C. Apr. 16, 1835. Moved to Florida shortly afterward, and has not been heard from since.

Isabella Ferguson born Oct. 21, 1810 Married Jason Hicklin Feb. 27, 1828.

Elizabeth Ferguson born Jan. 26, 1813 Married John W. Sterling, Jr. Feb. 27, 1834. Died (Night of Cycone) Feb. 19, 1884.

Agnes Ferguson born Dec. 10, 1815 Married D. G. Coleman Dec. 18, 1839. Died Nov. 4, 1849.

Catherine Ferguson born June 24, 1818 married Thomas Grafton Feb. 4, 1838. 2nd marriage William Alexander Jan. 9, 1850.

Mary Ann Ferguson born Jan. 1, 1821 married Alexander Hindman Mar. 21, 1842. Died July 8, 1849.

James Barber Ferguson born May 5, 1823 Died Feb. 19, 1875. " He was an exemplary christian, and lived in daily communion with God." (His Wife)

Esther Hepzibah Ferguson born Nov. 8, 1826 Married Dr. William J. Stevenson Feb. 25, 1847.

Jane P. Ferguson born Sep. 6, 1830 Married Mansel Hall in 1854 Died in Winnsboro May 10, 1857.

In Memoriam

My father, John R. Buchanan born 17 Feb. 1797.

He "walked in all the commandments and ordinances
of the Lord blameless", and died in the faith 30
Apr. 1847.

My mother Charlotte N. Buchanan born July 28, 1810.
She lived well "Her children arise up and call her
blessed." She died Oct. 3, 1860.

James Barber Ferguson born May 5, 1823, Died Feb.
19, 1875.

Araminta M. wife of J. H. Buchanan, born Sep. 15,
1845, Died July 21, 1881

Written by M. E. Ferguson
daughter of J. R. and C. N.
Buchanan

August 1907.