

Hawthornes

Came from North Ireland to S. C. and settled in Fairfield Co. S. C. before the Rev. War. Several were soldiers in that War.

John and Adam settled near the Old Brick Church

John & Adam were Elders in this Church prior to 1791. Adam born 1739 died 1810. First married Mrs McMeekin a widow, who was born 1741, died 1790. He married before 1776.

By this marriage there was one son - Adam Jr. born 1778. Died 1827 married Ann Holmes, wfs was a daughter of Rev Wm. Holmes. Buried in Brick Church Cemetery.

The three daughters married Dawkins, McMeekin and Gladney all of Fairfield

After death of 1st wife, Mrs. McMeekin Adam married Betsey Bradford, born 1765, died 1850 married 1792 who was a daughter of Charles D. Bradford and wife Mary Bradford Lemon (born 1735, died 1813, married 1751) of Maryland

By this marriage there were three children: Robert who married Puscilla Gibson, a grand daughter of Stephen Gibson, there were two daughters Lucy and Mary. Mary married a Northborough another well known name of the County

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