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This data on Hollis and on Huguley has been compiled from the data under that name on file in the South Carolina State Archives in Columbia. To complete the work, a trip to Winnsboro, Fairfield County and perhaps to Union County, S.C. will have to be made. In S.C. Archives, while we have copies of the wills, we do not have copies of administrations and deeds, save in rare instances.

HUGULEY

- 1 In the S.C. Archives are no mention of any Huguley in the land grant records, nor in the Revolutionary files. Neither are any Huguley named filed for wills. The only mention of Huguley in S.C. data in Archives follows as #2.
- 2 JOHN HUGULEY 1-1-3 shows in the 1790 Census as residing in Charleston S.C.
- 3 RUGULEY...The surname of Ruguley appears several times and some Ruguley wills are on record. The Ruguley Family seems to have resided mainly in Fairfield County along with the Hollis Family. I had decided perhaps that the records listed as Ruguley were for Huguley. I consulted Mr. Fitz McMaster, who is an authority of Fairfield County and who wrote a history of Fairfield County. Mr. McMaster tells me the RUGULEY Family was always as Ruguley and therefore I did not attempt to check the Ruguley data...The next items were sent to me by Mrs. Johnson.
- 4 JOHN JOB HUGULEY and his wife, ALLEY HUGULEY were from Virginia and the mention made of them is in the birth of their son :
Zachariah Huguley was born Oct. 31, 1795, the son of John and Allie Huguley...In some places listed as John Job Huguley, rather than as John Huguley....The next items are from tombstones and the inscriptions taken from the stones in the Family Burial Ground at their plantation home in Monroe County, Georgia.
- 5 In Memory of / Mrs. Katherine Jones Huguley / First consort of / Zachariah Huguley / Born Oct. 26th, 1800 / Died May 8th, 1830 / The deceased was a wife / Mother and Mistress in every sense of the word / She was pious and a devoted member of the Primitive Baptist Church / and died as she had lived, a Christian / Remember me as you pass by / As you are now, so once was I / As I am now so must you be / Prepare for Last Eternity.
- 6 ZACHARIAH HUGULEY / Died / April 25th, 1859 / Age 63 years, 4 Months, 27 days / The deceased was married to Miss Katherine Jones / Jan. 12th, 1816 / Was left a widower May 8th, 1830 / Married Miss Mary Hollis Dec. 12th, 1830 / Again left a widower March 2, 1859 / The deceased was ~~born~~ Baptised into the Fellowship of the Primitive Baptist Church / at Sharon, Monroe Co, Ga. Aug. 8th, 1828 / And soon after was ordained to the office of Deacon / Which office he filled with Honor / to himself and Church of which / he was a member up to the time of his death / He was thought to be one of the Disciplinarians of his day / he was a stern devoted and Pious Primitive Baptist / He was a good husband, father and master / and died as he lived a Christian in full view of bliss beyond the grave / Rev. 14th-13 verse.

- 7 ZACHARIAH HUGULEY (Son #4) married 12 Jan. 1816 to Katherine Jones and by her he had :
 Mason Jones Huguley
 Allie Huguley.
 Zachariah Huguley married 2nd 12 Dec. 1830 to Mary Hollis and by her had :
 Bettie Huguley m. Morgan Lyons
 Susie Huguley m. _____ Chestnut
 Martha Mary Huguley died single.
 Emma Huguley m. Thomas Porch
 George Huguley m. Miss _____ Pope.
 John Huguley..died single.
- 8 MASON JONES HUGULEY (Son #7) married three times...Dates taken from his Bible :
 Mason J. Huguley m. Dec. 15, 1836 to Henrietta Hollis
 Mason J. Huguley m. 2nd 15 Aug. 1865 to Elizabeth P. Lyons.
 Mason J. Huguley m. 3rd 23 June 1868 to Susannah R. Holmes.
 The next entry #9 is from certified copy of family Bible.
- 9 Bible of Mason Jones Huguley.
 Mason Jones Huguley was born Jan. 28th 1818
 His Children.
 William A. Huguley was born Dec. 20, 1837
 Katherine Jones Huguley was born Dec. 22nd 1839
 Mary A. Huguley was born Nov. 9th 1841
 Elizabeth Huguley was born May 1st, 1844
 Susan H. Huguley was born April 23rd 1847
 Zachariah T. Huguley was born Sept. 16th, 1849
 Thomas M.J.C. Huguley was born Sept. 21st 1851
 Mason Jones Huguley was born Feb. 6th, 1853
 Thomas H. Huguley was born June 3rd, 1854
 America F. Huguley was born Feb. 1st, 1856
 Martha F. Huguley was born Oct. 20th 1857
 Sallie Huguley was born Aug. 16th 1859.....Mother of Mrs. Johnson.
 James M. Huguley was born Dec. 6th, 1862.
 Irene Huguley was born Oct. 15th 1867.....By 2nd wife.
 Jonathan H. Huguley was born Jan. 9th 1870...By 3rd wife.
 Moses J. Huguley was born Nov. 16th, 1872
 Toliver J. Huguley was born July 10th, 1874 "
 Susannah R. Holmes Huguley was born Feb. 3rd, 1878.....By 3rd wife
- Marriages
 Mason J. Huguley and Henrietta Hollis, Dec. 15th 1836
 Mason J. Huguley and Elizabeth P. Lyons, Aug. 15th 1865
 Mason J. Huguley and Susannah R. Holmes, June 23rd, 1868
- 9a Children.
 William A. Huguley and Epsy Lyons, Dec. 16th, 1859
 Mary A. Huguley and Jonathan Oxford, Jan. 11th 1859.
 Elizabeth Huguley and Jonathan T. Holmes, Feb. 4th, 1862.
 Elizabeth, widow of Jonathan T. Homes, and James H. Holmes, Oct. 31st, 1865.
 Zachariah T. Huguley and Mary F. Holmes, Nov. 16th, 1871.
 America F. Huguley and James A. McCowen, Nov. 30th, 1871.
 Thomas H. Huguley and Mary T. Trammell, Oct. 22nd, 1874.
 Sallie Huguley and John W. Traylor, Nov. 29th, 1877...Parents of Mrs. O.H. Johnson of Clinton, Miss.
 Martha F. Huguley and John J. Holloway, Jan. 24th, 1878
 Mason J. Huguley Jr. and S. Virginia Purifoy, Jan. 18th, 1880.
 James M. Huguley and Mary L. Holloway, Nov. 14th, 1883.
 James M. Huguley and Mary E. McFarland, June 26th, 1885.
 John H. Huguley and Susie A. Huckaby, Dec. 21st, 1887.
 Susan H. Huguley and G.W. Davis, Nov. 29th, 1889
 Moses J. Huguley and Minnie L. Harris, Nov. 28th, 1893.

9b Continued the Bible of Mason Jones Huguley.

Deaths

Thomas M. J. C. Huguley died April 19th 1852
 Katherine Huguley died Dec. 17th, 1856
 Henrietta Hollis Huguley died May 10th, 1864.....First wife.
 Elizabeth P. Lyons Huguley died Oct. 29th, 1867... Second wife.
 Elizabeth Holmes died Sept. 13th, 1872 (Elizabeth Huguley Holmes)
 Mason Jones Huguley Sr. died Feb. 3rd 1881
 Toliver J. Huguley died Oct. 29th, 1876.
 Irene P. Huguley died Feb. 13th, 1882
 Mary L. Huguley, wife of J.M. Huguley, died Aug. 31st, 1884.
 Mary F. Huguley, wife of Z.T. Huguley, died June 27th, 1890
 Jonathan T. Holmes, son of James H. & Elizabeth Holmes, died May 23rd, 1892.
 Susan H. Davis died Aug. 1st, 1893.
 Z.T. Huguley died Nov. 30th, 1895.
 Mary A. Oxford died May 4th 1896.
 Susan R. Huguley died Feb. 27th, 1913.....Third wife.
 Sallie Huguley Traylor died May 7th, 1906
 America Huguley died _____ 1903.
 Thomas Huguley died _____ no date
 Mason J. Huguley Jr. died July _____ 1912.
 Jonathan M. Huguley died June 14th 1918
 Moses J. Huguley died May 23rd 1920
 End of Bible and of Huguley data.

 HOLLIS

- 10 THOMAS HOLLIS / Born Nov. 12th, 1792 / Died May 12th, 1852
 Elizabeth Taylor / Wife of Thomas Hollis / Born Dec. 10th, 1792
 / Died Dec. 7th, 1836.....Tombstones in Monroe Co. Ga.
- 11 Thomas Hollis of Fairfield County, S.C. was married to Elizabeth Taylor of Richland County, S.C., Dec. 22nd 1811 ...From an account of their marriage.
- 12 Henrietta Hollis, daughter of Elizabeth Taylor and Thomas Hollis, was married to Mason Jones Huguley, Dec. 15th, 1836.....See #9. & # 8.
- 13 I have the proof that ZACHARIAH HUGULEY #7 was born in Virginia and also that he was in the War of 1812.....Mrs. Johnson.
- 14 "THOMAS HOLLIS, is thought to be the son of either Thomas Hollis, William Hollis or John Hollis, all that I do know about Thomas Hollis for sure is that he had a brother, Richard Hollis, whom we called Uncle Dick Hollis."...This is from data by an old aunt on Hollis side.
- 15 THOMAS HOLLIS removed from Fairfield County, S.C. to Jasper County, Georgia and then from Jasper County, Ga. to Monroe County Ga. where he died (See #10) and removed from Jasper Co. before 1836 for his first wife, Elizabeth Taylor Hollis is buried in Monroe Co. Ga.
- 16 THOMAS HOLLIS married first to Elizabeth Taylor...Dec. 22nd 1811 (See #11) and by her he had these children :
- | | |
|------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| William Hollis | Moses Hollis ..keep Moses in mind |
| Ezekiel Hollis | John Hollis |
| Thomas Hollis Jr. | Matthew Hollis, called "Mac" |
| Susan Hollis | Martha Hollis |
| Frances Hollis | Mary Hollis, called Polly |
| Henrietta Hollis...#12 | |
- Thomas Hollis married as his second wife Miss _____ Pearson of S.C. Had :
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|-----------------|------------------|
| Margaret Hollis | Jeremiah Hollis |
| | Penelope Hollis. |

Hollis

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An original letter which I copied from one sent by Mrs. Johnson.

156 St. Charles Ave., Atlanta, Ga.
Dec. 30, 1920

My
Dear Cousin,

I have returned from a long visit in the South and my daughter gave me a letter from you asking for information of the Hollis Family. Since you are the grand daughter of Henrietta Hollis Hugueley, you are my first cousin once removed. Aunt Henrietta was my father's own sister, and I was a child when she died, but I remember her distinctly as the favorite sister of my father and mother.

Her father's name was Thomas Hollis and he came, I think, from one of the Carolinas and I think South Carolina. I do not know the given name of his father but think it was either Thomas William or John. He had a brother named Dick whom I knew.

My grand father, your great grand father, was married three times. His first wife was Elizabeth Taylor. They lived at one time in Jasper County, Ga. but he died in Monroe Co. Ga. The children by this wife :

William	Moses	Ezekiel
John (My father)	Tom	Matthew, called Mac.
Susan	Martha	Mary, called Polly
Frances	Henrietta	

The second wife was a Miss Pearson from South Carolina. Their children were Margaret Jerry (twins) Penelope.

The third wife was Mrs. Elizabeth (Bussey) Boazman or Bozeman. They had one child, Benjamin P. Hollis.

Mrs. Bozeman had several Bozeman children.

I have thought a number of times I would have this line traced with that of my mother's family, but first one thing then another has kept me from it.

My daughter joined the D.A.Rs on her father's line, but I know from stories told me by my uncle Moses (Hollis) that the Hollis family were entitled to join.

My grand daughter, Lucy Simmons of Americus is the regent of the children's chapter of D.A.Rs. She is now at school in New Orleans at Sophia Newcome School. All my grand children are members.

I am so glad to hear from you, for I am proud of my Hollis kin and love all of them.

If I can be of any other service let me know and I hope some day we may know each other better.

You have a cousin here Dr. Pope Hugueley whose grandmother was Polly Hollis.

With best wishes for your success with this and any other venture you may have, I am with love and ~~XXXXXXXXXXXX~~ to hear from you again.

Sg. LUCY HOLLIS SIMMONS

- 18 THOMAS HOLLIS #16 married as his third wife, Mrs. Elizabeth Boazman who was nee Elizabeth Bussey...and by her he had 1 child, Benjamin P. Hollis. Mrs. Elizabeth Bussey Boazman had several children by her first husband.
- 19 HOLLIS Land grants in South Carolina.
Edward Hollis, 450a on Wateree Creek in Craven County, 21 May 1757...This definitely the first Hollis land in S.C. and was located in what is now Fairfield County....I was unable to find a tax return on this land...He seemingly died or moved away.
Edward Hollis, 200a on Jumping Gully in Craven Co. 12 Feb. 1773
Moses Hollis, 300a on Wateree Creek in Craven Co. 29 April 1768
Moses Hollis (For increase in family) 200a in Craven Co. 1 Dec. 1772.
Moses Hollis with Edmund Tidwell, 68 & 3/4a on Wateree Cr. in Fairfield County, 3 July 1809. Concludes all land granted to Hollis.
- 20 EDWARD HOLLIS who had lands in 1757 had a wife and 6 or 7 children under the age of 16 years....He may have been the father of the later Edward and Moses Hollis who took lands in 1773, 1768 & 1772.
- 21 EDWARD HOLLIS, 12-257, a land tax memorial return made in Charleston 6 July 1774 by Daniel Cartney for Edward Hollis for 200a of land on Jumping Gully in Craven County (Old name for Richland & Fairfield Cos.) and all sides vacant when surveyed 10 Nov. 1772 by Isaac Love and on Cedar Creek which runs into the Congaree River...surveyed 10 Nov. 1772 and granted 12 Feb. 1772 (See #19)
- 20a Isaac Love, the surveyor, came from area of Fairfax Co. Va. as noted in some Love work I did.....I know that Moses Hollis Jr. the son of the Moses Sr. who had lands in #22, was born in Fairfax Co. Va.
- 22 MOSES HOLLIS 12-167, a tax memorial returned in Charleston 29 Apr. 1772 by Charles Lewis for Moses Hollis for 200a of land in Craven Co. and all sides vacant when surveyed by John Winn upon a warrant dated 29 Sept. 1772 and granted 1 Dec. 1772 (See #19).....Then Warrant for increase in family which means four more children born after #22a
- 22a MOSES HOLLIS..2-506 (2 is Tax book & 506, the page) a memorial tax return made in Charleston 6 July 1768 by Francis Layton for Moses Hollis for 300a of land in Craven County on the north side of the Wateree River and all sides by vacant land when surveyed 6 Sept. 1767 by Richard Winn and granted 29 April 1768 (See #19)
- 23 Richard Winn....John Winn....Charles Lewis...all came from Northern Neck of Virginia and note these same names in the Revolutionary data.
- 24 MOSES HOLLIS and EDMOND TIDWELL...a plat of 68 & 1/4a of land in Fairfield on the north fork of Wateree Creek and Wateree River and surveyed 9 June 1809 by John McCreary and adjacent to the land of
Richard Tidwell's grant Moses Hollis
William Goyen's grant* Jesse Gladden
Thomas Shurley's grant Edmond Tidwell
Mary Hill's grant The McCullough lands.
Goyen is later spelled as Going..and note them also in Revolutionary data.
End of Lands.
- 25 REVOLUTIONAR RECORDS.....These are the files in the South Carolina State Historical Commission...photostats can be had...Notice in particular the names to whom the orders were given for pay. Pay had to be collected in Charleston up to 1788 and often an owner of an indent would send it by a kinsman or neighbor for collection...These are claims after July 1779...most up to that time were lost.

- 26 Continental or Regular Army records of the Revolution are in Washington. . . . The following Hollis names show in what Continentals we have here. . . . They are on Muster rolls
John Hollis in S.C. Cont. Regt. #14
Basil Hollis in S.C. Cont. Regts. #13 and #26
- 27 JAMES HOLLIS and always he signs with His X Mark even as late as 1829-30 & 31 when he drew a state pension from Union Co. S.C. he still used His X Mark. For a short Tour of Militia Duty in S.C. and for a gunn lost. certified by Col. Richard Winn of Fairfield. . . 13 May. 1784 before Thomas Baker he swears to this. . . 5 June 1785 James X Hollis sells his indent to Richard Winn / Wit. John Poppewell. . . . From 1828 to 1834 James Hollis draws a state pension from S.C. and signs for this twice himself and with His X Mark. other pension receipt signed for by James Beaty. . . . 5 May 1844 from Union Co. S.C. W.B. Dunlap write to the State Commissioners of Pensions RE. the U.S. Pension due to James Hollis which has not arrived "James Hollis lives with me on my plantation and the old man is in distress for want of his money"
- 27a James Hollis, age 77 shows in the U.S. Pension for Union Co. S.C. as a U.S. Pensioner as a Musician in the N.C. Line whose pension commenced 6 June 1833.
- 27b James Hollis..U.S. Pension summary sheet..was born 19 Aug. 1757 in the Parish of Wanworth, Surry County, England. . . . Archives # S 21 290. No family data was given. . . . After his discharge the veteran resided in Chatham Co. N.C. for 3 years and then moved to Union Dist. S.C. where he was residing in 1832 when he applied for his pension (Also see #27a).. Pension was allowed and paid from the S.C. Agency. . . . SERVICE..The veteran was at first a soldier in the British Army, having fought against the Americans at Eutaw and Ninety Six. . . Later he left the British Army and joined with the Americans and fought for a short time under Gen. Francis Marion with his troops. . . . "About 18 months before the Peace" he volunteered as a fifer (Musician in #27a) in N.C. State Troops under Capt. Rhodes and Col. Lytle.
- 27c The service claim sold to Richard Winn in #27 is likely for the short tour in S.C. . . . This man, James Hollis, was likely closely related as a cousin to the Hollis family in Fairfield. . . . I base this on the fact that he made his indent over to Richard Winn of Fairfield. . . also he settled in Union Co. which at one time adjoined Fairfield across the Broad River.
- 28 JAMES HOLLIS and this James always signs his own name consistently which shows to me he was another James Hollis. . . . Most of his papers are missing but his claim was for Militia service. . . . 4 Dec. 1783 Capt. John Hollis certifies as to the service of James Hollis. . . . ~~13 Sept.~~ 30 Sept. 1785, James Hollis and with his own signature, assigns an order to John Turner to collect for him in Charleston. . . . Charles Pickett J.P. of Fairfield Co. takes the oath of James Hollis as to his claim. . . . Here he again writes his name.
- 29 EDWARD HOLLIS of Richland on Cedar Creek (Right along the edge of Fairfield Co.)..a claim for sundry supplies furnished to the S.C. Militia. and this claim was sworn to 19 Sept. 1783 before William Meyer JP. and attached to the claim were receipts from the men who got them.
John Fairles Q.M. at Camp Moody Springs 7 Oct. 1782
Capt. Hugh Knox. . . 3 July 1782
Major John Adair. . . 27 Oct. 1782.
Robert Boyd, James Anderson & Josiah Hill, 1 June 1781 appraise goods used for a detachment of Col. Edward Lacey's Regt. . . 27 Apr. 1785
Andrew Patrick Jones, collects the indents for Edward Hollis. sundries.

30 ELIJAH HOLLIS....Militia Duty..3 tours under Lt. John Hollis and a tour under Capt. Charles Lewis....Before Charles Pickett J.P. of Fairfield, Capt. John Hollis, certifies the service of Elijah Hollis... date is missing but before Richard Winn, Elijah Hollis states "Pay to the order of John Turner...24 May 1785 John Turner signs a receipt... 1830-31-32 James Beaty signs 3 receipts for a state pension to Elijah Hollis....In one file of another man Elijah Hollis is referred to as Captain Elijah Hollis, but in a statement after the Revolution..I am unable to determine whether Elijah was a captain in the Revolution or in the S.E. Militia after the Revolution.

31 JOHN HOLLIS....150 days of Militia Duty under Capt. Winn and Col. Lacey and his service was certified by Capt. Charles Lewis 4 Dec. 1783 before Charles Pickett J.P...also for a horse lost and a rifle gunn which were appraised by William Gladden & Charles Johnson.....Since these claims were for service after July 1779, the service of Lt. and Capt. John Hollis before July 1779, does not show....Some of it is shown however in other records beginning in 1774....Private under Capt. Samuel Boykin in an engagement with the Indians between the Enoree and Saluda Rivers in 1774....In 1775 as cpl. under Capt. William Ransome Davis.....As a Sgt. in 3rd Regt. of Rangers and went to Georgia and Florida ..also for service under Col. Edward Lacey and under Col. William Thompson. ..also as a captain himself in later years of the War....He only applied for an indent for the 150 days above.....17 March 1831 John Hollis applies for a state pension....10 Nov. 1830 the first application for a pension was made....Capt. Elijah Hollis (#30) swears under oath before J.Elliott J.C. that he is a brother of Capt. John Hollis...William Johnston testifies under oath that he served with Capt. John Hollis under Col. Edward Lacey....S.J. Alston, J. Elliott & Jno. Buchanan all make affidavits....Some of the data : Wounded in right legWas at the Battle of King's Mountain.....On 3 Dec. next will be of the age of 80. Has a wife now nearing the age of 70...has 4 daughters and his 2 youngest sons who live on the place with him as well as 4 grandchildren, 3 under the age of 10 years....Owns but 175a of land now.....The State ordered an inventory made 8 Nov. 1831....List a large amount of property. slave man aged 20...woman aged 24...boys aged 10 and 3...girl aged 6.. One old woman aged 60 and not worth her vittles and all these and not any good in the fields, she only able to cook and keep the house...ect...The State pension was refused on the grounds that Capt. Hollis was a wealthy man and did not need a pension in order to live.

31a JOHN HOLLIS U.S. Pension #S 21 827...Since the state gave him no pension, he was not daunted and applied for a U.S. pension which was granted as of date Nov. 10, 1830....Stated he was born 5 Dec. 1751 (#30 states born 3 Dec) in Fairfax County, Va...and removed with his parents about 1766 (See #22a) to Craven Co. now Fairfield....Service as above except he names as captains of his, Derrell Hart & Richard Winn and also he mentions being captured in March 1777 at Fort McIntosh.. Also mentions service under Col. Joseph Kershaw and was in Battles of Carey's Fort, Granby Fort, Rocky Mt., Kings Mt., Hanging Rock, Camden, The Junipers...as stated the pension was allowed....Perhaps the same John Hollis in #26.

32 MOSES HOLLIS SR....just a scrap of paper and most of it gone... and for sundry supplies furnished.....it seemed that he had a claim for sundry supplies furnished by him to the S.E. Militia but not enough remains to make out what it was or what sort of a claim.

33 Gregg if His History of the Cheraws states on page 409 that MOSES HOLLIS was made a Lt. in 1783 under Gen. Francis Marion.

- 34 MOSES HOLLIS for Militia duty under Capt. Charles Lewis (See #23) and under Capt. John Hollis..... Both Capt. John Hollis and Capt. Charles Lewis certify the same for service under Gen. Thomas Sumter in his brigade.... also for a gunn lost at Sumter's Defeat and the gun was appraised before Charles Pickett J.P. by William Goyen and Daniel Goyen but William signs as William Goings rather than as Goyen as in paper. 31 Jan. 1789 Moses Hollis before John King J.P. Makes his claim payable to Charles Lewis.
- 35 WILLIAM HOLLIS ..has a file but completely empty except for a letter dated "War Department, Pension Office, Washington, D.C. dated 15 July 1836"... The War Department writes for the service record of WILLIAM HOLLIS who served for 5 years in the S.C. Militia"... No more.
- 35a WILLIAM HOLLIS U.S. Pension # S 10 845..... William Hollis applied for a pension from Autauga Co. Alabama 16 Feb. 1833 and stated he was then aged 85 years.... The pension was allowed.... He did not state when he removed from S.C. to Autauga Co. Ala where he was residing in 1833.... He first enlisted in May 1776 and served in all for 5 years as a private. Took part in the Battles of Sullivan Island and of Cowpens... Officers were Col. Cleveland... Col. Lacey... Col. Thompson... Capt. Charles Lewis... Capt. Winn... Capt. Boykin & Capt. Marion.... Evidently the file in #35 is empty because the papers were sent to Washington.
End of Revolution.
- Over age 16.
- The first S.C. Census made in 1790..... The 1st # indicates how many males in household including the husband..... 2nd # indicates how many males under age of 16 in household 3rd # indicates how many females including the wife..... 4th #, if any, indicates how many other white persons residing in the house outside the immediate family.
- 36 JAMES HOLLIS 1-2-3 in Union Co. of 96 Dist.... see #27-a-b-c
- 37 EDWARD HOLLIS 1-2-2-5 in Richland Co. of Camden Dist... see #s 29, & 21.
- 38 Fairfield County of Camden District... in 1790.
Elijah Hollis 1-2-1... see #30 James Hollis 2-3-4... see #28
Moses Hollis 4-2-2... see #22a & 32 William Hollis 1-1-4... see #35 & 35a
John Hollis 1-1-4 ... see #31 & 31a
Some of these I am sure are parents or grand parents of #10.
End of Census data.
- 39 Darling Jones / 1759-1858 / His wife / Rebecca Jones / Died 1820 / Aged 65..... Tombstone in the Longtown Baptist Church in Fairfield County, S.C. on the Wateree Creek (See #s 19 and others)
- 40 SILAS HOLLIS of Beaufort Dist. S.C. in Miscellany 4Y-241 dated 10 Mar. 1823..... To Benjamin F. Herd..... and also Power of Attorney to Thomas Bacot Jr..... He sells his wagons, horses and other stuff for which ~~for~~ I use for service in the transportation of the U.S. Mails Charleston to Pureysburg... also my house called Granville Pinelands in St. Paul Parish of Beaufort Dist. S.C. and also my Contract for the hauling of the U.S. Mails... 3 papers in all // Wit. Samuel Briggs, Andrew R. Foster, Sarah Humbert & Pathine Humbert before John Humbert JP.
End of Miscellany data.
- 41 Tombstones at Purity Presbyterian Church.. Chester Co.. by Fairfield.
William Ford / 19 Nov. 1801 / 19 July 1899.
Adeline Hollis / Wife of William Ford / 17 Mar. 1832 / 1 Oct. 1917.
From Ford work I did.

- 42 Tombstones at Purity Presbyterian Church....Chester Co. S.C.
 William Hollis / 25 April 1823 / 5 eb. 1889.
 Margaret Ford / wife of William Hollis / 1 Nov. 1830 / 1 July 1918.
 These Fords came with the Loves and with the Hollis from area of
 Fairfax County, Va.

43 JAMES HOLLIS (See #36) shows as a member of the Padgett Creek
 Baptist Church in Union Co. S.C. on membership roll 1794-1804.

45 Will abstracts and made from WPA copies which I find are about 5%
 inaccurate when compared with the original wills on file in county seats.

RICHLAND COUNTY..adjoined Fairfield.

These I took from original files in Columbia....Only two Hollis wills
 up to 1923..after that date several Hollis files but too late after 1923.

- 46 EDWARD HOLLIS of Cedar Creek, Richland Co...a will sg. 16 July 1793
 pr. 6 Oct. 1794.....Wife, Eleanor Hollis & Ex. with Capt. Richard
 Brown....after the death of my wife, to her heirs only.
 "I will 1 shilling each to my first four children"
 Abram Hollis residing in Pennsylvania
 Jane Wright
 Ann Garrett
 and to my son residing in Ireland, if he is alive (Not named)
 / Wit. Mary Brown, Jonathan Bancroft, Granville Thompson & Martyn Aiken
 C.C.
 He had children by his second wife, Eleanor Hollis, but I was unable to
 find their names...see #37.
 5 Apr. 1796, the widow, Eleanor Hollis, administrators and appraisers were
 named as Jonathan Bancroft, William Fox & Henry Fox before Richard Brown J.

A second appraisal and inventory was made of the slaves (All listed)
 on 11th Oct. 1803 by John G. Bostwick, William Fox, Robert Weston Jr.,
 William Rivers and William J. Myddleton J.P. of Orangeburg Dist.

Mention is made of minor children, but none named.
 End of file.

- 47 JOHN H. HOLLIS of Marengo Co. Alabama and of Columbia S.C. a
 will sg 13 Dec. 1835 pr. 3 Feb. 1836.....Wife listed as :
 Harriet L. Hollis & Ex. with Allen Frette....one child.
 John J.L. Hollis..and a minor.
 /Wit. John Caldwell, J.D. Hitt & A.H. Gladden.

Wills in Fairfield County, S.C.

(See #32 &38)

- 48 MOSES HOLLIS Sr..of Wateree Creek in Fairfield...a will sg.
 9 April 1793 pr. 17 July 1794.....Wife, Rosanna Hollis...Children
 Moses Hollis Jr..see #34 John Hollis...see #31
 Elijah Hollis..see #30 & 31 Berry Hollis
 Nancy Gladden..see 31
 a share to "My grand daughter" Catherine Patterson
 "All my children share share in the residue and equal"
 EXS : Sons, John & Elijah Hollis with Zachariah Cantey.
 /Wit. Thomas Goodram, Edward Tidwell (See #34) & Berry Hollis.

48a Berry Hollis, a son..just amere suggestion that perhaps the wife
 was nee Rosanna Berry.

48b Mrs. Johnson, I feel that this Moses Hollis is your ancestor..note
 my reference to MOSES in #16....This Moses #48 is likely grandfather of
 Thomas Hollis #16.

- 49 Isaac Husuey of Fairfield, a will sg. 19 June 1801 pr. 29 July 1801. Wife, Nelly Husuey & Ex. Children.
 Nancy Houdgens Isaac Husuey & Ex.
 Betty Husuey Peggy Husuey
 Nelly Husuey Jr.
 /Wit. James McCreight, George Hopson & Jno. Buchanan.
 This was nearest to Huguley I could find.
- 50 BERRY HOLLIS (Son #48) a will sg. 13 Oct. 1805 pr. 30 Dec. 1805.
 Wife, Priscilla Hollis. 2 children and small. minors.
 Derrell Upright Hollis Eliza Maria Hollis
 EXS : Isaac Knighton & my brother, Moses Hollis.
- 51 William Berry. will sg. 29 Jan. 1818 and no pr. date. Wife,
 Lucy Berry & Ex. with John Pickett. No children mentioned.
 He sets free all of his slaves and makes Richard Garrison,
 John Roseborough & John Pickett, trustees for the slaves.
 When my wife dies, all my estate to pass to
 Mrs. Cynthia Jones, the daughter of Elijah Seale.
 /Wit. Gardner Ford, Drury Walker & Abner Ross.
- 52 John Pickett... will pr. 2 Jan. 1821 names his wife as Molly and one
 of his daughters as Susanna the wife of John Cason.
- 53 BURRELL HOLLIS of Wateree Creek in Fairfield.. a will sg. 22 Sept.
 1835 pr. 5 April 1836. Wife, Elizabeth Hollis & Ex. Children :
 Robert Hollis & Ex. Sarah Graham
 Elizabeth Henson Jane Henson
 Mary Dunlap
 My deceased daughter Keziah's two children Oliver and Emily (No surnamed
 used) are to have the share of their mother.
 /Wit. John J. Myers, John Haviland, Colman Boulware & Minor Wilson.
 BEG PARDON of Cedar Creek rather than "ateree Creek... This is likely a
 son of Edward #46.
- 54 Mrs. ELIZABETH HOLLIS of Wateree Creek.... a will sg. 7 Sept. 1841
 and no pr. date... one child, a daughter
 Permelia Hollis & Ex. with my sister, Nancy Hollis.
 Mention is made of a $\frac{1}{2}$ interest in certain slaves owned jointly with
 my brother, David Hollis and my sister Nancy Hollis.
 If my daughter die single, then estate to the following persons
 but she did not give relationship
 Darling Jones Hollis.. see #39 David Hollis
 Polly Hollis Nancy Hollis
 Sally Davis
 Elizabeth Hollis, the daughter of Susanna Hollis.
 /Wit. Daniel Miller, Thomas Pumpkins & Emaline Davis.
- 54a This Mrs. Elizabeth Hollis was a Hollis and married a Hollis.

This completes the data I was able to find on Hollis in the S.C. Archives and in Richland County. However I do find some of the Hollis names in #38 as witness to wills of Cason, Jones, Raines, Johnson, Pickett, Lewis and others. I did not bother to collect the names for they are the same persons who show in 1790 Census... Myers is a name with Fox in Richland Co. mixed in with Edward Hollis set.

Fairfield to me is your best opportunity to secure data on Hollis from deeds, administrations and Court of Equity files... I believe that Fairfield will complete your line back to Moses #48 and from him you will have to begin in the area of Fairfax County, Va.

End.

- 55 I arrived in Winnsboro on Friday, August 6th, 1949 and one half hour before the court house opened at 9 A.M. I immediately began to work on Hollis and took only half hour off for lunch. I covered all estate administrations and wills but had no time to begin to check Court of Equity files for estate settlements... neither did I have any time to check other families associated with HOLLIS such as RUGUELY... CASON... KNIGHTON... TIDWELL... BARBER and others.
- 55a I am sure that all Hollis land deeds were not recorded for in the abstracts I have, I note reference to other deeds to and from Hollis which I was unable to find.... I was told by the Clerk of Court and the Probate Judge that the Hollis families resided mainly on Wateree River and in and along the Kershaw County line and some along the Chester County line.... One other family resided over in west part of Fairfield along the Richland County line and see #37 and #46.. I had already checked Richland County but since Sherman destroyed all deeds of Richland, there is nothing further to check in Richland County unless it be the Court of Equity files still remaining.
- 56 Between 1810 and 1815 THOMAS HOLLIS and ~~NOTLEY HOLLIS~~ NOTLEY HOLLIS show as taxpayers on land.... Also in deeds after 1810 shows lands bounding by the lands of THOMAS HOLLIS and of NOTLEY HOLLIS... These lands were of other people who in selling their land named on whose land their land was bounded by..... I went over the deed books three times searching for how and when Thomas and Notley Hollis got their land or when they sold the land, but never once did I find a record of either of them buying or selling lands... However both showed on tax books between 1812-1816.... As you read the data from Fairfield, you will find Notley mentioned several times but I never did find his father nor determine where he belonged.... THOMAS I found mentioned a stated, as a tax payer on personal property and as owning land "By the lands owned by Thomas Hollis" and that in a deed by someone else who gave his boundary.... Never did I find the name of RICHARD HOLLIS.
- 56 In Index of Estates I found EDMOND HOLLIS but when I opened the file I found it "Edmond Holly's Estate"... I asked both the clerk of court where deeds are kept and also the Judge of Probate where the estate files are kept, telling them I found Thomas and Notley Hollis as owning land yet was unable to find any record... Both told me "Often land deeds were never recorded and then you will find Hollis perhaps among the numerous HOLLY family in Fairfield or as HILL which was also numerous"... I did not have the time to check Holly... One deed indexed under HARRISON when I examined it, I found was HOLLIS but it would have taken a long time to have checked for the errors made by those old clerks who recorded in the long ago.... Beg pardon indexed as HOLLIS and when opened found to be Harrison as you will note later on. If closing time had not come at 5 P.M. I would have run down Harrison.. Holly... Hill to have seen if any Thomas or Notley under the names of Holly--Hill--Harrison and checked to see if Hollis.
- 57 Keep in mind as you study this data that husbands would sign for their wives in estate settlements for under the law they were be given what was coming to their wives and signed for them without even naming the wife by her first name... This is shown in the files on Hollis... I was confused for several Hollis men married Hollis women and I do not yet know whether I have them correct.

58 I did gather enough to know that possibly the father of Moses Hollis Sr. came into Fairfield and that Moses Sr. seemed to have brothers and sisters in Fairfield. The number e.g 2-110 ~~xxxxxx~~ N-20 refers to in first case File box and file #. with second where letters are used first, refers to Book and next page number.

58 SAMUEL HOLLIS Estate 3-110 administered 3 Jan. 1794 by Mrs. Elizabeth Hollis, widow and by Berry Hollis and their oath given by Charles Pickett J.P. of Wateree River. The Citation to administer was dated 12 Sept. 1793 and was read by Edmond Pigg, Minister of the Gospel, and read at the Meeting House on Wateree. The Admst. Bond for Elizabeth Hollis widow and Berry Hollis, brother* was signed by Moses Knighton and by Charles Knighton. Named to appraise the estate was Moses Knighton, Charles Lewis and John Hollis. with David Evans J.P. dated 25 July 1796 before Charles Pickett J.P. Mrs. Elizabeth Hollis, widow that her late husband owed to her the sum of 6 L 6 shilling & 7 pence and this was her money and must not be made a part of the Estate of Samuel Hollis. 10 Jan. 1798 Berry Hollis, Admst., placed a claim for traveling to Camden to collect in Kershaw County what was due the Estate of Samuel Hollis from the Estate of HENRY RUGUELEY**. No list of the heirs was ever given and remember that when an Administration was made no legal heir could be left out. At the sale the following Hollis buyers
 Elizabeth Hollis, widow Derrell Hollis
 William Hollis Moses Hollis
 Also Knightons. Tidwells. Raines. Smiths and others bought at the sale.
 *Samuel Hollis may have been a son of Moses Hollis Sr. but more likely he was a son in law and that Berry Hollis was a brother of Mrs. Elizabeth Hollis. In the Moses and Rosannah Hollis estate. Elizabeth Hollis, widow, was an heir. No further data on Samuel Hollis. The appraisal listed Samuel Hollis with slaves and land but where the land was disposed of, I did not find nor were the slaves sold at the sale. Elizabeth Hollis, widow was alive in 1798

59 ELIZABETH HOLLIS and I thought she may be the widow above but Elizabeth in #58 was alive in 1798. In Deeb book K-165 Before Charles Pickett J.P. and dated 6 March 1798 Mrs. Stacey (Also later found as Anastasia) Powell makes Oath that Mrs. Elizabeth Hollis was her daughter and deceased in the year 1794 and was aged 23 years when she died.

The in Administrations and all papers lost save the actual administration bond. Jesse Powell and his wife, Stacey Powell administer 1 Oct. 1804 and the file is 18-210 upon the Estate of ELIZABETH HOLLIS. The same day they also administer upon the estate of MARGARET HOLLIS. Same day they administer upon the Estate of MARY HOLLIS. Since all files are empty except the actual administration, I was unable to see what and whom it was for. MY PRESUMPTION only is that Jesse Powell and his wife, Stacey Powell had the two minor children of Mrs. Elizabeth Hollis and the minors were Margaret Hollis and Mary Hollis who were heirs of their mother, Elizabeth Hollis and Jesse & Stacey Powell their guardians. These two minor grandchildren died and their grandparents administered upon their estates as well as the estate of their mother, Elizabeth Hollis who had died in 1794. Of course I may be wrong, but the solution is logical at any rate. I am still inclined to believe Elizabeth Powell Hollis was widow of Samuel Hollis BUT I have to ADMIT she was not for see in #58 that Elizabeth, widow of Samuel signed before Charles Pickett J.P. dated 25 July 1796 and we know Elizabeth Powell Hollis was deceased in 1794 according to her own mother's notarized statement.

60 MOSES HOLLIS Sr... Much data... First some deeds and remember that in S.C. when a man deed to his family the wife was not required to sign a dower unless she had an interest of her own in the property.

61 The following deeds for LOVE and Affection from MOSES HOLLIS Sr. Book A and different pages and all separate deeds but dated 24 Jan. 1794 and witnessed by James Alex. Watson & Peter Patterson (Whom I think a son in law) before David Evans J.P.

- 1 To Berry Hollis... a slave man named Tom
- 2 To John Hollis... a slave man named Paul
- 3 To Moses Hollis Jr. a slave girl named Alee

4 To Elijah Hollis Jr. my son... a slave boy named Taney Why did he call the son Elijah Hollis JUNIOR, and after his name place "My son" unless there was another Elijah Hollis Sr. in the neighborhood ?

Also for love and affection and money consideration

5 MOSES HOLLIS Sr I-17 22 April 1793 to MOSES HOLLIS Jr... 150a land and for 20 Ls it being part of a 300a tract of land originally granted to William Gasper 27 Feb. 1798 and now owned by me and adjoining the land of Richard* Tidwell, John and Thomas Goodrum and Moses Hollis Sr. / Wit. Berry Hollis, John Hollis, Elijah Hollis Sr. and David Evans J.P.

6 MOSES HOLLIS Sr. I-17 and dated 10 April 1793 to BERRY HOLLIS, 100a of a tract of 300a of land originally granted to Moses Hollis Sr. in April 1768 and see #22a / Wit. Jesse Gladden, Moses Hollis Jr. and David Evans J.P.

62 MOSES HOLLIS and no dower I-218 and dated 22 Dec. 1783 but not recorded until 1794..Moses Hollis of Craven County to John Hall, 100a land it being part of an original grant of 300a to me on 29th day April 1768. / Wit. John Hollis, Moses Hollis & David Evans J.P.

63 MOSES HOLLIS SR. His Estate an administered with the will annexed (See #48) 16 Aug. 1794 by Zachariah Cantey, John Hollis and Elijah Hollis... Their bond signed by Thomas Goodrum, John Gladden, Edmond Tidwell before John Turner J.P. Appraisers named as Thomas Goodrum, John Gladden & Edward Tidwell (I wondered if Edmond who signed the bond) File 3-109 of old set... I checked the will #48 of original copy and the grand daughter, Catherine Patterson whom WPA had a full share, she received only a sum of money for which to buy herself a slave girl... Rest of will as in #48 except in WPA Thomas Goodrum for Thomas Goodrum.

At the appraisal, the widow, Rosanna Hollis, had set aside the "Things" which personally belong "To me" ... A very large estate. No list of the heirs for in will he stated "All my children shall share equal in the residue and remainder"... Not in the large file were the heirs ever listed... Buyers at the sale by name of Hollis and seemingly their kin... I did not copy those buying once.

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| Rosina Hollis, widow | Berry Hollis | Berryman Hollis |
| Moses Hollis | Nancy Hollis | Susannah Hollis |
| Nancy Gladden | Widow Hollis | Janey Hollis |
| Jesse Gladden | Capt. John Hollis | Reuben Hollis |
| Jonathan Bolton | Peter Patterson | Abner Smith |

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Buyers at sale of Moses Hollis Sr...continued.

William Evans

Thomas Hughs

Lemuel Owen

Lyttleton Hollis

John Gladden

Starling Tidwell

James Hollis

Joseph H ghsen

George Lott.

Sale held first Monday in November 1794.

*Richard Tidwell in #61-5...The Tidwells were constantly mixed in with Hollis and I wished I had had the time to check Tidwell...Note that Thomas Hollis #10 had a brother named RICHARD HOLLIS.

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Estate of Mrs. ROSANNAH HOLLIS, widow 19-238 also spelled as Rosina and as Rosna Hollis....The Citation to administer was read on Winnsboro C.H. Steps 17 Oct. 1817 and administered 20 Oct. 1817 by Capt. John Hollis and his bond signed by Daniel Hollis and Starling Tidwell.....Appraisers were listed as Minor Gladden, Jesse Gladden, Sterling Tidwell, Daniel Hollis and James Mories.....Capt. John Hollis wrote at top of the inventory and also at the sale "My mother's property"...I did not copy the sale buyers since the heirs were listed.....At the sale, the "Widow Hollis" bought extensively and she, I think is the widow of Samuel #58. There was a note owed to Mrs. Rosina Hollis in her life time.. There was no list of the heirs at the final settlement of her estate but this "Interest on a small note owed my mother and collected from Jan 1819 to Jan. 1827 and that interest now amounts to \$8.36 for a total of \$83.60 and will be divided now between her ten children or their heirs each or the heirs receiving \$8-36 each as follows;

- Jeremiah Smith for his wife.....\$8.36
- Elizabeth Hollis.....8.36
- Leander Johnston, for his wife.....8.36
- Margaret Patterson.....8.36
- Elijah Hollis.....8.36
- Moses Hollis.....8.36
- Berryman Hollis.....8.36
- John Hollis.....8.36
- Jean Tidwell, deceased..her heirs
- Starling Tidwell.....4.18
- Garland Tidwell.....4.18
- Nancy Steward, deceased and formerly the widow Gladden, her heir
- Sally W. Steward.....8.36

For such a small sum of money, this list was extremely valuable..In Estate of Moses Hollis Sr. and of Rosannah Hollis, his widow, slaves lands and thousands of dollars were listed BUT never once a set of heirs...Then in January 1827 here comes an accumulated interest on a note for the small amount of \$86.30 and we for the first time get a complete list of the ten children of Moses Hollis Sr. and his wife, Rosannah Hollis..they not even listed in will.

As stated under S.C. law up to 1868 in inheritance, a husband had to either sign with his wife or he could sign for her alone or be listed...hence above Margaret Patterson was a widow and Elizabeth Hollis a widow or else a single woman....I suspect she was widow of Samuel #58 and was the "Widow Hollis" buying at her mother's sale

QUESTION...Were the sons, Moses Hollis and Berryman or Berry Hollis alive in 1827? Capt. John Hollis was so particular as to state the amounts due to the ~~children~~ children, Jean Tidwell and Nancy Gladden Steward, then why not to the the children of Berry and Moses Hollis, if they were deceased? Note this in the further study

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ROSANNAH HOLLIS widow of Moses Hollis Sr was in some way kin to the Cason Family and may have been named for : Mrs. Rosey (Also Rosannah) Cason of Wateree, Fairfield County, widow, placed a claim for the supplies she furnished in Revolution... Cannon Cason Sr. will 1779 had a wife Rosa but no Cason daughter named Hollis.

66 Some two years ago I did all I could find in S.C. Archives on Cason...I saw numbers of Cason files in Winnsboro and wanted so much to tackle that Cason problem further...From my Cason file I give will of Cannon Cason (Also as Kenneon Cason) of Wateree, Craven County..will eg. 14 Sept. 1779 pr. 21 Jan. 1780. Wife listed as "My beloved wife" but other papers show her as Rosanna Cason"...Children :

William Cason	Cannon Cason Jr.	Willias Cason
Whithurst Cason	Laban Cason	Jean Gardin
Anna Page	Winnifred Cason	

EXS : Son, Williams Cason with Ralph Jones

/Wit. McKinzey Mattocks, Elizabeth Mattocks & Benjamin Bell

These sons, except Laben, were all soldiers in the Revolution.

67 Back to the sale of the estate of Mrs. Rosannah Hollis...The "Widow Hollis" bought half the furniture and Capt. John Hollis stated "My sister deserves all the furniture free for she has tended our mother for many years"...Unfortunately Capt. John Hollis did not give the name of the sister, unless he referred to "Widow Hollis" and she was Elizabeth...Janey Hollis bought most of the other furniture and who was Janey ?

68 BERRY HOLLIS #50.. His Estate file did not add much to the picture and will same as WPA copy in Columbia...I did make a few notes further on him from deeds. EB-22 Thomas Cusack and his wife Priscilla Cusack formerly the widow Hollis of Kershaw County S.C. West Wateree Township and the legal guardians for DERREL U. HOLLIS, minor son of Mrs. Priscilla Cusack...a deed to James Griffin for 75a of land formerly owned by BERRY HOLLIS, now deceased and of which Derrell U. Hollis, is a legal heir and child ect...The land situate on Wateree Creek in Fairfield Co. S.C. and by the laws of Capt. John Hollis, Daniel Hollis and John Hall / Wit / William H. Harrison, Leary Griffin, Martha McCarty and Martha Mickle....This deed dated 22 Sept. 1818 and Derrell U. Hollis still under age of 21 and therefore could not be the Derrell Hollis who bought at the sale of Samuel Hollis #58 in 1794

68a BERRY HOLLIS #50 and as I thought, placed him as son of Moses Hollis Sr. #48...Now I am wondering if I were correct for see my Question in #64 at the bottom.....PERHAPS, BERRY HOLLIS, brother in #58 who administered on Samuel Hollis Est. with the widow, Elizabeth,..perhaps and most likely this Berry was a brother of Samuel Hollis and not the son of Moses-Hollis Sr.

69 ~~MOSES HOLLIS XXXXXX~~ Appraisers for the Estate of BERRY HOLLIS #50 were Issiah Knighton, Moses Knighton, Moses Hollis and John Hall...Isaac Knighton signed the bond of Mrs. Priscilla Hollis.

70 MOSES HOLLIS Sr...His Estate administered 13 Feb. 1815 by Moses Knighton and his bond signed by Capt. John Hollis and Daniel W. Hollis.....Appraisers listed as Turner Stark, James Barber, and Jesse Gladden who made inventory 22 April 1815.....Expenses were paid to Moses Knighton Sr. to travel to Kershaw County and to collect for the heirs what was due to them from the Estate of John Ruguley (Also spelled Ruguley)...At the sale buyers beside Hollis were the following surnames :..Cason...Tidwell...Ruguley...Knighton...Lavender...Peay...Barber...Hall...Gladden...Belton Ect. The estate was large...Moses Knighton Sr. evidently died before it was all settled up.....ELIJAH V. HOLLIS on behalf of his wife, not named (She was Mary) asked the Court of Ordinary to name a new Administrator for the Estate of Moses Hollis who died and left seven children and no widow.....Acting upon this, a new Citation

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Moses Hollis Sr... His Estate continued ;
 was published 16 Feb. 1819 and JOHN HOLLIS was named the administrator.
 MANNING HOLLIS 3 March 1823 stated he was a child and heir of Moses
 Hollis deceased and asked for an accounting of the money the heirs
 were due from the Estate of John Ruguely, deceased of Kershaw County,
 and also asked for an accounting from Moses Knighton Jr. as Admst. of
 the Estate of Moses Knighton Sr.... Then begins a series of accountings
 JOHN HOLLIS Admst. Estate of Moses Hollis VS. Moses Knighton Jr. as
 Admst. Estate of Moses Knighton Sr... Many papers in which Moses
 Knighton Jr. was attempting to get the funds of the Moses Hollis
 Estate straight.... No genealogical value and I did not abstract this.
 John Hollis also in an attempt to get a settlement for the seven
 children of Moses Hollis, deceased from the Estate of John Ruguely
 of Camden.... No list of the heirs of MOSES HOLLIS except in the
 beginning... dated 22 March 1815, Moses Knighton Sr. listed the
 seven heirs, children of Moses Hollis Sr. deceased :

Elijah V. Hollis*
 Peter Hollis
 Mourning Hollis... see above as Manning
 Brunson Hollis
 Berryman Hollis
 Rosannah Hollis
 Moses Hollis.

I am sure that Elijah V. Hollis was listed for his wife, Mary Hollis
 for note in above "Elijah V. Hollis asks for new administrator, and
 asking in the RIGHT of my wife, who is an heir"

Minor children of Moses Hollis

JESSE HAVIS* Sr. was named the legal guardian in Orphan Court the
 4th day of July 1824 for the three minor children of Moses Hollis,
 deceased and children named as BERRYMAN... MOSES... & ROSANNA HOLLIS.
 The bond of Jesse Havis Sr. was signed by William Carlisle and James
 Barber.... 3 April 1824 these men.. Reuben Pickett.. Charles Pickett and
 Robert L. Knox were named to make an accounting of the money due to
 each of the three minor heirs of Moses Hollis, deceased... Jesse Havis
 Sr. makes a careful accounting each year... He paid board to Mary
 Hollis and to Elijah V. Hollis, for boarding the minors... Also paid
 was tuition for tutors and for boarding school... Clothing ect...
 Several orders from Mrs. Mary HOLLIS to John Neel, merchant, for
 articles of clothing for Moses, Berryman and Rosanna Hollis... I first
 thought Mary Hollis may have been the mother of these three children
 but the Administration states Moses Hollis left no widow.... Jesse
 Havis Sr. died 28 Aug. 1827 and his estate was Admst. by Jesse D.
 Havis... 12 May 1828, Berryman Hollis states he is this day aged
 21 and asks for a full accounting from Jesse D. Havis, Admst. of the
 Estate of Jesse Havis Sr. for the money still due to Berryman Hollis.

*Havis was a large family in Kershaw and in Fairfield.. To me it
 seems worth further study that the wife of this Moses Hollis may have
 been a HAVIS.. altho Havis and Ruguely and Knighton all mix up in
 Kershaw as I happen to know and also the Jones.. In doing some Collins
 work in Kershaw I had occasion to examine some interesting Havis files.

A thought.

Perhaps in Fairfield.. some of the Hollis papers may be listed by the
 clerk as Havis.

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See Huguely in #3 and change the "H" to "R" and very similar... I
 did take time off from Hollis to check the oldest Rugueley in Fairfield.
 HENRY RUGELEY will ag. 16 June 1796 pr. 17 April 1797... Wife listed
 as Elizabeth Rugeley... Children minors... Rowland... Henry... John...
 Mary Ann Carolina Rugeley... Brother, Matthew Ruguley in Bedfordshire,
 England... mentioned lands by Darling and Ralph Jones.. Jonathan Belton
 & Thomas Grigg Yarborough... Taylor Creek and Wateree Creek.

71 Henry Rugeley Est. Wife, Elizabeth as Ex. /Wit. Isaac Arledge, Thomas G. Yarborough & Thomas Starke Jr. This will is also recorded in Kernshaw County. I took no time to study this but note in #58 where heirs of Samuel Hollis sued heirs of Henry Rugeley. Buyers at the sale beside Rugeley were people by name of Taylor, Jones, Hollis, Tidwell, Stark, Cantey. (Note Zachariah Cantey as Ex. in #48). Raines, Powell, Cason et al. I have digressed of Rugeley and now come back to Moses Hollis #70. Was he son of Moses Hollis Sr. #48 and 63 and of Rosannah Hollis #64. Seems likely since he had a daughter Rosannah and a son Moses and a son Barryman. Yet why in 1827 was that interest of \$8.36 paid to MOSES HOLLIS. seems if deceased he could at least have said "Heirs of Moses Hollis" and since 7 divided between 8.36 would have taken time, John Hollis could have at least said as he did about his two sisters, deceased.

Note land grants before Revolution
#22 Moses Hollis, 200a in 1772 and I marked myself "Increase in Family" which I should not have done unless so stated
#22a Moses Hollis, 300a in 1768.

The Crown almost refused to grant the same man extra grants except for payment for some service or for increase in family. I am now wondering if two Moses Hollis men came to Fairfield? I would have been so happy and contented that Moses #70 was the son Moses #63 and Rosanna #64 if that interest on that note had not been paid out in 1827

73 ELIJAH V. HOLLIS was quite a wealthy man and a Dandy also. He has many papers but no will or administration and seems to have left Fairfield many deeds which I did not abstract. He seemed to have a gay way with the ladies except his won wife, Mary. I feel that Elijah V. Hollis was the son of Elijah Hollis, son #53.

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MM-250 and 327... ELIJAH V. HOLLIS a deed dated 19 Oct. 1836 to Thomas Boulware of a plantation on Wateree Creek. The same being part of a grant to Moses Hollis in 1768 who conveyed it to his son, Elijah Hollis (See #deeds and I did not find it) who in turn conveyed the same to me, Elijah V. Hollis, his son. No dower. Paid tract of land being bounded by lands of John Hollis, Musco Boulware and Thomas Boulware and a tract formerly belonging to THOMAS and NOTLEY HOLLIS /Wit. Micajah Pickett and Micajah Beasley. When the J.P. took oath of witnesses he stated Micajah B. Pickett. The wife of Elijah V. Hollis was not living with him and it was sometime before Thomas Boulware got her dower signed... dated 13 Feb. 1837, before Thomas Boykin (? as to surname) Mrs. Mary Hollis, wife of Elijah V. Hollis renounces her dower right in within plantation of land. I can easily see why Mary Hollis was worried.

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H.H.-76 dated 16 Nov/ 1829 a Deed of Gift... ELIJAH V. HOLLIS to a single woman known as SUSANNA HOLLIS and to her children who are rightly computed to be mine (Children not named)... slaves... cattle... furniture... plantation of land ect. /Wit. Moses Knighton & Darling Jones Hollis (See #39). I can readily see why MARY HOLLIS, dtr. Moses Hollis #70 was not living with her husband, Elijah V. Hollis. From other papers which I did not abstract, I can easily see that Elijah V. Hollis was quite a rake and a gentleman who knew his way around with the ladies. Poor Mary, his wife, just could not stand it seemingly. In 1841 Mary Hollis w. of Elijah V. Hollis, may have died. see #74.

74 Estate of Mrs. MARY HOLLIS admst. 14 May 1841 by Charles Thorn of West Wateree, Kernshaw Co. his bond ag. by Benjamin Rock and Henry Isaac Mason. Appraisers listed as... continued.

74 Continued Estate of Mrs. MARY HOLLIS Admst. by Charles Thorn 14 May 1841...Appraisers listed as James Wilson, John Lewis & Jesse J. Barber...Estate consisted of her household furniture and 3 slaves received from Moses Hollis Estate...No land was mentioned. No list of heirs...Buyers at the sale :
 Charles Thorn Mrs. Charles Thorn
 George Lott Mrs. Delaney Lott
 Moses Hollis Peter Hollis
 No other data in the file and no indication as to whether she was a widow or that her husband was alive...No indication that she was wife of Elijah V. Hollis, but I wondered if not...Andrea

75 ELIJAH HOLLIS Jr..son of MOSES HOLLIS Sr.
 He was a captain in the Revolution, I once thought, but the Capt. Elijah Hollis in the Revolution, may have been the presumably Elijah Hollis Sr from inference in #61-4...I took down all data on any ELIJAH HOLLIS..he evidently removed from Fairfield for there is no will or administration for him...In #73-1 Elijah V. Hollis refers to the land grt. Moses Hollis and then sold to Elijah Hollis who conveyed to Elijah V. Hollis...none of these deeds were on file as far as I detected...I carefully went over every Hollis deed from beginning to 1840 and checked but did not abstract after 1840.

76 D-35 also same in F-35...ELIJAH HOLLIS and no dower...dated 26 March 1789 to Edward Pigg...tract of 10a on Mill and Wateree Creeks by the land of Moses Hollis and said land granted to Moses Hollis for 200a dated 1 Dec. 1772 (See #22) and a portion of it conveyed by a deed dated 30 March 1784 to me, Elijah Hollis /Wit. William Cason, John Hollis & Charles Felix Pigg...Recall that the Rev. Edmond Pigg read citation in #58

77 ELIJAH HOLLIS SR. I-351 (Definitely not the Elijah Hollis Jr. son of Moses Hollis Sr. in #61-4...For Love and Affection I have to REUBEN HOLLIS Jr...a deed of gift of one bay filley mare...13. Dec. 1794 / Wit. Berry Hollis, John Hollis, Lemuel Owens & David Evans J.P.

78 Indexed as Reuben Hollis but when I got book down REUBEN HARRISON with dower by his wife, Sarah Harrison...deed dated 6 Sept. 1794 to Alexander Irvin...tract of land ect. /Wit. John Mickle, Moseley Collins & Zachariah Nettles.

79 Only other are scattered data on ELIJAH HOLLIS and see Elijah V. HOLLIS...Where Elijah Hollis Sr. and Elijah Hollis Jr. removed to, I have no idea...both paid taxes on land but no will or administration for either one...but few land deeds, i.e. on record.

80 BERRY or BERRYMAN HOLLIS, son of Moses Hollis Sr...see #61-1 and 61-6...I wondered if the son, Berry Hollis #68 & #50...Seems to, but see Question at end of #64...Definitely BERRY #50 and dead before 1805 had no son Berry or Berryman to be listed by Capt. John Hollis in 1827 in #64...No other will or administration for any Berry Hollis except #50.

81 BERRY HOLLIS L-9- dated 25 Oct. 1797 and for love and affection I bear my sister, NANCY GLADDEN (See #64 as Steward) a deed of gift of a slave man named Tom...My bigg chest...my bed and furniture ect. /Wit. Starling Tidwell, Lemuel Owen & Sally Wright Owen.

End of BERRY HOLLIS data save the various Berry and Berryman Hollis names noted in other data.

- 82 The heat here today is up past 90 degrees and it is still and cloudy and I am perspiring like a pig... If typed wrong and water splashed... you can easily guess what is wrong.
- 83 JOHN HOLLIS... son of MOSES HOLLIS Sr... Definitely there were two John Hollis men of same era and both residing in Fairfield. Two were in the Revolution also... I have never yet found out the names of the children of Edmond Hollis #46 as Edward Hollis... He had a son in Ireland and a son named Abram Hollis in Pennsylvania... These by first wife it seemed... Edward Hollis resided in upper Rich and County on Cedar Creek which also ran in Fairfield County.
- 83 JOHN HOLLIS deeds from his father Moses Hollis Sr... see #61... I will take all John Hollis deeds I abstracted and as I abstracted them.
- 84 EDWARD PIGG I-23 and no dower... dated 10 March 1794 to JOHN HOLLIS a tract of 100a land on Wateree Creek bounded by the land of KNOTLEY HOLLIS and MOSES HOLLIS and it being one half of an original grant to ~~William Smith~~ William Smith in August 1774 / Wit. John Yarborough, Berry Hollis and Elijah Hollis Jr.
- 84 Mrs. Stacey Taylor I-399 and dated 1 Jan. 1795 and for the good will I bear to JOHN HOLLIS, a deed for 200a land on Wateree Creek and an original grant to John Lee 3 Dec. 1771... money consideration 10 L. / Wit. Berry Hollis, Elijah Hollis Jr. & John Dunlop... I was at a loss to know what sort of good will Anastasia Taylor bore to John Hollis and from context it seemed that John Hollis was her son in law, but not so stated... I had no time to examine all the Taylor files and some fit in with Hollis... Note also Stacey w. of Jesse Powell #59.
- 85 JOHN FORT MUSE, Sheriff of Fairfield County T-103 a deed dated 3 April 1810 or 1816 (Hard to read the date of year) to JOHN HOLLIS Jr... for a tract of 134a of land and it being the said tract of land in which William Smith Vs. Starling Tidwell won in Court of Equity and sold to the highest bidder on 4th Monday of last October to JOHN HOLLIS Jr, the highest bidder at the sale / Wit. James Beaty and David McNeil.
- 85 JOHN HOLLIS Sr. Y-165 dated 20 Aug. 1816 for good will and \$5, a deed to DANIEL HOLLIS of 154a on Wateree Creek by the land of John Hollis Jr, Thomas Hollis land, & Notley Hollis land and it being an original grant to William Smith who conveyed to Moses Hollis who conveyed to Edward Pigg who conveyed same to me John Hollis Sr. / Wit. Churchill Carter, John Hollis Jr. and William Robertson J.P.
- 86 JOHN HOLLIS and with dower by his wife, LETTY HOLLIS DD-80 and dated 8 April 1822 to Jeptha Pickett... a tract of land of 120a on Mill Creek of Wateree River and it being part of org. grant to William Smith who conveyed to Moses Hollis who conveyed to Edward Pigg who conveyed to John Hollis Sr. who conveyed to me, John Hollis Jr... and bounded by lands of the Estate of Daniel Hollis, Jeptha Pickett, NOTLEY HOLLIS, Manning Fogg and platted by Abraham Ferguson... / Wit. Moses Knighton, Abram Ferguson & Thomas Lumpkin J.P.
This definitely JOHN HOLLIS Jr. and wife named Letty Hollis and seemingly a son of John Hollis Sr.

87 Two deeds KK-218 Ailsy (Also Alley) Williamson and Thomas B. Williamson as Executors of the Estate of Rolling Williamson, now deceased dated 6 Jan. 1832. . . . A tract of land on Cedar Creek (Rolling Williamson resided just a couple of miles above Edward Hollis #46 on Cedar Creek and Broad River in Fairfield Co. while Edward Hollis resided on Cedar Creek in Richmond Co) by the lands of Samuel McCanta, Issiah Neely, William McWatters & William J. Williamson and deeded to JESSE HOLLIS / Wit. John Stanton & Phillip D. Cook J.P. . . . then 9 Jan. 1832 same executors execute a deed of a tract on Cedar Creek adjoining land of Elias Fish and Jesse Hollis. and deeded to JOHN HOLLIS / Wit. Phillip D. Cook and Henry Kennedy.

87a ROLLING WILLIAMSON, a Revolutionary soldier and from my Williamson file here, I took out to see if any HOLLIS and none in the will of ROLLING WILLIAMSON of Fairfield County, Cedar Creek ag. 5 March 1824 pr. 1 Oct. 1824 in Fairfield. . . Wife, Ailsy Williamson & Ex. . . Children:

Thomas T. Williamson & Ex.	Jemima A. Williamson
Lucy N. Waring	Sarah BRAN DuBose
Martha Woodward	Ailey Woodward
John Williamson	Rolling Williamson Jr.
Rebecca Hodges, widow	Mary Heath, deceased & her 2 ch.

Grand daughter, Martha Williamson who lives with me. her furniture. Mentions estate of Richard Hodges of which he was joint Admt. Sell the Robison tract of land on Cedar Creek to highest bidder* /Wit. Lucy R. Waring, John M. Waring & Ailey Woodward.
*Evidently Jesse Hollis and JOHN HOLLIS bid in this Robison land. #87.

88 JOHN HOLLIS Sr. dated 1 Feb. 1823 and one of the Admt. Estate of DANIEL W. HOLLIS. states that Elizabeth Hollis widow of Daniel W. Hollis is now inter married with Joseph Lumpkin and that the said Elizabeth Lumpkin claims a one third dower in estate of Daniel W. Hollis. . . Therefore, I, John Hollis Sr. who holds a note of \$5000 which was signed over to me by Daniel W. Hollis in his life time. . . I fully intended to allow this note to become a part of the Estate of D.W. Hollis b t since his widow has now remarried, I transfer the note and to have it collected from Est. of D.W. Hollis, before any dower of a third is set up for Mrs. E. Lumpkin. . . I then allow the proceeds of the note to be heired by the children of Daniel W. Hollis. named as:

Mary w. of Jesse Hilliard	Eliza Hollis, minor
Martha w. of James Sasser	Nancy Hollis, minor
John W. Hollis, minor.	

Evidently these were grand children of John Hollis Sr.

89 Estate of JOHN HOLLIS and Admt. 19 Dec. 1836 by Darling J. Hollis and David J. Hollis and their bond signed by Daniel Goyen (Going) and Richard Cathcart. . . . 19 Jan. 1837 an inventory was made by P.G. Killingsworth, Minor Gladden and John McCully and assisting were Littleton Raines and Elijah Gayden in West Wateree Township of Kershaw County, S.C. . . . A rather medium estate and of a man in fairly well circumstances but not seemingly who had \$5000 to give his seemingly grandchildren as in #88. . . The heirs were listed in two different lists and I compared closely. . . Wife deceased. . . I took the final returns of the Division made 18 Feb. 1839.

Darling Jones Hollis	David Jones Hollis
Elizabeth Hollis, widow	Nancy Hollis, spinster
Sarah Davis, widow	Margaret w. of John Miller
*Susanna Hollis	Mary Hollis, spinster

*Wonder if Susanna Hollis was the lady in love with Elijah V. Hollis

I would not be surprised if this John Hollis did not wed a Jones and note Darling Jones in #39. . . Was this John Hollis, Capt. ?

- 89a Capt. JOHN HOLLIS and see #31 and 31a was born in Fairfax Co. Va. 5 Dec. 1751 and came when small with his parents to what is now Fairfield. ... Had a wife aged nearing 70. two youngest sons and four daughters live on the place with him and dated 10 Nov. 1890 and Capt. Elijah Hollis stated under oath that he was a brother of Capt. John Hollis. ect.
- 90 Miss MARY HOLLIS 00-39 dated 28 Feb. 1842 (1842) a Trust Deed to DAVID HOLLIS, my brother, but reserves a lifetime interest for herself as long as she lives. ... Deed to David Hollis of all my inherited interest in the estate of my late father, Capt. JOHN HOLLIS in his undivided land and the land entailed to DANIEL HOLLIS the son of DAVID HOLLIS. ... One slave named Stephen is entailed to Mary Hollis, my name sake and if Mary die with no bodily issue, then said slave, Stephen is to pass to the sisters of Mary Hollis, named as
 Elizabeth Hollis Nancy Hollis
 Sarah Hollis Laura Hollis
 all five being the children of SUSANNA HOLLIS.
 /Wit. John Miller and Daniel Hollis
- 90 Mrs. Elizabeth Hollis (Dtr. #89) and see #54. ... I did not open this file but recall she named Elizabeth Hollis, daughter of my sister, Susanna Hollis.
- 91 Question. ... Is this the same SUSANNA HOLLIS in #73-2 and these children in #90 the bastard children of Elijah V. Hollis? IT seems so, but I am not certain. ... Susanna may have wed a Hollis as did her sister, Elizabeth, the widow in #90.
- 92 Miss NANCY HOLLIS (Dtr. #89) an Administration 31 Jan. 1840 by Darling and David Hollis and their bond signed by M.B. Fogg and John McCully (Also as McCally). ... The inventory showed her as having an undivided interest in the estate of the late Capt. John Hollis. Her heirs were her brothers and sisters:
 Darling J. Hollis David J. Hollis
 Mrs. Elizabeth Hollis Susanna Hollis
 Mrs. Sarah Davis Margaret w. of John Miller
 Miss Mary Hollis
 At the sale, Miss Nancy Hollis Jr. bought the jewelry of her aunt. Was the wife of this John Hollis, Letty Hollis in #86?
- 93 JOHN HOLLIS Sr. in #85 and in #88 who seemed the father of Daniel W. Hollis. ... I found no will or administration for him.
- 94 JOHN HOLLIS of Fairfield County. ... will sg. 23 July 1885 pr. 1 Feb. 1886. ... Wife, Elizabeth Hollis (Second wife). ... Children Edward Hollis & to have \$5 John Hollis & to have \$5 George Brunson Hollis & % Delilah Ann McClure. ... 1/3 Est. The son of my old age, Joseph Ely Hollis. ... to complete his education from my estate and to have 1/3rd My grand daughter, Nancy E. Faulkner. ... to have one third.
 EXB.: Richard DesPortes and John A. DesPortes
 /Wit. R.F. Edmunds M.D., C.A. Barnes M.D. Jr. & John D. Putnam M.D.
 The file was interesting. ... The DesPortes men for several years were paying out all sorts of expenses for young Joseph Ely Hollis who was quite a gay young blade. ... Games, races, balls, ... trips to N.Y. ect. Years of college but if he graduated with honors he had no time to study seemingly from his gay rounds of trips and dances ect. all of which expenses the DesPortes would take a page or more per year to tally. ... I did check these payments. ... to others.
 John Hollis his \$5. ... J.R. Faulkner. ... John McClure

- 95 JAMES A. HOLLIS Estate Admst. 16 Jan. 1889 by Hiram F. Hollis. John Hollis is the clerk at the appraisal... No list of heirs. Several more Hollis after 1865 but I did not abstract... Hollis deeds, administrations and wills up to 1942... They were too late and I did not abstract.
- 96 Back to Capt. JOHN HOLLIS #89 and 89a... In his pension application in 1830 he stated "My two youngest sons live on the place with me and my four daughters"... The inference is that he had older sons, but never did I see them mentioned in Estate settlement... Since this was an administration and each heir got two different installments and each was beyond a \$1000 each, under the S.C. Law in effect, each child would have to have heired... If the amount had been very small, the other sons would have not heired... Also in Estate of Miss Nancy #92, other brothers and sisters, (Unless half) would have heired since it was an administration... Miss Mary #90 in her lifetime disposed of her estate and slaves to her brother, David Jones Hollis and to his son, Daniel Hollis for the land... One slave to her name sake, Mary Hollis and entailed to her sisters, Elizabeth, Nancy, Laura and Sarah Hollis, daughters of Susannah... David J. Hollis's wife may have been named Susannah and it seems logical that since David J. Hollis in return for the rather large estate of Miss Mary Hollis, that it would have been his children to have been heirs... I hate to think these five daughters of Susannah was the Susannah in #73-2 the single woman "Known as Susanna Hollis" and her children rightly computed to me in that deed from Elijah V. Hollis... I wish I had checked some dower by David J. Hollis's wife to see if her name had been Susanna. See also the will of the Mrs. Elizabeth Hollis #90 & 54 and she provided for entailment, in case her daughter died, to go to her sisters and brother... she also gave a share to Elizabeth, the daughter of Susanna Hollis.
- 97 DANIEL W. HOLLIS 18-245 and his Estate Admst. by his widow, Elizabeth Hollis (Iⁿ the courthouse the lady clerk in Judge of Probate office told me that this Elizabeth Hollis was kin to the Harrison and McCain family and she thought she was Elizabeth Boulware and she knew the Boulware wed with both Harrison and McCain and Hollis) and by JOHN HOLLIS Sr and their bond was signed by Adam McCain and Benjamin Harrison 1 May 1820... Citation to administer read 20th Apr. 1820... Appraisers listed as Mourning (Manning) Fogg, John Hall, Minor Gladden, David Lavender and John Wilson and sworn in before Robert Knox J.P... A very large estate... Daniel W. Hollis owed to JOHN HOLLIS Sr, the sum of \$5000 (See #88)... By 1st day of February, the widow, Mrs. Elizabeth Hollis had become the wife of Joseph Lumpkin... John Hollis Sr. resigned as Administrator and Joseph Lumpkin and his wife, Mrs. Elizabeth Lumpkin formerly Mrs. Elizabeth Hollis, widow of Daniel W. Hollis now deceased... Sale list I did not copy, but almost every Hollis name seen in this study was buying at the sale... The bond of Joseph and Elizabeth Hollis Lumpkin was signed by Thomas Lumpkin and Benjamin Boulware... The first division and consequent divisions... As follows:
The widow, Mrs. Elizabeth Lumpkin... one third, her dower right
The children:
Martha the wife of James Sasser and residing in Miss.
Mary the wife of Jesse Hilliard and residing in Miss.
John W. Hollis and a minor
Eliza Hollis and a minor
Nancy Hollis and a minor
The Lumpkins made their guardians for the minors
24 Feb. 1823 when they Admst'd.
Marshall, Miss. a letter dated 14 July 1834 from Dabney A. Spurr is on file and requesting a full notarized account of the administrations and so for of the estate of the late Daniel W. Hollis.

- 97 Continued Estate of Daniel W. Hollis
 Ophane Court, Franklin Co. Miss. and filed in Fairfield
 Co. S.C. and dated 10 April 1833. Jesse Hilliard named and
 appointed as guardian of the estates of John W. Hollis, Nancy
 Hollis and Eliza Hollis, minors and now residents of Miss. ...
 Dated 21 July 1835. Jesse W. Hilliard writes "My postoffice is
 now Liberty, Amite Co., Miss". ... Jesse Hilliard and his wife,
 Mary Hollis Hilliard name Benjamin Boulware, as their Attorney
 in Fairfield Co. S.C. ... not dated. ... Joseph Lumpkin and his wife,
 Elizabeth Lumpkin, also give Power of Attorney to Benjamin Boulware
 in Fairfield Co. S.C. ... date missing and also place but somewhere in
 Miss.
- 98 RHODA HOLLIS and NANCY HOLLIS NH-250 and dated 14 July 1826... two
 separate deeds to JOSEPH LUMPKIN ... and for all our "Our Inherited
 Interest in a plantation of land on Wateree Creek in Fairfield Co.
 S.C. (From whom inherited was not mentioned) / Wit. Muscoe B. Fogg,
 David Mayson and Thomas Lumpkin J.P. Whose heirs were Rhoda and
 Nancy ?
- 99 JAMES HOLLIS. There were two James Hollis men in the Revolution
 and both were once in Fairfield. ... One was #27-a-b-c and he was born
 in Wanworth, Surry Co. England. The other was James Hollis #28. ... See
 also two men by name of James Hollis in 1790 Census #36 in Union and
 #38 in Fairfield.
- 100 JAMES HOLLIS I-361 and dated 26 April 1794. Before these
 freeholders : John King Sr., Charles Lewis, Thomas Watts, Joshua
 Knighton, Isaac Arledge and Charles Pickett, this day was tried
 JAMES HOLLIS and declared a common vagrant and unop charges brought
 before us by JESSE HAVIS. "Since James Hollis is now an old
 man, he was ordered to retire to his home and to try to become a
 good citizen and a credit to his family and to his kinsmen here in
 this district of Fairfield. This prosecution was not for
 malicious reasons but to protect the home, the county and the
 family of old man Hollis etc". ... To me is seemed that this old man
 James Hollis would wander off from home and he likely was suffering
 some sort of insanity. Andrea. ... This seems to fit the James Hollis
 #27 whom W.B. Dunlap dated 4 May 1844 wrote from Union County "James
 Hollis lives with me on my plantation and the old man is in distress
 for want of his (Pension) money". ... However this James Hollis was
 born in England 19 Aug. 1757 and in 1794 was not so old (Only 37)
- 101 JAMES HOLLIS Estate in Fairfield and administered 20 Jan 1802
 by his widow, Sarah Hollis and by Burrell Hollis. ... Bond signed by
 John Dunlop and William Hollis Sr. ... Citation was read 28 Dec. 1801.
 Appraisers were named as John Seale, Jesse Havis, James Hamby, John
 Hamby and John Tidwell Sr. and they sworn in by Nicholas Peay J.P.
 Bills paid were numerous and I checked these :
 Paid to Henry Moore for surveying the lands of James Hollis, deceased.
 (Found but few deeds on James Hollis). ... late and dated 11 Dec. 1815
 Paid the proven claim of Charles Martin for his defense in the suit
 which was brought against James Hollis, deceased. Estate. ... No
 list of the heirs was given. ... Buyers at the sale by name of Hollis
 and a few others I checked :
 Sarah Hollis Benjamin Hollis Jesse Martin
 James Hollis Littleton Hollis Thomas Hughes
 William Hollis Burrell Hollis James Barber.
 This may be the old man James Hollis in #100 as the vagrant who was
 wandering about the county side.

- 102 Mrs. SARAH HOLLIS, widow, her estate (Widow #101) and administered 13 Dec. 1814 by her son, Burrell Hollis... The appraisers were Thomas Hughs, William Goyen (Going) and John Hall... I did not bother with the sale and other data... This estate was mainly valuable in that it gave the names of the children of Mrs. Sarah Hollis. The final division was made 24 April 1817 among the heirs of Mrs. Sarah Hollis, deceased... Her children or the ir heirs :
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| John Hollis | James Hollis * |
| Elizabeth Hollis | Burrell Hollis |
| Moses Hollis | Benjamin Hollis |
| Nancy Hollis** | Rhoda Hollis** |
| William Hollis | Littleton Hollis |
- *The son, James Hollis may be the soldier #27b
 ** Nancy and Rhoda Hollis and see them in #98
 The picture now begins to clear a bit
 The son, Moses Hollis, is likely the Moses #70
 The John Hollis Sr. may be the son in #85 & 97
 If this old man JAMES HOLLIS was very old, it is possible that he was the father of the Moses Hollis #63 and 64... More likely they were brothers.... Note that James Hollis named a son, Moses Hollis. The Lumpkin names comes into this family as noted in 98.. also in John Hollis Sr. with his seemingly son, Daniel W. Hollis #88 & 97.
- 103 LITTLETON HOLLIS P-183 dated 24 Aug. 1804 and no dower.. a deed to John Pickett for a certain tract of land on Wateree Creek which is the 200a of land purchased by my father, James Hollis in his lifetime (James Hollis Sr. in body of the deed) / Wit. Burrell Hollis, Moses Hollis and Reuben Pickett
- 104 JAMES HOLLIS BE-10 and no dower... for \$870 paid to me by Minor Gladden.. 165a land on Wateree Creek where James Hollis now lives it being part of two tracts bought by James Hollis Sr and by James Hollis Jr.. first 105a of the original grant of of 165a to Jesse Jenkins 6 Dec. 1793 and 60a of a tract grtd. to James Campbell 5 June 1801. and adjoining the lands of THOMAS HOLLIS and of Moses Gladden.
 *Makes me so damned mad that I forgot to get the date of this deed by James Hollis for here definitely is mentioned the tract of land adjoining by Thomas Hollis.... This deed definitely states that THOMAS HOLLIS was a land owner on Wateree Creek by Moses Gladden and by James Hollis... also former land owner by NOTLEY HOLLIS in #56 and somewhere else in another deed mentions by lands "Formerly owned by Thomas and Notley Hollis"
- 105 MOSES HOLLIS (Son #70) and residing out of S.C. (Place not stated) Power of Attorney KK-282 and dated 22 Feb. 1832 to THOMAS LUMPKIN to recover for me from my former guardian when I was a minor, My former guardian, Joseph Caldwell, who was released when I became of the age of 21, but the said Joseph Caldwell still owes to me most of my inheritance from my father who deceased when I was a minor (Not named but in another paper by Thomas Lumpkin who states son of Moses Hollis. /Wit. Peter Hall & John B. Lumpkin.
- 106 JAMES HOLLIS NN-77 a deed to John Barber (And I forgot to check date) N.N. was a book the for 1828-38... 28a land on Wateree Creek by the lands of James Hollis and Joseph Caldwell (See #105) and said granted to Jesse Jenkins / Wit. Samuel Hallit & James Barber.
- 107 BURRELL HOLLIS #53 and son of James #101 and Sarah #102... His widow was Elizabeth Hollis... 20 April 1836 the Estate of Burrell Hollis was appraised by : John W. Durnam, P.G. Killingsworth..
 Colman Boulware and Henry Gibson.
 (Killingsworth)

- 108 BURRELL B. HOLLIS and dower by his wife, Elizabeth Hollis MM-153 a deed to John B. Pickle...a tract of land on Wateree Creek formerly owned by my late father, James Hollis Sr. and heired by me...ect. /Wit. Elijah V. Hollis, Henry Gibson & Moses Knighton...Forgot to get the date....Note that Elijah V. Hollis married a niece of Burrell B. Hollis...she was Mary Hollis, the daughter of Moses Hollis #70, as I see it.
- 109 Mrs. ELIZABETH HOLLIS widow of Burrell Hollis, deceased...10 Nov. 1848...a deed to my son, HAMPTON HOLLIS for a certain plantation of land set aside for Hampton, in the lifetime of his father, Burrell Hollis / Wit. David McDowell & Samuel Wylie....00-39...The home plantation on Cedar Creek...Note that in will #53, the son, Hampton Hollis was not named...The deed of Mrs. Elizabeth Hollis is rather complicated and includes the slaves, horses ect on Cedar Creek...It seemingly was deeded to her for Hampton Hollis as his share of the Estate and Hampton in turn was to care for his mother Elizabeth who in 1848 deeded it outright to Hampton Hollis.....She also deeds lands to her son, Robert Hollis and see #53
- 110 In a will, the names of the children are not always found...In an Administration, all heirs are supposed to be listed.
- 111 ZACHARIAH CANTEY DD-213..forgot to get the date but by 1800....a deed to LYTTLETON HOLLIS a tract of land on Wateree Creek and it being a part of the lands of JAMES HOLLIS Sr. deceased and sold by the Sheriff after being levied upon by a suit (See Charles artin fee in #101) and bid in at the sale by Zachariah Cantey and who now for the good will I bear to Lyttleton Hollis, son of James Hollis, Sr. deceased, do now deed same tract to him./Wit. Francis S. Lee and Hugh Goyen (Going)...Reference is made to Court of Equity Suit...I had no tim- to check Court of Equity files...These are slow work and have no master index....Court of Equity divides lands and hence this may account for the many deeds missing of people by name of Hollis, we have seen so far, who owned land in Fairfield and for which we found no deed.
- 112 Miss ELIZA HOLLIS DD-236..Marriage Settlement with GEORGE ADAMS of Richland County...Eliza Hollis of Fairfield County....Miss Eliza Hollis in her own right is possessed of certain slaves..certain lands ect...Marriage settlement makes it possible that after her marriage she will have full control of same ect../Wit. John Green Rives, Andrew Rochelle, Robert L Ford and before William Robertson J.P. at Cedar Creek, S.C.
- 113 WILLIAM HOLLIS...Soldier in Revolution and see #35 and #35a and likely the William Hollis, son of James Hollis #101 & Sarah #102.
- 114 GIDEON WHITTED N-20 dated 20 Dec. 1799..No dower....for 20 L and for Love and Good will, I bear to SAMUEL HOLLIS, the minor son of WILLIAM HOLLIS Sr....William Hollis Sr. to hold said tract of land until Samuel Hollis reaches the age of 21 ect...Land bounded by the land of John Lee..Israel Seymour, Nicholas Roberts & Stephen Fithew and said tract originally granted to Thomas Hill 2 June 1788../Wit. Samuel Owen, ...Gideon Whitted seems uncle or grandfather of Samuel Hollis, son of William Hollis...Just a bare inference and no proof. I noted several Whitted records there.
- 115 JESSE HAVIS Sr....3 Jan. 1799 a deed for 50 L and other considerations (not named) to William Hollis Jr. son of William Hollis Sr....150a land on branch waters of Wateree Creek by the lands of Micaiah Pickett, John Lee & Jesse Havis / Wit. John Havis & Charles Pickett.

- 116 WILLIAM HOLLIS Jr...His Estate.....WINN HOLLIS dated 13 March 1821 relinquishes her right to administer after she had made application...I did not find her application..she seemed a sister rather than a widow.....WILLIAM HOLLIS Sr. in an order dated 21 March 1821 states that he prefers his kinsman, Reuben P. Boulware to administer...and on March 21 1821 Reuben P. Boulware administers and his bond signed by Thomas Boulware and John Atkins. First Appraisal made of this considerable estate was made by Jesse Pickett, John Pickett, John Pickett Jr., Marcus Boulware 28 April 1821...two years later a second appraisal was made by Samuel Knighton Thomas Knighton and Jeptha Pickett and that date, Buck Harrison reports that he has turned over the last of what he holds of the estate of William Hollis Jr...but 8 Aug. 1825 Buck Harrison but this time as Buckley Harrison turns over the sum of \$60 and states "This is all".....Final division made 9 April 1825...No widow or children.....Paid to the following :
- William Hollis Sr...the father
 - Reuben Hollis.....Brother
 - Samuel Hollis.....Brother
 - Issiah Hollis.....Brother
 - Gideon Hollis.....Brother..see Gideon Whitted in #114
 - Mrs. Susannah Ivey..Sister
 - Catherine Hollis....Sister.
 - Rebecca Hollis.....Sister.
- The full brothers and sisters of William Hollis Jr. deceased and his legal heirs with his father, William Hollis Sr...all above age of 21 in the year 1821 when William Hollis Jr. deceased....In the file.
- 116a The mother of William Hollis Jr. was deceased, for if alive, under the laws of S.C. at the time, the mother along with the father and full br thers and sisters, are heirs when no wife or children.
- 116b _____ Hollis....a sister is als listed as an heir...Why her name was left blank, I do not know...She may have been WINN in #116
- 116c All the above including _____, are listed 21 March 1821 as "Brothers and sisters of the whole blood"
- 116d There is a very strong inference that there may have been brothers and sisters of the half blood.
- 116e WILLIAM HOLLIS Sr..as noted removed to Autauga County, Alabama and 16 Feb. 1833 was then aged 85 years old...Autauga Co. Alabama may have a will or administration for him....Definite the wife of William Hollis Sr. who was the mother of these brothers and sisters of William Hollis Jr. of the "Whole Blood" was deceased in 1821 for she had no share/.....William Hollis Sr. was born circa 1740 and son of James Hollis #101 and Sarah #102....Then James born circa circa 1720-30
- 117 I did not check the deeds after 1850 nor wills and administrations after 1860...I did note the names however and no Thomas..Moses.. John..William..Richard..Notley...Derrell, save what I typed in.
- 118 I think I worked pretty well for one day in order to get all of these many items.....I could not work half as fast in Court of Equity for it has no master Index and Court of Equity files are much harder to work.....Take a pad and pencil and check all HOLLIS whose wills or administrations do not show and those which show with no lists of heirs...e.g Samuel Hollis #58 and who were his heirs...Note a Derrell Hollis bought at sale of Samuel.

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The clerk of Court and the Judge of Probate both told me I ought to especially check in Camden S.C. the Hollis data from West Wateree Township of Kershaw County which was on west side of the Wateree River for they knew many of the Hollis families resided in West Wateree Township of Kershaw County and this township has not even a creek for a dividing line from Fairfield County....They also told me I ought to check the adjoining county of Chester (See #41 & 42) for Hollis families also resided there...They told me to check also Richland County on Cedar Creek which is in both Richland and in Fairfield (See #s21-46-47) but I have checked Richland already and Sherman burned deeds in Richland. I have not check Court of Equity in Richland and always share double for checking Richland Court of Equity which records are down in a sooty basement and not indexed.

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Conjectures : Moses Sr...Elijah Sr...Edward...James Sr..were likely brothers, but if not brothers were closely akin....All of the Hollis clan were likely from Wanworth, Surry Co. England via Ireland or Virginia to South Carolina.

Resume :

THOMAS HOLLIS #11 in Georgia, seems definitely the Thomas Hollis who owned lands in Fairfield in #104...How he acquired the land or when he sold the land, I was unable to find in deeds

John Hollis Sr..#97 and other numbers...I feel sure was the father of Daniel W. Hollis...This John Hollis Sr. was a son of James #102-03 What became of this John Hollis Sr...I do not know..likely removed from Fairfield.

The sons of JAMES HOLLIS Sr. #101 and Sarah Hollis #102.....

John..some data	William..see #116
Burrell..will #53	Benjamin...no data
Moses..I think #70	Littleton..some data
James..I think #27	

The sons of Moses Hollis Sr and his wife Rosanna

Elijah Hollis Jr..some data	Moses Hollis Jr..None unless #70
Berry..a little unless #50	John Hollis..#89
Elizabeth m. Samuel Hollis #53 ?	

So many Hollis women wed Hollis men that it is impossible to get all straight....At least two Elizabeth Hollis women wed Hollis men.

Who were these Hollis men and how did they fit in...Who were their parents ?

Nottley Hollis	Thomas Hollis	Elijah Hollis Sr.
Derrell Hollis		

These were in Fairfield, but to whom did they belong ?

Senior (Sr.) and Junior (Jr.) did not mean among the Hollis clan a father and a son...Note in Moses Hollis Sr. #61-4 he deeds slave to his son, Elijah Hollis Jr...Note John Hollis Sr. and Capt. John Hollis...The Capt. Elijah Hollis, was a son of Moses Sr. and in #61-4 was termed Elijah Hollis Jr.....Perhaps other Hollis men I did not account for but found their names.

Edward Hollis #46..who were the heirs of his wife, Elizabeth ?

THOMAS HOLLIS #10 gave these Fairfield Hollis names to his children :

William	Thomas	Moses
John	Benjamin.....	seems of James Hollis #101

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HOLLIS

Bloomingdale Church Cemetary

John W. Hollis, born 10, Sept. 1875; d. 12, Sept. 1928

Mollie Hollis Bagley dau. of Preston Hollis, born 27, Apr. 1872, d. 23,
October 19 27

The State March 4, 1931

Mrs. Annie Bell Hood Hollis, 60, Wife of R. W. Hollis Sr. died today. Lived 11 from Columbia on Wimsboro road. Survived by 4 daughters, Mrs. E. U. Shealy of Anderson, Mrs. C. W. Brown of Hamlet, N. C., Mrs. L. C. Williamson of Wilmington, N. C., Mrs. Ed C. Harris of Columbia; 5 sons R. W. Jr. of Greenville, J. J. and H. U. of Columbia, G. Y. and Moses of Blythewood, 3 sisters Mrs. Rinner, Mrs. M. G. Younginer of Columbia, Mrs. Emmett Cox of Springville, Ala., 2 brothers O. N. and W. G. of Blythewood. Buried in Sandy Level church cemetery. Born 20, April 1870, died 4, Mar. 1931.

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John Hollis from England to Weymouth, Mass. 1642 removed to Wethersfield, Conn. 1644 married Elizabeth Priest.

Nathaniel White (1772-1837) mar. 1795 Mary Hollis (1776-1878) 102 years.

Cecil Grace Hollis born Bend, Lampasas Co., Texas July 30, 1893 married July 20, 1913 Elmo Clay Puryear; issue, 1. O. B. born Fort Worth, May 21, 1914, married 2, July 1938 Ione Marjorie daughter of Ford Leonard Goddard, Tulsa, Okla.

Jesse Hollis of Sumner Co., Tenn. married Phoebe Gamelin or Gamblin - probably James (born 1750) in Sumner Co., Tenn.

Fairfield County Wills

Moses Hollis

Wife: Rosanna

Children: Moses

Dated: 9, Apr. 1793

John

Proved: 17, July 1794

Elijah

Witness: Thomas Goodrom

Beverly

Edward Tidwell

Nancy Gladden

Berry Hollis

Granddau. Catherine Fatterson

Executor: Zachariah Cantey

sons John and Elijah

Berrey (Berimon) Hollis

Wife: Precilla

Children: Berrell Upright

Executor: Isaac Knighton

Elisir Mariah

Moses Hollis Sr.

Witness: Francis Long

Dated: 13, Oct. 1805

Elijah Hollis Sr.

Proved: 30, Dec. 1805

Elijah Hollis Jr.

Fairfield County Wills (cont'd)

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Burrell Hollis

Wife: Elizabeth

Children: Robert
Sarah Graham
Elizabeth Hendson
Mary Dunlap
Jane Hendson
Grandchildren:
Oliver- chil. of my dau. Keziah (dec.)
Emily " " " " " " " " " " " "

Dated: 22, Sept. 1835
Executor: Wife and Robert
Witness: John J. Myers
John Haviland
Coleman Boulware
Minor Wilson
Proved: 5, Apr. 1836

Elizabeth Hollis

Dated: 7, Sept. 1841

only dau. Permela Hollis
sister - Nancy
brother: David Hollis

Witness: Daniel Miller
Thomas Pumpkins
Emiline Davis
Ex. Nancy & Primeally Hollis

Daughters of Susanna Hollis

Daling Hollis
David Hollis
Sallie Davis
Polly Hollis
Nancy Hollis
Elizabeth Hollis