

## fairfield genealogy

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**From:** fairfield genealogy [fairfieldgenealogy@truvista.net]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 12, 2014 11:26 AM  
**To:** 'Ford, Kenneth'  
**Subject:** RE: Thomas W. Macon from Fairfield  
**Attachments:** Macon.docx

Kenneth

We did not find a lot on your Macons. I have attached what we did find.

Jon Davis

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**From:** Ford, Kenneth [mailto:kford10@liberty.edu]  
**Sent:** Saturday, February 22, 2014 9:33 PM  
**To:** fairfield genealogy  
**Subject:** RE: Thomas W. Macon from Fairfield

Some time ago I received an email from your organization with the email address of a person who was knowledgeable about this family, the Woodward/Macon family. His email address did not work. Do you have any current contact information for him?

Kenneth Ford

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**From:** fairfield genealogy [mailto:fairfieldgenealogy@truvista.net]  
**Sent:** Thursday, August 15, 2013 8:07 AM  
**To:** Ford, Kenneth  
**Subject:** RE: Thomas W. Macon from Fairfield

Hello Kenneth,

Thanks for your input. We have a lot information on the Hill and Woodward families in Fairfield County. I hope it does not take long to get to your request.

Eddie

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**From:** Ford, Kenneth [mailto:kford10@liberty.edu]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, August 14, 2013 7:00 PM  
**To:** fairfield genealogy  
**Subject:** RE: Thomas W. Macon from Fairfield

Ok this is what I know for fact with regards to Thomas W. Macon.

According to Census records, he was born about 1811 in SC. The 1829 Transylvania University yearbook confirms his residence as Fairfield. He shows up in 1840 Pickens Co., AL. The 1840 Census records 1 male under 5, 1 white male 30-39 (Thomas), a female 15-19, as well as 5 slaves. I have been able to confirm without doubt the identities of 2 of his children, Thomas Hill Macon and William Woodward Macon. Thomas Hill Macon was married to Cecelia Galle Macon from Bayou La Batre, AL after his service in the CSA. They had a daughter named Emily Macon. Emily Macon married Claude T. Tillman and they had my great grandmother Willie Mae Tillman. She married Jack F. Badon in 1935. Eleanor Badon, their daughter, married James Raley in 1956.

I have been told that Thomas W. Macon's grandmother was a Hill woman from Fairfield, which I am assuming is in SC.

There is the only info that may be of some help to you.

In Vol. 2 of "North of the Broad River" by Buford S. Chappell is the following info

Charlotte Woodward, daughter of the Rev. William and Nancy Barrett Woodward, made a marriage agreement with John Macon on October 29, 1803, and it was agreed that she was to have the three slaves that she already owned. On February 13, 1805, John Macon gave these slaves, in trust, to William Woodward for the sum of \$10. The marriage of Charlotte Woodward and John Macon must have been a first marriage for Charlotte, who was referred to as Charlotte Turner in her father's will made in 1819.

He references the following sources: Fairfield County Deed Book O, page 1803 and Book P, page 255

Sincerely,

Kenneth Ford

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**From:** fairfield genealogy [fairfieldgenealogy@truvista.net]

**Sent:** Tuesday, August 13, 2013 9:30 AM

**To:** Ford, Kenneth

**Subject:** RE: Thomas W. Macon from Fairfield

Dear Kenneth,

Your request is now number 22 of 27 remaining request, not including walk-ins that we handle immediately.

Thanks for your patience with us, we are supplied by volunteer staff.

We would love to provide our services at no cost and hope to one day be able to provide this service.

However, at this time we are totally supported by volunteers and donations. On our membership application

you will see we provide a multiple of research tools and supplies for researchers. We are a 501-C3 society

and all donations are tax deductible. Normally, we encourage researchers to become members of our chapter

(see website). Members receive free research and free paper copies for their membership year. We normally

charge \$15 per request (3 hours) and \$.10 per copies.

For our records would you please share any information you have updated on your family lines. The information will be filed and made available in our family files. This will expedite future request for research.

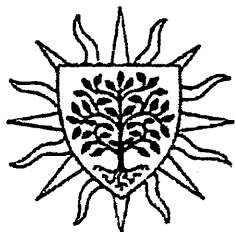
Please let us know if you need any further assistance.

Eddie

Eddie Killian

Research Library Volunteer

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**From: Ford, Kenneth [<mailto:kford10@liberty.edu>]**

**Sent: Wednesday, July 31, 2013 8:32 PM**

**To: [Fairfieldgenealogy@truvista.net](mailto:Fairfieldgenealogy@truvista.net)**

**Subject: Thomas W. Macon from Fairfield**

I am seeking further information on a Thomas Woodward Macon who was born in Fairfield about 1811 or so. I am not totally sure who his father was though I believe him to be Hartwell Macon who moved to Noxubee, MS.

This is what I do know about Thomas W. Macon: Sometime in the late 1820s he was a student at Transylvania University where he did not graduate. He moved to Pickens Co. AL about 1840 where he shows up in the 1840 Census. I have no clue who his wife was. I know he had two sons, my 3rd great grandfather T.H. Macon, and William W. Macon.

I found a military record which was on Ancestry that listed a Thomas W. Macon serving in New Mexico in 1863 during the Civil War. He was listed as "sick".

He then moved to Mobile where he married Margaret Ann Moore in 12/1851 and had several children with her.

The 1900 Census shows Margaret stating she was married for 13 years. She had moved to Chicago by this time.

So I am thinking that T.W. had died in the mid-1860s.

I know he was from Fairfield as this is where the 1829-30 yearbook for his college stated he was from.

I would like to see if there is anything which may be of assistance to me, like maybe birth notices, marriage records, or even cemetery records.

If needed, I can be reached at 386-717-1452

Sincerely,

Kenneth Ford