

Tidwell

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Census

Fairfield County...1850 Census

Recently I had to check Fairfield County S.C. for the surname of SMART in the 1850 Census....I took down what Tidwell names I saw...I have no idea that this is all the Tidwell in old Fairfield for I stopped the census when I got all the Smart names. All born in Fairfield Co. S.C. unless otherwise stated.

Maj. THOMAS LYLES 62
Mary A.C. Lyles 60
Esther C. Woodward 17
Robert Henry 20

MARGARET BYRD 76 Ireland
John Byrd 40
Mary Byrd 40

ANN HOLMAN 75

JACKSON TIDWELL 38
Jane Tidwell 40
Calvin Tidwell 15

H. TIDWELL 33
Lucinda Tidwell 26
Isabelle Tidwell 8

ELI TIDWELL 37
Matilda Tidwell 37
Arthur R. Tidwell 22
Martha Tidwell 21
Samuel Tidwell 16

JOHN TIDWELL 18, Teacher
Boarder in home of
Epsy Knight 78
Allen R. Crankfield 40
Jemima Crankfield 50

HUGH BOYD 67
Helena Boyd 60
Error Boys in separate household.

JAMES A. TIDWELL 44 born in Tennessee

Kesiah Tidwell 36
* Minor H. Tidwell 13
Mary J. Tidwell 13
Jane C. Tidwell 11
Sarah M. Tidwell 7
Rachel A. Tidwell 4

PETER HOLLIS 50
Elizabeth Hollis 45
John Hollis 15
Peter Hollis Jr. 9
Mary Hollis 7
Susan Hollis 5

STROTHER TIDWELL 54
Mary Tidwell 52
Sarah Tidwell 30
Thomas Tidwell 28
James Tidwell 24
Elizabeth Tidwell 20
Strother Tidwell Jr. 18
Nancy Tidwell 16
Jacob Tidwell 15
Lucy Tidwell 12
David Tidwell 10
John Tidwell 6

All of these families were in the West Wateres area and settled along Wateres Creek.

Mary Crowder 23 in the household
You will note all born in S.C. except James A. Tidwell who was born in Tennessee and evidently had returned to Fairfield to wed and settle there with his wife, Kesiah, who was born in S.C.

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From my Woodward files

LEVI TIDWELL now a resident of York Co. S.C....a deed dg. 31 Aug. 1814 to JOHN WOODWARD...Tra t of land at the head waters of Wateres Creek....No dower
/Wit. Abner Smith & Thomas Stevenson.

Comment

I did not check to see how Levi Tidwell obtained this land...L.A.

1850 Census

ELIZABETH TIDWELL 13
Martha Shedd 13
entire school was taken as a whole.

These show among some 75 school pupils in Fairfield Co. when the

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Miscellany

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74.....Continued Heirs of Peter Tidwell....1841

Asa M. Carpenter for his wards

Martha Tidwell

Ambrose H. Tidwell

Garland Tidwell

Thursey Catherine Tidwell

William Askins for his wards & in right of his wife Harriet

Polly Tidwell

Alpha Tidwell

John Tidwell

Some explanations as I see it.

George Ebers signed in right of his wife Leodice Tidwell

Correction..GEORGE EDER

Also we know

ROLAND TIDWELL died and was survived by his wife, Harriet

Tidwell nee Stokes and she wed again to Samuel H. Williams

Roland Tidwell by Court records had five children who were

Peter Tidwell...Guardian was George Eber

Harriet Tidwell who married William Askins

Ambrose H.S. Tidwell...Guardian was Asa M. Carpenter

Therese C. Tidwell....Guardian was Asa M. Carpenter

Garland Tidwell....Guardian was Asa M. Carpenter

Also

DAVID TIDWELL was dead and his heirs were his children
as follows

John Tidwell....Guardian was William Askins

Mary (Polly) Tidwell....Guardian was William Askins

Alpha Tidwell....Guardian was William Askins

QUESTION of Miss Lyle.

It seems more likely that William Askins married a daughter
of David Tidwell or else wed his widow.

QUESTION

More likely Asa M. Carpenter wed a daughter of Rowland Tidwell
and do you know the name of his wife ?

Also

_____ Tidwell married _____ Arnold and had

Alfred Arnold

Sherrod Arnold

Also

Absalom Tidwell was likely a son of Peter Tidwell

Peter Tidwell was likely a son of Peter Tidwell

The Peter Tidwell deceased according to Miss Lyle.

What I fear.

This data seems clear to me but since you typed it all in a mass
and not one line after the other or rather not one name after
another in the paragraphs following the Deed above...I am at a
loss to exactly see how it all goes...Leonardo Andrea.

Suggestions

The wife of George Eder seems more likely as an heir as a
grand child rather than as a child.

MISS LYLE...I fear that I have mixed you and mixed myself in my
attempt to solve this for you...It will be easily solved by some
"Scratch-pad" work on your part....I mean by that take each
group and place names on a page from a scratch pad and keep
changing until you get them all as near correct as is possible as
to age and other data...Then like a JIG-SAW puzzle make an attempt
to place together...I often use this method on a big table top and
solve many a line that way.....My trouble here is that I find I
DO NOT EVEN HAVE your own FAMILY GROUPS of descent from Tidwell
and that makes it too difficult now to solve the above.

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Jackson Co. Ga...Plat Book

WILLIAM TIDWELL...100a of land surveyed for him in 1800
Chain Bearers were/// Job Tidwell and William Tidwell

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R.F.D.No.1...Ridgeway, S.C.

On a visit to Longtown in Fairfield County some one told us
to drive out to see an old Mr. Marion Myers Tidwell and that
he had a Bible...Sunday 16 May 1954 we drove by to see Mr.
Tidwell who is a bachelor and lives alone...The Bible was not
so very old however we copied it for our files.

BIBLE

DAVID TIDWELL born 24 Aug. 1835

Married 22 Dec. 1869 to

MARTHA ELIZABETH MYERS born 2 March 1848

Children :

Strother Tidwell born 23 Nov. 1870

William David Tidwell born 11 Oct. 1872

Charles Dickerson Tidwell born 7 Feb. 1875

Greenberry Tidwell born 2 June 1877

John Akin Tidwell born 7 Feb. 1880

Nancy Louisa Tidwell born 19 Dec. 1882

Her twin sister born 19 Dec. 1882...Died

Samuel Linder Tidwell born 7 Sept. 1885

Joseph M. Tidwell born 14 Feb. 1889

Marion Myers Tidwell born 14 Aug. 1891

William David Tidwell born 16 Nov. 1894...May have been a grandson.

Strother L. Tidwell married 27 Dec. 1893 to Minnie L. Kennedy

Charles D. Tidwell married 24 Dec. 1895 to Annie W. Kennedy

William David Tidwell married 19 Jan. 1898 to Evelyn E. Price.

Not copied

There were many entries of births of grand children which we did
not copy...The death list was not copied by us.

Told us

We were told that the father of David Tidwell was named STROTHER
TIDWELL and his wife or mother was a Miss Strother.

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Jackson Co. Arkansas...Marriage Bonds

Mrs. ROLEN TIDWELL nee Harriet Stokes, married 18 Nov. 1840
to Samuel H. Williams Also as Roland

Peter Tidwell age 25 married 15 Nov. 1839 to Mary Pistole age 18

Martha Tidwell age 20 married 30 Mar. 1841 to Green J. Glass

Charles Pistole, widower married 17 Feb. 1842 to Eliza Ann
Hatem widow of Nelson Hatem.

Charles Pistole Jr. married 17 Nov. 1842 to Miss Zilpha Glass

Miss Jane B. Lyle states that her mother called the Glass set
COUSIN....She does not know how.

Attention of Miss Jane B. Lyle

I do not find any pedigree chart ever filled in by you as to
your various lines...I did not realize how much I need a chart
until I begin to search for your ancestors...I find I fail to
know who is who and whose grandmother wed whose grandfather.

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Jackson Co. Arkansas...Dated 5 Jan. 1841

The HEIRS of PETER TIDWELL, deceased...Sell a negro woman and
her two children...Sold to _____ Signed by the legal
heirs of PETER TIDWELL, deceased.

Absalom Tidwell

Samuel H. Williams and
wife Harriet..See #73

Peter Tidwell Br.

G. Eder

George Eder for his ward
Peter Tidwell

Alfred Arnold
Sherrod Arnold

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I feel sure that if it were not too expensive to do so, that much valuable data would be found in the various sets of the MISCELLANY... There are more than ten sets and each has its own Index... I checked one set and got this on Tidwell... Pretty good for one set and for each of the more than TEN sets more might be found... This is especially valuable since the work is so slow.

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00-309

Estate of David Lavender of Fairfield Co. S.C.... dated 1st day of January 1845 to DANIEL GOIN as Trustee for LUCINDA the wife of HENRY W. TIDWELL.... The property due to her from the estate of David Lavender / Wit. William W. Joyce & James B. McCants.

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STARLING (Also as Sterling) TIDWELL of Fairfield County... a mortgage sg. 8 July 1844 to Benjamin Boulware of Fairfield... over 171a of land situate by the lands of Elijah Gayden... Robert Smith... Benjamin Boulware... Dr. A.M. Carother... also over a slave woman named Lucy and her two sons, Andrew and Thornton, /Wit. Henry L. Elliott and David McDowell... On another entry (Not abstracted) this mortgage was marked "paid in full".

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0-345

Newmon Tidwell in body of paper but he signed as GRUMON TIDWELL (See #9 and his wife, MARY TIDWELL and both of Richland County... a Deed in Trust sg. 7 July 1821... James Glaze is trustee for Mary wife of Newmon Tidwell... He is to hold for her certain properties on Hog Creek Fork of Wateree in Fairfield... and certain slaves... A complete list shows... / Wit. William Applewhite and Zachariah Glaze.

68-a

The GLAZE FAMILY was of Chester Co. S.C.... I have a ms. on them but no Tidwell-Glaze marriage shows in my ms. on Glaze.

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0-26

JAMES ROGERS also as Rodgers... Late of Fairfield Co. S.C. but died sometime past in Rapides Parish in Louisiana... His heirs sg. 20 Sept. 1820 in Rapides Parish La... a Power of Attorney to Archibald Paul of Fairfield Co. S.C... to settle for him what their father still owned in Fairfield... Sg. by
George J. Rogers Mary A. Rogers
Elizabeth C. Rogers Susanna w. of Mitchell Andrews
also what he owned in Richland Co. S.C.
/Wit. Charles T. Scott & William R. Leekie in Louisiana.

Comment

I had tried for years to find the names of this James Rogers children whom he took to Rapides Parish La... Some were left in Fairfield... Here I ran into it as I glanced thru Book O.

70

End so far... I am doing a Murphy ms... I found this and of some interest... Re. Spinster for name of a widow as well as of a single woman... Archibald Murphey of Williamsburg his will sg. 18 Sept. 1827... Wife Jane Murphey... FIVE children... His widow, Mrs. JANE MURPHEY, SPINSTER... Her will in Williamsburg Co. sg. 3 Jan. 1831 names the same children (Five) as did her husband and in addition seven she listed "As my grand children"... She was this man's wife and bore him five children... Yet she began her will as SPINSTER. I run into more and more of this spinster stuff... Evidently it was a way of saying they were widowed and single again... I often pore over what was really in the minds of our ancestors when they did or wrote certain things... What is worse when they did not write.

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ROBERT TIDWELL...A return made 13 Oct. 1769 by ROBERT (his x
ark) TIDWELL himself for 100a land in Craven Co. on Watersee Creek
at Hog Fork and surved 22 Feb. 1769 by Richard Winn.

Comment

This same day note in #61-b where Robert Tidwell made a tax
return for Richard Tidwell...What was the relationship between
these two men?...Is this Robert #7 and the father of Richard?

63

12-139

JOHN TIDWELL...A tax return made by Alexander Turner for
John Tidwell on the 25 March 1773 for 300a of land in Craven
Co. at the Hog Fork of Watersee Creek and by the land of Robert
Tidwell and surveyed 16 July 1772 by Alexander Turner...Note
the surname of Turner again.

Question

Did Richard Tidwell #61 come down first and perhaps with a
father in law...Did his father Robert Tidwell follow from Va.
and perhaps was a widower and got only 100a...Did his son, John
Tidwell follow him and get 300a for himself and wife and THREE
children between ageds of 2 & 16...Did old Robert marry again
to Mary and by her had those youngest children in will #7...I am
wildly conjecturing...Tell Georgia that this is about the time of
year that she, you and I had that enjoyable ride all about old
Watersee Creek but whether we ever found Hog Fork I do not know,
As you all recall, we found Chicken porch at the end of some road.
I wonder if the fat old gentleman is still alive?

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11-353

PRESCOTT TIDWELL...A return made 3 Dec. 1772 by Richard Winn
for Prescott Tidwell for 200a land in Craven Co. on Watersee
Creek at the Fork, the South Fork called Hog...All sides by
vacant land and surveyed 17 Aug. 1772 by John Gaston.

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My report from Charleston

This was a day lost it seems...I made every effort to check
thoroly...I went over the INDEX for estates from 1670 to 1719
and that Index had no Tidwell...In the index for 1719 to 1800
I checked it with extreme care...No Tidwell...I then checked
Estate Index as far as 1800 to 1825 and no Tidwell...I made
a careful check of Deeds in Charleston from 1719 to 1800 both
direct and indirect...No TIDWELL showed...I am sorry.

65-a

In Charleston

The following KNOX deeds were listed in Direct Index...No dates
but before 1800...Book and page follow each name...Indirect also

James Knox 24-398

James Knox G5-544

John Knox 83-37

Matthew Knox W7-361

Robert Knox G6-509

William Knox A6-361

William Knox D3-547

I took this one in A6-361
John Michael Kinder...a deed sg. 17 Sept. 1785 to WILLIAM KNOX,
minister at Pr. Frederick Parish in Craven Co...250a of land
situate by a tract owned by Benjamin Tyler / Wit: Benjamin Tyler,
John Rae Jr., Jon. Woodard & Samuel Dwight J.P.

65-b

I made in Charleston no further study on KNOX...I felt that
you had the main data on Knox yourself especially of your direct set.

EDMOND TIDWELL....120 days of service with the S.C. Militia in the year 1782 and under Lt. John Hollis who certifies the service of Edmond Tidwell....This claim was sworn to 4 Dec. 1783 before Charles Pickett J.P....He was paid with indent # Q-605 Edmond Tidwell in 1785 before John Turner makes this indent payable to James Hay for collection....Edmond X Tidwell, with his mark.

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Revolution...7797

PETER TIDWELL...His claim for service of 32 days in the S.C. Militia in 1782 and under Lt. James Pickett....Peter Tidwell appears before Charles Pickett J.P. on the 4th day of Dec. 1783 to swear to this claim....He was paid by Indent # Q-607...John Turner collected the indent for Peter Tidwell.

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LEONARD HORNSBY...His Revolutionary claim for service in the S.C. Militia and sworn to 4 Dec. 1783 before Charles Pickett J.P. I did not abstract this data for Leonard Hornsby...However dated 24 May 1785 the following men of Fairfield give an order to JOHN TURNER, who plans a trip to Charleston, to secure for them the pay due to them on their indents (See John Turner in #58) and this order eg. by

George X Lott Leonard Hornsby PETER X TIDWELL
and Peter Tidwell signed with his X mark....This ends Revolution.

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Comments

Some time it may pay to check on Hornsby...Lott...Pickett in Winnsboro since all seem to have been associated together and perhaps also on Turner.

60

Memorial Land Tax Returns.

In these I did not take the date of the grants (See #3 for dates) Note the survey date and the man was in S.C. before that date in order to have the land certified for him...These Memorial Tax returns had to be made in Charleston...Usually a man in the community and a neighbor would be enroute to Charleston and while he was in Charleston would make several tax returns the same day.

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ROBERT TIDWELL...A return made 13 Oct. 1769 by Richard Winn and for ERROR in Typing.

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RICHARD TIDWELL...A return made 22 May 1764 by Ely Kershaw for Richard Tidwell for 150a land in Craven County on South Fork of Wateree Creek adjacent to land of Joseph Holmes and vacant land and surveyed for Tidwell 23 May 1764 by John Gaston.

Comment

Here in 1764 is Richard Tidwell with himself and a wife and no children between aged of 2 and 16 years...A man could not obtain 50a additional for a child under age 2 nor over age 16....As more children were born a man could take additional lands...50a more for each child.

61-a

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RICHARD TIDWELL...A return made 11 July 1768 by Ely Kershaw for Richard Tidwell for 100a land in Craven Co. on Hog Fork of Wateree Creek and all sides vacant and surveyed 10 Nov. 1767 by Richard Lambton.

61-b

8-526

RICHARD TIDWELL...A return made 13 Oct. 1769 by Robert X Tidwell for Richard Tidwell...100a in Craven on Hog Fork of Wateree Creek and surveyed by Richard Winn 22 Feb. 1768...All sides vacant.

ISAAC is much used as a first name in the ARLEDGE Family of Fairfield County... Isaac also first name in Woodward & Strother, Giles Co. Tenn.

55-c ROBERT TIDWELL with his wife, MONIE (Monica is a first name in the Collins and Duren families in that area) left S.C. and came to Giles Co. Tenn..... He had SIX sons and FOUR daughters.... The eldest son was RICHARD TIDWELL who in 1832 took charge of his orphaned brothers and sisters and came with David Tidwell #55-a to Gunterville, Ala, and thence to Winston Co. Mississippi and on to Cherokee Co. Texas..... BLAKE TIDWELL was the second son of Robert & Monie Tidwell... Blake Tidwell wed Jennie Branham* and they had nine sons and one daughter... One son was FRANCIS TIDWELL who wed Ann Chambers

*Recall Spyrne Methodist Church we visited... The Branham section of that cemetery we did not traverse... It is the large area we saw after we got in the auto and you asked if it was a newer area. Branhams still bury there... Several months ago I went to a Branham funeral at Spyrne.

55-d Robert Tidwell and his wife, Monie Tidwell seem to have been the first of the family to become Baptists... It is said they were converted to the Baptist Faith by the Rev. Jeremiah Vardeman... It is singular that Robert and Monie Tidwell named two sons: Jeremiah Tidwell Vardeman Tidwell (Vard) Miss Jane Lyle has more data from this book.. Plus God.

56 Laurens Co. S.C.
HANSE MILLER... His will sig. 14 April 1788... No proving date.
Wife, Susanna Miller.... Children

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| Joseph, youngest son | John, oldest son |
| Jacob | Ellinor |
| Jesse | George |
| James | Wife of James Huddleston |

WIFE of JAMES GAMMILL
Ex. My friend, John Brown.
/Wit. Joseph Adair, Thomas Swings & James Adair
Comment

This Hans (John) Miller came into Laurens Co. S.C. as a shoemaker... He bought his first lands in 1780... Several of his children did not come to Laurens... We found these in S.C.

John Miller Jr, Joseph Miller
Jacob Miller Mrs. James Huddleston.

Some of the others removed to Tennessee... I never did locate where JAMES GAMMILL resided, definitely, he did not reside in S.C.
Some of the sons were in Revolution

Pension of one son in Revolution states "Born in Surry Co. N.C. where my father had moved from the Valley of Virginia..... One tombstone of one son "Joseph Miller born in Virginia"... He was the youngest.... Mrs. Gammill was eldest daughter.... Joseph Miller had an older brother who was born in N.C.... The Hans Miller was of German ancestry as can be proved... Some of his family moved into Ohio and some moved into Alabama i.e. children of brothers of Hans.

Jesse... James... George Miller, sons of Hans Miller moved into Tennessee and settled not too far from Knoxville, Tenn... It is likely these sons never did move to S.C.... Mrs. Huddleston was in Rutherford Co. N.C. before coming to Laurens Co. and her family later moved on towards Alabama... Mrs. GAMMILL may have been in Tennessee with her brothers, Jesse, James and George Miller who were in Tennessee.... In an Equity in 1815

James Miller was in Wilson Co. Tenn.
Some of this family were in 1815 in Louisiana... End

52 See #7.

ROBERT TIDWELL Estate with will annexed... Bond was sg. by EDMUND TIDWELL and FRANCIS TIDWELL... Edmund Tidwell seemingly was a brother of this Robert Tidwell... The date says "Bond signed by Edmund Tidwell a kinsman of Robert Tidwell"... The estate was appraised by the following neighbors.

Moses Hollis... Jesse Gladden... Sterling Tidwell... Jesse Ginn... and William Arledge... Note and check Arledge also.

In the file

MARTHA TIDWELL, orphan of Robert Tidwell...? Dec. 1807 William Arledge was made her guardian and his bond was signed by Jesse Ginn
Also

In the file is list of properties... list of buyers at the sale... and many other papers... This estate was worth thousands of dollars.

52-a Estate File 32-507

Mrs. MARY TIDWELL, widow of ROBERT TIDWELL... Her estate was Admt. 2 March 1810 by EDMOND TIDWELL and his bond sg. by Moses Hollis and STERLING TIDWELL*

Final Division of the estate.

Francis Tidwell, son

Levi Tidwell, son

John Tidwell, son

Richard Tidwell, son

Delilah Tidwell, daughter

Robert Tidwell Jr. son

Keziah Tidwell, daughter

James Tidwell, son

Elizabeth Gibson, daughter

Mary Tidwell, daughter (Nancy #39

Martha Tidwell, daughter, see #52

Ellender Moore... see #39

Nott Tidwell, son (Notley)

Anna Tidwell

All of these children were of legal age of inheritance in 1810 i.e. aged 21 years except Martha Tidwell in 1807 was a minor.

52-b Estate File 33-518

NOTT TIDWELL... (Son of Robert Tidwell, deceased)... His estate was Admt. 29 July 1815 by his brother, FRANCIS TIDWELL and a brother in law, THOMAS LAW... The bond was sg. by Thomas Morris and Allen Goodrum... He was a single man... His heirs were his THIRTEEN brothers and sisters but not listed by name... NOTE Goodrum is another surname to check.

Comment:

TEDWELL is also a form we found as spelling of Tidwell.

53 Chester and Fairfield Cos. S.C.

By 1835 all the surnames of TIDWELL cease in both these counties in deeds and in estates... In Fairfield by 1835 we have but one Tidwell showing and that is STROTHER TIDWELL... In Chester Co. in 1875 we have a John Tidwell #21 but we were told this John Tidwell was of the Strother Tidwell set... Note there was also in same Fairfield area a STROTHER WOODWARD

54 See #52-a

NUTLEY and also as NOTLEY and also as NOTT TIDWELL... In my Hollis paper there is a NOTLEY HOLLIS... There was also a NOTLEY HENSON... a NUTLEY CLOUD... I think the first name of NOTT will prove an excellent clue... Also PETER HOLLIS and later or earlier a PETER TIDWELL.

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Giles Co. Tenn... From J.B. Tidwell Plus God ISAAC TIDWELL and his wife, ELIZABETH TIDWELL, left Fairfield Co. S.C. early in the 19th century and made the trip to Giles Co. Tenn... They brought their infant son, David Tidwell

David Tidwell

Vincent Tidwell

Gassaway Tidwell

William Tidwell ?

Three are proved sons... William is likely a son

55-a

DAVID TIDWELL, son of Isaac, circa 1832 moved to Alabama and on to Winston Co. Miss. and later to Cherokee Co. Texas

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Bairfield Co. S.C.
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JOHN TIDWELL Jr....A deed sg. & Dec. 1797 to BIRD OWEN...
150a land on Wateree Creek by Hogfork.....Part of 250a land
7 May 1791 to Isaac Gibson and adjacent to the lands of John
Gray and Bartlett Hinson and by LITTLEBERRY HOLLIS.../Wit.
Berry Hollis, STERLING TIDWELL, Moses Hollis & Micaiah Pickett J.P.

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I-393

William Sims Jr...a deed sg. 22 Nov. 1794 to ROBERT TIDWELL
150a land on Dutchman's Creek granted originally to Samuel
Proctor and conveyed to Sims by right of inheritance by
heirs of Sim Proctor / Wit. Frank (Francis) Tidwell, Micaiah
Pickett J.P. & GEORGE TIDWELL of Charaw Dist. S.C.

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Estate File 7-215

WILLIAM TIDWELL...His estate. Amst. 16 October 1794 by SIMEON
TIDWELL and his bond sg. by EDMUND TIDWELL and William Watts
Citation to administer was read 29 Sept. 1794.....16 Oct. 1794
John Turner was authorized to administer the oath to Simeon
Tidwell.....The rather large estate was appraised by these men
Moses King..John King..Bartlett Harrison..Jesse Ginn..CHARLES
LEWIS (Capt) and see #16....No list of heirs in the file nor is
there a final division....These bought at the sale

EDMOND TIDWELL
SIMEON TIDWELL
PHOEBE TIDWELL
GEORGE TIDWELL
WILLIAM TIDWELL Jr.
CHARLES PICKETT
BENJAMIN HENSON
WILLIAM WATTS
BIRD OWEN
LEONARD HORNSBY

Thomas Goodrum
John Morris
James Stone
Charles Johnston
John Barr
Moses King
John King
Henry Ruguely
Cordle Hogen
Moses Hollis

John King Sr.
John King Jr.
William England
Robert Smith
Samuel Oats
Jesse Ginn
Bartlett Harrison
Richard Land...see #17
Berry Hollis
Zechariah Nettles

Those in large type bought heavily at the sale and likely were
heirs of this William Tidwell.....Some may have been sons in law.

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Equity Court...Index

STERLING TIDWELL vs. H.E. TIDWELL
This was not examined.

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Equity Court...Not examined.

STROTHER TIDWELL on 15 September 1834 Vs. Thomas Davis...Suit
was that Thomas Davis Sr. promised to make title and never did
302a of land being part of 754a Tidwell purchased...It was by
Dutchman Creek and lands of John Harrison...Austin Peay...Jacob
Davis...Osburn Woodward...Musco B. Fogg...John A. Griffin.

Comment

This Strother Tidwell was father of the DAVID TIDWELL whose
grave we saw at old Longtown Presbyterian Church...We copied
the Bible of the son, David Tidwell.....We stopped at the old
Woodward cemetery and saw grave of one Osburn Woodward...That was
Sr...His nephew, Osburn Woodward's mother was a STROTHER and here
we find STROTHER TIDWELL.....In this Equity we find Peay is
buried at old Longtown...Davis and Harrison at new Longtown Church.

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My suggestion

Some time when you have plenty of time, come prepared to stay
as many days as it will require and begin to check all the other
SURNAMES constantly associated with Tidwell e.g Watts or Owen
and many other surnames of close neighbors....Mr. Milton J. Harper,
1019 Harrison Street, Vicksburg, Mississippi, is a descendant of
MICAIAH PICKETT or else Mrs. Harper was...see #26...Write him.

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Fairfield Co. S.C.

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O-94

LEVI TIDWELL with dower by his wife, ANN TIDWELL... a deed
sg. 21 Feb. 1806 to JOHN TIDWELL, Jr. 124a of land which
was an original grant to Thomas Garrett
/Wit. Benjamin Barkley, Daniel McCullough & Wrightman Beasley.
*Thomas Garrett wed a Miss Hannah Peters.

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STERLING TIDWELL... a deed sg. 5 November 1805 to EDMUND TIDWELL
150a land granted to Allen Grafton and by the lands of Daniel
McCullough and Daniel Gibson and situate at Hogfork of Wateree
Creek / Wit. MOSES HOLLIS & Willis Gibson

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W-238

MARY TIDWELL, daughter of ROBERT TIDWELL deceased... a Power
of Attorney sg. 25 March 1811 to my brother in law, THOMAS
MCORE... to sign for me all papers in connection with the settle-
ment of the estate of my deceased father & mother / Wit. Jrg
B. Pearson & Thomas Cowser... Miss Mary Tidwell signs the
paper as NANCY TIDWELL... This to my mind is the first time I
have ever seen Mary & Nancy interchangeable... Andrea.

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W-338

ELIZABETH wife of JOHN TIDWELL Sr. In 1825 renounced her
dower to John B. Menzy also as Nancy on this for some land
sold by John Tidwell Sr. to John B. Menzy

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Estate File 7-213

PRESLEY TIDWELL (He also shows as Prescott and as Preslot)
His estate was Administered 9 Nov. 1790 by John Tidwell and his
bond sg. by George Lott & John Richmond... All other data is
missing from the file... His widow seemed to have been Rachel
Tidwell and see #6 which may have Perry for Presley.

42

I-269

Mrs. RACHEL TIDWELL (Seemingly a widow & see #6)... A Bill
of sale sg. 5 Jan. 1795 to her son, RICHARD TIDWELL... He is
given a slave woman named Nell / Wit. Evan Owen, Bird Owen &
~~George Tidwell~~ GEORGE TEDWELL of Cheraw Dist. S.C. See #6
Charles Pickett J.P. and see him in #16

43

RACHEL could be widow of Francis Tidwell... I do not know
for the 1790 census shows her in Fairfield as a widow woman
with 2 boys & 2 girls under age of 16 years... She also could be
widow of Presley Tidwell #41... OWEN may be a family to search
in reference to Tidwell... Andrea

44

H-268

ROBERT TIDWELL... a deed sg. 17 Sept. 1794 to BIRD OWEN... 100a
land on Wateree Creek granted to Robert Tidwell 29 March 1768
(Does not show in #3 with this date) / Wit. PETER PORTER, David
Owen & Robert Owen before Charles Pickett J.P.

45

K-47

WILLIAM TIDWELL... a deed sg. 16 September 1795 to his
brother, JOHN TIDWELL... a tract of land on Wateree at Hog
Fork and it being part of an original grant to PRESLEY TIDWELL
in 1764 (No 1764 grant shows in #3*) / Wit. ELIA TIDWELL, James
Alexander Watson, William Lewis (See Capt. Lewis in #16) before
William Evans J.P.

Tidwell

Fairfield Co. S.C.

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B-339

MANUEL BOYKIN...A deed sg. 10 Nov. 1783 to JOHN TIDWELL...
100a on Hogfork Branch of West Waterree Creek / Wit. ELI TIDWELL,
Peter Mathis & John King J.P.

31

H-86

WILLIAM TIDWELL of St. Marks Parish, Camden Dist. a deed
sg. 10 Dec. 1784 to HICAJAH PICKETT (See Pickett in #16).
100a on waters of Waterree River being designated as Waterree
Creek at Hogfork branch and same land sold to me by Charles Hill.
/Wit. Smallwood Owen, Thomas Stone & CHARLES PICKETT...see #16

31-a

H-88 83

CHARLES HILL and dower by h's wife, Mary Hill...A deed sg.
2 October 1772 to WILLIAM TIDWELL...100a on Waterree Creek
which was surveyed for Charles Hill Sr. / Wit. William Kelly,
William Davis & John Winn J.P.

32

H-38

ADAM BLARE (Blair) a Bill of sale sg. 3 June 1791 to JOHN
TIDWELL...Not abstracted.

33

E-38 & 39

JOHN TIDWELL...a deed sg. 9 August 1789 to George Lott...100a
land on Waterree Creek which was granted to John Tidwell in Nov.
1772 (See #3)/Wit. William Evans & _____ Evans

33-a

I-359

JOHN TIDWELL...a deed sg. 18 March 1776 to John Runnels.
(Reynolds)...300a land at the Hog Fork on Waterree Creek
which was granted to John Tidwell 19 Nov. 1772 (See #3)
/Wit. Hugh Montgomery, Jeremiah Jagers & Phillip Walker J.P.
of Chester Co. of Camden Dist.

34

K-274

JARVIS GIBSON (Also as GEROASE GIBSON)...a deed sg. 9 Feb:
1796 to JOHN TIDWELL...150a land by land of John Gray...Bartley
Henson...Geroase Gibson and it being a grant to Isaac Gibson
/Wit. James Alexander Watson, ELY TIDWELL & Samuel Tate
*Henson family is closely mixed with the Pickett Family of the
Longtown area of Fairfield Co. S.C.

35

W-64

JOHN TIDWELL Sr...a deed sg. 22 Feb. 1813 to AUSTIN PEAY...200a
land on 25-Mile Creek granted to Robert Craig 5 March 1757 and he
sold same to Joel Mitchell who sold same to John Hinson who
sold same to John Tidwell / Wit. John Turner, Elizabeth Turner &
William Cloud.....In another deed sg. 27 Aug. 1810 JOHN HENSON
and his wife, ELIZABETH HENSON sell this land to John Tidwell Sr.

Comment

At the site of the old Longtown Church you will find this AUSTIN
PEAY buried...We saw his tomb and also other Peay grave stones
along with many other names associated with Tidwell, including old
Mr. DARLING JONES and his wife....At Smyrna Methodist Church just
above 25-mile Creek we saw Cloud and other grave stones including
Kelly and others associated with Tidwells.

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P-127

JOHN TIDWELL JR...a deed sg. 16 Jan. 1797 to Allen Goodrum,
50a and it being part of an original grant of 150a to Robert
Tidwell 25 Aug. 1769 (See #3 but only 100a)...it being a share
/Wit. Thomas Goodrum & William Terry
*Perhaps an inheritance.....The GOODRUM FAMILY as well as the
King, Pickett...Taylor...Hollis...Peay...all should be checked.

27

Near Longtown Presbyterian Church we stopped at the house of Mr. MARION TIDWELL...He showed us a Tidwell Bible which Miss Jane Eyles copied...I hope that you will type a copy of this Bible for me...We then stopped in Ridgeway S.C. to call on a Mrs. Tidwell and her son...We then drove to Winnsboro and ate dinner...Then to the Woodward Cemetery where we stopped and then to Chester S.C. and thence to Lockhart S.C...A couple of miles before we got to Lockhart we saw the old road leading to the cow pasture in which the old Irish Cemetery is located...From Lockhart S.C. we drove to Union S.C. and hence to Whitmire, S.C. and from there over a newly paved road to Pomeria where we all stopped at the old St. John Lutheran Church which was built in 1768..Then we came on to Columbia after a very enjoyable jaunt.

28

I-206

RICHARD TIDWELL...A deed sq. 2 Jan. 1775 to FRANCIS TIDWELL 150a land on West Water Creek which was granted to Richard Tidwell 25 Aug. 1769 / Wit. Richard Winn, Joseph Milligan and John Winn J.P....Winnsboro was named for this Winn Family from VA.
28-a K-423 L.A.

JOHN TIDWELL, eldest son and heir of FRANCIS TIDWELL...a deed sq. 6 Jan. 1797 to Robert Hood....150a land granted to Richard Tidwell 25 Aug. 1769 and by him sold by deed to my father, FRANCIS TIDWELL on 13 Oct. 1769 / Wit. Ely Tidwell, John McClure and Gervais Gibson

Comment

FRANCIS TIDWELL from above date bought two original grants from Richard Tidwell.

28-b Kershaw Co.

We spent some time in Camden S.C. working on Kershaw County and old Camden District records...We did not find any TIDWELL data at all in Camden...I had hoped to find

Estate of FRANCIS TIDWELL there

His estate is also not to be found in Fairfield Co. at Winnsboro.

Possibility

FRANCIS TIDWELL likely died before 1790...His estate may be found in Charleston in the Colonial records of S.C. or else he may have moved over to Georgia and may be the TIDWELL in #22-a

28-c Two known children of Francis are

JOHN TIDWELL #28-a Robert Tidwell #7

I have an idea that he may have had other children namely

Peter Tidwell William Tidwell

Absalom Tidwell David Tidwell

and perhaps some daughters...Mrs. Williams...Mrs. Gibson...Mrs. Hood...This I am not sure of.

29

A-20..Likely in Georgia.

PRISCILLA TIDWELL...A bill of sale sq. 25 Sept. 1785 to John Byrd of Burke Co. Georgia.....14 head of horses...All my OTHER STOCK WHICH I LEFT IN SOUTH CAROLINA*...I hereby give unto John Byrd full authority to collect all my stock of whatever kind in S.C. and do authorize Mr. William King of Fairfield Co. S.C. to assist Mr. Byrd in finding and locating all my horses and all my cattle which I have sold to Byrd / Wit. Nicholas Byrd of Georgia.. John Miller of Chester Co. S.C....Andrew Amphill J.P. for S.C.

Comment

I judge from wording of above deed that PRISCILLA TIDWELL was not residing in S.C...I believe she had moved to Georgia and had left some property still in S.C. before 1785...See 1782 that Tidwell was selling cows in #22-a...I also am inclined to think PRISCILLA is widow of FRANCIS TIDWELL #28

Hollis
19

Chester Co. S.C.

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U-82

LEVI TIDWELL... Mortgage sg. 28 Jan. 1822 to William
Colvin... Over personal property / Wit. Clement Wood and
John Roseborough.

20 W-219

JEMIMA TIDWELL... a deed sg. Sept. 1826 to John Pardue...
50a of land on Sandy River where I now reside which I bought
from Aaron Goza 29 Jan. 1819 / Wit. William Coker, James A.
Pardue & John Roseborough J.P.

20-a S-501

AARON GOSA... a deed sg. 25 Jan. 1819 to JEMIMAH TIDWELL
50e of land on Sandy River and it being part of an original
grant to John Saddler in 1760 / Wit. George Steel, Elizabeth
Hardy and John Roseborough J.P.

21 TT-629

DAVID H. DUNN... A deed sg. 8 May 1873 to JOHN TIDWELL
2a lot on Railroad Ave. in Chester S.C. / Wit. Thomas Caldwell
and W.R. Elder.

22 D-347

WILLIAM TIDWELL of Elbert Co. Georgia... a deed sg. 12 Nov.
1704 to Stephen Keyfield... 100a land and it being part of an
original grant to Richard Atterbury on 1 Aug. 1785 and Atterbury
sold same to Tidwell... it being located on Brushy Fork of the
Sandy River / Wit. James McBee, ABSALOM TIDWELL and before
William Higginbotham J.P. for State of Georgia.

Comment

Here we find William Tidwell in Georgia along with Peter and
David Tidwell.

22-a Wilkes Co. Ga... Tax List 1794 to 1802

William Tidwell 1 poll... William Emmett 1 poll... in same house.
William Tidwell Jr. 1 poll & 200a of land
In Wilkes Co. Ga... Supplies furnished during the Revolution.
25 Dec. 1782... Cows belonging to James Martin... Job Hinton...
Samuel Ryly Sr... TIDWELL... Jesse Gorden.

23 I-69

Jeremiah Rhoden... a deed sg. 3 Mar. 1802 to EDMOND TIDWELL
100a land on Sealy's Creek of Sandy River by the land of
George Brown / Wit. Loftin Nunn & _____ Ecksum

24 S-237

Romantiezzer Seymour... a deed sg. 6 Oct. 1817 to Capt.
STERLING TIDWELL... 60a of land on Nasty Branch / Wit. Gideon
Whitted, Christopher Thompson Jr. & Newton Franklin J.P. ... Some
of this set of Franklin moved to Arkansas.

24-a W-342

Capt. STARLING TIDWELL... a deed sg. 5 Feb. 1819 to Romantiezzer
Seymour... 60a of land on head waters of Little River... same land
I bought of Seymour / Wit. John Grubbs, Luke Pannell & John
Kennedy J.P.

25 YY-410 & 415

JOHN TIDWELL... an agreement with John Burdell sg. 11 Mar. 1875
to W.B. Kidd to purchase a tract of land... Also on
3 March 1875 JOHN TIDWELL with James F. Wherry make and agreement
to purchase some lands... No more TIDWELL until late in the 1900's

26 K-158

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S-237

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The Misses Jane and Georgia Tidwell came to South Carolina. I traveled and worked with them on May 13th, 14th and 16th. On May 16th we traversed the area where the Tidwells settled in S.C....West Wateree Creek in Fairfield County, S.C. of old Camden District...This creek rises in Chester Co....The area between the towns of Blythewood...Ridgeway... and old Longtown was the home of the first Tidwells in S.C....Before I go to the Chester Co. findings, I want to insert another item.

16

PETER TIDWELL...31 days of service under Lt. JAMES PICKETT and service certified by Capt. Charles Lewis....Peter Tidwell made oath as to his service 4th Dec. 1783....An Indent #607-Q was issued in payment for this service....I know that Lt1 James Pickett resided in the Longtown area of Fairfield Co. S.C. and I judge this was also the residence of Peter Tidwell....Andrea;

16-a Elbert Co. Ga.
Jesse Holbrook and his wife, Susanna Holbrook...a deed sg. 27 Dec. 1792 to PETER TIDWELL...100a land on Beaverdam Creek originally granted in 1785 to John Tollett who sold same to Holbrook / Wit. Robert Challenger & Robert Brown before B. Pace J.P.

Comment

Here by 1792 we find PETER TIDWELL buying lands in Elbert Co. Ga. some 9 years after he filed his Revolutionary claim in S.C. in 1783...We do not find PETER TIDWELL selling this 100a of land he purchased...The land was likely in a portion of Elbert that cut off into some other county e.g. Jackson Co.

16-b

Jackson Co. Ga.

In 1807 the following TIDWELL names show in this county of Jackson which was formed from Franklin and Elbert Counties.

PETER TIDWELL

Capt. DAVID TIDWELL

I know both these came from Fairfield Co. S.C....Andrea;

17

G-53

MARY LAND widow...a joint deed with GARLAND TIDWELL and his wife, MARY TIDWELL nee Mary Land...a deed sg. 3 Oct. 1798 to Hiram Williams / Wit. Thomas Morris, William Williams & John McCreary J.P.

18

Fairfield Co.

MOSES HOLLIS Sr. of West Wateree Creek...His estate was Admst. 16 Aug. 1794 by Zachariah Cantey, John Hollis and Elijah Hollis. and their bond was sg. by Edmund Tidwell...Thomas Goodrum...John Gladden before John Turner J.P....The widow was ROSANNAH HOLLIS and seemed nee Rosannah Berry...From the will and from other data included the estate of Mrs. ROSANNAH HOLLIS, the widow Admst. 20 Oct. 1817 by her son, Capt. John Hollis..His bond was sg. by STERLING TIDWELL and Daniel Hollis....Heirs of both

Jeremiah Smith for his wife...full share

Elizabeth Hollis...full share

Leander Johneton for his wife...full share

Margaret Patterson...full share

Elijah Hollis...full share

Moses Hollis...full share

John Hollis...full share

BERRY HOLLIS...full share ..also as Little Berry Hollis.

Sally W. Steward...full share in right of her deceased mother

Nancy Steward former widow of John Gladden

JEAN TIDWELL...deceased daughter...to her heirs

STERLING TIDWELL...one half of a share

GARLAND TIDWELL...One half of a share...See #17

PETER HOLLIS ran as a first name in this Hollis family...Andrea

Ridwell
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This completes what data is to be found in the S.C. State Archives in Columbia save perhaps some data in books of Miscellany.

11 Westmoreland Co. Va.
ROBERT TIDWELL...Will pg. 27 Sept. 1757...Pr. 28 July 1861

Elizabeth & no surname
Catherine Jenkins
Children
William Carr Tidwell
John Tidwell

Grand daughter, Hannah Tidwell
Page 149 of Fothergill's Wills of Westmoreland
Westmoreland Co.

11-a
Mrs. HANNAH TIDWELL...Will pg. 27 Jan. 1760 pr. 29 May 1764

Children
Elizabeth Tidwell
William Carr Tidwell
Grand children

Hannah Tidwell daughter of son John Tidwell

Elizabeth Tidwell

Barbara Tidwell

Page 154 of Fothergill.

12 Westmoreland Co. Va.
Mrs. ANN TIDWELL...Her will pg. 20 Oct. 1784 pr. 28 Mar. 1786

Children
Ann Tidwell
Barbara Tidwell
Elizabeth (Betty) Muse
Rebecca Dozier

Thomas Muse is Ex. with Richard Dozier

Sarah Dozier...grand daughter

Joseph Sanford...My son...whether he is Joseph Sanford Tidwell or just plain Joseph Sanford, I do not know....This Ann Tidwell is widow of a John Tidwell...see #11....However this Ann #12 does not list a daughter Hannah Tidwell unless as ANN.

12-a

Some of this MUSE family settled in Chester and Fairfield and from there went to Texas and Arkansas....Some of the Dozier and Muse also settled in Edgefield Co. S.C. and were kin or at least the present set of Doziers in Edgefield Co. say they are kin to the early set of Muse in S.C. from Virginia.

13 Tidwell-McCall pg. 35
JOHN TIDWELL of Virginia..Name of wife is unknown...Names of two children are known as follows :

Robert Tidwell m. Hannah Carr...see #11

John Tidwell

and also other children perhaps....By 1790 there was not a Tidwell who showed in the U.S. Census in Virginia.

14 McCall-Tidwell pg. 36

JOHN TIDWELL moved to S.C. in 1772...In Virginia he shows as a member of the Episcopal Church...He was married in Virginia but the name of his wife is not known...He had a son, WILLIAM TIDWELL born in Virginia in 1765 and came to Fairfield Co. S.C. with his parents...He served in Revolution (Does not show in #5) and died in 1782 when killed in battle...His wife, Mary De Graffenreid died soon after...They left two children :

Benjamin Tidwell b. 1782

William Tidwell b. 1780

These children were brought by relatives to Green Co. Ga. and later came to Putnam Co. and later removed to Merriwether Co. The McCall-Tidwell book deals with the families of this branch.

Tidwell

5 Revolutionary Index.
 These names may be for service...for supplies furnished...
 or for merely as witnesses
 Edmond Tidwell Peter Tidwell
 These can be examined and abstracted.

6 1790 Census for S.C.
 The first # indicates all males in house over age of 16 years
 and included the husband, if any...The 2nd # indicates all
 boys in the house under age of 16 years...The 3rd # indicates
 all females in house and includes the wife, if any

- Cheraw Dist.
- George Tidwell 1-1-1
- ~~Cheraw Dist.~~ Camden Dist. Fairfield Co.
- Edmond Tidwell 4-4-3
- William Tidwell 2-3-3
- Elli Tidwell 1-3-3
- John Tidwell 2-5-4
- Perry Tidwell 0-1-1
- Robert Tidwell 1-5-7
- Robert Tidwell Jr. 1-7-1
- William Tidwell 1-1-1
- Rachel Tidwell 0-2-3
- Chester Co.
- John Tidwell 1-2-2
- Job Tidwell 1-1-1
- William Tidwell 2-1-3

The Tidwells in S.C. all seem to have been centered in the
 Fairfield-Chester area.

7 Fairfield Co.
 ROBERT TIDWELL...His will eg. 21 Mar. 1806 pr. 9 May 1806
 Wife, Mary Tidwell.....Children
 Not Tidwell (Notley) one of my two youngest sons.
 Robert Tidwell.....
 James Tidwell...my eldest son
 Francis Tidwell
 Ellender...my eldest daughter...no surname
 Levy Tidwell...see him as Elli in #6
 Elizabeth Gibson
 John Tidwell By examination of the file in
 Mary...no surname Winneboro, we may find whom each
 Richard Tidwell of these daughters married...L.A.
 Anna...no surname
 Martha...no surname
 Delilah...no surname
 Keziah...no surname
 Exs. Wife and eldest sons
 /Wit. William Arledge, George Lott & Sarah Arledge.

8 Fairfield County has Administrations for Tidwells who died
 without any wills.

9 Richland Co.
 GNUMON TIDWELL...Will eg. Dec. 1827...no pr. date...Wife,
 Mary M. Tidwell & Ex. with Capt. John M. Partridge...One child
 Blouny Noflet Tidwell...a minor.
 Also mentions the following
 William G. Tidwell, my brother
 Nanty Tidwell, my sister.
 /Wit. Uriah Frite, William Beard & Joseph Smith.

TIDWELL

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Columbia 25, S.C. 1954

Compiled for :
Miss Jennie Belle Lyle
1414 West Fourth St.
Little Rock, Ark.

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This data on TIDWELL has been compiled from the South Carolina Archives in Columbia and needs to be supplemented by work in the county seats where the Tidwell name shows...The wide margin is for punching and binding...The margin numbers are for cross reference...This carbon copy is for your use as a work sheet and when the line is completed, a typed paper of your direct family will be made...Leonardo Andrea.

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Miss Jennie Belle Lyle

Her TIDWELL ancestor is her grandmother, MARTHA ELLEN TIDWELL who was born in White Co. Arkansas in 1843...She is thought to be the daughter of PETER TIDWELL who was the son of DAVID TIDWELL...Martha Ellen Tidwell had a brother, Roland Tidwell
2-a Arkansas Gazette..Issue 12 Sept. 1837

2-a

Mr. ROWLAND TIDWELL, member of the Territorial Legislature, died at his home in Jackson Co. Ark. on 30th Aug. 1827...SURVIVED by his wife and FIVE CHILDREN...He was aged about 50

2-b

DAVID TIDWELL died in 1835...His estate was Admst. by his sons, Peter Tidwell and Rowland Tidwell...The wife of Rowland Tidwell was named Harriet...In Bradley Co. Ark. in the 1850 census was PETER TIDWELL aged 76 and born in S.C.

2-c

McCall-Tidwell book

Three brothers came from ~~Virginia~~ England and settled on the Potomac River in Westmoreland Co. Va.

John Tidwell Robert Tidwell / Richard Tidwell
John Tidwell of the 2nd generation moved to S.C. in 1772 and settled on waters of Wateree Creek...Richard Tidwell came from Va. to Craven Co. S.C. in 1764...WILLIAM TIDWELL in 1779 to Mary De Graffenreid of Chester Co. S.C.

3

Land grants from the King in S.C.

John Tidwell, 300a Craven Co. Fork Wateree Cr. 19 Nov. 1772
Prescott Tidwell, 200a Craven Co. Wateree Cr. 21 May 1772
Richard Tidwell, 100a Wateree Creek Craven Co. 29 Apr. 1768
Richard Tidwell, 150a Wateree Cr. Craven Co. 17 April 1764
Richard Tidwell, 150a Wateree Creek Craven Co. 25 Aug. 1769
Robert Tidwell, 100a Wateree River Craven Co. 25 Aug. 1769
Evidently Richard Tidwell took additional grants for INCREASE in Family or else two Richard Tidwells.

3-a

Land Tax Memorials

John Tidwell 1 Prescott Tidwell 1
Richard Tidwell 3 Robert Tidwell 1
I can examine and abstract any of these grants or memorials for Tidwell...You can also obtain photostats for these.

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Land Grants after the Revolution

Edmond Tidwell, 64a with Moses Hollis, Fairfield Co. Wateree Creek 3 July 1809
Starling Tidwell, 135a Fairfield Co. Camden Dist. 7 Jan. 1799
Starling Tidwell, 640a Fairfield Co. 7 Oct. 1805
Plats for these two grants show also.

The following records are of my Tidwell line and their relative in Georgia. I am trying to connect them to the Fairfield County Tidwells as it is said that Hugh Millen Tidwell's father was from Farifield county.

I hope that you will enjoy the information and that someone might be able to use it in their research.

The Tidwell Family

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