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Walker – Withers Home (Courtesy of the Chester District Gen. Society)

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City Directories and History: The mid 1840's home on Pinckney Street, known as the Walker-Withers Home was originally owned by Joshua H. Walker of Chester.

His daughter Margaret Mary, (born in 1845), married John Samuel Withers (born circa 1847) of Winnsboro, SC who moved to live in Chester with his wife's family. John was the son of Berryman Hicks Withers and his wife Susan Elinor Meador Withers of Fairfield County. The Walker-Withers family owned the impressive home until the 1870's. Springs Mills of Fort Mill, S.C. acquired the property and maintained it for decades. The Withers family eventually moved to a smaller home on Foote Street. By 1977, the Powell family



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purchased the home and as of 2005, the Rev.

Fred J. Powell, III has been working to restore the dwelling.

Most of the information provided was furnished by family historian Mr. John Withers of Hamden, Ct. and via a note send him by the Rev. Fred Powell in 2005.



Early 19th century postcard image of prosperous Pinckney Street in downtown Chester, S.C. Image courtesy of the Davie Beard Collection – 2016



Mary Grey Neil, Lucille Withers, John Withers and Mary Grey Withers – Courtesy of John Withers Collection, 2014



Berryman Withers cemetery plot in Fairfield County, S.C.

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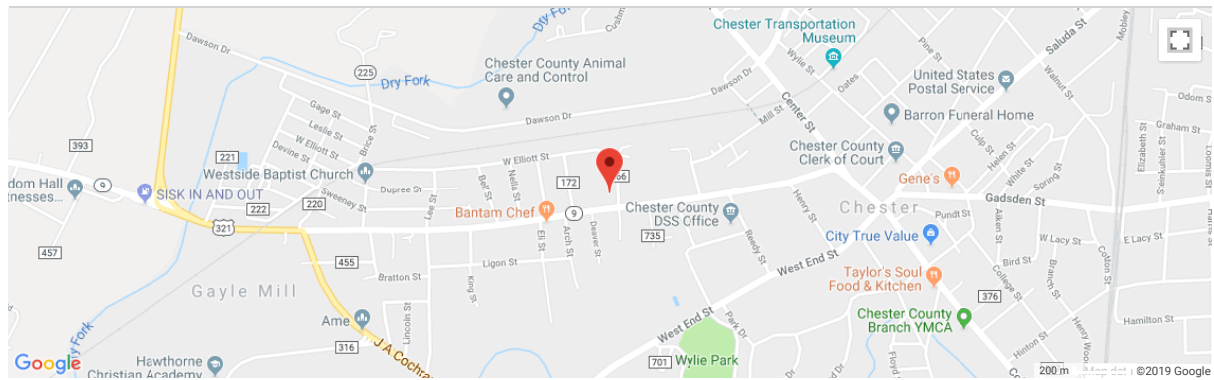


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City Directories



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