

Walkers of Chester County, SC

1750 – 1859

The First of Four Files

Preface to our Report on the Walker and Related Lines in Chester, SC

When this project started Bill Gregory, Chester, SC offered to do Court House look-ups for me (Peggy in this report) to see if he could locate information about my ancestor Col. Wm. Walker of Chester who married Rachel Eliza McCullough of prob. York County. Bill went to the Court House each day and sent me what he found about ANY Walkers in Chester County. When he talks about “my Col. William”, he is referring to my gr gr grandfather, Col William Walker who shows in the 1850 and 1860 Chester Census with his wife Rachel Eliza [McCullough] Walker and their family. He died before the 1870 Census and Rachel died in 1870.

I soon realized it was escalating into a big project with many Walkers mentioned. We decided to put what he found into a Timeline of events.

Any help with untangling all these Walkers, especially the Williams, will be greatly appreciated.

I have reason to believe that my Walker family had ties of some sort to Oktibbeha, MS that might have ended about 1855 or 1860 when one of the Walker girls wrote a very short piece about saying goodbye to Oktibbeha. If you know of any Chester families who had ties to Oktibbeha I (Peggy Treece) would appreciate hearing about them. I can be reached at margarettreece149@hotmail.com

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You will note multiple references to the Cornwells. Two of Col. Wm. Walker's daughters married Cornwells. Also included are references to the Kennedys. They were likely connected to the early Walkers or McCulloughs and one of “my” Walkers married Allen (Alan) Kennedy.

Virginia thinks she has found Rachel Eliza McCullough's parents. That is a huge breakthrough as my family has been searching for about 45 years for parents of either Col. William or Rachel. If correct, her father was Thomas McCullough married to Rachel Conley. Widow McCullough owned land in York County. In 1826 she had daughters Mary, Sarah, Dorothy, and Rachel Eliza in her household. The family may have lived in Chester County at one time.

I think it prudent to put in the genealogy of Col. Wm. And Rachel as we believe it to be. The Outline Descendant Chart is at the end of this Introduction. It may clarify for you the family I am looking for. I descend from Emma Oni Walker. Any and all information will be appreciated by me and my “Cousin” Ellouise Hall who can be reached at ellouise@bellsouth.net. Ellouise is a descendant of my Emma Oni Walker's sister Batie Walker. Newly found “cousin” Jamie

Thomasson can be reached at Jester1002@aol.com Jamie is a descendant of Anna Walker (also a sister to my Emma Oni Walker) and Allen Kennedy.

My gr grandmother Emma Oni Walker married Eugene Hart and had one daughter, my grandmother Jessie May Hart [Shuman]. Eugene appears to have deserted the family soon after Jessie's birth and Emma raised her alone – with the help of relatives and specifically by Dr. Cornwell.

Ellouise's ancestor, Batie Narcissus Jennings Walker married two times. Once to a Jarrell and second to a Dooley.

The members of this Walker family died young. The Civil War was brutal on them. Col. Wm. Did not serve in the War. He died in 1862. Most of the children remaining after the War ended and their mother's death in 1870 went to Charlotte, NC to start a new life.

We are in need of descendants, especially direct male descendants of Col. Wm. to test for DNA. I think the only possibility of a direct male would be through William Roseborough Walker who did leave a male line. My siblings and I have tested and Ellouise's father tested, but none of us are the direct male line. If you know anyone willing to test, please contact me and I will put you in touch with my son who can guide you about which test to submit. There are many tests to consider now and some do not yield the results you are looking for. I don't want you to waste your money on a test that won't yield results for the project.

Family of Col. Wm. Walker, born 1812 in SC

3 Apr 1833 - William Walker b 1812 SC married Rachel Eliza McCullough, b 1814 Chester, in Chester, SC.

28 Dec 1834 son **Thomas A. Walker** was born in Chester, SC

03 Jan 1836 daughter **Sarah Jane (Sallie) Walker** was born in Chester, SC.

29 Aug 1839 son **Charles Thomas Walker** was born in Chester, SC.

09 Sept 1840 son **William Harvey Henry Walker** was born in Chester, SC.

10 Oct 1842 daughter, **Anna Elizabeth Walker**, was born in Chester, SC.

07 Dec 1845 daughter **Batie Narcissa Jennings Walker**, was born in Chester, SC

31 May 1849 daughter **Margaret (Maggie) Lavicia Walker**, was born in Chester, SC

13 Jan 1852 daughter **Emma Oni Walker** was born in Chester, SC.

15 Oct 1856 son **William Roseborough Walker** was born in Chester, SC

27 May 1857 daughter **Mamie S. (Mary?) Walker** was born in Chester, SC

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DOB 02 May 1940

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DOB 10 Oct 1951

A 4-Generation Descendant Chart of Col. William and Rachel Eliza McCullough Walker follows on the next six pages.

Descendants of Col William Walker

- 1 WALKER, Col William b: 16 Sep 1812 in SC d: 05 Apr 1862 in Chester, SC
+MCCULLOUGH, Rachel Eliza b: 21 Dec 1814 in SC m: 03 Apr 1833 in Chester Co.,
SC d. 21 Mar 1870 in Chester, SC

- 2 WALKER, Thomas Alexander b: 28 Dec 1834 in Chester, SC d: 24 Feb 1884 in
Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC
- 2 WALKER, Sarah Jane (Sallie) b: 03 Jan 1836 in Chester Co., SC d: 05 Aug 1862
..... +CORNWELL, William Davis Jessie Jr. b: 14 Sep 1839 in Chester Co., SC m: 10
Jan 1860 in Chester Co., SC d: 28 Jan 1875 Father: William Davis Jessie Cornwell

- 3 CORNWELL, Francis C. b: 04 Nov 1860 d: 06 Nov 1860
- 3 CORNWELL, Sarah (Sallie) D. b: Apr 1862 d: Aft. 1910 in Prob Charlotte,
Mecklenburg Co., NC
- +TURNER, John Simpson b: 22 Jun 1864 Chester, SC m: 29 Mar 1884 d: 05 Dec
1948 in Prob Greenville, NC Father: William Turner Mother: Mary E. Simpson
+KENNEDY, Mary A. b. 1853 Chester, SC Father: Thomas A. Kennedy Mother
Mary J. ?
- 4 TURNER, Frank Murphy b: 09 Sep 1888 d: 22 Feb 1958
- +STEVENSON, Mary D.
- 4 TURNER, Wm. Walker b: 15 Jul 1891 in Chester, SC d: 03 Jan 1927 in
Prob Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC
- +COOK, Virgie Odessa m: Sep 1920
- 4 TURNER, John Simpson Jr b: 02 Aug 1894 in SC d: 24 May 1959

- 2 WALKER, Charles Thomas b: 29 Aug 1839 in Chester, SC d: 18 Apr 1883 in
Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC
- +ELAM, Ella L. b: 1836 in FL d: Aft. 1900

- 3 WALKER, Rosa b: 1861 in NC

- 2 WALKER, William Harvey Henry b: 09 Sep 1840 in Chester, Chester Co., SC
d: 30 Aug 1841 in Chester, Chester Co., SC
- 2 WALKER, Anna Eliza b: 10 Oct 1842 in Chester, Chester Co., SC d: 09 Jun 1887 in
Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC
- +KENNEDY, Allen Degraffenreid b: 1838 in Chester, Chester Co., SC m: 13 Jul
1858 d: 16 May 1864 In action at Drury's Bluff, Petersburg, VA Father: Richard
Evans Kennedy Mother: Sarah DeGraffenreid

- 3 KENNEDY, Sarah A. (Sallie) E. b: Bet. 1859 - 1861 in Chester, Chester Co., SC
d: 31 Jul 1929 in prob Charlotte, NC
- 3 KENNEDY, Richard Allen b: 08 Aug 1862 in Chester, Chester Co., SC
d: 08 Jun 1914 in Charlotte, Mecklenbug Co., NC
- +BIXBY, Adele Virginia (Della) b: 27 Jul 1876 d: 22 Feb 1950 in Charlotte,

Mecklenburg Co., NC Father: John A. Bixby Mother: Johanna Smaw

- 4 KENNEDY, Ruby Mae b: 09 Jan 1896 in Charlotte, Mecklenberg Co., NC
d: 01 May 1988
..... +CANNON, John E.
- 4 KENNEDY, William Zimmerman (Billie) b: 1900 in Mecklenberg Co.,
NC
- 4 KENNEDY, Sarah A. b: 1903 in Mecklenberg Co., NC
- 4 KENNEDY, Blanch b: 1906 in Mecklenberg Co., NC
- 4 KENNEDY, Marion b: Abt. 1909 in Mecklenberg Co., NC
..... +HORTON, Walter b: 1905
- 4 KENNEDY, Lottie Lee b: 1913 in Mecklenberg Co., NC d: Aft. 1950
- 4 KENNEDY, Mamie Lee b: Unknown d: 02 Sep 1922 in Charlotte,
Mecklenburg Co., NC
- 2 WALKER, Batie Narcissa Jennings b: 07 Dec 1845 in Chester, Chester Co., SC d:
18 Feb 1885 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC
..... +JARRELL, Sgt. Garland William b: 1835 in Wentworth, Rockingham Co., NC
m: 21 Oct 1862 in Chester Co., SC d: 03 Jul 1863 in Gettysburg, Adam, PA Father:
Thomas Jarrell Mother: Janette ?
- 3 JARRELL, William Garland Walker b: 05 Dec 1863 in Chester, Chester Co., SC
d: 21 Jun 1927 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC
..... +THOMAS, Rosa b: 23 Jan 1872 in Surry, Pilot Mountain, NC m: 16 Nov 1887
in Mecklenberg Co., NC d: 24 May 1941 Father: William Thomas
- 4 JARRELL, Elenora (Ellie) b: 09 Dec 1888 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg
Co., NC d: 23 Jun 1968
..... +BISNET, Ervin M. b: 1888 in NY m: 05 Dec 1919
- 4 JARRELL, Anna McFarland b: 27 Jun 1891 in Wayne, Goldsboro, NC d:
18 Jul 1892
- 4 JARRELL, Charlie Swann b: 05 Aug 1893 in Wayne, Goldsboro, NC d:
04 Mar 1948 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC
..... +HELMS, Anna Belle b: 26 Dec 1893 in Sharon, Mecklenburg Co., NC d:
12 Feb 1966 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC Father: Henry Jack
Helms Mother: Susan Matilda Marze
- 4 JARRELL, Paul Atkins b: 16 Apr 1896 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co.,
NC d: 26 Aug 1897
- 4 JARRELL, Margaret Emma b: 19 Feb 1901 d: 08 May 1987
..... +CRUSE, Wilder Allen m: 05 Feb 1924
- 4 JARRELL, William Walker b: 17 Mar 1904 d: 11 May 1989
..... +CARSON, Edith m: 15 Jul 1934
- 4 JARRELL, Jessie Garland b: 02 Apr 1906 in Mecklenburg Co., NC d: 10
Jan 1997
..... +HENNESSEE, Manassa Nixon Jr. b: 16 Nov 1905 in Burke Co., NC
m: 18 Apr 1929 d: 26 Jul 1964 in Concord, Cabarrus Co., NC Father:

Manessa Nixon "Nas" Hennessee Mother: Margaret (Maggie) L. Scott

..... 4 JARRELL, Mary Rose b: 04 Nov 1912 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co.,
 NC d: 05 May 2004 in Salisbury, NC

..... +TAYLOR, Harvey Wadsworth m: 04 Apr 1935

..... 4 JARRELL, Charles J. b: Unknown d: Bef. 1965

..... +HELMS, Female b: Unknown d: Aft. 1965

..... *2nd Husband of WALKER, Batie Narcissa Jennings:

..... +DOOLEY, Charles b: Bet. 1835 - 1845 in VA m: 25 Feb 1869

..... 3 DOOLEY, George Louis b: 21 Jan 1870 in Chester, SC d: 07 Jun 1932 in
 Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC

..... +LEDWELL, Lillian Elizabeth b: 1872 d: 1922 Father: Thomas W. Ledwell
 Mother: Elizabeth J. "Lizzie" Hammond

..... 4 DOOLEY, Gertrude Elizabeth b: 03 Aug 1892 in NC

..... +JAMES, William Whiteford b: 1893 m: 10 Apr 1917 d: 1974

..... 4 DOOLEY, George Louis Jr b: 1895 d: 1978

..... +HENDERSON, Nellie Teresa b: 06 Nov 1900 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg
 Co., NC m: 31 Aug 1919 d: 08 Feb 1967 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co.,
 NC Father: Lorence Henderson Mother: Mary Jane Sharar

..... 4 DOOLEY, Eloise J. b: 22 Aug 1897 d: 02 Aug 1928 in Charlotte,
 Mecklenburg Co., NC

..... +MERCER, George O. b: Abt. 1895

..... 4 DOOLEY, Charles Horrace b: 02 Dec 1898 d: 1995

..... +MENDENHALL, Nettie Mae b: 1909 d: 1988

..... 4 DOOLEY, Helen Bernice b: 12 Jul 1907 d: 1971

..... +WATTS, Louis Poindexter b: 1905 d: 1981

..... 4 DOOLEY, Lois Edna b: 1909 d: 1934

..... +RUCKER, William Maxwell

..... *2nd Wife of DOOLEY, George Louis:

..... +LISK, Margaret (Margie) b: 13 Nov 1881 in NC m: 15 Oct 1913 d: 28 Feb
 1970 in Burke, Morgantown, NC Father: John W. Lisk Mother: Julia Harris

..... 2 WALKER, Margaret Lavicia (Vicie) b: 31 May 1849 in Chester, SC d: 10 Jan
 1908 in Cornwell, SC

..... +CORNWELL, Wm Jessie Williams (MD.) b: 02 Nov 1841 in Chester Village,
 Chester, SC m: 13 Jan 1870 in Chester, SC d: 15 Jul 1910 in Cornwell Station, SC
 Father: Elijah Cornwell Mother: Frances Pratt

..... 3 CORNWELL, Mary (May) Louisa Oni b: 29 Apr 1871 in Cornwell Station,
 Chester Co., NC d: 02 Feb 1951 in Gastonia, SC

..... +HOLLER, Adlai Ellwood Rev. b: 04 Jul 1871 in Catawba Co., NC m: 23 Dec
 1896 in Cornwell, SC d: 16 Oct 1961 Father: Adley D. Holler Mother: Martha
 Clarinda Miller

..... 4 HOLLER, Adlai Cornwell Rev. b: 18 Jun 1898
 +FAIR, Miriam b: 24 Nov 1899 m: 10 Apr 1924 Father: S. A. Fair
 4 HOLLER, James Carlisle b: 20 Jun 1900
 +MCFALL, Anna Dean b: 13 Apr 1904 Father: Henry (MD) Hall
 4 HOLLER, Walker Wesley Col. b: 04 Oct 1902 in South Carolina d: 05
 Jan 1992 in Chapel Hill, Orange, NC
 +MAUKERT, Thelma Father: Carl Maukert
 4 HOLLER, Martha Miller b: 08 Aug 1905 in Chester Village, Chester, SC
 d: 28 Dec 2003 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC
 +HOBBS, Edwin W. m: 1931 d: 1958
 4 HOLLER, Mary Louisa Oni b: 22 May 1908 d: Aft. Jan 2004
 +RICE, Edmond Lee (MD) b: Mar 1904 m: 29 Jun 1936 in Shanghai,
 China.
 4 HOLLER, Alice Elwood b: 22 May 1911
 +WIGGINS, Lemuel Edgar Jr. Father: Rev. Lemuel Edgar Wiggins
 4 HOLLER, John Emory MD b: 25 Mar 1913
 +STUCKY, Edith Wilhelmina Father: George E. Stucky
 4 HOLLER, Daisy Marion b: 30 Oct 1916 d: 16 Sep 2006 in Rock Hill, SC
 +WILSON, Melford Alonzo d: Bef. 2006 Father: Dr. ? Wilson

 2 WALKER, Emma Oni b: 13 Jan 1852 in Chester, Chester Co., SC d: 08 Mar 1925 in
 Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC
 +HART, Eugene Napoleon b: 08 Aug 1844 in Aiken Co., SC m: 02 Feb 1879 d: 06
 Jun 1916 in Columbia, Richland Co., SC Father: Wiley Hart Mother: Henrietta
 Victoria Jones

 3 HART, Jessie May b: 29 Sep 1879 in Chester, SC d: 29 Jun 1956 in Charlotte,
 Mecklenburg Co., NC
 +SHUMAN, Charles Franklin b: 21 Mar 1880 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co.,
 NC m: 1906 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg, NC d: 14 Oct 1958 in Charlotte,
 Mecklenburg Co., NC Father: James Jacob "Jake" Shuman Mother: Isabelle
 "Bella" Northey

 4 SHUMAN, Albert Cornwell b: 06 Mar 1908 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg
 Co., NC d: 23 Aug 2003 in Lafayette, IN
 +CROMBIE, Eleanor Bonney b: 06 Sep 1910 in Cortland, NY m: 24 Nov
 1932 in Kenmore, NY d: 15 Oct 2003 in Lafayette, IN Father: Harold
 Chevalier Crombie Mother: Mabel Evelyn Bonnie
 4 SHUMAN, Son b: 29 Jan 1911 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC d: 29
 Jan 1911 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC
 4 SHUMAN, Jack Northey b: 13 Mar 1913 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co.,
 NC d: 01 Jan 2006 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC
 +GODFREY, Dorothy Mae b: 05 May 1928 in Mecklenburg County, NC
 m: 1951 Father: D. C. Godfrey Mother: Mamie ??
 4 SHUMAN, Donald Walker b: 29 Jan 1915 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co.,
 NC d: 24 Nov 2010 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC

..... +BARKALOW, Elizabeth Durham b: 29 Oct 1915 in Manchester, NH
m: 24 Sept 1938 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC Father: James Ray
Barkalow Mother: Emily Durham

..... 2 WALKER, William Roseborough b: 15 Oct 1856 in Chester, SC d: 26 Nov 1902 in
Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC
..... +HANNON, Mary Jane "Jennie" b: Jan 1860 in NC m: 02 Jan 1881 Father: ?
Hannon Mother: Martha K. Stephens

..... 3 WALKER, William "Willie" Franklin Sr b: 20 Feb 1882 in Charlotte,
Mecklenburg Co., NC d: 13 Oct 1964 in Allentown, PA
..... +UPP, Sarah Leone b: 05 May 1901 in Hillsboro, OH m: Bet. 1920 - 1930 d:
Oct 1976 in Richmond, Henrico, VA Father: Robert W. Upp Mother: Nellie R. ?

..... 4 WALKER, William Franklin Jr b: 08 Sep 1926 d: 02 Aug 2006 in
Nueces, Texas
..... +CHAPMAN, Mary
..... *2nd Wife of WALKER, William Franklin Jr:
..... +CASTLES, Minnie ? d: 1992
..... 4 WALKER, Robert Hannon Sr b: 18 Oct 1929 d: 28 Oct 2011 in
Richmond, VA
..... +HOBBS, Carole d: Aft. 2011
..... 4 WALKER, Eugene Warson Sr b: 08 Mar 1930 in Richmond, VA d: 05
Jan 2005 in Freeport, Maine
..... +HICKS, Etta Lucille b: 24 Jun 1932 in Sandston, VA m: 13 Nov 1949
in Richmond, VA d: 26 May 2006
..... *2nd Wife of WALKER, Eugene Warson Sr:
..... +YOUNG, Mazie Burroughs b: 13 Dec 1927 m: Sep 1970 d: 14 Sep
1997
..... 4 WALKER, Rex Edwin Sr b: 22 Jan 1934 d: 23 May 2000
..... +READ, Doris L.

..... 3 WALKER, Child b: Bet. 1882 - 1900
..... 3 WALKER, Frederick Eugene b: 02 Jan 1885 in Charlotte, Mecklenberg Co., NC
d: 11 Sep 1949 in Wilmington, New Hanover, NC
..... +? d: Bef. 1949

..... 4 WALKER, David E. b: 01 Jul 1913 in NC d: 11 Sep 1994 in Charlotte,
Mecklenburg Co., NC

..... 3 WALKER, Mamie Ivey b: 23 Jan 1887 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC d: 20
Dec 1910
..... +BARKLEY, William Harris Sr

..... 4 BARKLEY, Elizabeth b: Abt. 1906

..... 2 WALKER, Mamie S. (Mary?) b: 27 May 1857 in Chester, Chester Co., SC d: 09 Jun 1888

The above genealogy is submitted for research purposes only. It is not complete and could contain errors. It is shared information gathered by the contributors of this project. If you see errors or have additional information, please let one of us know.

.....End of Introduction

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1750 – 1859

The First of Four Files

I may be confused about this, but think that the title Colonel began to be applied to the names of men of means during the middle of the 18th Century just as a gesture of respect---kind of like the Col. as in the fried chicken one. Perhaps that is so with your Col William Walker since we don't find him in any military records. - Bill

1750

Charles Walker came from County Antrim, Ireland sometime after 1750. 5 sons (John, Adam, Alexander, Robert, and Charles) fought in the Rev. War for SC. Alexander is # 21 in my chart.

1770

Having a recent question concerning the age of a witness to a land deed in South Carolina in year 1771... I consulted my legal experts and this is their answer...

"In the year 1771, BOTH a seller and witness of the sale, had to be 21 years of age, as it is today... However, a minor could be deeded land, but said minor had to be 21 to sell that land, without a suit and court hearing."

1790

Chester County census (9 pages). I was totally AMAZED as to how many Walker households were listed

1790

"He died in a British prison during the Revolution. A widow Fleming shows up on the 1790 or 1800 census of Chester County, S.C. John Stephenson, whose guardian had been Mathew Gibson, later married Eleanor Cooper who was related to the Coopers and Walkers in Chester County, S.C. The information came to me from the late Elmer O. Parker, a descendent of John Stephenson and Eleanor Cooper." Who is the Walker connection referred to?

There were a few Coopers in Fairfield County, and also there were some that lived farther south, maybe Columbia, Camden Lancaster area. I forget where. But there were some even in Chester County....

1791

I just noticed a Phillip Walker, JP (Maybe Justice of Peace)... who notarized several documents in Chester County in 1791 and 1792... Who is he and is he connected to your Walker?

1792-93

Taken from website: <http://familytreemaker.genealogy.com/users/r/u/s/Judith-F-Russell/FILE/0015page.html> on 8/24/12

WALKER Samuel 18 April 1792 SC Chester Indenture - Indenture made bet. John Walker, saddler and William Morrow, shoemaker, both of Chester Co., dated 18 Apr 1792. Sum of 180 pds. 15 shillings sterling, 100 acres on a small branch of Rocky Creek. Orig. granted to SAMUEL WALKER, the land descended to John Walker, his brother.

WALKER Samuel 14 January 1793 SC Chester Mortgage Mortgage. Thomas Morriss to Robert Walker, Chester Co., SC. Consideration : 10 pds. sterling money. 1 feather bed, other furniture in house, 4 head wagon horses (1 team).

WALKER Samuel May 1793 SC Chester Deed Deed of Conveyance. John Walker and Agnes, his wife, to John Walker, son of Samuel Walker, all of Chester Co. Consideration: 60 pds sterling. 140 acres on Sandy River in Chester Co. bounding on lands belonging to Jonathan Dungan. Being land granted by Gov. Wm. Moultrie on 2 Oct 1786 to John Walker.

1812

16 Sept 1812 - Col William Walker born in SC. Who were parents and siblings?

1817

Please note that a Major William Walker served on grand jury at this trial. Probably a Major in war of 1812....

I saw where a Captain James Smith of the public patrol was assaulted at that time... seemed they had titles for everything and everybody.

I expect this Major William Walker, was one of the earliest Walkers in Chester County,,, one of that "other " line.

There was David Westbrook, Major William Walker, and William Stone in this trial case....

1820

In the 1820 Chester Census is a Chas. Walker who has a son Col. William's age. **Can we get a will for him?**

1820

Looking for a Walker in SC who has a son about 8 years old in 1820. That son could be Col William:

In the 1820 Census of Barnwell, SC

Thomas Walker, no slaves, 2 boys under 10, 1 male 26-44 and 2 females.

William Walker, 4 slaves, 4 boys under 10, 1 boy 16-25 and 1 male 26-44 and 4 females

In the 1830 Census of Chester

T. Walker, 40-50, No son Col Williams Age.

William Walker, 40-50, 2 sons Col Williams Age.

On same 1830 page with these two Walkers are: James McCauley, 50-60, John Douglas, 60-70 and 2 sons 20-30, G. B. Colvin, 30-40, Margaret Kennedy*, 50-60. There are 18 members of her household! and Dan'l Price, Jr. 40-50.

**Margaret Kennedy appears to be in the 1850 Chester census as female 60 [she should be at least 70] living with Adelode Sledge, 40 and Louisa Sledge, 7. They live next door to a Sledge family. The wife's name is Margaret.*

In 1860 she lives alone in Chester very close to a Sledge family.

She is not in the 1870 census of Chester. There are two Sledge families, however.

1820

T. Walker is also in the 1840 Census of Chester. (50-60 I think) (#16 on my chart)

1829

U.S. Army, Register of Enlistments, 1798-1914 about William Walker

Birth year: abt 1808

Birthplace: South Carolina, United States

Enlistment Age:

This person was from Chester County, SC. WHO IS HE?

http://search.ancestry.com/iexec/?htx=view&r=an&dbid=1198&iid=MIUSA1798_102878-00207&fn=William&ln=Walker&st=r&ssrc=&pid=114171 is the web site for this record.

This record says he enlisted April '29 and was discharged May 1829 yet he enlisted for 5 years. I don't understand that. Am I reading it correctly? This person was 21, grey eyes, brown hair, light complexion, 5' 9 1/2" Born in Chester, SC. He was a laborer. I think the form tells who he served under.

Col. William and Rachel McCullough were married 1833. That would be just about the right timing to be done with the above enlistment.

I haven't looked yet to see when the other William Walker(s) from Chester was/were born and if he/they was also born in Chester. Col. Wm. Walker lists his birth place as SC.

1830

Joshua Walker owned this house still standing on Pinckney street in Chester (circa 1830): he was the son of Adam Walker and Rhoda Terry. He was married to Mary Ann Woods (the Woods of Wood's Ferry) and then when she died, married Lucy Juliana Jones. She was a benefactor of the Baptist Church in Chester. (remember that Major John Kennedy's daughter married the Rev Hinton that started the first baptist church in Chester, on land given by Major John Kennedy.

1830

In the Chester District Census there is a O. or C. Walker on p. 61 who has a son William's age.

On same page is G. McCullough who has a daughter Rachel's age.

This and the 1820 Census finding looks promising. Bill

1832

This account of W A Walker representing town of Chester, is the VERY FIRST evidence that I have seen of linking our Col Walker's family with the other Walkers.

William A Walker was a lawyer in Chester... and the others in that list being all prominent lawyers and business men of the city, I strongly suspect it is he that is referred to....

He is the [lawyer] William Walker whose home was located where the "new jail" now stands... This would have been on 4 or 5 lots down from the lot our Col William lived on (the hotel) I am slowly wading through the old state court evidence at the court house...in fact I am up to about 1832 now. Bill

Now I am suspecting a connection.... MAYBE.....

I am thinking I should now wait on the editing, and concentrate on the old court cases, and see what else I can find there.... before editing...

Bill is referring to a scrapbook entry I sent him pertaining to **Alan Kennedy who married Anna Walker**. It was written by one of the Walker women after his death.

1832

I am at the 1832 year of those records now.

Col Walker was just becoming a family man if I Remember.

Lets see what I stumble on in the records.

The man had to have been a Colonel, for one thing... it was put on his grave stone and his wife's as well.

1833

3 Apr 1833 - William Walker married Rachel Eliza McCullough in Chester, SC. William was 21 and Rachel was 19 years old.

1834

28 Dec 1834 son Thomas A. Walker was born to Col Wm and Rachel Walker, in Chester, SC

1834

Walker/Rodman Murder (in Bill's emails 6_10 from Virginia 5/7)

Horrid Murder

(News Article)

Date: 1834-12-02;

Paper: Richmond Enquirer

Any clues on who this William Walker was? 1834 was the year that Col Walker had his first child. This William could be my Williams father. (Virginia knows who he is. Peggy: See page 7 of Bills emails 6_10 if we want this information. I looked, but it is messed up.) **Where was he buried?**

1836

in court case of year 1836....

William Walker, (of Bull Run area of Chester County) son of Charles Walker, and John Walker, son of the said William Walker, were called as witnesses for the state in the assault case on Mr. Dixon....

This Bull Run area is 6 miles going towards Greatfalls about 6 miles out of Chester...John had to be born before 1815 to be 21 in 1836.

Peggy: Look for Charles to William (#6?) to John (#11?) born before 1815 in the DNA Walker web site. No, William's father was Alexander.

1836

it states they took the train for Cornwell, SC...

This is evidence that they were acquainted/kin to the Cornwells down highway 321 towards Blackstock (south of Chester)... Not the Cornwells that lived out highway 72 west from Chester... (they may have been related to the later Cornwells, but closer ties to the ones in Cornwell Community). Virginia found the following information about Cornwell Inn on the website below. There is information and more photos to be viewed there.

<http://www.nationalregister.sc.gov/chester/S10817712016/pages/S1081771201602.htm>

National Register Properties in South Carolina

Cornwell Inn, Chester County (U.S. Hwy. 321 at int. with S.C. Hwy. 205, Blackstock vicinity)

1836
03 Jan



1836

daughter **Sarah Jane (Sallie) Walker** born in Chester, SC. (To Col. Wm and Rachel)

1839

29 Aug 1839 son Charles Thomas Walker was born in Chester, SC. (To Col. Wm and Rachel)

1839

There was evidently a Charles T. Walker who was a lawyer in Chester. I didn't find him. I don't have any record of my Charles T. Walker (son of Col. Wm and Rachel) being a lawyer. Mine was discharged from the War due to bad health. He was in Charlotte by 1870. He worked in a bar room and was a horse trader.

If there are two Charles T., perhaps there is a family connection?

1840

09 Sept 1840 son William Harvey Henry Walker born (To Col. Wm and Rachel) in Chester, SC.
Where did the names Harvey Henry come from?

1840

I think I found my

William Walker as Capt. William Walker in the 1840 Census of Chester, page 127 of 204 pages.
The page itself says *Chester District* in the margin.

People in () are names of people from my Col. Wm's family to show the fit.

1840 Census of Chester

Capt. William Walker, 20-30. 1 boy under 5 (Charles T.), 1 boy 5-10 (Thomas A.), 1 female 20-30 (wife Rachel), 1 female under 5 (Sallie), and 1 female under 20 (mystery female).

This family fits Col. William Walker's family, except for the last female. She could be a sister of William or Rachel - or a servant perhaps?

This Capt. William Walker had slaves in this census.

Can anyone identify the Walker man in the following 1840 Chester Census information?

Everyone, with the exception of the female under 20, fit my Col. Wm's family. The family I am researching shows up in the 1850 Chester Census as the family of Col William Walker and wife Rachael Eliza (McCullough) Walker. The Col before his name is a mystery to me as I find him on no military rosters. The 1840 Census information is:

I would like any information that could prove or disprove my theory that it could be my Col William Walker.

Bill, the reason I think that Capt. Walker could be my Col was because his age being the same as our William, born about 1812. So he did not earn his rank in a war of 1812. And he was Capt. in the 1840 Census - before the Mexican War.

In 1840 this Capt. Walker lived near a Matilda Walker who appeared to be an older woman. With her lived a female under 5 years of age.

Would a Capt. go to a Col. in 10 years?

This is the first time I really thought about not knowing where Col Wm and Rachael were in the 1840 census. I had never located them and I suspect this is them. If so, would the Capt. indicate a military rank? Mexican (I haven't found him on a roster) or Indian War (1833+) perhaps? (I haven't looked at this roster, but Russ Hall suggested that I do.)

Also on page 127 is a Melinda Walker, 39-40 with a male child under 5 years. Don't find her in 1850.

On the page before this William (p. 125 as this census takes 2 pages per person) is another William Walker (B), 50-60. Could be #6 or #7 from my chart.

Margaret, that Captian William Walker, census 1840, looks promising, as the other Captain William A Walker only had 3 daughters and a wife to survive him...

T. Walker is also in the 1840 Census of Chester. (50-60 I think)

1840

Margaret, that **Thomas Walker** and **John Walker** teacher, are father and son. Virginia and I somehow established that relationship, and we also knew another son of that Thomas Walker. #5 on my Chart.

1841

Today I dug in archives and I found mention of that same William Walker from the Bull Run community of Chester County...

But also mention of a William Walker from Sandy River area...

and also mention of a William Walker that had a "grist mill up the York Road ...

Who are all these William Walkers?

I am now up to year. 1841. Lets hope the court records of the next 10 to 25 years show us more details...*Bill*

1841

"I arrested the defendant, who is now in jail, Oct 27, 1841

William Walker" I am thinking this Walker had power to arrest... must have been an officer of law of sort.

This is 4 different William Walkers in a period of three years mentioned in the probate court cases.

Peggy... there should be some papers starting to trail...

I spoke with a land surveyor, and he knows all the old land grants and old plats and he just rattled off top of his head at least 6 plats (scattered all over the county) that were owned by early Walkers... not all William Walkers.

I am also watching to see any evidence of any of the Walkers and McCulloughs leaving the county, and not being able to fulfill their jury duty.

Whew... *Bill*

1841

No women on jury.

men had to be 21 to serve on jury

women were tried and called as witnesses however.

I am just now seeing slaves called to give evidence. Slaves however could not testify against their owners.

on a few land disputes... mostly assault and battery, stealing larceny, and maybe one murder per year...

and maybe two cases of men fathering children out of wedlock per year or bastardy charges.

More charges coming in the early 1840s of selling spirits and keeping disorderly houses, and illegal selling and trading with slaves.

1841

30 Aug 1841 son of Col William and Rachel, William Harvey Henry Walker, died in Chester, SC.

Less than a year old at death. Are Henry and Harvey family names?

1842

March 13, 1842.... (note this is the year the "new jail" or the #4 jail was built in Chester, on lot previously owned by William A. Walker.)
stated in probate record:

W. Walker... "I arrested the defendant and committed him to jail"

1842

10 Oct 1842 daughter, Anna Elizabeth Walker, born to Col. Wm. And Rachel in Chester, SC. I found her middle name on a document written in pencil in Vicie's book.

1843

William A Walker was serving as a magistrate in Chester County on April 3, 1843... (this is William A. Walker, lawyer, that lived in house where the #3 jail now stands) (#14 on my chart)

March 13, 1842.... (note this is the year the "new jail" or the #4 jail was built in Chester, on lot previously owned by William A. Walker.)
stated in probate record:

W. Walker... "I arrested the defendant and committed him to jail" Is this the same entry we have dated 1841 above?

1843+

Might be as late as 1865 It mentions the late war.

Journal quote from a story in the Bulletin, author unknown. He was remembering Chester as it was when his mother moved to Chester in 1843. "There were four old citizens that I overlooked when I was reviewing Chesterville. John D. Simrill father of our present good citizen, Joel Simrill. I do not remember where he lived when we first came to Chester, but he later kept the hotel then kept by Fowler Kennedy. Also Col. William A. Walker. He lived in a house where the city jail now stands. He once was postmaster and Colonel of a regiment of militia that mustered in town. He was one of the best known men in the country. . . .

1844

Today in the dungeon, I found a few other William Walker deeds...

Feb 21, 1844

William Walker to Hugh Simpson

Book DD Page 453

.5 acres of land for \$1.50

witt: John Charles and J Roseboro, Magistrate

wife Eliza Walker signed away her dower...

1845

07 Dec 1845 daughter Batie Narcissa Jennings Walker, born to Col. Wm and Rachel Walker. [What do the Narcissa and Jennings stand for?]

1845

1840-1850 only 200-300 people lived in Chester. It is therefore likely that everybody knew everybody else and probably many were related somehow. Many were immigrants from various

countries. If average family size was 6 that would only be 50 families maximum. Does the census warrant that?

there is a Walker Street here in Chester... It is less than two short blocks from the courthouse and where the old jail once stood. And 3 short blocks from the old opera house, which on 3rd floor, housed the first conscription library in the city...

Walker Street is in an area that used to contain many large two and three story homes ... some of which were hotels or boarding homes... and turning off onto Walker from Center Street, you will see a large vacant lot...

This is the area where the "Colored Music Hall" stood, I guess about 1900 and behind that the railroad track.

and a short distance away maybe a block was one of the train depots.

1846

Deed: December 1, 1846

William Walker sold to Robert Wylie 147 acres for \$1000.00, reserving privileges for life...

Witt: Adam Walker and Phillip Walker

1847

<http://www.palmettoroots.org/ChesterCountyPalmettoReg.html> (This website listed a Pvt. William Walker)

Heya Peggy...If this William Walker is our man, he would be 35 at time of enlistment. and rank of private? [I put in 1847 date based on Bill's comment.]

1848

12 WALKER Adam 1848 Rev War Pension Application W8979 Adam Walker, son of Alexander and Eleanor Walker of Chester District, SC. The Soldier was Alexander and his brothers were John, Adam, Robert, and Charles. Lived on Sandy River of Camden, later Chester District.. Eleanor formerly Eleanor White of County Antrim, Ireland. Sold died 1770. His son Adam applies for himself and surviving children.

1849

On one of the pages I worked with last week I believe it was Margaret Lavicia [Walker] Cornwell's obit it stated that at the tender age of 16 she joined Purity church (that would have been 1864) and when she married Dr. Cornwell she joined Pleasant Grove. So we know the family (Col. Wm. And Rachel) lived in Chester through 1870 and I also suspect they all went to Purity. (Wrong date?)

1849-1970

Family lived in Chester Village where Col William Walker was a man prominent in the affairs of Chester Village.

1849

31 May 1849 daughter Margaret (Maggie) Lavicia Walker, was born in Chester to Col. Wm and Rachel Walker.

Virginia thinks the Lavicia name first appeared in the Colvin family.

1850-1860

Col. Wm and Rachel received their mail at the Chester County Courthouse, so they lived very close to the city center....

I also see the Brice family, I know that they had homes on Wylie Street....one home closer in, within sight of the courthouse, and then on the left just before the train tracks at end of Wylie Street another large house on the left.

Both these homes have been pulled down....the one closer in, about 1977 or so...

All of the Historical district is less than about 10 square small blocks. It is quite small.

and Col William's hotel was right in the middle of it all.

and he was on the top of a steep hill.

and the entire area was at that time surrounded by fields and pastures.

each larger house had about an acre or two behind it for their milk cow, horses, stable, gardens... etc. Even hog pens were in the city.

1850

In the 1850 Census of Chester

Col. William Walker, 38 and R. E. Walker + family.

1850

Thomas Walker, 70 plus male (son) John P. Walker, 50, teacher, lives with him.

1850

William Walker, 67, head of household, who has what I assume to be a daughter, Lucinda, 32 (husband Robert Wylie) living with him. This man fits the statistics of the man I found above in 1840 and wondered if it could be Col Williams father. (#6 on my chart)

There are 4 other Walkers on the page with the William, 67. (Alexander and Margaret M.**; John and E.R., probably a daughter; A.T. And Eliz; and Adam and M.A., probably a daughter.) (#s1, 12, 15, and 24 on my chart.)

**For some reason I wondered if she could be Margaret M. Sledge or Kennedy.

Based on this I wondered if Col. William's father could be William and that he was from Barnwell, SC. Col. William and Thomas, or T., are likely brothers. However, this assumption does not fit the naming pattern of the Irish (and German).

There is no Capt. William Walker in the 1850 Chester census.

PROBLEM:

I realize that William and Thomas are such common names in the Walker lines that the men from 1820 Barnwell could have gone someplace other than Chester County.

The reason I was so excited about the 1840 Capt. William Walker is because I don't have any record of where Col William Walker lived in 1840. If it is my William, the fact he was called Capt. in 1840 indicates perhaps Col. is a military name after all.

1850

Col. William Walker's family is listed in the census of Chester. He is in charge of a livery.

We had pondered for quite awhile as to where the livery stable that Col William Walker managed was located.

We know that George Kennedy, brother to John Kennedy (the father of Chester) owned the hotel where the Opera House now stands, and brother Major John Kennedy, Sr. had his home/ hotel/ tavern/ museum/ and dentist office space for a renting dentist, just across on the opposite corner, facing the square, where the blessed Aaron Burr rock used to sit...

I had suspected a livery connected to this hotel for some time and TODAY...

I found in the records of the Saint Joseph Catholic Church where in 1953 (how recent) that negotiations were completed to purchase the livery stable property that adjoined the church property. The RECTORY AND PARISH HALL were built on this property.

It is possible that Col William Walker was employed at this livery, and very close to the hotel was a tenement house.... and later when Col William was managing the hotel (as in the 1860 Census), the large family lived in a long single story annex behind the hotel, extending down Columbia Street. 1860-ish

Mrs. John Kennedy was Anna's husband's grandmother. Could she be the older relative of Anna in the Sprague Civil War story?

1850 [I can't find these records that Bill found. F.[rank] A. Killian owned slaves in 1850.)

it appears there are 5 households of Walkers in one area... all farming...

and in the Killian home next door there is a Walker child...

Did any of the Walkers marry into the Killians?

I saw a few Wylie persons in one home. Maybe William, #6 on my chart?
who were they? were they relations?

1850

1850 census only states Chester, South Carolina, no districts.

1850 and 1860 Census about Thomas Walker

Copy from 2Timeline and put in here if I want it. I deleted it by mistake.

1850

Deed: June 28, 1850

Book HH P.7

William M Walker, Mortgaged to James Hemphill, 411 acres on Fishing Creek.

1850 United States Federal Census

Name: William M Walker

Age: 26

Estimated birth year: abt 1824

Birth Place: Martee Dist (says Chester Dist. in the Census)

Gender: Male

Home in 1850 (City, County, State): York, York, South Carolina

Ruben Dennis, 63

Margaret E Dennis, 50

William M Walker, 26, Blacksmith (Could Margaret E. be his mother in a 2nd marriage?)

1850

In the 1850 census Col William shows no cash assets and also it states all of them were born in south Carolina...

If he had of had any cash ... seems he would have had it in 1850... and there were several tenement houses in that area at that time.

1850

Wondering if there is a William Walker other than our Col Wm Walker that is over age of 21 in Chester County census of 1850? And he should be old enough to have a son, William JR... (#6 or #7 could have had a son (#14 or 19) on my chart in that time frame.)

The 1850 Census of Chester has 3 William Walker HOH listed. They are:

1850 United States Federal Census about William Walker

Age: 67

Estimated birth year: abt 1783

[20 Feb 1782]

Birth Place: South Carolina

Home in 1850 (City, County, State): Chester, South Carolina

William Walker Father (born 1783), 67

Robert Wylie Son-in-law, 39

Lucinda Wylie Daughter, 32

S M Wylie, 8

M A Wylie, 2

1850 South Carolina > Chester > Not Stated > page 109 of 195 pages to this census

This looks to me like another Walker woman who married a Wylie.

Lives next to Alexander, 50, farmer and Margaret Walker – both SC

Next is John, 71 and E.R. Walker – both SC

Next E. T. Walker, 45, farmer and Eliza Walker – both SC

Next family has a 4-year-old male Walker. I suspect the wife is a Walker and had him before she married. - SC

Same page has a family of: Adam Walker, 62, farmer – SC Phillip Walker, 66, farmer – SC and James Walker, 59, farmer – SC.

Next page has E. D. Walker, 34, farmer – SC

Jackson Walker, 16, farmer lives with the Brown family - SC

J. W. Walker, 34, farmer – SC

The page before the above record of William Walker had William Cornwell, 57, farmer, - SC

Mary Walker, 56 and Alex Walker, 22, farmer – both SC

1850 United States Federal Census about William Walker

Age: 67

Estimated birth year: abt 1783

Birth Place: South Carolina

Home in 1850 (City, County, State): Chester, South Carolina

William Walker, 67

Jenett Walker, 60

Jane J Walker, 18

1850 South Carolina > Chester > Not Stated > 33 of 195 pages – so it is the same census as the above William!

Same page has: W. H. Walker, 38, farmer (see below) (#23 on my chart)

1850 United States Federal Census about William Walker, 6

Estimated birth year: abt 1844

Birth Place: South Carolina

Home in 1850 (City, County, State): Chester, South Carolina

W H Walker, 38

Nancy Walker, 27

William Walker, 6

Jane Walker, 4

P W Walker, 1

Same Census South Carolina > Chester > Not Stated > 112 of 195 has Eli Cornwell, 34, farmer.

He is the only adult Eli Cornwell in this census.

So the closest Cornwell and Walkers (many of them) were on pages 109 and 112. Do you think those are the Walkers who farmed for Eli Cornwell? Eli was pretty young to have much land unless he inherited the farm.

1852

I remember the railroad came in to this area in 1852 and unbroken horses and mules were brought into Chester via railroad car from Tennessee... and that people specializing in their training would take them to their property and begin working with them.

One of Col William's sons was listed somewhere as a horse trader (Charles T., 1880 Mecklenburg, NC) and William himself at the livery stable (in 1850, Chester).

Maybe there was a link from horse supplier to Col William...if not from Tenn., then elsewhere. Bill

1852

13 Jan 1852 daughter Emma Oni Walker born to Col. Wm. And Rachel Walker in Chester, SC.
What is the Oni name?

1852-53

in the period of 1852 to 1853, a Col William Walker was called as a material witness twice in two separate court cases involving Mr. John Bennett and Mr. John Kennedy..... The city had enacted ordinances to keep the streets open, widened, and unobstructed...

Mr John Bennett, 2 lots away from town square, past the "new Jail" had constructed a wide portico on the front of his home that was in violation of is ordinance....

Mr John Kennedy, his home located opposite the lot occupied by the now Opera House/City Hall (his home faced Main/Gadsden Street) had a wide porch and descending steps in violation...

Now we do not know the exact identity of this Col William Walker.... He could be one of several, as the other witnesses were ALL persons that lived and had shops and homes in the area of those two homes in violation of said ordinance.

my instinct somehow tells me that this is our Col. Wm. Walker
I am up to year 1855 now... in State Papers. Bill

1854

From Emma Walker's scrapbook: Why would Emma have a clipping on this WA Walker, unless he was a relative? He may have been a cousin of our Col William Walker.

p. 54 - March 30, 1854. William A. Walker represented town of Chester, in the Southern Commercial Convention, (to be) held in Charleston, April 10, 1854. Others were John McKee, Sr., Hon. N. R. Eaves, Hon. S. McAliley, Jas. Greham, John A. Bradley, A. Q. Dunovant, H. C. Brawley, A.H. DeVega, Dr. Jno. Reedy, J. J. McLure, Sam'l W. Melton.

1854

Deed: March 2, 1854

William Walker sold to Henry Nunnery, 19 acres on Fishing Creek. His wife, Eliza, signed away her dower rights. (Based on the below, I don't think it is our Col Wm.)

1860 United States Federal Census

Name: Eliza C Walker

Age in 1860: 32

Birth Year: abt 1828

Birthplace: South Carolina
Home in 1860: Chester, South Carolina
Gender: Female
Post Office: Chester
W A Walker 41 (Lawyer) #14 on my chart.
Eliza C Walker 32
Fannie D Walker 10
F J Walker 8
Jas P Walker 6

There are a few other Walker records I want to check also... I saw one deed that caught my eye with that Charles T. Walker name on it... but I ran out of time (they were closing) and energy.

1854 (I'll look for the scan, but I find this confusing. Do you, too Virginia?)
4/6/1854 Chester County Newspaper, Medical Notice. Maj John Kennedy related to George Kennedy. He was a pack rat. Also had a mini museum of antiques and novelties in his house. Col. William and Rachel's family was too large to stay in his house. Dr. Morris states that he is living across the street in Dr. Eli Cornwell's house.
On same scan (1st Scan from Bill, August 2010) notice about Hartwell Sledge taking charge of the stables owned by George G. Foster.

1854
12/13/1854 (Scan #2 from Bill, August 2010). Carver Randall rented Maj. John Kennedy's house. He advertises that he could board 10-15 people without lodging and 3 people with board and lodging.

1854
Scan #3 from Bill, August 2010. The hotel (Eli Cornwell's Hotel) on corner, owned by John Kennedy is for rent. Take possession by January 1st.

1854
12/28/1854 (Scan #A from Bill, August 2010. Hartwell Sledge is taking charge of stables. All indebted to me please pay me.
Bill, are you thinking that Col. Wm. might have had the stable from the census of 1850 until Hartwell Sledge took over in 1854? That would fit with Col William being in the hotel in 1860.

1854
In 1854 Wm. A. Walker was appointed to the town council of Chester, SC. Probably the lawyer, #14 in my chart.

1854
From Emma's scrapbook:
p.54-March 30,1854. William A. Walker represented town of Chester, in the Southern Commercial Convention, (to be) held in Charleston, April 10,1854. Others were John McKee, Sr.,Hon. N.R. Eaves, Hon. S. McAliley, Jas. Greham, John A. Bradley, A. Q. Dunovant, H. C.

Brawley, A. H. DeVega, Dr. Jno Reedy, J.J.McLure, Sam'l W. Melton. [Again, unless there were two William A. Walkers (the Col being one of them), I don't think it is our Col.]

1855

Col William Walker called as material witness at the murder trial of James Huggins the killer of George W. Culp....on July 4, 1855... Huggins first assaulted George Culp in front of The Wylie store (daylight hours) (that stood 4 doors down or so from Col William's hotel site) and then Culp left and went over to the hotel across the street and was standing in back of the bar near the back door... Huggins followed, entered this hotel bar and again began his cursing and threatening of Culp. The actual knifing (murder) occurred just after dark and on the piazza of this hotel that still stands across, at an angle, from where our Colonel William Walker hotel once stood.

*** note that the other William Walker was referred to as Wm A. Walker in another 1855 spring trial...

Mr William Y. Sealy (that we know managed the other hotel or his brother Richard Sealy) was working in the bar/grocery of the hotel and evicted James Huggins and when George W. Culp left the bar, Huggins was waiting and assaulted and knifed Culp 4 times and left him dying...This is the only hotel that had a piazza downtown.

And it is still standing and in direct line of view from the Hotel that our William ran. Probably, William had already gone from livery into hotel work by this time (July 4, 1855)

*** I am most certain the Col William Walker mentioned is our man, as he had obvious reason to be in that area.... his work and home were there...

1850 United States Federal Census about George Culp This COULD be him because the George found in 1860 was born in NC. about 1853. I don't see these other children in 1860.

Name: George Culp

Age: 45

Estimated birth year: abt 1805

Birth Place: Cabarrus Co

Gender: Male

Home in 1850 Cabarrus, North Carolina

George Culp 45

Mary Culp 38

Maria Culp 17

Levina Culp 15

Polly C Culp 11

Adline Culp 8

William C Culp 7

Margaret L Culp 4

Elisabeth Culp 2

1860 United States Federal Census
about George Culp

Name: George Culp

Age in 1860: 7

Birth Year: abt 1853
Birthplace: North Carolina
Home in 1860: Chester, South Carolina
Gender: Male
Post Office: Chester
Isabella Mcninch 65
Eliz Culp 32
Catherine Culp 10
George Culp 7 (This boy was born just before the stabbing incident. He is probably a son.)
Jas Mcninch 31, Dry Goods clerk

Then there is this interesting mixture. The George Culp, 16 could be him. Do you know what the attack was about?

1850 United States Federal Census

Name: George M D Culp (initials, or a medical doctor?)

Age: 16

Estimated birth year: abt 1834

Birth Place: York Dist

Home in 1850 York, York, South Carolina

Family Number: 35

Household Members:

Name Age

Dorothea Culp 40, HOH

Elizabeth Culp 20

Thomas H Culp 18, b. Chester District

George M D Culp 16

Rachel Culp 14

Benjamin F Culp 9

Rachel Mccollough 75, b. Chester District, she owned 225 property. I am guessing she is Dorothea's mother. Could she be our Rachel E. McCullough Walker's mother, too?

[Virginia has this figured out. She was.]

1855

It was announced in Chester paper March 1, 1855, that Wm Walker had purchased the Livery stable of Mr Hartwell Sledge to furnish Horses, buggies and vehicles of all kinds on shortest notice... I do not ever remember seeing a notice of Wm Walker selling off this livery.

1855

10/13 William A. Walker witness for state against James Woods Orr for Orr's assault on Francis Ross with a claw hammer.

1855

T. Walker and Robert Walker on grand jury for Spring term 1855.

1855

Alex D. Walker (probably #17 on my chart) and John Cornwell, Sr. on petit jury for Spring term 1855

1850 United States Federal Census

Name: Alexander F Walker This could be him, but F. instead of D. initial? I don't know who the other two people are. #17 on my chart.

Age: 21

Estimated birth year: abt 1829

Birth Place: South Carolina

Home in 1850: Chester, South Carolina

Mary Peris 69, HOH

Martha C White 10I didn't find her in 1860

Alexander F Walker 21

1860 United States Federal Census

Name: Alexander D Walker

Age in 1860: 32, Farmer #17 on my chart.

Birth Year: abt 1828

Birthplace: South Carolina

Home in 1860: Chester, Chester, South Carolina

Post Office: Chester

Alexander D Walker 32

Mary Walker 68

1855

Peg, a grocery in 1850s was also a name for a grog shop... it was usually more or less a bar, that served alcohol and also sold bottled liquor/beer to go.

Bill

1855

We know from 1850 census that Col Wm Walker was at a livery stable on that census.

Scan A shows that on April 6, 1854 that Hartwell Sledge, had taken charge of the stables Recently occupied by George G. Foster...

(This is Scan "A" from Bill in an email 8/23/10)

<p>...and before on a</p> <p>F. KENNEDY. PUNISHED</p> <p>SALE</p> <p>GROES.</p> <p>at public outcry, to day of January the balance, etc. in the hands and of the tract,</p> <p>ing 300 acres ing 1st acre containing 350</p>	<p>...themselves indebted will come forward and ...as such longer independence cannot be ...given.</p> <p>NANCY PARKER, Adm'r. Dec. 31-21 W. M. BOBNS, Agent.</p> <p>A "SLEDGE" STRIKE—All those ...indented to me for Blacksmithing, are ...being notified, that unless their respective ...debt are settled up forthwith, I will be forced ...on the unavoidable necessity of placing their ...Accounts in the hands of an officer for collec- ...tion.</p> <p>The subscriber returns his thanks for past ...favours in the Livery Stable line, and would ...most respectfully request those indebted to come ...forward and settle.</p> <p>Dec. 31-41 HARTWELL, SLEDGE.</p> <p>FAIR WARNING.—All persons indet- ...ed to the late firm of Messrs & Bennett, ...are requested to come forward and pay up ...before the first day of February, 1855, on an</p>	<p>TIN</p> <p>TO ALL W</p> <p>TIN</p> <p>NOTICE.</p>
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This is Scan C in an email 8/23/10

Scan C... Shows that on March 1, 1855 that WM Walker PURCHASED the Livery Stable of Mr Hartwell Sledge....

I never saw a notice where Wm Walker sold the stables.....

The Chester papers end at Dec 17, 1857, and then there is a missing gap up until about 1874.

<p>...when the books</p> <p>...of French</p> <p>THOMAS</p> <p>DEER—</p> <p>...Church at Twenty</p> <p>...Old Building, Corn-</p> <p>...10th Feb'y, next,</p> <p>...will be held at</p> <p>...at</p> <p>...near the Church.</p> <p>PLAT, Ch. Secy.</p>	<p>NOTICE.—The subscribers having been ...necessity issued to Commr, return their ...thanks for the liberal patronage bestowed on ...them for the past year, and respectfully solicit ...a continuation of the same. They will not ...provide for as they can be had in the market ...and willing that the same, as they might ...be had for the sale of the same.</p> <p>Jan. 15-55 BRENNAN & OLL.</p> <p>LIVERY STABLE.—The undersigned ...in the purchase of the Livery Stable of ...Hartwell Sledge, and is now open for ...and the same will be kept in the ...to Drury, English, French, and ...CLEAN, & all kinds, and is open for ...and upon the most favorable terms.</p> <p>Jan. 11-55 WM. WALKER.</p> <p><i>March 1 1855</i></p>	<p>WALKER</p> <p>BALTIMORE</p>
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Livery Stable. - The undersigned having purchased the Livery Stable of Mr. Hartwell Sledge..... (I can't read it to transcribe it.)

1855

(Scans 1, 2, and 3)

these scans came from the 1855 paper.... these all refer to a home/hotel owned by John Kennedy... It was on an opposite corner from the present day Opera House... not to be confused with the George Kennedy/Eli Cornwell Hotel that actually stood where Opera House now stands... ...note that the amount of space available for rent in this home/hotel eliminates it from our search, and the fact that it is not even mentioned in the 1860 census, leads me to believe that it had been razed by 1860 -

Bill

Scan #1 (from email 8/23/10)

Scan (from 8/23/10)

of 1856, at 4 cents per pound, for sale by T. S. MILLS.

MEDICAL NOTICE. — The undersigned having located in the town of

PRIVATE BOARDING.
 The undersigned having rented the large House of Maj. John Kennedy, situated on Main Street, near the corner of the street, and opening on the first of January next, a

PRIVATE BOARDING HOUSE.
 He can accommodate Ten or Fifteen persons with board, without lodging, and Three with board and lodging.
 The table will at all times be furnished with the best the market affords, which will be served up in the best style and regularity.
 Terms moderate. N. ELLIOTT,
 No. 12

All persons having any demands against the estate of Ontario County, N.Y., will please present the same to the undersigned legally allowed; and those who may be indebted to said estate are requested to make payment. CARVER RANDALL, Adm'r.

WILLIAMS MILLS

#2 email

Scan #3

June 18-23-17 Jewelry Store

FOR RENT, the Hotel on the corner by Maj. Kennedy is offered for rent or lease to an approved tenant. Possession to be given on the 1st January next. H. SHANNON.

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(Did you catch the ad right under the one you circled Bill? It has something to do with Dr. J. A. Walker. Does he own the People's Drug store? I can't read it all.)

Bill Gregory, Chester, SC 29706
 after today, I am certain that Col William ran that large hotel, It was where the Opera house now stands.
 I spent all day today in the library and went through 2 years of the Chester paper of 1856 and 1857. After Dec. 17, 1857 the issues are missing from the collection.

1855

(Scan #D from Bill, August 2010.) Eli Cornwell Hotel, later known by various names such as the Cornwell House. George Kennedy built it and later it was leased by at least three people before Eli and then by William Walker. It was also called the Planter & Mechanics Hotel. It stood where the current Opera House Stands. Eli Cornwell advertised that the lobby on ground floor had three stores. A dentist rented one of them. The same dentist was in the McInfee Hotel.

1855

(Scan #E from Bill, August 2010.) Ad for Eli Cornwell House.

Bought Howerton House in Chester downtown
RR hotel out at the depot (Nicholson Hotel)
Excellent cooks.

J. T. Howerton Former owner

1856

15 Oct 1856 son William Roseborough Walker born to Col. Wm. and Rachel Walker, Chester, SC

5/24/1856

Serious Accident.—We have been informed that on Monday last there was a high freshet in Sandy River, and while Mr. C. Walker was attempting to cross in a buggy on the bridge at DeGrassenried's Mill, in this district, the horse and buggy fell through the bridge into the stream; when the horse, valued at \$200, and belonging to Col. Wm. Walker, was drowned. Mr. Walker himself escaped by swimming ashore, but was unable to extricate the horse, though he swam to him twice. Mr. W. was at the time following in the immediate rear of two other gentlemen, but it is supposed they in passing loosened some planks that floated off unobserved. This reminds us that we have been requested to call the attention of the commissioner in charge, to the dangerous condition of the bridge over Rocky Creek, near McAliley's Mills. The flooring is said to be loose, and some of the sleepers are lying on their sides, while others stand on their edges, making it quite perilous to travelers.—*Chester Standard.*

This was during the time we think that Col William Walker was running the hotel. If so it might point to Col William having the livery adjacent to the hotel in operation, at same time of the hotel.

1857

27 May 1857 daughter Mamie S. (Mary?) Walker born to Col. Wm and Rachel Walker, Chester, SC (7 ½ months after the birth of William Roseborough?)

1857

(Scan #E from Bill, August 2010.) Ad for Eli Cornwell House. Which date is correct for this news item? 1855 above or 1857 here?

Bought Howerton House in Chester downtown

RR hotel out at the depot (Nicholson Hotel)

Excellent cooks.

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1857

A. T. Walker had his plantation in Dr. Eli Cornwell's division.

1857

Eli Cornwell took charge of the hotel in town of chester, recently known as the Planters and Mechanic Hotel. He also had stables and accommodations for Drovers and their stock.

another ad states that Eli Cornwell took charge of Howerton's House in Chester, board and lodging in middle of town (managed by JT Howerton, serviced by Mr Smith's Omnibus from the depot

Then on Dec 2, 1957 Eli Cornwell sold off tables, bureaus , chairs, bedsteads, begging and mirrors kitchen furniture, sofas, earthenware...

* in another ad it offers the hotel on corner (Col Williams Hotel) for lease of rent to an approved tenant ... Offered for rent by an H Shannon...
could this H. Shannon have been the owner or rep of owner?

1857

Civil war and post Civil war.

The Walker-Gaston Camp of veterans continued to hold meetings up to at least 1904. After the war there was new militia organizations formed for local young men (some that did not fight in the war), much like the national state guard today. That was still going on in 1870...

1857

12/3/1857 (Scan #F from Bill, August 2010.) Tells us that Eli Cornwell sold furnishings out of the hotel. The private sale of Cornwell house furnishings, including brandy. If not disposed of by 12/15/1857 will be sold at public auction. Bill thinks Col William Walker bought it at that time. [Bill, do you think perhaps Col. William might have been working for him when he sold it? Perhaps his livery was there if he was still in the livery business.]

On same page: J. T. Walker, dentist, estate. Paper said his dentist equipment was sold off in home where William Walker lived (hotel). I am wondering if J.T. (#8 on my chart) is related to Col. Wm. He was born approx. 6 years after Col. Wm, but below he is listed as being born in PA. If that is true, he is likely not Col Wm's brother.

1850 United States Federal Census

Name: J T Walker Dentist #8 on my chart.

Age: 32

Estimated birth year: abt 1818

Birth Place: Pennsylvania

Gender: Male

Home in 1850 Chester, South Carolina

J T Walker 32

E M Walker 24

Col William Walker was prominent in the affairs of Chester Village (as reported in his daughter Margaret's 1908 obituary).

1857-1858

10/14 William Walker served on grand jury spring term 1857 in Chester county, SC.

Feb 11, 1858, Col William Walker served on grand jury.

Nov 4, 1857, Thomas Walker served on petit jury

Dr A J Walker served on Grand jury fall of 1858

Doctor J. T. Walker served on petit jury spring 1857.

J R Wilson was indicted for keeping officer Heartwell Sledge from serving warrant on Eli C. Wilkes.

Witt for the state were: Eli Cornwell, Charles T. Walker, M O Cooly, A. Skillman, and Nathaniel Halsey.

John T. Walker and Thomas M. Graham went bond to assure Heartwell Sledge attended the trial.

Will Hall went bond for Eli Cornwell.

and... Andrew T. Morris went bond for A. Skillman

Grand Jury report: The road leading from Mrs. S. Mobley's to A. T. Walker's plantation in (Dr.) Eli Cornwell's division said to be in bad order.

Charles Walker was witness for the state in the assault / battery with intent to kill trial of Joseph Howerton and William Hodge, the two plead guilty and served 4 months in prison and \$100.00 fine each.

William D. Simpson posted Charles Walker's bond.

also fall of 1858, William Walker, SENIOR served on grand jury on Sept 14, 1858...

Did our Col. William have a son that was named his junior? [No, he didn't that I know of. He named two sons William (William Henry, who died young, and then William Roseborough.]

This is coming from the state papers, or state evidence court cases.
Some years we need in the old Chester newspapers are missing from the newspaper collection.

Today I ended up 1858... and will start on 1859 next week sometimes...
3 more years before Col William dies... but I want to continue up until about 1905 or so.
I am hoping that some of his creditors sued for payment, and also a court case or two settling Rachael's estate and property. Bill

A Juror had to be 21 year of age to serve, as I understand it. So this Thomas probably was not ours.

It appears to me that when witnesses were summoned to appear at a trial, that they had to come in with bondsman and put up bond money and swear to appear in court.
It is in every case, and even the doctors and all that were to give evidence.

1857

I wonder who the A T Walker who had his plantation in Dr. Eli Cornwell's division was?

I wonder if any of Col William's female relatives in past generations were Cornwells or Roseboroughs?

The way it read and what I understand from lots of court records is that Dr. Eli Cornwell was on the road commission and he was supposed to oversee the upkeep of that stretch of road going toward Columbia from Chester (where he lived.)

No, the A T Walker had his own plantation or farm. And the complaint was on the stretch of road from Mrs. S. Mobley on to Mr. A.T. Walker's plantation.

1858

Nov 3, 1858 - Dr Eli Cornwell, Grand jury.

1858

7/13/1858 Anna Elizabeth Walker (Col. Wm and Rachel Walker's daughter) married Allen D. Kennedy in Chester, SC. Allen died 5/16/1864 in Petersburg, PA (War).

...Do you realize that this information connects your family with the absolute top of society in this entire area of South Carolina

this means that one of Anna's cousins by marriage is (S. E. Babcock) who studied medicine in Europe and later became the personal doctor of South Carolina Governor Benjamin Tillman, and helped to establish the Mental Health Hospital in Columbia....

Now we know for sure EXACTLY who Anna married and his kin.... Surely someone is doing research on that Kennedy line and knows who Col William's kin were.

Anna Walker married John's grandson, Allen D. Kennedy. The little story in the journal is about him.

1859

From the November 29th, 1859 issue of the Charleston Mercury...

Mortuary Notice : November 20, 1859, at the hotel of Col. Walker, in Chester, Dr. Bronson of Sumter. I think it means he died in the Col's hotel. (This tells us that he had the hotel by at least 1859.)

1859

A Melancholy Occurrence

Date: 1859-01-22; Paper: Charleston Mercury

Melancholy Occurrence ~ We learn through a private source that two little girls, one the daughter of Col. W. Walker, of Chesterville, S. C., and the other a daughter of Mrs. Reid, of the same village, partook of some perfumery, inwardly, and were poisoned. When the information left Chester, Miss Reid had partly recovered, but the former, Miss Walker, it was feared, would not survive. This notice may serve as a warning to those who are in the habit of tasting what is only intended to used as an external perfume.

Columbia Bulletin, 21st.

[This could have been Mamie b. 1857, and she survived the incident. Otherwise it means there was a child who we didn't know existed, and she died.]

1859

10/17 This email has a post card of Chester hill attached to it.

Peggy, this is a picture of the "top of the hill" or Chester Square.

The front corner entrance of the hotel that Col William Walker had, would have been just exactly a few feet back from the curbing in the lower right of this photo...

The hotel that Richard Sealy and William Sealy ran is looking up this street or hill on the left side of the photo ,just behind the car coming in this direction. At that time it had a piazza out front on the now sidewalk...

this is where the stabbing murder of George W. Culp occurred.

So if Col William Was out and looking across (catcornered) across the square, he could have seen the struggle....

Now just across the small street cutting to the immediate right and going off the pic (lower right corner again) on that corner lot, where the coca cola sign is on the store front, is where John Kennedy had his house facing the square or street... (he is the old man that built his piazza too far into the street - 1859 or so.)

You see the tall slim confederate monument in the very center of the picture? Just to its right is large impressive white marble building...it was at one time a bank...now a Masonic Temple...

In front of where that white marble building now stands ...coming out into the square was the two story old brick courthouse, but it was voted to replace it in1850 and the new courthouse was built in1853....the old courthouse being of brick and stucco over and painted yellow, and built on the hillside it faced that bottom right corner of the picture....where Col William Walker's hotel and eventually the Opera house was built....

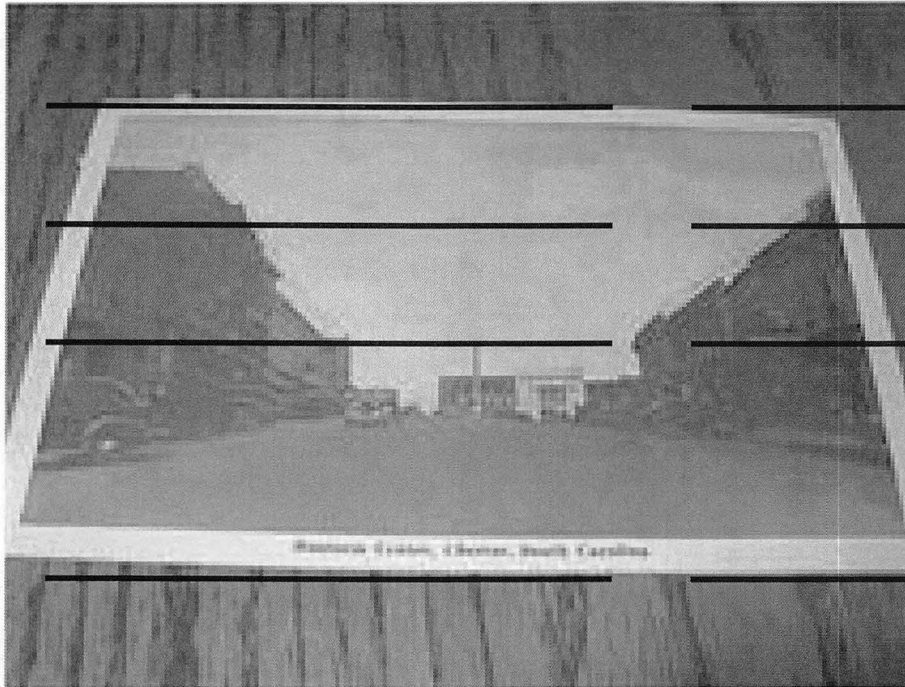
Now if you will, focus your attention on the car approaching on the left side and note the far building with sort of a peak on its roof....Just beyond this building is the new courthouse site...that was built in 1853...

and...if you continue on down behind that approaching car you will go down the back side of the "hill and 2 short blocks would be the site of Rachael Walker's home that her son sold her for \$400.00... It is only a vacant lot now.

Rachel Waker's house and Doctor SE Babcock's home on the corner were both pulled down and another home built there on the two lots...

Many years later this home was also razed and a service station built on both lots. then the service station was pulled down and now it is a vacant lot.

I still have not had any success in locating spot of the military hospital in Chester during the war.
Bill



1859

Captain William Alexander Walker wife and 3 daughters only survived him. his wife was Elizabeth C. Walker...

March 21, 1859, he sold 2.75, where I now live, acres in Chester town to Charles S. Brice for \$2,400 ...

Property bounded on north by lands of Alexander C. Walker (probably kin), on the east by lands of Alexander C. Walker and Daniel Curd, on the south by Pineapple Street, and on the west by the lands of Pithor (spelling off)

Pelham Thank You Notes - Richard Winn

Now a Col. WA Walker did other land transactions, but they were after the death of Peggy's Col William Walker in 1862.....Bill

No Date – About Alexander and William Walker, brothers who married Wylie sisters
This is interesting about Catharine Evans Kennedy of Chester.
http://genealogytrails.com/scar/chester/wylie&evans_bio.htm

“I will now speak of mother's family. My grandfather Richard Evans had three brothers, John, Isaac, and Owen, and one sister. I think her name was Hannah. They were all Whigs and were in the army in the Revolution. They attended the Whig meeting at old Justice Gaston's and volunteered their services. They and I think three Walkers were all the Whigs that were in Sandy River, it being a hot bed of Tories. My grandfather married Katherine McCarter of a highly respected family. They were married before the Revolution and had several children. She was very much distressed and annoyed by the Tories. (A number of the stories are repeated in Catherine Hinton's Evans history -see this information)

As it may be a satisfaction to some, I will tell the names of some of the persons whom my father's brothers and sisters married. Uncle Kelso married a McNeal. I can't remember who Uncle John N. Wylie married first, but I think she was a Nelson. His second wife was a Miss Pepper. Aunt Susan married Alexander Walker. Jennette married William Walker, a brother of Alexander. Mary married D. Hamilton, and Sallie married William Morris (?). They all moved to Alabama except Jennette and my father Peter.”

Peggy... note above from the Wylie/Evans material... two sisters (Susan Wylie and Jennette Wylie) married two Walker Brothers...
and one, Alexander and Susan (it is implied above) Walker (husband and his wife) "moved to Alabama with all the others... wonder who these two Walker's parents were???? Bill

Find a Grave Record:

Name: William Alexander Walker
Birth Date: 14 Jun 1819
Death Date: 21 Apr 1882
Cemetery: Old Purity Presbyterian Church Cemetery
Burial or Cremation Place: Chester, Chester County, South Carolina, USA

Walkers of Chester County, SC 1860 – 1869, The Second of Four Files

Introduction to our Research on the Walker and Related Lines in Chester, SC

~~When this project started Bill Gregory, Chester, SC offered to do Court House look-ups for me (Peggy in this report) to see if he could locate information about my ancestor Col. Wm. Walker of Chester who married Rachel Eliza McCullough of prob. York County. Bill went to the Court House each day and sent me what he found about ANY walkers in Chester County. When he talks about “my Col. William”, he is referring to my gr gr grandfather, Col William Walker who shows in the 1850 and 1860 Chester Census with his wife Rachel Eliza [McCullough] Walker and family. He died before the 1870 Census and Rachel died in 1870.~~

I soon realized it was escalating into a big project with many Walkers mentioned. We decided to put what he found into a Timeline of events.

Any help with untangling all these Walkers, especially the Williams, will be greatly appreciated.

I have reason to believe that my Walker family had ties of some sort to Oktibbeha, MS that might have ended about 1855 or 1860 when one of the Walker girls wrote a very short piece about saying goodbye to Oktibbeha. If you know of any Chester families who had ties to Oktibbeha I (Peggy Treece) would appreciate hearing about them. I can be reached at margarettreece149@hotmail.com

Bill Gregory, who did all the legwork, can be reached by email at wegreg@truvista.net

Virginia Turner can be reached at eytvwt@ftc-i.net

You will note multiple references to the Cornwells. Two of Col. Wm. Walker's daughters married Cornwells. ~~Also included are references to the Kennedys. They were likely connected to the early Walkers or McCulloughs and one of “my” Walkers married Allen (Alan) Kennedy.~~

Virginia thinks she has found Rachel Eliza McCullough's parents. That is a huge breakthrough as my family has been searching for about 45 years for parents of either Col. William or Rachel. If correct, her father was Thomas McCullough married to Rachel Conley. Widow McCullough owned land in York County. In 1826 she had daughters Mary, Sarah, Dorothy, and Rachel Eliza in her household. The family may have lived in Chester County at one time.

I think it prudent to put in the genealogy of Col. Wm. And Rachel as we believe it to be. The Outline Descendant Chart is at the end of this Introduction. It may clarify for you the family I am looking for. I descend from Emma Oni Walker. ~~As much information will be appreciated by me and my “Cousin” Ellouise Hall who can be reached at ellouise@bellsouth.net. Ellouise is a descendant of my Emma Oni Walker's sister Batie Walker. Newly found “cousin” Jamie Thompson can be reached at jtam1002@comcast.net.~~

Jamie is a descendant of Anna Walker (also a sister to my Emma Oni Walker) and Allen Kennedy.

My gr grandmother Emma Oni Walker married Eugene Hart and had one daughter, my grandmother Jessie May Hart [Shuman]. Eugene appears to have deserted the family soon after Jessie's birth and Emma raised her alone – with the help of relatives and specifically by Dr. Cornwell.

Ellouise's ancestor, Batie Narcissus Jennings Walker married two times. Once to a Jarrell and second to a Dooley.

The members of this Walker family died young. The Civil War was brutal on them. Col. Wm. Did not serve in the War. He died in 1862. Most of the children remaining after the War ended and their mother's death in 1870 went to Charlotte, NC to start a new life.

We are in need of descendants, especially direct male descendants of Col. Wm. to test for DNA. I think the only possibility of a direct male would be through William Roseborough Walker who did leave a male line. My siblings and I have tested and Ellouise's father tested, but none of us are the direct male line. If you know anyone willing to test, please contact me and I will put you in touch with my son who can guide you about which test to submit. There are many tests to consider now and some do not yield the results you are looking for. I don't want you to waste your money on a test that won't yield results for the project.

Family of Col. Wm. Walker, born 1812 in SC

3 Apr 1833 - William Walker b 1812 SC married Rachel Eliza McCullough, b 1814 Chester, in Chester, SC.

28 Dec 1834 son **Thomas A. Walker** was born in Chester, SC

03 Jan 1836 daughter **Sarah Jane (Sallie) Walker** was born in Chester, SC.

29 Aug 1839 son **Charles Thomas Walker** was born in Chester, SC.

09 Sept 1840 son **William Harvey Henry Walker** was born in Chester, SC.

10 Oct 1842 daughter, **Anna Elizabeth Walker**, was born in Chester, SC.

07 Dec 1845 daughter **Batie Narcissa Jennings Walker**, was born in Chester, SC

31 May 1849 daughter **Margaret (Maggie) Lavicia Walker**, was born in Chester, SC

13 Jan 1852 daughter **Emma Oni Walker** was born in Chester, SC.

15 Oct 1856 son **William Roseborough Walker** was born in Chester, SC

27 May 1857 daughter **Mamie S. (Mary?) Walker** was born in Chester, SC

Researchers connected with this project:

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DOB 29 June 1951

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Margaret Shuman Treece (Peggy)
DOB 02 May 1940

Ellouise James Hall
DOB 10 Oct 1951

A 4-Generation Descendant Chart of Col. William and Rachel Eliza McCullough Walker follows on the next six pages.

Descendants of Col William Walker

- 1 WALKER, Col William b: 16 Sep 1812 in SC d: 05 Apr 1862 in Chester, SC

+MCCULLOUGH, Rachel Eliza b: 21 Dec 1814 in SC m: 03 Apr 1833 in Chester
Co., SC d: 21 Mar 1870 in Chester, SC
- 2 ~~WALKER, Thomas Alexander b: 28 Dec 1834 in Chester, SC d: 24 Feb 1884
in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC~~
- 2 WALKER, Sarah Jane (Sallie) b: 03 Jan 1836 in Chester Co., SC d: 05 Aug
1862
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- +CORNWELL, William Davis Jessie Jr. b: 14 Sep 1839 in Chester Co.,
SC m: 10 Jan 1860 in Chester Co., SC d: 28 Jan 1875 Father: William Davis
Jessie Cornwell
- 3 CORNWELL, Francis C. b: 04 Nov 1860 d: 06 Nov 1860
- 3 CORNWELL, Sarah (Sallie) D. b: Apr 1862 d: Aft. 1910 in Prob
Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC
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- +TURNER, John Simpson b: 22 Jun 1864 Chester, SC m: 29 Mar
1884 d: 05 Dec 1948 in Prob Greenville, NC Father: William Turner
Mother: Mary Simpson
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- 4 TURNER, Frank Murphy b: 09 Sep 1888 d: 22 Feb 1958
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- +STEVENSON, Mary D.
- 4 TURNER, Wm. Walker b: 15 Jul 1891 in Chester, SC d: 03
Jan 1927 in Prob Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC
- +COOK, Virgie Odessa m: Sep 1920
- 4 TURNER, John Simpson Jr b: 02 Aug 1894 in SC d: 24 May
1959
-
- 4 TURNER, Davis Cornwell b: Abt. 1896
-
- 4 TURNER, Sarah Louise b: Unknown
-
- +HOUSE, Ismael Worth m: 03 Jul 1943 in Charlotte,
Mecklenburg Co., NC
-
- 2 WALKER, Charles Thomas b: 29 Aug 1839 in Chester, SC d: 18 Apr 1883
in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC
- +ELAM, Ella L. b: 1836 in FL d: Aft. 1900
- 3 WALKER, Rosa b: 1861 in NC
- 2 WALKER, William Harvey Henry b: 09 Sep 1840 in Chester, Chester Co.,
SC d: 30 Aug 1841 in Chester, Chester Co., SC
- 2 WALKER, Anna Eliza b: 10 Oct 1842 in Chester, Chester Co., SC

Pelham Thank You Notes - Richard Winn
Names & Addresses

d: 09 Jun 1887 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC
+KENNEDY, Allen Degraffenreid b: 1838 in Chester, Chester Co., SC
m: 13 Jul 1858 d: 16 May 1864 in In action at Drury's Bluff, Petersburg, VA
Father: Richard Evans Kennedy Mother: Sarah DeGraffenreid

..... 3 KENNEDY, Sarah A. (Sallie) E. b: Bet. 1859 - 1861 in Chester,
Chester Co., SC d: 31 Jul 1929 in prob Charlotte, NC

~~..... 3 KENNEDY, Richard Allen b: 08 Aug 1862 in Chester, Chester Co.,
SC d: 08 Jun 1914 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC~~

..... +BIXBY, Adele Virginia (Della) b: 27 Jul 1876 d: 22 Feb 1950 in
Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC Father: John A. Bixby

Mother: Johanna Smaw

..... 4 KENNEDY, Ruby Mae b: 01 Sept 1897 in Charlotte,
Mecklenburg Co., NC d. 05 Jan 1988

..... +CANNON, John E.

..... 4 KENNEDY, William Zimmerman (Billie) b: 1900 in
Mecklenburg Co., NC

..... 4 KENNEDY, Sarah A. b: 1903 in Mecklenburg Co., NC

..... 4 KENNEDY, Blanch b: 1906 in Mecklenburg Co., NC

~~..... 4 KENNEDY, Marion b: Abt. 1909 in Mecklenburg Co., NC
+HORTON, Walter b: 1905~~

..... 4 KENNEDY, Lottie Lee b: 1913 in Mecklenburg Co., NC
d: Aft. 1950

..... 4 KENNEDY, Mamie Lee b: Unknown d: 02 Sep 1922 in
Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC

..... 2 WALKER, Batie Narcissa Jennings b: 07 Dec 1845 in Chester, Chester Co.,
SC d: 18 Feb 1885 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC

..... +JARRELL, Sgt. Garland William b: 1835 in Wentworth, Rockingham Co.,
NC m: 21 Oct 1862 in Chester Co., SC d: 03 Jul 1863 in Gettysburg, Adam,

PA Father: Thomas Jarrell Mother: Janette?

..... 3 JARRELL, William Garland walker b: 05 Dec 1863 in Chester,
Chester Co., SC d: 21 Jun 1927 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC

+THOMAS, Rosa b: 23 Jan 1872 in Surry, Pilot Mountain, NC m: 16
Nov 1887 in Mecklenburg Co., NC d: 24 May 1941 Father: William
Thomas

Names & Addresses - Location of Donation

..... 4 JARRELL, Elenora (Ellie) b: 09 Dec 1888 in Charlotte,
Mecklenburg Co., NC d: 23 Jun 1968

..... +BISNET, Ervin M. b: 1888 in NY m: 05 Dec 1919

Other Places

Pelham Thank You Notes - Donations to

..... 4 JARRELL, Anna McFarland b: 27 Jun 1891 in Wayne,
Goldsboro, NC d: 18 Jul 1892

..... 4 JARRELL, Charlie Swann b: 05 Aug 1893 in Wayne,
Goldsboro, NC d: 04 Mar 1948 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg
Co., NC

..... +HELMS, Anna Belle b: 26 Dec 1893 in Sharon, Mecklenburg
Co., NC d: 12 Feb 1966 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC
Father: Henry Jack Helms Mother: Susan Matilda Marze

..... 4 JARRELL, Paul Atkins b: 16 Apr 1896 in Charlotte,
Mecklenburg Co., NC d: 26 Aug 1897

..... 4 JARRELL, Margaret Emma b: 19 Feb 1901 d: 08 May 1987

..... +CRUSE, Wilder Allen m: 05 Feb 1924

..... 4 JARRELL, William Walker b: 17 Mar 1904 d: 11 May 1989

..... +CARSON, Edith m: 15 Jul 1934

..... 4 JARRELL, Jessie Garland b: 02 Apr 1906 in Mecklenburg
Co., NC d: 10 Jan 1997

..... +HENNESSEE, Manassa Nixon Jr. b: 16 Nov 1905 in Burke
Co., NC m: 18 Apr 1929 d: 26 Jul 1964 in Concord, Cabarrus
Co., NC Father: Manessa Nixon "Nas" Hennessee Mother:
Margaret (Maggie) L. Scott

..... 4 JARRELL, Mary Rose b: 04 Nov 1912 in Charlotte,
Mecklenburg Co., NC d: 05 May 2004 in Salisbury, NC

..... +TAYLOR, Harvey Wadsworth m: 04 Apr 1935

..... 4 JARRELL, Charles J. b: Unknown d: Bef. 1965
+HELMS, Female b: Unknown d: Aft. 1965

*2nd Husband of WALKER, Batie Narcissa Jennings:

+DOOLEY, Charles b: Bet. 1835 - 1845 in VA m: 25 Feb 1869

..... 3 DOOLEY, George Louis b: 21 Jan 1870 in Chester, SC d: 07 Jun
1932 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC

..... +LEDWELL, Lillian Elizabeth b: 1872 d: 1922 Father: Thomas W.
Ledwell Mother: Elizabeth J. "Lizzie" Hammond

..... 4 DOOLEY, Gertrude Elizabeth b: 03 Aug 1892 in NC

..... +JAMES, William Whiteford b: 1893 m: 10 Apr 1917
d: 1974

..... 4 DOOLEY, George Louis Jr b: 1895 d: 1978

..... +HENDERSON, Nellie Teresa b: 06 Nov 1900 in Charlotte,
Mecklenburg Co., NC m: 31 Aug 1919 d: 08 Feb 1967 in
Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC Father: Lorence Henderson

Mother: Mary Jane Sharar
 4 DOOLEY, Eloise J. b: 22 Aug 1897 d: 02 Aug 1928 in
 Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC
 +MERCER, George O. b: Abt. 1895
 4 DOOLEY, Charles Horrace b: 02 Dec 1898 d: 1995
 +MENDENHALL, Nettie Mae b: 1909 d: 1988
 4 DOOLEY, Helen Bernice b: 12 Jul 1907 d: 1971
 +WATTS, Louis Poindexter b: 1905 d: 1981
 4 DOOLEY, Lois Edna b: 1909 d: 1934
 +RUCKER, William Maxwell
 *2nd Wife of DOOLEY, George Louis:
 +LISK, Margaret (Margie) b: 13 Nov 1881 in NC m: 15 Oct 1913
 d: 28 Feb 1970 in Burke, Morgantown, NC Father: John W. Lisk
 Mother: Julia Harris
 2 WALKER, Margaret Lavicia (Vicie) b: 31 May 1849 in Chester, SC d: 10 Jan
 1908 in Cornwell, SC
 +CORNWELL, Wm Jessie Williams (MD.) b: 02 Nov 1841 in Chester
 Village, Chester, SC m: 13 Jan 1870 in Chester, SC d: 15 Jul 1910 in
 Cornwell Station, SC Father: Elijah Cornwell Mother: Frances Pratt
 3 CORNWELL, Mary (May) Louisa Oni b: 29 Apr 1871 in Cornwell
 Station, Chester Co., NC d: 02 Feb 1951 in Gastonia, SC
 +HOLLER, Adlai Ellwood Rev. b: 04 Jul 1871 in Catawba Co., NC
 m: 23 Dec 1896 in Cornwell, SC d: 16 Oct 1961
 Father: Adley D. Holler Mother: Martha Clarinda Miller
 4 HOLLER, Adlai Cornwell Rev. b: 18 Jun 1898
 +FAIR, Miriam b: 24 Nov 1899 m: 10 Apr 1924
 Father: S. A. Fair
 4 HOLLER, James Carlisle b: 20 Jun 1900
 +MCFALL, Anna Dean b: 13 Apr 1904 Father: Henry (MD)
 Hall
 4 HOLLER, Walker Wesley Col. b: 04 Oct 1902 in South
 Carolina d: 05 Jan 1992 in Chapel Hill (P), Orange, NC
 +MAUKERT, Thelma Father: Carl Maukert
 4 HOLLER, Martha Miller b: 08 Aug 1905 in Chester Village,
 Chester, SC d: 28 Dec 2003 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co.,
 NC
 +HOBBS, Edwin W. m: 1931 d: 1958
 4 HOLLER, Mary Louisa Oni b: 22 May 1908 d: Aft. Jan 2004

..... +RICE, Edmond Lee (MD) b: Mar 1904 m: 29 Jun 1936 in
 Shanghai, China.
 4 HOLLER, Alice Elwood b: 22 May 1911

 +WIGGINS, Lemuel Edgar Jr. Father: Rev. Lemuel Edgar
 Wiggins
 4 HOLLER, John Emory MD b: 25 Mar 1913

 +STUCKY, Edith Wilhelmina Father: George E. Stucky
 4 HOLLER, Daisy Marion b: 30 Oct 1916 d: 16 Sep 2006 in
 Rock Hill, SC
 +WILSON, Melford Alonzo d: Bef. 2006 Father: (MD)
 Wilson

 2 WALKER, Emma Oni b: 13 Jan 1852 in Chester, Chester Co., SC d: 08 Mar
 1925 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC
 +HART, Eugene Napoleon b: 08 Aug 1844 in Aiken Co., SC m: 02 Feb 1879
 d: 06 Jun 1916 in Columbia, Richland Co., SC Father: Wiley Hart
 Mother: Henrietta Victoria Jones

 3 HART, Jessie May b: 29 Sep 1879 in Chester, SC d: 29 Jun 1956 in
 Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC
 +SHUMAN, Charles Franklin b: 21 Mar 1880 in Charlotte,
 Mecklenburg Co., NC m: 1906 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg, NC d: 14
 Oct 1958 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC Father: James Jacob
 "Jake" Shuman Mother: Isabelle "Bella" Northey

 4 SHUMAN, Albert Cornwell b: 06 Mar 1908 in Charlotte,
 Mecklenburg Co., NC d: 23 Aug 2003 in Lafayette, IN

 +CROMBIE, Eleanor Bonney b: 06 Sep 1910 in Cortland, NY
 m: 24 Nov 1932 in Kenmore, NY d: 15 Oct 2003 in Lafayette,
 IN Father: Harold Chevalier Crombie Mother: Mabel Evelyn
 Bonnie
 4 SHUMAN, Son b: 29 Jan 1911 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co.,
 NC d: 29 Jan 1911 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC

 4 SHUMAN, Jack Northey b: 13 Mar 1913 in Charlotte,
 Mecklenburg Co., NC d: 01 Jan 2006 in Charlotte,
 Mecklenburg Co., NC
 +GODFREY, Dorothy Mae b: 05 May 1928 in Mecklenburg
 County, NC m: 1951 Father: D. C. Godfrey Mother:
 Mamie ??
 4 SHUMAN, Donald Walker b: 29 Jan 1915 in Charlotte,
 Mecklenburg Co., NC d: 24 Nov 2010 in Charlotte,
 Mecklenburg Co., NC

..... +BARKALOW, Elizabeth Durham b: 29 Oct 1915 in
Manchester, NH m: 24 Sep 1938 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg
Co., NC Father: James Ray Barkalow Mother: Emily Durham

..... 2 WALKER, William Roseborough b: 15 Oct 1856 in Chester, SC d: 26 Nov
1902 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC
..... +HANNON, Mary Jane "Jennie" b: Jan 1860 in NC m: 02 Jan 1881
Father: ? Hannon Mother: Martha K. Stephens

..... 3 WALKER, William "Willie" Franklin Sr b: 20 Feb 1882 in Charlotte,
Mecklenburg Co., NC d: 13 Oct 1964 in Allentown, PA
..... +UPP, Sarah Leone b: 05 May 1901 in Hillsboro, OH m: Bet. 1920 -
1930 d: Oct 1976 in Richmond, Henrico, VA Father: Robert W. Upp
Mother: Nellie R. ?

..... 4 WALKER, William Franklin Jr b: 08 Sep 1926 d: 02 Aug
2006 in Nueces, Texas
..... +CHAPMAN, Mary
..... *2nd Wife of WALKER, William Frank Jr:

..... +CASTLES, Minnie ? d: 1992

..... 4 WALKER, Robert Hannon Sr. b: 18 Oct 1929 d: 28 Oct 2011
in Richmond, VA
..... +HOBBS, Carole d: Aft. 2011

..... 4 WALKER, Eugene Warson Sr. b: 08 Mar 1930 in Richmond,
VA d: 05 Jan 2005 in Freeport, Maine
..... +HICKS, Etta Lucille b: 24 Jun 1932 in Sandston, VA m: 13
Nov 1949 in Richmond, VA d: 26 May 2006
..... *2nd Wife of WALKER, Eugene Warson Sr:

..... +YOUNG, Mazie Burroughs b: 13 Dec 1927 m: Sep 1970
d: 14 Sep 1997

..... 4 WALKER, Rex Edwin Sr b: 22 Jan 1934 d: 23 May 2000

..... +READ, Doris L.

..... 3 WALKER, Child b: Bet. 1882 - 1900

..... 3 WALKER, Frederick Eugene b: 02 Jan 1885 in Charlotte,
Mecklenburg Co., NC d: 11 Sep 1949 in Wilmington, New Hanover,
NC
+? d: Bef. 1949

..... 4 WALKER, David E. b: 01 Jul 1913 in NC d: 11 Sep 1994 in
Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC

..... 3 WALKER, Mamie Ivey b: 23 Jan 1887 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg

..... Co., NC d: 20 Dec 1910
+BARKLEY, William Harris Sr

..... 4 BARKLEY, Elizabeth b: Abt. 1906

..... 2 WALKER, Mamie S. (Mary?) b: 27 May 1857 in Chester, Chester Co., SC
SC d. 09 Jun 1888

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.....**End of Introduction**

Walkers of Chester County, SC
1860 – 1869
The Second of Four Files

1860

1860 says Baton Rouge, which is out in West Chester County...left of or west of highway 9 going in direction towards Spartanburg...so it appears Walkers were farming out there and lots of Walkers at that.

and looks like they were prosperous

Wonder if William got a land grant?

you might check Land grants also...or he may have married into the property...

1860

I think that this [Walker] dentist also had his office in the hotel building that Col William had, but also somehow Cornwell was tied into it. Maybe this was before the Colonel had the Hotel.

now also.... the man that first owned the hotel we keep referring to was a Mr George Kennedy...

But I do not know his relationship if any at all to Major John Kennedy...

but I do expect some sort of kinship...Bill

1860-ish

This dentist first had his office down the street in the McAlily brother and sister's boarding house or hotel... and he did his work there also.....

Then he moved up the hill into Col Walker's hotel and had his shop in one of the ground floor shops...

then he moved his dental office over into major John Kennedy's Home/Hotel, boarding house, bar..

Now let us remember that the hotel that Col William Walker ran had attached to it at the rear a long one level dwelling attached to the main building...This is most probably where the Walker family lived.

Also....

Major John Kennedy never really changed the appearance of his home across the way.

The front/ facade facing the square, stayed much the way it was when the Kennedy's moved into it.

As their family and needs grew, the Major simply added more and more to the rear of the building.

We know he had a bar, and a sort of hotel and boarding house also. This would have put his family directly across the street from the Colonel William Walkers.

I am most certain some of his relations married your Anna Walker. Bill

Aug. 9, 1860

DR. J.T. WALKER-Surgeon Dentist, Chester, S.C.

Would respectfully inform the public that his rooms are now at the Cornwell House where he may be professionally consulted on Monday and Saturday and at Rock Hill, from the second Tuesday of each month until the Friday following.

He is now in possession of the science, material, and instructions for mounting Teeth on the Cheoplastic Process, which is considered by Dentists who have tried it, to be the perfection of Dentistry for partial or full sets of Teeth.

[Could be Mrs. Dr. Cornwell's uncle?]

1860

1860 United States Federal Census about Wm Walker

Name: Wm Walker

Age in 1860:

Birth Year: abt 1843

Birthplace: South Carolina

Home in 1860: Chester, South Carolina

Gender: Male

Post Office: Chester

Value of real estate: [View image](#)

Household Members:

Name Age

Wm Ford

Jane Ford

Wm Walker

Jame Walker

Martha Walker

1860

Anna Walker Kennedy lived next door to Jno T. Walker, dentist, in the 1860 census. She was married to Kennedy at the time and had a baby. I have often wondered if there was a Walker family connection there. There were so many Walkers it may not be fair to assume a connection, but it is intriguing.

Jno T. Walker is a good age (b. 1818) to be Col William's brother. There are no similar names in the children of these two men, however. No similar middle initials, either.

James M. Walker probably has his mother's maiden name. Could it be McCullough?

Jno T. might be Thomas.

Charlotte R. might be Roseborough

Male W. W. could be a William.

I sure don't see any ONI.

1860

From York County SC paper, Issue of January 19, 1860

In Chester on Tuesday of last week, Mr. Wm. Cornwell and Miss Sallie Walker, all of that place. (Marriage announcement)

1860-ish (I think 1862)

The dentist John T. Walker born NC died. His wife was born in SC. Below is a partial list of people who owed him money at the time of his death.

“Do you all remember the WA Walker that had the wife by name of Elizabeth, and I think had property, and may have owned the land where the old jail now stands, that is now a law office?

This man was living at the same time as Col William Walker (and his wife, R. E. McCullough) ...

Both Colonel William Walker and Captain W A Walker are listed as having accounts due to the dentist.... also listed is William Cherry, Will Fossy, J A G Walker, Miss Hannah Ferguson of Rock Hill, Miss Jane Ferguson of Rock Hill, Capt Hugh Simpson of Rock hill, Dr. Carter Lee, George Ferguson, Captain A T Walker, Thomas McCuley, Joseph Walker, John W. Walker, Jesse Simpson Jr.

1860

Spring Jury, Chester County, SC - John A G Walker (#13), John W Walker, (#11) Joseph T Walker, Alx. Walker

1860

March 13, 1860

Eli Cornwell listed as a magistrate in Chester County, SC.

1860-ish

Children of RICHARD KENNEDY and SARAH DEGRAFFENREID are:

- i. C. 3 KENNEDY, b. 1835, Chester, Chester Co., SC.
3. ii. ALLEN D. KENNEDY, b. 1838, Chester, Chester Co., SC; d. 16 May 1864, Petersburg, PA.
- iii. CATHERINE ANN KENNEDY, b. 1844, Chester, Chester Co., SC.
- iv. SARAH "SALLIE" KENNEDY, b. Abt. 1847, Chester, Chester Co., SC.
More About SARAH "SALLIE" KENNEDY:
Fact 1: In 1880 she was still not married.
- v. ELIZA JANIE KENNEDY, b. Abt. 1850, Chester, Chester Co., SC.
More About ELIZA JANIE KENNEDY:
Fact 1: In 1880 she was not married.
- vi. MARGARET M. KENNEDY, b. 1853, Chester, Chester Co., SC.
More About MARGARET M. KENNEDY:
Fact 1: In 1880 she was not married.
- vii. PELONA KENNEDY, b. 1855, Chester, Chester Co., SC.
- viii. HOWARD KENNEDY, b. Abt. 1857, Chester, Chester Co., SC.

Generation No. 3

3. ALLEN D. 3 KENNEDY (*RICHARD EVANS2, JOHN1*)¹ was born 1838 in Chester, Chester Co., SC¹, and died 16 May 1864 in Petersburg, PA¹. He married ANNA ELIZABETH WALKER¹ 13 Jul 1858¹, daughter of COL WALKER and RACHEL MCCULLOUGH. She was born 10 Oct 1842 in Chester, Chester Co., SC¹, and died 09 Jun 1887 in Charlotte, NC¹.

Notes for ALLEN D. KENNEDY:

Allen D. Kennedy, husband of Anna E. Walker, was in the Civil War Company H, 7th Battalion,

(Enfield Rifles), SC Infantry, Nelson's Battalion. (This info was from Damien)

1860-ish

if a man donated money to establish a militia or military unit, he sometimes was referred to by rank....

The neighbor of this particular William Walker, "Major" John Kennedy, (both living in downtown Chesterville) raised and outfitted a military unit to fight in the Mexican War... but then the unit was not needed, and he was referred to as Major John Kennedy for the rest of his life.... although he never served. Interesting huh? - William

1860

Oct 9, 1860

John W. Walker was a material witness in trial of Addison Kitchens indicted for the assault on Thomson Worthy. Assault happened in Chalkville.

1860

October 24, 1860 - At the Cornwell Inn...an open well owned by Charlotte and South Carolina Railroad is ordered by the court, to be kept covered by the railroad company, for safety reasons.

1860

From Damien's book: Page 107 (#230.) Talking about Wm. Cornwell.

He married (1) **Sarah Jane [Sallie] Walker**, married Jan 1860 in Chester Co., SC, 108,307 (York, South Carolina, Newspaper Marriage & Death Notices 1823-1865: page 72.

In Chester, on Tuesday of last week, Mr. Wm. Cornwell and Miss Sallie Walker, all of that place. SCMAR, Vol. XI, Fall 1983, No. 4, p.210

Married in Chester on Tuesday evening last, by Rev. _____, at the residence of Col. Wm.

Walker, Mr. Wm. Cornwell to Miss Sallie Walker, born 3 Jan 1836 in Chester Co., SC, (daughter of William Walker Col. and Rachel McCullough) If we could figure out that Rev. name we might be able to tell what church the Walkers attended.

1860 United States Federal Census I couldn't find T.A. in 1850 in SC

Name: T A Walker

Age in 1860: 35

Birth Year: abt 1825

Birthplace: South Carolina

Home in 1860: Edgefield, Edgefield, South Carolina

Post Office: Edgefield

Value of real estate: [View image](#)

Name Age

T A Walker 35

Mary Walker 25

Jos M Walker 1

1860 United States Federal Census

Name: Robert Walker, Farmer. #18 on my chart.
Age in 1860: 72
Birth Year: abt 1788
Birthplace: South Carolina
Home in 1860: Chester, Chester, South Carolina
Gender: Male
Post Office: Chester
Robert Walker 72

1860

W A Walker was a lawyer ...he and his father Major John Walker and then C S Brice lived side by side in downtown Chester in the 1860 census. Could be that WA Walker and CS Brice were law partners.

1860

Col William Walker's family is in the 1860 Census of Chester. He is a Hotel Keeper. (In 1853 the hotel was managed by Eli Cornwell and was called the Planter's Hotel.)

1860 United States Federal Census

Name: R E Walker
Age in 1860: 47
Birth Year: abt 1813
Birthplace: South Carolina
Home in 1860: Chester, South Carolina
Gender: Female
Post Office: Chester
R E Walker 47
Wm Walker 47
Thos A Walker 26
Beatty Walker 14
Lavina Walker 11
Mary Walker 8
Annie Walker 5
Wm R Walker 3
Levi, black
Thomas Wright 27, black
James Archer 15, Mu
Jno Blair 24, Clerk
George Allen 22, Carriage Maker
James Reid 21, Painter
George Crawford 21, Wagon Maker
Jos Covington 28, Carpenter
Andrew Hood 21, Clerk
George Ferguson 36, Watch maker
Wm Simpson 24, Clerk
George Glover

M Baum 23, can't read occupation
Margt Rainer 21, Seamstress

Source Citation: Year: 1860; Census Place: Chester, South Carolina; Roll M653_1217; Page: 72; Image: 148; Family History Library Film: 805217.

Studying this mixture of people living with Col. Walker in the 1860 Census is interesting. The immediate family is listed first through Wm. R. Walker, aged 3. The next three men are either Black or Mulatto and have no occupations listed. They were probably either not employed or perhaps they were servants of Col. William. I found Thomas Wright in the 1850 and 1870 census of Chester. I believe I also found James Archer, but not Levi in other Census. The two I found had family in Chester so why were they living at the Hotel?

Everybody else living in the hotel appear to be borders – all men except the seamstress. All but one had occupations. One man by the name of James Reid could have been a neighbor of the Walkers as I have seen them living next door to some Reids in another Census.

just suppose the family lived in 4 rooms, then a parlor and kitchen and dining room and two guests per room... that would have been 12 rooms...

It must have been a large building...

and William has \$ 500.00

I can not imagine a hotel owner letting 10 persons in a family move into his building.... Col. Wm probably owned that hotel.... maybe his debts forced him to consolidate property and the family moving into the hotel?

To have 8 children, and to manage to have \$500.00 at that time, was an accomplishment. Do you think he might have inherited some cash between 1850 and 1860... maybe his family or hers?

Maybe there would be a map of Chester downtown in 1860 that might show hotels.

It was not just your average 5 bedroom boarding house.

it had to have been much larger....

if they all were living in the hotel, and they were the William and Elizabeth [I think Bill meant Rachel Eliza] who I looked at today who sold their property in 1859, that might have been when they made move into hotel... **Bill did you find a deed for 1859? I don't recall that.**

1860

Scans D, E, F, and G

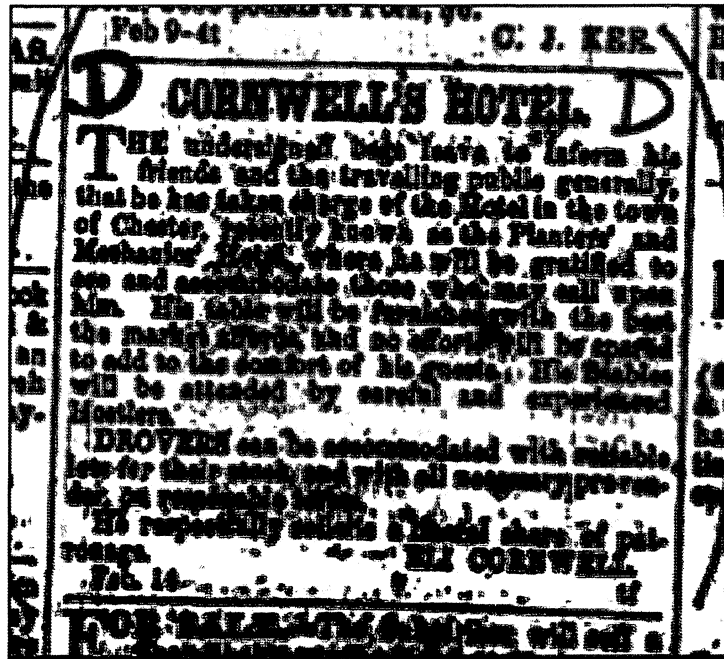
Scan D is Mr Eli Cornwell announcement that he has "taken charge" of the hotel recently known as the Planters and Mechanic's Hotel...

We know from the First Sanborn Insurance Map of Chester that the Planter Hotel had burned and that it stood on site of the Opera House...

that it was two story building and that on the ground floor there were three shops on the corner....

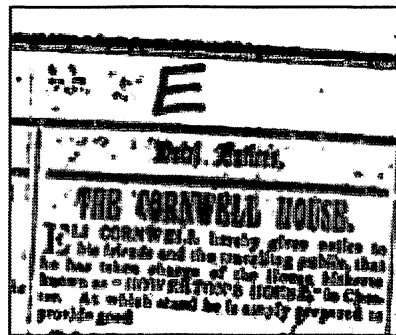
Now let me refer back to Scan 5, and just below the livery ad, we see an ad where Dr

Morison has taken 2 rooms from Major John Kennedy for his office... and that he can be also reached at Dr. Eli Cornwell hotel where he boards....
 This tells us that there were indeed TWO separate buildings, one on each corner.



Scan E. shows where Eli Cornwell has taken charge of the Howerton House, in center of Chester.

The location of this hotel is not that important, as it did not appear on the census of 1860... and Scan F will show that Eli Cornwell still had the Cornwell House Hotel....and you will note the ad for the "Railroad Hotel" of John A Nicolson (the Nicolson Hotel)



Scan F... in this ad we see where Eli Cornwell is trying to sell off the furnishings and wines/brandies of his Cornwell House.

Note only the contents, which suggests he did not own the building.

It states that anything not sold before Dec 15, will be sold to highest bidder... this was in Dec 3, 1857 paper. Move to 1857???

Scan G.... Doctor J T. Walker...announces that he moves to Eli Cornwell's Hotel and has his rooms there for his dentistry...

Doctor JT Walker had his room and practice advertised weekly for many months just down the street with a Mr McAfee and his sister Ellen that had a hotel and restaurant....(McAfee Hotel)

Then Ellen alone starts to advertise the restaurant and hotel, suggesting that her brother died or relocated....

and then you see where Doc Walker had relocated, and at same time Ellen begins to advertise alone....

This McAfee Hotel was not in the 1860 census... (Move to 1857)

Conclusion...

In 1860 census there were 3 hotels listed...

The Nicolson, of which Mr Nicolson was owner... then the Robinson Hotel owned by Robert Robinson and managed by Mr Sealy.... and then Col Wm. Walker's Hotel.... and the only building left for him to have had it in was the building where Dr. Eli Cornwell had his hotel, on site of present opera house...

now we do not yet know if Wm Walker sold his Livery, but we do know he bought it.

and that he ran his hotel and at his death, the furnishings were sold off at his estate sale.

Most probably he bought the furnishings from Eli Cornwell, leased the hotel, and set up his business.

18??

The maps on the website show lots of old Chester. Just scroll down and you will see Chester... Interesting, but I think they start too late to be of help with the Walkers.

<http://digital.tcl.sc.edu/cdm4/browse.php?CISOROOT=/SFMAPS&CISOSTART=1,101>

1861

4/12/1861 was the official start of the Civil War. Most people however, consider it starting on 4/19/1862.

1861

Emiline Cornwell, daughter of William Cornwell, was assaulted by David Morrow and James Morrow on Sept 13, 1861... David Morrow seized Emiline by the arm on a public highway, and forced her to turn back home.

1861

Fall session Grand Jury Chester County, SC

Dr. J T Walker #8 on my chart.

United States Federal Census about Jno T Walker

Name: Jno T Walker

Age in 1860:

Birth Year: abt 1818

Birthplace: Pennsylvania

Home in 1860: Chester, South Carolina

Gender: Male

Post Office: Chester

Value of real estate: [View image](#)

Household Members:

Name Age

Jno T Walker
E M Walker
James M Walker
Jno G Walker
Charlotte R Walker
E J Walker
W W Walker
Frances G Walker

1862

Jury 1862 Chester County, SC
Capt. A. Walker and Amos Cornwell.

1862

Jury 1862, Spring, Chester County, SC:
William M Walker, J H Walker, Thos. Walker

United States Federal Census about W M Walker

Age in 1860:

Birth Year: abt 1818

[I have a Wm. W. b. 1818 in my chart as #9]

Birthplace: South Carolina

Home in 1860: Chester, South Carolina

Gender: Male

Post Office: Cedar Shoals

Household Members:

Name Age

W M Walker

Nancy Walker

Josiah Walker

Sarah J Walker

Sarah Walker

1860 United States Federal Census about William Walker

Name: William Walker (#6)

Age in 1860:

Birth Year: abt 1782

Birthplace: South Carolina

Home in 1860: Chester, South Carolina

Gender: Male

Post Office: Baton Rouge

Value of real estate: [View image](#)

Household Members:

Name Age

Robert Wylie

Lucinda Wylie

Moore Wylie
Mary Wylie
Sarah J Wylie
Mary B Wylie
William Walker

1862?

Walker/Gaston Camp was a camp where the men marched and drilled before going off to Civil War. It was over in East Chester in Richburg, Fort Lawn area, ... this is where the Gaston and Walker families had their properties. Do we know which Walker this was? Our Col. didn't live outside of Chester.

1862

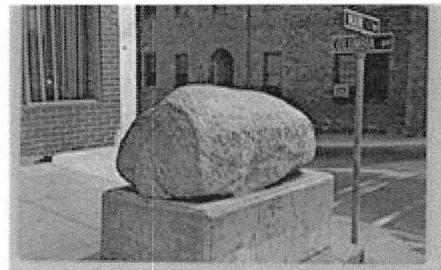
4/5/1862 - **Col William Walker died.** He was 50 years old.

Peggy, I was thinking only last night... why was our Col William and his wife buried in Evergreen Cemetery? A new cemetery at that time and not connected to any church... almost disconnected from the other Walkers in this area... Hummmmm.

12/21/10 Email

Where this rock was located on this corner was the home of Colonel John Kennedy was located. His home faced the square, and at one his front piazza covered this sidewalk and the this rock.

Now... To the right of the rock across Columbia Street (note the street sign) on corner stood the George Kennedy's Hotel, the that our Colonel William Walker had, when he died... The Opera house now stands on that lot. I just thought you might find this interesting...



where
time
area of
that
hotel

most likely, looking at ages, Allen was either a nephew or grandson of John or George Kennedy.

John Kennedy and his wife bought that lot at Main and Columbia Streets about 1803 or so from Thomas Baker Franklin... it had a small house on it at the time and the newlyweds moved in and enlarged the place as the family grew.

They kept adding to the rear of the place, as it was a VERY narrow lot...

Peggy,

Now that we see more closely how closely our William Walker and the Kennedy brothers lived...

We know that "Major" John Kennedy financed and formed a military regiment for the Mexican War, that was NEVER called to active duty, (the boat did not float)

I bet that our "Colonel" was involved in the same group...

11/28/10 (contains several emails)

Hi Peg... I was just now thinking the very exact thought! [who bought the cemetery lots?] I think the office that has those records is in the old Opera House, site of the colonel Walker's hotel....

Lots were not sold until after March 1858, BUT... their child (1841 I think) may have been buried there earlier and this may be why they wanted to be buried at Evergreen.

Now... we just have to know. Bill

Peggy -

A portion of what became the Evergreen Cemetery was being used for burials as early as 1840, but those graves were not marked. Then Thomas Degraffenried sold a piece of land to the city and it was added to as years went by. The cemetery officially opened for plot sales in March of 1858.

My guess is that the son, Thomas bought the plot of graves and reserved one for his own resting place.

11/29

Hi Peggy...

This is what I was able to gather today about the plot at Evergreen Cemetery:

I want to visit the plot and have a good look soon... I have a gut feeling that the 2 children we seek are buried there as well...

and the reason that those burial plots were not sold before the Colonel's death in 1862, as it was known in the community that their two children were buried there.... There are three adjacent plots...

I know who owned those other two plots:

Evans and his wife in plot #168 and #183 Samuel McCormick, only has two burials, and #184 is the Anderson Plot, but the stone is illegible.....

I want to know who is buried in those plots....The Big Red book at city hall may have this information. I will go and look soon...

Bill

11/30

I returned to the City hall today and reexamined the RED book and I am sure now that it was C T Walker who purchased the lot...

The plot size was 15 foot x 20 foot... Then I went back to Evergreen Cemetery and reexamined every square inch of those stones.

Looking at Col William's stone I noted that it was signed by the monument maker, but could not read it, as it was very aged. I was prepared for this and made a rubbing and it read...

McNinch and Kendrick, Charlotte, NC

I can not help but wonder if our Chester, SC McNinch family (that were stone workers) were not somehow connected to this stone manufacture... Also the McNinch family plot adjoins Col William's plot.

as for the two missing childrens graves... I found nothing...to suggest their being buried in the

area... not even a small rock or a depression in the earth. Nothing. [We only know of one child's death. The other is speculation due to the "perfume" story.]
Rest well, Bill

11/30

CT Walker may have had the Colonel's stone made up in Charlotte, and brought it down here.

11/30/10 (contains several emails)

I had already thought of that. The McNinch family was in Chester through the 1860 census and then in Charlotte in the 1870 census. There were a bunch of Stone Masons/cutters in the McNinch family. I feel certain it is the same family. I haven't researched the other name in the business that you mentioned. Wonder if they were connected to the Walkers in any way. C. T. Walker died in Charlotte in 1888 so he would have been there when the stone cutting McNinches were in business in Charlotte.

I wonder if the McNinchs went to Charlotte when so many others from Chester went. There is so much to think about! We might figure some connections out in this Walker family yet!

Peggy... This is just a thought, but the grave markers may not have been erected at time of deaths, but much later. This is all very interesting.

I first thought "why isn't Sallie buried with the Cornwells?" But she was pretty young so maybe they buried her with her father instead. He had just died a few months before she did. I picture the Cornwells as having money (Sallie's husband was a farmer, however) and that they would have bought their own cemetery plot when she died.

Could Col. Wm's family have owned any of this land? They buried people there with no markers BEFORE it was really a cemetery? Why? It seems like it must have been on some family grounds originally. What are your thoughts about that? What family?

Evergreen Cemetery, Chester, SC

Plot number 167, owned/purchased June 14, 1879 (4 plots) paid \$20.00 by C.F. [C.T.] Walker

this early area. This area had been known as donated area, where many were buried before the city formed the proper Cemetery in 1852..... it is not known why C F Walker did not pay for this plot until 1879, when in fact, the City began to sell lots March 1852.

As we see all 4 plots in #167 were used...

Col. Wm. Walker Sept 16, 1812- March 5, 1862

Rachael Eliza w/o Col. Wm. Walker Dec 21, 18 - March 21, 1870







Sallie J. Cornwell - w/o W. D. J. Cornwell Jan 3, 1836 - Aug 5, 1862

d/o Col. Wm. and R.E. Walker

Thomas A Walker Dec 28, 1834 - Dec 24, 1884 (broken Tombstone)

Walkers buried in Evergreen Cemetery, Chester, SC and listed on Findagrave.com

<p>Cornwell, Sarah Jane "Sallie" Walker  b. Jan. 3, 1836 d. Aug. 5, 1862</p>	<p>Evergreen Cemetery Chester Chester County South Carolina, USA</p>
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Davis, Ellen Walker  b. Nov. 9, 1879 d. May 21, 1949	Evergreen Cemetery Chester Chester County South Carolina, USA
Davis, Mary Ellen Walker  b. Jun. 22, 1912 d. Mar. 18, 2000	Evergreen Cemetery Chester Chester County South Carolina, USA
Leckie, Lucie Walker   b. May 16, 1885 d. Aug. 30, 1923	Evergreen Cemetery Chester Chester County South Carolina, USA
Miller, Martha Rebecca Walker  b. Jun. 4, 1896 d. Jan. 6, 1979	Evergreen Cemetery Chester Chester County South Carolina, USA
Saunders, Ada Walker  b. Jun. 3, 1847 d. Aug. 25, 1895	Evergreen Cemetery Chester Chester County South Carolina, USA
Stroud, Wilma Walker   b. Jun. 10, 1883 d. May 18, 1931	Evergreen Cemetery Chester Chester County South Carolina, USA
Walker, Albert H.   b. Nov. 1, 1888 d. May 28, 1932	Evergreen Cemetery Chester Chester County South Carolina, USA
Walker, Annie R.  b. Dec. 14, 1890 d. Oct. 1, 1966	Evergreen Cemetery Chester Chester County South Carolina, USA
Walker, Beatrice   b. Nov. 9, 1880 d. Jun. 21, 1955	Evergreen Cemetery Chester Chester County South Carolina, USA
Walker, Bersha Holley   b. Jan. 23, 1859 d. Aug. 5, 1919	Evergreen Cemetery Chester Chester County South Carolina, USA
Walker, Carrie A. McIlroy  b. Sep. 1, 1869 d. May 19, 1937	Evergreen Cemetery Chester Chester County South Carolina, USA
Walker, Edward Eugene  b. Aug. 12, 1910 d. Aug. 9, 1913	Evergreen Cemetery Chester Chester County South Carolina, USA
Walker, Ella "Ollie" Grant   b. Nov. 19, 1913 d. Mar. 2, 1993	Evergreen Cemetery Chester Chester County South Carolina, USA
Walker, Ella Clarke  b. Nov. 23, 1853 d. Nov. 13, 1933	Evergreen Cemetery Chester Chester County South Carolina, USA

Walker, Capt J. T.  
 b. 1822 d. Jan., 1862

Evergreen Cemetery
Chester
Chester County
South Carolina, USA

➔ Search for "walker" at Ancestry.com ➔

Walker, James C.  
 b. 1840 d. Apr. 5, 1864

Evergreen Cemetery
Chester
Chester County
South Carolina, USA

Walker, John Conlowe  
 b. Jan. 10, 1822 d. Dec. 20, 1867

Evergreen Cemetery
Chester
Chester County
South Carolina, USA

Walker, Joseph A.  
 b. Aug. 22, 1853 d. Mar. 3, 1927

Evergreen Cemetery
Chester
Chester County
South Carolina, USA

Walker, Lillian  
 b. Oct. 24, 1885 d. Jul. 5, 1922

Evergreen Cemetery
Chester
Chester County
South Carolina, USA

Walker, Lucy Juliana  
 b. 1833 d. 1901

Evergreen Cemetery
Chester
Chester County
South Carolina, USA

Walker, Marion Budd 
 b. May 30, 1892 d. Mar. 10, 1952

Evergreen Cemetery
Chester
Chester County
South Carolina, USA

Walker, Martha A.  
 b. Aug. 23, 1855 d. Apr. 9, 1936

Evergreen Cemetery
Chester
Chester County
South Carolina, USA

Walker, Rachael Eliza McCollough  
 b. Dec. 21, 1814 d. Mar. 21, 1870

Evergreen Cemetery
Chester
Chester County
South Carolina, USA

Walker, Rosa Price 
 b. Feb. 27, 1917 d. Aug. 9, 1989

Evergreen Cemetery
Chester
Chester County
South Carolina, USA

Walker, Sarah 
 b. Feb. 18, 1818 d. Nov. 26, 1906

Evergreen Cemetery
Chester
Chester County
South Carolina, USA

Walker, Sidney C. 
 b. Nov. 17, 1892 d. Sep. 22, 1967





Evergreen Cemetery
Chester
Chester County
South Carolina, USA

Walker, Thomas A.  
 b. Dec. 28, 1834 d. Dec. 24, 1884

Evergreen Cemetery
Chester
Chester County
South Carolina, USA

Walker, Victoria T.  
 b. May 1, 1837 d. Jan. 22, 1920

Evergreen Cemetery
Chester
Chester County

	South Carolina, USA
Walker, Col William   b. Sep. 16, 1812 d. Mar. 5, 1862	Evergreen Cemetery Chester Chester County South Carolina, USA
Withers, J. S. Walker b. Oct. 9, 1845 d. Jun. 16, 1916	Evergreen Cemetery Chester Chester County South Carolina, USA
Withers, Margaret Mary Walker   b. 1845 d. 1916	Evergreen Cemetery Chester Chester County South Carolina, USA

From Bill

Davis, Ellen Walker

Section E, Plot 568, page 54

b. Nov. 9, 1879 d. May 21, 1949

Davis, Mary Ellen Walker

Section E Plot 568, page 54

b. Jun. 22, 1912 d. Mar. 18, 2000

Leckie, Lucie Walker

Section N, Plot 135, page 127

b. May 16, 1885 d. Aug. 30, 1923

Miller, Martha Rebecca Walker

Section E, Plot 88, page 50

b. Jun. 4, 1896 d. Jan. 6, 1979

Saunders, Ada Walker

Section J. plot 281 , page 95

b. Jun. 3, 1847 d. Aug. 25, 1895

Stroud, Wilma Walker

Section D, plot 889, page 40...

b. Jun. 10, 1883 d. May 18, 1931

1862

05 Aug 1862 daughter **Sarah Jane (Sallie) [Walker] Jarrell Dooley** died just four months after her father died. She was 26 years old. She had married first Jarrell and second Dooley

1862

Col. William buried in Evergreen Cemetery, Chester, Chester County, SC

Oh that we knew a cause of death! He may have died of natural causes, accident, murder, or what ever. I wonder, since the Chester paper issues of that time and York county paper did not give any real details... if the STATE paper in Columbia might have some clues. it might be worth checking into... [August 2016 I looked, but had no luck - Peggy]

Col. Williams's personal household items at the time of his death for his estate sale were estimated as listed below. I think :

1 side board and 2 small tables	5.00
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6 cane bottom chair and 16 split & Shuck bottom chairs	7.00
6 ? Chairs and 7 Pictures	3.45
1 large picture and 1 bureau	5.30
1 bed and bedding and 2 pine tables	15.50
1 lot books and a set of fire tongs?	5.75
1 table, 1 tin baker, 1 clock, and pr fire ?	5.50
1 pr balances, 1 Waiter, 1 cupboard	3.65
Lot crockery, 4 stew jars, lot sundries	31.00
1 wash stand, 1 ed and bedding, 5 mattresses	30.20
1 wash stand, bowl & pitcher, small bed and bedding	7.25
Lot bolster pillows, small bureau	4.50
Lot blankets & quilts, wash stand and glass	8.75
14 window curtain, 2 benches	1.90
1 bucket and dipper. ???, wash pot	1.60
5 ???, cooking stove (\$50), small stove	52.25
1 kitchen table, 2 large urns, 4 small ?	8.50
2 pots (can't read the 3 other items)	2.85
1 strainer, 1 coffee pot, jar and jug, ??	2.30
2 coffee mills, smoothy ?, 1 seive	1.20
Spoons & knives, sauce pan, pot hooks	.40
Fire dogs, 1 sausage butter, 1 saddle	.60
4 bedsteads, 1 bedstead, 11 chairs	13.50
1 cotton hook, 3 small tables, 1 wash stand	2.25
Boxes, 1 shelve, 1 child's crib	.90
Churn & bucket, 1 ? (might be watch)	.55
	221.65
The following people owed Col. Wm. money when he died.	
CL Brice 34.05, HC Brawley 37.59	85.64
JA Bradley 85.17, and WA Roseborough 1123.80	1208.97
JA Rudy 11.82, and CD Wilton 50.08	61.90
TD Graffeneid 28.12, and Ben Randles 15.58	43.70
M Williams 24.23, and J McKee 8.24, and can't read 14.27	46.74
J Graham 242.48 and Bank Chester 2.25	244.72
WW Anderson 253.28, J. Bennett 14.20, and JJMcClure 98.97	366.45
WF Farley 70.51, S Alexander 28.59, and W. A. Walker 261.70	360.60

Brawley & Alexander 722.39, and JC Lipford 35.05	757.44
Gardner Jameson 17.77 and Jim Cornwell 19.13	36.90
Ed Crawford 52.21 and J & TM Graham 229.73	281.94
R Morrison 164.28 and SM McAlilsy 67.98	232.26
M Aldrich 176.15 and WL Gilmon 17.40	193.55
AM McNinch 6.55 and GF Latimon 26.00	32.55
GL Harris 14.70 and (Dr.?) Morrison 48.75	63.45
WT Sealy 48.48 and D Carroll 256.63	305.11
AW Daviga 4.50, CC McLuce 51.43, and JL Garten 15.29	71.13
JA Strickles 23.15, TF Clinton 12/70, and EH Abel 6.75	42.60
LC Hinton 10.00, JA Lipford 91.81, and JH Walker 4.75	106.56
G Hegman 13.70, TM Graham 7.16, and NH Gill 115.45	136.31
YM Boulware 10.85, P R?? 4.50, and IL Gunhouse 187.41	202.76
SB Massey 18.89, GM Holley 10.77, and MJL Boyd 11.78	41.44
TA Hendrick 56.57, and MM McCormick 5.00	61.57
A? Dunovant 239.73, JG Blair & Co. 105.34	345.07
EJ McDaniel 9.90, Mrs. P. Pride 13.30	23.20
Seal note WD Wade 111.00, Seal note RC Allbright 117.75	127.75
Note hand BB Might 3.16, Seal J Aiken 34.71	37.87
Seal note J Aiken 60.00, Note hand D Carroll 9.27	69.27
Seal note WA Walker 22.47, JS Prider note 23.76	46.23
Seal note WT Sealy 36.84	36.84
	5,325.45

I know some names are probably spelled wrong. They were hard to read.
The figure amount written in orange is as it was on the page, but it is the wrong amount.
Beside the above there were "a number of other accts. & notes of a doubtful & despicate character"

Major John Kennedy and Col William Walker were next door neighbors, their homes were less than 30 foot apart. It is well documented that Major John was involved in many different types of business ventures. I am wondering if both or either one were also what is now known as "loan sharks" Just a thought. That might explain some of the outstanding debts...

Col William Walker's Estate Sale (Chester) People who purchased items. Dec. 16, 1862

1 side board	Mrs. R. E. Walker (his widow)
2 small tables	Mrs. A. E. Kennedy (daughter of Col. William)

6 Cane Bot chairs	W. T. Sealy
5 Split Bot chairs	R. E. Walker (his widow)
	M. White
	W. H. Anderson
	W. T. Sealy
	N.M. Chambers
	Isaac Babcock
	J. Chambers

People I could identify who owed Col. Wm. Money when he died.

People who had outstanding accounts with Col. William Walker were:

C.S. Brice, 34.05 (I found him in the 1860 census. He was a 28 year-old lawyer living in Chester District. He had a wife and a 9-month-old male child. He lived next door to an old man, Major Jno Walker, 83 and then to William A. Walker, 41, and his wife Eliza C. (not our family).

W. A. Rosborough, 1125.00 (*Col. Wm. had a son William Roseborrough Walker*). 1850 Census lists him as 39, farmer with wife Martha and child Jas. A, 14. All Townships.

C. D. Melten, 50.00. In 1860 Slave Schedule. In the 1860 census he is listed as age 40. No township listed. He is a lawyer with wife and children. Same census as Brice was in.

T. DeGraffenreid, 28.00 (found him in East Chester, Chester 1870 Census. He was 54. In the 1860 census he is listed as a merchant, aged 45 with a big family.

S. McAlilsy (?), 68.00 (Could this be McAlfie? McAlfie ran a hotel in the 1850 census)

1862

Our Col. Wm. might not have had any land or house to sell after his death. Or for his family to stay in after his death? That does make sense with the different family living units after the mother's death. Evidently no relatives came forward to help the three youngest children when the mother died. Also the journey to Charlotte to better themselves. Maybe they had nothing in Chester.

On page 135 of the book *A Story of Calvary Methodist Church, Charlotte, North Carolina 1865-1965* by George W. Dooley and Jerome Huneycutt is found:

“Among those who moved to Charlotte a little earlier than the days mentioned, were several families, all related, who came up from South Carolina. Mr. Will Walker, spokesman for the group, said that they simply could not make a living in Chester County where they came from. The war had done to them what had happened to so many in the rural areas of the South. After much discussion as to what move to make for the betterment, it was decided to move, lock, stock and barrel to Charlotte where jobs could be found. These are the names of families, men, women and children who made the move. The Walkers, the Harts, the Dooleys, the Jarrells and the Kennedys. All of them moved their letters to Calvary Church and became staunch members, furnishing leadership through the years.” (*MY THOUGHT: Do you take this to mean that they all went to the same church in Chester? If so, perhaps we could track the Walkers through the church.*) In the church in 1965 there are those in the third and fourth generations of the Kennedys, the Jarrells, and the Dooleys. Others of the

group have either died off or moved to other places.”

18??

Just when I decided the Walkers all were Methodists I ran across the announcement of Margaret Lavicia's wedding and she was married in the Presbyterian Church. I guess I will try to find records from both of them if they are still in Chester. Margaret joined the Purity Pres. Church at age 16. It was on Wylie St., near Walker St. Or is that where it was later built?

1862

Message Board Post:

John R. Allen, George W. Carter, Isaac J. McNinch, Danl Carrole, Wm. H. Anderson, and T. A. Kenauck were charged with doing the appraisal of the estate of Col. William Walker by Col Walker's son Charles T. Walker who was appointed Administrator of this estate.

1862

The Dentist Walker

From William E. Gregory, Chester, South Carolina (email 3/8/2012)

estate file of dentist, Dr. John T. Walker;

Dr Walker, (born in Pennsylvania, about 1818) and his wife, born in SC, are first found in 1850 census of Chester County, a dentist in Chester. Next, Dentist Walker, and his family, in 1860 census of Chester County, and then his estate file #111, package 176; February 17, 1862; Chester County, South Carolina. Dr. Walker seems to have had a relationship (professional and/or kinsman) with the 2 other well known Walker lines in Chester County, SC. Was Dentist Walker related to the Col William Walker, husband of Rachael Eliza McCullough, (who were her parents?) that had the Livery Stable and Col William Walker Hotel, or was either party related to the other Walker line in Chester County? Is there a link between the Livery/Hotel Col William Walker and the other Walkers of Chester County, SC? How was Col Walker related/connected to the brothers, George Kennedy and Major John Kennedy?

1. Where did the dentist's widow go?
2. Was Dentist Walker related to the Col William Walker
3. Was either party related to the other Walker line in Chester County?
4. How was Col Walker connected to the brothers, George Kennedy and Major John Kennedy?

This is a 4 page, double column, summary of accounts due Dr. Walker at the time of his death; (R H) designates Rock Hill, South Carolina

Coln. Cad Reeves	\$ 28.50	Mrs. Simpson	\$ 17.10
Geor. W Curtis	6.04	Wm Wylie	.50
James Kee	12.30	Charner Estes	4.05
J. B. Magill Esqr	3.21	John R. Nicholson	30.35
Dr. W Hicklin	7.50	Coln Wm Walker	18.35

Capt Wm Kelse	70.50	David Pinchback	5.00
Wm Coleman	50.75	Lee Elliott	6.84
Capt W. A. Walker	3.21	Thos DeGraffenried	.50
H. C. Brawley	6.14	Edward Watters	10.00
Dr. A. P. Wylie	40.08	Joseph Collins	15.00
James Wherry Esqr.	2.00	Miss Margaret McNeal	5.00
John Proctor	22.35	Alex Pagan Esqr	1.00
Coln Wm M. McDonald	.50	Smith Hardin	55.50
Mr. John Boid	8.94	Israel McNinch	3.63
Richard Woods	1.21	Wm Farley	5.05
Dr. D. G. Anderson	100.00	George L. Miller	12.00
Robt. Stringfellow	45.00	Dr. Ely Cornwell	1.35
Leander Hardin	6.05	Mrs. McCammon	8.10
Cyrus D. Melton	4.84	Ralph McFadden	7.50
Ephriam Able	1.42	John Davis Esqr	9.81
Dr. Thos Moor	84.31	Edward McCasken	1.00
Wm Boid	1.74	Wilforry	9.68
John C Lipford	12.46	Mrs Rody Ferguson	1.50
Jacob Strait	6.05	Hartwell Sledge	1.00
William Cathcart	19.01	Saml McNinch	22.50
John Hunter (Georgia)	4.68	A. R. Brown	3.00
Miss Rebecca Goore	44.70	Coln Pride	4.00
Wm Cherry	11.14	Neely Hardin	4.00
John Simpson Esqr.	38.00	Mrs Wilson	1.00
John Allen Sr.	4.50	Mrs Hicklin	2.00
Mrs Pittman	6.00	Coln Saml M Mobly	1.50
Mr Jno Poag	1.00	Temp Faysoux	4.00
Wm Drenan	4.00	Charles Smith	2.00
John Knox	3.00	Garland H. Smith	2.00
John Atkinson jun	2.00	Capt J. A. Bradley	10.00
James Atkinson	1.50	Charles Holts	3.00
Mrs K. Baskins	50.50	Frank Clinton	2.00
Aldridge	7.00	Coln Wm A. Lewis	40.00
Wm M. Nicholson	1.00	Mathew White	3.00
Coln Ed Atkinson	4.00	J. B. Mickle	1.00
Dr. R. Jordan	2.50	Roden son of Jonas Roden	1.00
Minter	8.00	DeCalb Wylie cr by some	79.00
Pinkney Nail	6.00	Dr. Walter Brice pr Scott	2.00
Wm Hall	1.00	Mr Harden Son of Peter	1.00
Gen Elias Earle	31.00	James Phenny	7.50
J. J. McLure	2.00	Birdie Robbins	1.50
Wm Dunovant	1.00	James Graham	.50
Miss Hannah Wylie	3.00	Jeff Darby	8.50
Dr. McColum	1.00	Coln L. A. Beckham	1.00
Harrison Gill	12.00	Calvin Moffatt	3.00

Alexander Lipford	1.00	Walker R Watson	5.00
Buckhanan	36.00	Miss Hannah Ferguson (RH)	7.50
Mrs Miller d/o Mrs Poag	11.00	Miss Jane Ferguson (RH)	.50
Saml Poag	2.00	Thomas Evans (RH)	6.00
John Poag jun	2.00	Wm L Robinson (RH)	10.00
J. A. G. Walker bal on note	2.69	Capt Hugh Simpson (RH)	28.00
Wm White	7.50	Wm H (Harper) Thomson	8.00
Maj James Boid	11.00	Daniel Williams (RH)	10.50
A. Templeton Black (RH)	8.00	Joseph Gaston	7.00
Misses White (RH)	35.50	Capt Ed Mills	11.00
Mrs Wm Miller (RH)	10.00	Wm Wade	7.00
Mrs Freeman (RH)	3.00	Miss M. Neely	.50
Mr J. R. Hall (RH)	12.00	Wm Adams	.50
Joseph W. Steel (RH)	14.00	Wm Anderson Esqr	9.00
Joseph Steel (RH)	.50	James Neeley	.50
John Fewell (RH)	30.00	Dr. Sidney Babcock	4.00
Miss Weir (RH)	10.00	Kirkpatrick	8.00
Miss Julia Weir (RH)	4.00	John Dicky	1.00
Miss McDowell (RH)	6.00	Robert Johnston	9.00
W N Weir (RH)	8.00	Maj G (?McD) Steel	2.00
Wm Wylie jun (RH)	6.00	C.S. Brice Esq	14.00
Joel S Barnett (RH)	2.00	John Jackson near Andersons	32.00
Dr. Carter Lee	4.47	W. T. Gilmore	1.00
Col A__?_ Donavant	10.50	Capt A. T. Walker	1.00
Rev Mardin	2.00	Marion Chisholm	5.00
Simpson	1.00	John Atkinson Esqr	10.00
William Simpson	38.00	Henry Killian (RH)	20.00
Ed Stringfellow	1.00	John Blair	12.00
Mrs James Lewis	79.00	Mr Holmes Harden	1.00
Dr. E G Williams	.50	Irven White	1.00
Mrs K Coleman	16.50	George Ferguson	20.00
Dicky	.50	John Dye	11.50
Franklin Knox	1.00	Daniels (RH)	1.00
Elihu Simpson	2.00	Hugh Warren	6.00
Robert Agnew	4.50	W. P. Cassels	8.00
Capt A. Secrest	2.60	Miss Mary (McGlenn ?)	.50
		(M. Glenn ?)	
Mrs Mary (Burns ?)	16.00	Col. Jones (RH)	21.00
Charles Fudge	12.00	Mrs Annie White (RH)	40.50
Mrs Stone	3.00	Beckham Son of Wm (dead)	11.00
Mrs Porter near Coln Prices	3.00	John W. Walker	.50
John T McAfee	1.00	George Albright	.50
John Carter	6.00	Mr Clines (RH)	2.00
Miss Owens	.50	John Oneal (RH)	.50

Capt Hugh Massey	5.00	Daniel Coleman Esqr	4.00
John Edwards	2.00	Miss Craig	.50
Robinson	.50	Jesse Simpson jun	.50
Henry Killian (Chester)	7.00	Willian Cowan	50.00
Miss Fanny McFadden	5.00	Capt Robert Sims	5.00
Thos McCulley	4.00	(Lancaster District)	
John Johnston	6.00		
Miss Mary Drennan	2.00		
Miss Drennan	3.00		
William Henry	1.00		
John Roach	1.00		
Estate of P Dunlap	10.00		
Miss Caroline Boggs (Yorkville)	120.00		
Estate of Charles Smith	9.00		
William A. Bolick	10.00		
William Weire (RH)	2.00		
Miss Elizabeth Simpson to be paid by Esqr McGill	75.00		
Joseph Walker	20.00		
Mrs Wallace	.50		
Ephraim Atkinson	.50		
James Atkinson Sen	.50		
John L Agurs	2.00		
Miss Dorsey	.50		
David Roddy (RH)	2.00		

email 3/9/12 from Virginia

The cemetery book for Evergreen Cemetery Says on pp. 88

Lot 194

Occupied – Capt. J. T. Walker “brothers”

James C Walker died in Chester Co SC – Apr 5, 1864 – age 24 Co. F 6th Reg SCV

Capt. J. T. Walker – died at Centerville, VA – Jan 1862 – age 40

Calhoun Guards 6th Reg – SCV

Ages at death seem more like father and son to me??

1862

Why would such a large number of people be willing to loan or extend credit to Colonel William Walker? It seems that all these people might have loaned to Walker if he was one of the owners of the hotel.

If in fact the Col William home stood where the New jail was built, sold that lot, a paper trail should be someplace.

If he lost it to creditors ... it would still seem a paper trail would be around.

1862ish

I have been able to pinpoint EXACTLY where Rachael's house stood that she lived in after Col. Wm's death...

The house was second from the corner, going out Saluda Street at the bottom of the "hill" in Chester...

Doctor S E Babcock' home stood on the corner, and then second was Rachael's house, and then third is what is now known as the Alice Brantley house...

then stood a large house and then the Magdalene Hospital, and then a small cottage house.

The two houses of Babcock and Walker were pulled down and replaced by other houses and then these two were taken down and the two lots became an auto service station, with gas pumps and all, and this service station was also demolished, maybe in the late 60s or 70s... Now the two lots are vacant, and are to be turned into a city park.

One thing to consider is that Sealy was owed money from William Walker at the time that William Walker died. If they co-owned the hotel I don't think they would be loaning money to each other, do you?

Jim Cornwell was owed money by Col William Walker.

Email Mon 2/01/10 4:58 PM Print it out about W. A. Walker transactions before and after my William died.

Email Mon 2/01/10 4:45 PM has mention of Elizabeth C. Walker. Bill, I can't print out these messages or copy them to paste in here. Can you do anything with them? They are both from you. If you scanned them do you have an image that you can paste into a document?

1863

Emma said: "We went to a theatrical entertainment in Chester Hotel given for benefit of sick and wounded soldiers in our town and we were the "Sisters" in the Tableau Cinderella. Mamie Jane Ancrum was Cinderella. Phil Wylie (Dr. now) was Prince."

1863

Jury 1863, Chester County, SC

J H Walker, Wm Walker (he served Oct 19, 1863)

I couldn't find J. H. Walker in 1860 Census

I Found William (as above), 78, who lived with the Wylies

I found W.M., W. A., and W. F. in Chester who could have been Wm Walker

1863

10/7 Peggy, Virginia....

There is mention of different officials in this note.

some names we know well...

note that a W A Walker is listed and a William A Walker is also listed

United States Federal Census about W A Walker (#14)

Name: W A Walker
Age in 1860:
Birth Year: abt 1819
Birthplace: South Carolina
Home in 1860: Chester, South Carolina
Gender: Male
Post Office: Chester
Value of real estate: [View image](#)
Household Members:
Name Age
W A Walker (lawyer)
Eliza C Walker
Fannie D Walker
F J Walker
Jas P Walker

There was the William Walker who lived with the Wylie's as above (#6).

and this is 2 years after death of Peggy's Col William Walker...
when plots were purchased prior to Col William's death on March 21, 1870? (Note: That was
prior to Rachel's death in 1872, but Col Wm. was already dead)

The 1864 newspaper clipping below mentions Wm. A. Walker two times. It is probably the
lawyer I noted above.

1864

20	21	22	23	24	25
27	28	29	30	31	
DECEMBER					
4	5	6	7	8	9

BUSINESS DIRECTORY

FOR CHESTER DIST.

Sheriff, Wm M. McDonald
Ordinary, Wm. H. Anderson
Clerk of the Court, Geo. W. Curtis
Com'r. in Equity, Giles J. Patterson
Tax Collector, Israel McD. Howard
Coroner, W. H. Anderson
Escheator, S. Alexander
Commissioners to approve of Public Securities, James Hemphill, Jno. J. McLure, John A. Bradley, J. L. Harris, Wm. A. Walker.

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Commissioners of Public Buildings,
 Saml. McAuley, Chairman; John McKee, Jr., W. A. Walker, W. H. Gill, S. Alexander, John J. McLure, W. T. Gilmore.

—

Commissioners of the Poor,
 Alex. W. Smith, Minor Montgomery, F. A. Hardin, Henry Hardin, one Vacancy.

—

Commissioners of Free Schools,
 Giles J. Patterson, Rev. W. Banke, W. H. Gill, Nicholas Colvin, John Atkinson, C. Biver, Jas. F. Wherry, A. Kendrick.
 Giles J. Patterson, Chairman.
 T. A. Kendrick, Secy. & Treas.

MAGISTRATES.

Jas B Atkinson, Jesse Castles, Ferdinand Cranford, F. D. Coleman, Eli Cornwell, W. J. Darby, Abraham Gibson, L. H. Gill, W. W. Jordan, James W. Kee, G. B. Montgomery, B. W. Mason, G. L. McNeill, James R. Magill, Matthew J. Smith, Asa Darr, J. G. Robinson, John Simpson.

NOTARIES PUBLIC.

John J. McLure, J. L. Harris, Paul Romare, William H. Brawley, James Hemphill, J. Y. Mills, D. G. Stinson, R. B. Caldwell

BANK OF CHESTER

George S. Cameron, President
 John A. Bradley, Cashier; J. L. Harris, Teller; Paul Romare, Book Keeper; Dav Leckie, Assistant.
Directors—George S. Cameron, James Hemphill, John J. McLure, Samuel McAuley, Nathaniel R. Eaves, S. W. Mobley, Wm. A. Walker, C. D. Melton, W. F. Gill, Robert N. Hemphill, John H. Adam, A. B. Springs, one vacancy.
Business Hours, from 9 a.m. until 2 p.m.
Discount Day every Wednesday.

Mr. Ed—You will please announce **Thos. Mayfield,** a candidate for tax collector, for Chester Dist., for the next term. We feel assured that he is well qualified and richly deserves the office. **Many Friends.**

*Vol. 15.
 Chester S.C.
 Chester Standard
 Thursday
 March
 31, 1864*

1864
 Jury 1864: Chester County, SC
 J W. Walker, Major John Walker, J G. Walker

1860 United States Federal Census about Jno W Walker (#11)

Name: Jno W Walker #11 on my chart??? He was born in SC.

Age in 1860:

Birth Year: abt 1814 He is right age to be Col Wm's brother and was born in SC

Birthplace: South Carolina

Home in 1860: Chester, South Carolina

Gender: Male

Post Office: Chester

Value of real estate: View image

Household Members:

Name Age

Jno W Walker

Mary G Walker

Helena Walker

Saud C Walker

W E Walker

Hattie E Walker

Ella C Walker /12

1860 United States Federal Census about Moy Jno Walker

Name: Moy Jno Walker

[Major. John Walker] (#12)

Age in 1860:

Birth Year: abt 1777 He is old enough to be Col Wm's father and was born in SC.

Almost too old????

Birthplace: South Carolina #12 on my chart?

Home in 1860: Chester, South Carolina

Gender: Male

Post Office: Chester

Value of real estate: View image

Household Members:

Name Age

Moy Jno Walker

E R Walker

1860 United States Federal Census about Jno A G Walker

(I was looking for J. G. Walker. This one is not clear to me in the actual census. He is a farmer.)

Name: Jno A G Walker (#13 on my chart)

Age in 1860:

Birth Year: abt 1824

Birthplace: South Carolina

Home in 1860: Chester, South Carolina

Gender: Male

Post Office: Cedar Shoals

Value of real estate: View image

Household Members:

Name Age
Jno A G Walker
Elizabeth Walker
Jane E L Walker
Thomas Farrar

1864

On one of the pages I worked with last week I believe it was Margaret's Lavinia Cornwell's obit it stated that at the tender age of 16 she joined Purity Presbyterian Church (that would have been 1864), and when she married Dr. Cornwell she joined Pleasant Grove. So we know the family lived in Chester through 1870 and I also suspect they all went to Purity. However, if they were all Presbyterian I wonder why they went to Calvary Methodist in Charlotte. Maybe there wasn't a close Pres. Church in Charlotte.

http://www.rootsandrecall.com/chester/wp-content/blogs.dir/2/files_mf/1456509160PurityPres.ChurchChesterSC.pdf tells the history of Purity Church. Walker was one of the founding members. He was Wm. Alexander Walker.

1864ish

After the Cols death Rachel and her family lived in a hotel annex about 4 doors down from W. A. Walker's house. Soon her son Thomas bought a roomy frame house for his mother Rachel a few blocks away from the hotel on Saluda St. After Rachael's death he more or less evicted his siblings from this property and sold it. This house was almost at the corner of Main St. and Hudson St. (formerly Pear St). It was the 2nd or 3rd house from this corner going out Saluda St., across from the now lawn of the Methodist Church.

1864

Anna Walker Kennedy's husband died.
Allen D. Kennedy, husband of Anna E. Walker, was in the Civil War Company H, 7th Battalion, (Enfield Rifles), SC Infantry, Nelson's Battalion.
died in Virginia at Battle of Drury's Bluff - May 16, 1864 -

1864

note that a W A Walker is listed in court records and a William A Walker also and this is 2 years after death of Peggy's Col William Walker...

1865

A T Walker and Thomas Walker served on the petit jury March of 1865, in Chester County, SC.

1860 United States Federal Census about Adam F Walker

Name: Adam F Walker
[Adam T. Walker]
Age in 1860:

Birth Year: abt 1805 (He COULD be Col. Wm's brother. He was born in SC. He is a farmer.) This might be Adam T., #15 on my chart.

Birthplace: South Carolina

Home in 1860: Chester, South Carolina

Gender: Male

Post Office: Chester

Value of real estate: [View image](#)

Household Members:

Name Age

Adam F Walker

Eliza Walker

Jermiah T Walker

Adaline Walker

Peter Walker

United States Federal Census about Thomas Walker

Name: Thomas Walker #16 on my chart?

Age in 1860:

Birth Year: abt 1780 (He is a possibility of being Col. Wm's father, born SC)

Birthplace: South Carolina

Home in 1860: Chester, South Carolina

Gender: Male

Post Office: Landsford

Value of real estate: [View image](#)

Household Members:

Name Age

Thomas Walker

Elizabeth Walker

There is also Thomas A. Walker, 26, son of Col. Wm. and Rachael Eliza

186?

From W. A. Walker, 2 ? acres where I now live bordered by Alexander C. Walker (#14 on my chart?)

well, lets remember that it was only Two and 3/4 acre... a small lot and the deed says it's north boundary was on Pinckney Street.... and ... I notice one man's land that bordered this lot was an Alexander C. Walker. wonder if he was a relation?

There was an Alexander D. Walker who lived in Chester. He was a farmer. He is #17 on my chart.

1860 States Federal Census about Alexander D Walker

Name: Alexander D Walker

Age in 1860:

Birth Year: abt 1828 (I SUPPOSE he could be Col. Wm's brother, but 16 years difference in age.)

Birthplace: South Carolina
Home in 1860: Chester, Chester, South Carolina
Gender: Male
Post Office: Chester
Value of real estate: [View image](#)
Household Members:
Name Age
Alexander D Walker
Mary Walker

1860 United States Federal Census about Alexander Walker

Name: Alexander Walker (He is a farmer and lives next door to the Walker who lives with the Wylies)

Age in 1860:

Birth Year: abt 1800

Birthplace: South Carolina

Home in 1860: Chester, South Carolina

Gender: Male

Post Office: Baton Rouge

Value of real estate: [View image](#)

Household Members:

Name Age

Alexander Walker

Margt M Walker

Victoria Walker

Jno A Walker

Nancy J Walker

Paulina Love

Margt M Armfield

In SC the woman has her dower right...

I think it is something like one third of the property value in those days...

If she does not sign away that right on the deed, when her husband sells a piece of property...Then she could come back after her husband's death and demand that dower right of one third from the new buyer of the property.

Most new buyers insisted on the wife signing this away in land transactions.

1866

T A Walker, constable, fall term 1866 listings, Chester County, SC

Only Thomas A. Walker, son of Col. Wm. was in the 1860 census

1866

Robert Walker served grand jury Oct 12, 1866

1860 United States Federal Census about Robert Walker

Name: Robert Walker

Age in 1860:

Birth Year: abt 1788 (He could be Col. Wm's father, born SC)

Birthplace: South Carolina

Home in 1860: Chester, Chester, South Carolina

Gender: Male

Post Office: Chester

Value of real estate: [View image](#)

Household Members:

Name	Age
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Robert Walker	
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1866

Mose Wright was indicted and charged with stealing a bay horse, valued at \$100.00, the property of William D. Cornwell on Nov 7, 1866.

Mose was found guilty at his trial in Feb 1867

1866

Alexander D. Walker; #17 on my chart? murdered by two freedmen, Belton Cline and Wm Morris (Morris also known as Landon Jones) Murder occurred on July 23, 1866... gunshot with pistol to the right temple...

Verdict guilty; Wm Morris sentenced to be hanged.

1866

10/17 (Picture of the hospital Bill talked about)



It is my understanding that it was built after the civil war.

BUT...it was the second building after Rachael Walkers house on Saluda Street. Notice the severe drop in elevation of this lot...note how it steeply dips back and down from the street. Now that I will have to give more attention to.

built by a doctor Pryor as a hospital...had one of the first schools to produce nurses. Probably a wing for women and one for men. He also bought the lot Rachael's house stood on and tore them down and used the wood from Rachael's to build a rental house. He moved in the corner house which was Doctor S E Babcock's home...this gave him two lots and a larger yard. [I think there was also a Pryor Hospital built by Dr. Pryor.]

1866

This Major John Walker (died), was the father of William Alexander Walker (# 14) ... I think he was the W. A. Walker that Col William Walker was indebted to when he died...

also was listed a J. H. Walker... **#11, 12 or 13 on my chart?**

*and a D. Carroll that might ring a bell for Virginia Turner....*I am wondering if Colonel William Walker was a son (could he have been a grandson?) who died in 1862, before Major John Walker's death in 1866?

Major John left \$50.00 to a granddaughter Catherine Johnston, wife of R. _ . Johnston... Puzzled as to who her parents were...

All I have found so far is the 1850 census below. Notice she (Catherine Johnson) lives in

Mississippi. I looked to see if William Alexander Walker could have had Col William b. 1812 and Catherine b. 1816 in the 1820 Census. There was a William Walker and a W. Walker who could have had them. There were two John Walkers who could have had them.

1850 United States Federal Census about Catherine Johnston

Name:Catherine Johnston

Age:34

Estimated birth year: abt 1816

She is the right age to be Col Wm's sister IF she was a Walker (daughter of John Walker's son, not John Walker's daughter). Her last name could have been something other than Walker.

Birth Place:South Carolina

Gender:Female

Home in 1850 (City,County,State):Hinds, Mississippi

Family Number:1534

Household Members:

Name**Age**

Roland Johnston39 (Born GA)

Catherine Johnston34

Laura Johnston11

Amanda Johnston5

Wm D Johnston2

Cox35

1860 United States Federal Census about Catherine Johnston

Name: Catherine Johnston

Age in 1860: 49

Birth Year: abt 1811

Birthplace: Georgia

Home in 1860: Vicksburg, Warren, Mississippi

Gender: Female

Post Office: Vicksburg

Value of real estate: [View image](#)

Household Members:

Name Age

E R Johnston 48

Catherine Johnston 49

1880 United States Federal Census about J.R. Johnston Dates are pretty much off on this one for it to be him.

Name: J.R. Johnston

Home in 1880: Sacramento, Sacramento, California

Age: 58

Estimated Birth Year: abt 1822

Birthplace: Pennsylvania

Relation to Head of Household: Self (Head)

Spouse's Name: Catharine Johnston Her parents (and her) were born in Ireland.
 Father's birthplace: Pennsylvania
 Mother's birthplace: Pennsylvania
 Occupation: Keeping Hotel
 Marital Status: Married
 Household Members:

Name	Age
J.R. Johnston	58
Catharine Johnston	51
Frank Jas. Johnston	19
Mary K. Johnston	17
Josephine H. Johnston	15
Kari Johnston	11
K... Johnston	11
Georgian Johnston	20
?E. Johnston	41
?C. Perrish	31
Kenny	35

1850 United States Federal Census about Thomas R Johnston (Brother perhaps??)

Name: Thomas R Johnston
 Age: 41
 Birth Year: abt 1809
 Birthplace: England
 Home in 1850: Hinds, Mississippi
 Gender: Male
 Family Number: 697
 Household Members:

Name	Age
Thomas R Johnston	41
Nancy Johnston	29
Thomas W Johnston	15
Mary A Johnston	9
Lavitha E Johnston	8
John Jacob Johnston	7
William F Johnston	5
Sarah J Johnston	3
Emily A Johnston	1

.....**END OF DISCUSSION about Catherine Johnston**

18??

(I can't tell what date (census? Bill was talking about here) they received their mail at the Chester County Courthouse, so they lived very close to the city center....

I also see the Brice family, I know that they had homes on Wylie Street.... one home closer in, within sight of the courthouse, and then on the left just before the train tracks at end of

Wylie Street another large house on the left.

Both these homes have been pulled down.... the one closer in, about 1977 or so...

I see John Walker who was sheriff... and at that time the sheriff family was provided housing in the old jail, that is still standing...It is to the right of the library where you visited.

Sheriff's family had one floor for residence, I think the main floor and prisoners were on 2nd and third floor....that was at 108 / 131.

ok... Emma, Mary and William were in building/dwelling number 89 and they were family unit number 104 in order of visitation... so they all were very close... It may be possible that they all lived in a large building/house/hotel/boarding house... The plantation Hotel stood where the City Hall/Opera House was built... but it burned

the address of the old jail in Chester is 128 Center Street, if you want to take a look...

It was the second jail in Chester. It was converted into apartments and the 3rd jail located directly behind the courthouse.

the 3rd jail is now the Chester museum and the 4th jail is the new complex on Dawson Drive.

Red Bank plantation was down towards Richburg Community, maybe 10 miles east from Chester... It was and still is owned by the Gaston family...

Baton Rouge is about 10 miles west of Chester...

It seems like I have heard mention of the Walker house before... [I think it is the **Redbank, a Plantation house**, built by a Walker.]

1866

Alexander D. Walker; murdered by two freedmen, Belton Cline and Wm Morris (Morris also known as Landon Jones). Murder occurred on July 23, 1866... gunshot with pistol to the right temple.

Verdict guilty; Wm Morris sentenced to be hanged.

1866

ummm boarding houses were a bit less expensive and usually smaller... and more for longer term visits.... Lots of salesmen called in Chester... some had standing reservations for their scheduled visits in the area....

could also rent horses/buggies right in downtown area... Livery was just behind the opera house.

There were 4 hotels I know of in the area of the opera house/ library and courthouse... (in fact the lot that the opera house stands on was formally the site of a large hotel....) opera house built in 1907... and there were 3 or 4 couple blocks east at the railroad depot out Lancaster street...

and in the area behind the courthouse that now stands there were several boarding houses.

It was very common 20 years ago for one of the owners of the larger homes to have boarders... not seen too often now....

In fact a few of them were used as hospital space during the civil war, as there were so many wounded arriving in Chester.

Chester at one time was at a major cross road in the state...

before interstates, had to go through Chester to get anyplace in state it seemed.

1866

this is the last evidence I can find in old deeds on R E Walker.....

Book NN page 23 Deed
October 13, 1866
Chester County Courthouse
Chester, South Carolina

C T Walker to R E Walker
for \$400.00; the house and 1/4 acre where she resides:
Bounded by the lot of William Thompson, W T Sealy, Mrs. Isabella McNinch, and Saluda
Road...It being the lot conveyed to me by W A Rosboro on January 11, 1863...

Now I am puzzled as to why I can find no deed transferring this property to anyone before or
after Rachael Eliza Walker's death.

Bill's notes for about this time:

One of Major John Kennedy's daughters married into the Dr. Sidney Babcock family and
they lived at the CORNER of Saluda Street and what is now Hudson Street (in those days it
was Pear Street)

Rachael Eliz Walker lived either right next door or the 3rd lot, now vacant, going out Saluda
Street on the right.

We know there is a connection between John Kennedy and Col William Walker... could John
Kennedy have backed or financed this home for Rachael Eliza Walker? We know some of her
children continued to live in this house after her death and burial at Evergreen Cemetery, until
it was finally sold (maybe 10 years later)?

Now this brings us to another matter.

At Evergreen Cemetery The graves of Col William and Rachael Eliza adjoin some of the Evans
family graves...

We have to remember that Major John Kennedy married a Evans and he and this lady moved
into Chester about 1802 or so and moved into the house they lived in all their lives there on top
of the hill/square in Chester ... this home burned in later years, as did the hotel that Col William
had (at different times) and the Now Opera House was built on the site of Col William
Walker's Hotel.

I suspect that Major Kennedy or his Brother George owned this hotel building, and leased the
building and the dwelling annex to its rear to others that managed/operated the hotel through
the years.

Rachael Eliza Walker moved from this hotel/annex to the house on Saluda Street.... her son
Thomas (moved to Charlotte) somehow sold it to his mother (the house where she now lives)
and then he "suggested strongly, in court " that it be sold some years later, when his adult
siblings were still living in the house.

1867

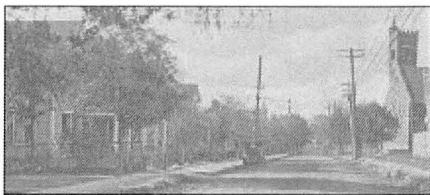
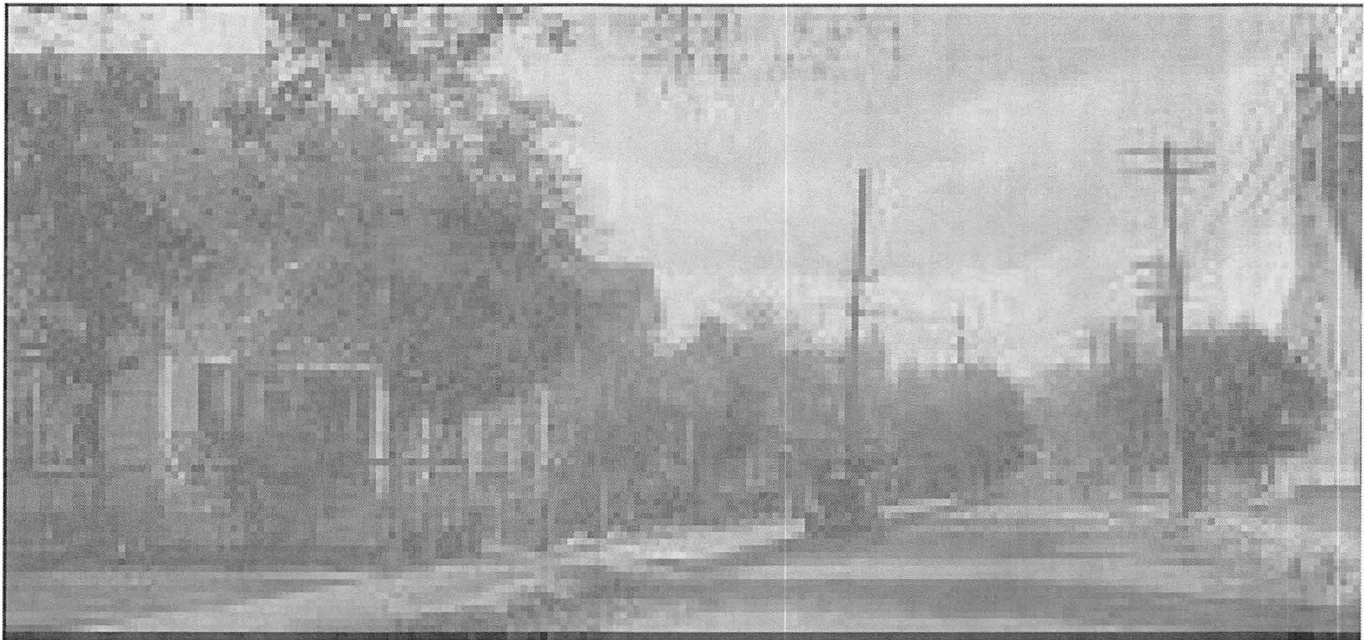
E D Walker served Grand Jury March 9, 1867

E. R. Cornwell served Grand Jury Jan. 31, 1867

1867

April (Book NN, page 23 - Deed) (He is listed as C. T.)

The deed where **Charles Thomas Walker** sold this 1/4 acre lot and house to his mother, **R E Walker**.



If you go past the parked auto on left, and just as you pass the last visible house... there stood Rachael McCoulough Walker's final home.

Hers was the second house from the corner and it faced the lawn of the now Church on the right side of the street.

Saluda Street is still here, and has undergone many, many changes.

Some older homes exist. In the property description it was very small lot, and was sandwiched between other lots, it was not a corner lot, but rather fronted on Saluda Street. Some of these older houses were pulled down many years ago and replaced with commercial

buildings.

I think there are maybe 3 smaller single-story older houses left on that street, those having about 6 to 8 rooms. the rest are huge two level homes.

Bill

The church is the Bethel Methodist Church.

There were in fact 3 churches in Rachel's day that she could have walked to easily from her home.

one of which was the First Baptist Church (Major John Kennedy built this church, and one of his daughters' married the minister.)

Bill

Rachael had that one 1/4 acre lot and house on Saluda Street...

Charles T Walker, had deeded it to her a few years before she died.

It looks like for some reason, Charles T. wanted who ever was in the house out and the house sold and the proceeds divided among heirs. [Charles T was living in Mecklenburg County, NC]

Maybe the other siblings moved up to Charlotte to be near Charles T for support...

When in probate for wills/estates again I will look and see if I can find anything showing where there was any proceeds from the sale distributed.

It did not look like the new owners paid that much more for the place, sorta indicates it had not been too well kept in the years since Rachael E. died.

In the deed for R E Walker's house /lot... it states her property of 1/4 acre was fronted by Saluda Road, and bordered by property of Dr. S E Babcock, Mrs. Eliza J. Hinton, and Miss Wilson and Cousar. (Miss Wilson kin, Wilson and Cousar were partners in this piece of property....

It took some searching to find Valley Street.

Valley Street became Pear Street, and then Hudson Street, The street Hall Lumber Company now sits on.... (owners Susan and Rhett Kelsey)

Now Dr. S E Babcock home stood on the corner of Saluda Street and Valley Street facing fronting on Saluda Street. His property was 350 foot in width...

So it stands to reason that RE Walker's home is one of the few houses still standing in that area.

It most probably is the old Elizabeth's ladies clothing store or what was formerly Nichols Photography Shop. Interesting huh?

only problem now which one is it? The one with the smallest lot. Bill

Dr. Sidney E Babcock bought that corner lot from Mr John Hogan on May 2, 1876. deed states the property was bordered by Charles T. Walker and WT Sealy. (W T Sealy most probably had lot to the rear of S E Babcock, facing Valley Street.

So that proves that it was the second lot on Saluda street... HUMM

If that Alice Bradley house is on a 1/4 acre lot, it has to be R E Walker's home. It has been on market forever now. needs massive amounts of work. If not that means R E Walkers house was smushed in between the corner and Alice Bradley house... Bill

This would have been the house where R E "where she now lives" when Charles T deeded it

to her for \$400.00.... She must have been staying there... small lot 1/4 acre....

1867

My Charles T. Walker was in the Civil War for 2 years when he was discharged due to poor health. Those war years must have been very difficult for Rachael having just lost her husband and then losing several family members.

1867

John Cornwell served as petit juror Sept 24, 1867

1867

J A G Walker served as petit juror on Sept 23, 1867

There were four J. Walkers in the 1830 census; one was a Sr.)

There was a J. A. Walker in 1850 census (born 1816 in Ireland. Probably not Col. Wm's brother.)

There was a J.A.G. Walker in the 1850 census. He had slaves.

1867

Wm Walker served on Petit Jury fall, 1867

1867

C T Walker served on grand jury Fall term 1867

(He was in Charlotte, NC by 1870)

1867

W D Cornwell served on petit jury Feb 1867

1867

A J Walker served on petit jury Feb 1867

W J Walker served on Grand jury Feb 1867

E D Walker served grand jury March 9, 1867.

E E Cornwell served grand jury Jan 31, 1867

1867

I guessed a date for this. Emma was 15 in 1867. When would the benefit of soldiers have been held?

Look up Ancrum in Chester county. Emma said: "We went to a theatrical entertainment in **Chester Hotel** given for benefit of sick and wounded soldiers in our town and we were the "Sisters" in the Tableau Cinderella. Mamie Jane Ancrum was Cinderella. Phil Wylie (Dr. now) was Prince."

186?

Bill found proof that a Col W. A. Walker was still doing land sales - Is there any way that a wife or child could be selling land he had deeded in his name before he died? This was after the death of my Col William Walker thereby **proving that there were two men with the name (Col William) in Chester.** [Bill has the record of some of the deeds recorded after the

death of my Wm.]

Bill further found some deeds with William Walker and wife Rebecca during these years. Bill said "I think the *signing away of dower rights on deeds* would be your best search. Discount those that do not have Rachael McCullough signing away rights.

Do you have anything concrete stating her name was McCullough?"? Yes, Sallie Walker's marriage announcements said she was Rachel McCullough. Margaret L. Cornwell's wedding and obit did, too.

1868

Spring term petit court, R D Cornwell served on this jury 1868, in Chester County, SC.

1868

Jordan and James Bryant were indicted for Larceny on March 8, 1868 by Jerry T. Walker. Wittnesses for Jerry were Mose Benson, Lawson Walker (see below), and Charles Williams (neighbor in 1870)...

The Bryants were found not guilty at their trial on May 4, 1868

~~United States Federal Census about Jerry Walker~~ [I think this is wrong man. There is a Jerry T. in 1870 Census.]

~~Name: Jerry Walker — White, farmer.~~

~~Birth Year: — abt 1843~~

~~Age in 1870: —~~

~~Birthplace: — South Carolina~~

~~Home in 1870: — West Chester, Chester, South Carolina~~

~~Race: — White~~

~~Gender: — Male~~

~~Value of real estate: — View image~~

~~Post Office: — Chester~~

~~Household Members:—~~

~~Name Age~~

~~Jerry Walker —~~

~~Mattie Walker —~~

~~Newton Walker —~~

1860 United States Federal Census about Lawson Walker

Name: Lawson Walker

Age in 1860:

Birth Year: abt 1846

Birthplace: South Carolina

Home in 1860: Chester, South Carolina

Gender: Male

Post Office: Chester

Value of real estate: View image

Household Members:

Name Age

E D Walker

Rebecca J Walker
Lawson Walker
Mary E Walker
James H Walker

1868

Sophia Cornwell Wright and her husband Raymond Wright, were indicted for assaulting Mariah McAfee and beating her with a horse whip....in McAfee's home. They also refused to respond to summons by judge. It is possible these were freedpersons of color. (not positive on date for this one.)

1868

W J W Cornwell served on jury 1868, in Chester County.

1868

Martha Walker was mentioned, material witness in the trial of Mary Ann Farr and Alice Farr, both Colored, for stealing a bushel of corn from Jane Williams, at the Courthouse, Chester County, South Carolina

1868

Tom Walker was indicted for larceny ...on the night of Jan 28, 1868. He stole a dozen nails, valued at \$1.00 from the home of Mrs C Z Mills...

1870 United States Federal Census about our Thomas Walker

Name: Thomas Walker
Birth Year: abt 1834
Age in 1870:
Birthplace: South Carolina
Home in 1870: Chester, Chester, South Carolina
Race: White
Gender: Male
Value of real estate: [View image](#)
Post Office: Chester
Household Members:
Name Age
Edward Graham
Annie Kennedy
Sarah Kennedy
Richard Kennedy
Thomas Walker

1860 United States Federal Census about C Z Mills

Name: C Z Mills
Age in 1860:
Birth Year: abt 1800
Birthplace: South Carolina

Home in 1860: Chester, South Carolina

Gender: Female

Post Office: Chester

Value of real estate: [View image](#)

Household Members:

Name Age

C Z Mills (Female)

J A Bradley

Charlotte Bradley

Mary Bradley

Sarah C Bradley

Catherine Bradley

Jno A Bradley

E C Bradley

Mrs Mills grandson, John A Brady (see census just above) lodged the charges and Tom was found guilty.

Sam Williams and Randall Walker helped Tom get his bond. The trial was Feb (1st Monday)

1868.

Randall Walker was in the 1870 Census and had a son, Thomas, about 30 living in his house. They lived in Rossville.

1870 United States Federal Census

about Randall Walker

Name: Randall Walker (Laborer)

Birth Year: abt 1818

Age in 1870:

Birthplace: South Carolina

Home in 1870: Rossville, Chester, South Carolina

Race: Black

Gender: Male

Value of real estate: [View image](#)

Post Office: Rossville

Household Members:

Name Age

Randall Walker

Mary Walker

Thomas Walker

Sylvia Walker

Sarah Walker

John Walker

1869

John W. Walker was Sheriff of Chester County; April 26, 1869..

his deputies were H P Halsell (I don't find him), W E Walker, John A. Bradley (this is the man who filed the complaint against Tom for stealing the nails), and Henry Stetson (I don't find him).

1870 United States Federal Census

about John W Walker (p. 13)

Name: John W Walker (Sheriff)

Birth Year: abt 1813 (He could be Col. William's brother)

Age in 1870:

Birthplace: South Carolina

Home in 1870: Chester, Chester, South Carolina

Race: White

Gender: Male

Value of real estate: [View image](#)

Post Office: Chester

Household Members:

Name Age

John W Walker

Mary Walker

Hattie Walker

Ella Walker

John Walker

He was a Depot Agent

He lived near three McNinch families and Dr. Eli Cornwell and widow Rachel Walker's Hotel.

1860 United States Federal Census about W E Walker

Name: W E Walker

Age in 1860: (He would have been about 17 in 1868. Too young to be a deputy?)

Birth Year: abt 1851

Birthplace: South Carolina

Home in 1860: Chester, South Carolina

Gender: Male

Post Office: Chester

Value of real estate: [View image](#)

Household Members:

Name Age

Jno W Walker

Mary G Walker

Helena Walker

Saud C Walker

W E Walker

Hattie E Walker

Ella C Walker /12

I am seeing "freedmen" and colored and other times nothing to distinguish race in the last few years court cases.....Bill

1.

Walkers of Chester County, SC 1860 – 1869, The Third of Four Files

Introduction to our Research on the Walker and Related Lines in Chester, SC

When this project started Bill Gregory, Chester, SC offered to do Court House look-ups for me (Peggy in this report) to see if he could locate information about my ancestor Col. Wm. Walker of Chester who married Rachel Eliza McCullough of prob. York County. Bill went to the Court House each day and sent me what he found about ANY Walkers in Chester County. When he talks about “my Col. William”, he is referring to my gr gr grandfather, Col William Walker who shows in the 1850 and 1860 Chester Census with his wife Rachel Eliza [McCullough] Walker and amily. He died before the 1870 Census and Rachel died in 1870.

I soon realized it was escalating into a big project with many Walkers mentioned. We decided to put what he found into a Timeline of events.

Any help with untangling all these Walkers, especially the Williams, will be greatly appreciated.

I have reason to believe that my Walker family had ties of some sort to Oktibbeha, MS that might have ended about 1855 or 1860 when one of the Walker girls wrote a very short piece about saying goodbye to Oktibbeha. If you know of any Chester families who had ties to Oktibbeha I (Peggy Treece) would appreciate hearing about them. I can be reached at margarettreece149@hotmail.com

Bill Gregory, who did all the legwork, can be reached by email at wegreg@truvista.net

Virginia Turner can be reached at eytvwt@ftc-i.net

You will note multiple references to the Cornwells. Two of Col. Wm. Walker’s daughters married Cornwells. Also included are references to the Kennedys. They were likely connected to the early Walkers or McCulloughs and one of “my” Walkers married Allen (Alan) Kennedy.

Virginia thinks she has found Rachel Eliza McCullough’s parents. That is a huge breakthrough as my family has been searching for about 45 years for parents of either Col. William or Rachel. If correct, her father was Thomas McCullough married to Rachel Conley. Widow McCullough owned land in York County. In 1826 she had daughters Mary, Sarah, Dorothy, and Rachel Eliza in her household. The family may have lived in Chester County at one time.

I think it prudent to put in the genealogy of Col. Wm. And Rachel as we believe it to be. The Outline Descendant Chart is at the end of this Introduction. It may clarify for you the family I am looking for. I descend from Emma Oni Walker. Any and all information will be appreciated by me and my “Cousin” Ellouise Hall who can be reached at ellouise@bellsouth.net. Ellouise is a descendant of my Emma Oni Walker’s sister Batie Walker. Newly found “cousin” Jamie Thomasson can be reached at Jester1002@aol.com

Jamie is a descendant of Anna Walker (also a sister to my Emma Oni Walker) and Allen Kennedy.

My gr grandmother Emma Oni Walker married Eugene Hart and had one daughter, my grandmother Jessie May Hart [Shuman]. Eugene appears to have deserted the family soon after Jessie's birth and Emma raised her alone – with the help of relatives and specifically by Dr. Cornwell.

Ellouise's ancestor, Batie Narcissus Jennings Walker married two times. Once to a Jarrell and second to a Dooley.

The members of this Walker family died young. The Civil War was brutal on them. Col. Wm. Did not serve in the War. He died in 1862. Most of the children remaining after the War ended and their mother's death in 1870 went to Charlotte, NC to start a new life.

We are in need of descendants, especially direct male descendants of Col. Wm. to test for DNA. I think the only possibility of a direct male would be through William Roseborough Walker who did leave a male line. My siblings and I have tested and Ellouise's father tested, but none of us are the direct male line. If you know anyone willing to test, please contact me and I will put you in touch with my son who can guide you about which test to submit. There are many tests to consider now and some do not yield the results you are looking for. I don't want you to waste your money on a test that won't yield results for the project.

Family of Col. Wm. Walker, born 1812 in SC

3 Apr 1833 - William Walker b 1812 SC married Rachel Eliza McCullough, b 1814 Chester, in Chester, SC.

28 Dec 1834 son **Thomas A. Walker** was born in Chester, SC

03 Jan 1836 daughter **Sarah Jane (Sallie) Walker** was born in Chester, SC.

29 Aug 1839 son **Charles Thomas Walker** was born in Chester, SC.

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DOB 29 June 1951

Virginia Westbrook Turner

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Ellouise James Hall
DOB 10 Oct 1951

A 4-Generation Descendant Chart of Col. William and Rachel Eliza McCullough Walker follows on the next six pages.

Descendants of Col William Walker

- 1 WALKER, Col William b: 16 Sep 1812 in SC d: 05 Apr 1862 in Chester, SC
 +MCCULLOUGH, Rachel Eliza b: 21 Dec 1814 in SC m: 03 Apr 1833 in Chester
 Co., SC d. 21 Mar 1870 in Chester, SC
- 2 WALKER, Thomas Alexander b: 28 Dec 1834 in Chester, SC d: 24 Feb 1884
 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC
- 2 WALKER, Sarah Jane (Sallie) b: 03 Jan 1836 in Chester Co., SC d: 05 Aug
 1862
- +CORNWELL, William Davis Jessie Jr. b: 14 Sep 1839 in Chester Co.,
 SC m: 10 Jan 1860 in Chester Co.,SC d: 28 Jan 1875 Father: William Davis
 Jessie Cornwell
- 3 CORNWELL, Francis C. b: 04 Nov 1860 d: 06 Nov 1860
- 3 CORNWELL, Sarah (Sallie) D. b: Apr 1862 d: Aft. 1910 in Prob
 Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC
- +TURNER, John Simpson b: 22 Jun 1864 Chester, SC m: 29 Mar
 1884 d: 05 Dec 1948 in Prob Greenville, NC Father: William Turner
 Mother: Mary Simpson
- 4 TURNER, Frank Murphy b: 09 Sep 1888 d: 22 Feb 1958
- +STEVENSON, Mary D.
- 4 TURNER, Wm. Walker b: 15 Jul 1891 in Chester, SC d: 03
 Jan 1927 in Prob Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC
- +COOK, Virgie Odessa m: Sep 1920
- 4 TURNER, John Simpson Jr b: 02 Aug 1894 in SC d: 24 May
 1959
- 4 TURNER, Davis Cornwell b: Abt. 1896
- 4 TURNER, Sarah Louise b: Unknown
- +HOUSE, Ismael Worth m: 03 Jul 1943 in Charlotte,
 Mecklenburg Co., NC
- 2 WALKER, Charles Thomas b: 29 Aug 1839 in Chester, SC d: 18 Apr 1883
 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC
- +ELAM, Ella L. b: 1836 in FL d: Aft. 1900
- 3 WALKER, Rosa b: 1861 in NC
- 2 WALKER, William Harvey Henry b: 09 Sep 1840 in Chester, Chester Co.,
 SC d: 30 Aug 1841 in Chester, Chester Co., SC
- 2 WALKER, Anna Eliza b: 10 Oct 1842 in Chester, Chester Co., SC

d: 09 Jun 1887 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC
 +KENNEDY, Allen Degraffenreid b: 1838 in Chester, Chester Co., SC
 m: 13 Jul 1858 d: 16 May 1864 in In action at Drury's Bluff, Petersburg, VA
 Father: Richard Evans Kennedy Mother: Sarah DeGraffenreid

..... 3 KENNEDY, Sarah A. (Sallie) E. b: Bet. 1859 - 1861 in Chester,
 Chester Co., SC d: 31 Jul 1929 in prob Charlotte, NC

..... 3 KENNEDY, Richard Allen b: 08 Aug 1862 in Chester, Chester Co.,
 SC d: 08 Jun 1914 in Charlotte, Mecklenbug Co., NC
 +BIXBY, Adele Virginia (Della) b: 27 Jul 1876 d: 22 Feb 1950 in
 Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC Father: John A. Bixby
 Mother: Johanna Smaw

..... 4 KENNEDY, Ruby Mae b: 01 Sept 1897 in Charlotte,
 Mecklenberg Co., NC d. 05 Jan 1988

..... +CANNON, John E.

..... 4 KENNEDY, William Zimmerman (Billie) b: 1900 in
 Mecklenberg Co., NC

..... 4 KENNEDY, Sarah A. b: 1903 in Mecklenberg Co., NC

..... 4 KENNEDY, Blanch b: 1906 in Mecklenberg Co., NC

..... 4 KENNEDY, Marion b: Abt. 1909 in Mecklenberg Co., NC
 +HORTON, Walter b: 1905

..... 4 KENNEDY, Lottie Lee b: 1913 in Mecklenberg Co., NC
 d: Aft. 1950

..... 4 KENNEDY, Mamie Lee b: Unknown d: 02 Sep 1922 in
 Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC

..... 2 WALKER, Batie Narcissa Jennings b: 07 Dec 1845 in Chester, Chester Co.,
 SC d: 18 Feb 1885 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC
 +JARRELL, Sgt. Garland William b: 1835 in Wentworth, Rockingham Co.,
 NC m: 21 Oct 1862 in Chester Co., SC d: 03 Jul 1863 in Gettysburg, Adam,
 PA Father: Thomas Jarrell Mother: Janette ?

..... 3 JARRELL, William Garland Walker b: 05 Dec 1863 in Chester,
 Chester Co., SC d: 21 Jun 1927 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC
 +THOMAS, Rosa b: 23 Jan 1872 in Surry, Pilot Mountain, NC m: 16
 Nov 1887 in Mecklenberg Co., NC d: 24 May 1941 Father: William
 Thomas

..... 4 JARRELL, Elenora (Ellie) b: 09 Dec 1888 in Charlotte,
 Mecklenburg Co., NC d: 23 Jun 1968
 +BISNET, Ervin M. b: 1888 in NY m: 05 Dec 1919

- 4 JARRELL, Anna McFarland b: 27 Jun 1891 in Wayne,
Goldsboro, NC d: 18 Jul 1892
- 4 JARRELL, Charlie Swann b: 05 Aug 1893 in Wayne,
Goldsboro, NC d: 04 Mar 1948 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg
Co., NC
- +HELMS, Anna Belle b: 26 Dec 1893 in Sharon, Mecklenburg
Co., NC d: 12 Feb 1966 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC
Father: Henry Jack Helms Mother: Susan Matilda Marze
- 4 JARRELL, Paul Atkins b: 16 Apr 1896 in Charlotte,
Mecklenburg Co., NC d: 26 Aug 1897
- 4 JARRELL, Margaret Emma b: 19 Feb 1901 d: 08 May 1987
- +CRUSE, Wilder Allen m: 05 Feb 1924
- 4 JARRELL, William Walker b: 17 Mar 1904 d: 11 May 1989
- +CARSON, Edith m: 15 Jul 1934
- 4 JARRELL, Jessie Garland b: 02 Apr 1906 in Mecklenburg
Co., NC d: 10 Jan 1997
- +HENNESSEE, Manassa Nixon Jr. b: 16 Nov 1905 in Burke
Co., NC m: 18 Apr 1929 d: 26 Jul 1964 in Concord, Cabarrus
Co., NC Father: Manessa Nixon "Nas" Hennessee Mother:
Margaret (Maggie) L. Scott
- 4 JARRELL, Mary Rose b: 04 Nov 1912 in Charlotte,
Mecklenburg Co., NC d: 05 May 2004 in Salisbury, NC
- +TAYLOR, Harvey Wadsworth m: 04 Apr 1935
- 4 JARRELL, Charles J. b: Unknown d: Bef. 1965
- +HELMS, Female b: Unknown d: Aft. 1965

*2nd Husband of WALKER, Batie Narcissa Jennings:
+DOOLEY, Charles b: Bet. 1835 - 1845 in VA m: 25 Feb 1869

- 3 DOOLEY, George Louis b: 21 Jan 1870 in Chester, SC d: 07 Jun
1932 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC
- +LEDWELL, Lillian Elizabeth b: 1872 d: 1922 Father: Thomas W.
Ledwell Mother: Elizabeth J. "Lizzie" Hammond
- 4 DOOLEY, Gertrude Elizabeth b: 03 Aug 1892 in NC
- +JAMES, William Whiteford b: 1893 m: 10 Apr 1917
d: 1974
- 4 DOOLEY, George Louis Jr b: 1895 d: 1978
- +HENDERSON, Nellie Teresa b: 06 Nov 1900 in Charlotte,
Mecklenburg Co., NC m: 31 Aug 1919 d: 08 Feb 1967 in
Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC Father: Lorence Henderson

..... 4 Mother: Mary Jane Sharar
 DOOLEY, Eloise J. b: 22 Aug 1897 d: 02 Aug 1928 in
 Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC
 +MERCER, George O. b: Abt. 1895
 4 DOOLEY, Charles Horrace b: 02 Dec 1898 d: 1995
 +MENDENHALL, Nettie Mae b: 1909 d: 1988
 4 DOOLEY, Helen Bernice b: 12 Jul 1907 d: 1971
 +WATTS, Louis Poindexter b: 1905 d: 1981
 4 DOOLEY, Lois Edna b: 1909 d: 1934
 +RUCKER, William Maxwell
 *2nd Wife of DOOLEY, George Louis:
 +LISK, Margaret (Margie) b: 13 Nov 1881 in NC m: 15 Oct 1913
 d: 28 Feb 1970 in Burke, Morgantown, NC Father: John W. Lisk
 Mother: Julia Harris
 2 WALKER, Margaret Lavicia (Vicie) b: 31 May 1849 in Chester, SC d: 10 Jan
 1908 in Cornwell, SC
 +CORNWELL, Wm Jessie Williams (MD.) b: 02 Nov 1841 in Chester
 Village, Chester, SC m: 13 Jan 1870 in Chester, SC d: 15 Jul 1910 in
 Cornwell Station, SC Father: Elijah Cornwell Mother: Frances Pratt
 3 CORNWELL, Mary (May) Louisa Oni b: 29 Apr 1871 in Cornwell
 Station, Chester Co., NC d: 02 Feb 1951 in Gastonia, SC
 +HOLLER, Adlai Ellwood Rev. b: 04 Jul 1871 in Catawba Co., NC
 m: 23 Dec 1896 in Cornwell, SC d: 16 Oct 1961
 Father: Adley D. Holler Mother: Martha Clarinda Miller
 4 HOLLER, Adlai Cornwell Rev. b: 18 Jun 1898
 +FAIR, Miriam b: 24 Nov 1899 m: 10 Apr 1924
 Father: S. A. Fair
 4 HOLLER, James Carlisle b: 20 Jun 1900
 +MCFALL, Anna Dean b: 13 Apr 1904 Father: Henry (MD)
 Hall
 4 HOLLER, Walker Wesley Col. b: 04 Oct 1902 in South
 Carolina d: 05 Jan 1992 in Chapel Hill (P), Orange, NC
 +MAUKERT, Thelma Father: Carl Maukert
 4 HOLLER, Martha Miller b: 08 Aug 1905 in Chester Village,
 Chester, SC d: 28 Dec 2003 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co.,
 NC
 +HOBBS, Edwin W. m: 1931 d: 1958
 4 HOLLER, Mary Louisa Oni b: 22 May 1908 d: Aft. Jan 2004

..... +RICE, Edmond Lee (MD) b: Mar 1904 m: 29 Jun 1936 in
 Shanghai, China.
 4 HOLLER, Alice Elwood b: 22 May 1911
 +WIGGINS, Lemuel Edgar Jr. Father: Rev. Lemuel Edgar
 Wiggins
 4 HOLLER, John Emory MD b: 25 Mar 1913
 +STUCKY, Edith Wilhelmina Father: George E. Stucky
 4 HOLLER, Daisy Marion b: 30 Oct 1916 d: 16 Sep 2006 in
 Rock Hill, SC
 +WILSON, Melford Alonzo d: Bef. 2006 Father: (MD)
 Wilson
 2 WALKER, Emma Oni b: 13 Jan 1852 in Chester, Chester Co., SC d: 08 Mar
 1925 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC
 +HART, Eugene Napoleon b: 08 Aug 1844 in Aiken Co., SC m: 02 Feb 1879
 d: 06 Jun 1916 in Columbia, Richland Co., SC Father: Wiley Hart
 Mother: Henrietta Victoria Jones
 3 HART, Jessie May b: 29 Sep 1879 in Chester, SC d: 29 Jun 1956 in
 Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC
 +SHUMAN, Charles Franklin b: 21 Mar 1880 in Charlotte,
 Mecklenburg Co., NC m: 1906 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg, NC d: 14
 Oct 1958 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC Father: James Jacob
 "Jake" Shuman Mother: Isabelle "Bella" Northey
 4 SHUMAN, Albert Cornwell b: 06 Mar 1908 in Charlotte,
 Mecklenburg Co., NC d: 23 Aug 2003 in Lafayette, IN
 +CROMBIE, Eleanor Bonney b: 06 Sep 1910 in Cortland, NY
 m: 24 Nov 1932 in Kenmore, NY d: 15 Oct 2003 in Lafayette,
 IN Father: Harold Chevalier Crombie Mother: Mabel Evelyn
 Bonnie
 4 SHUMAN, Son b: 29 Jan 1911 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co.,
 NC d: 29 Jan 1911 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC
 4 SHUMAN, Jack Northey b: 13 Mar 1913 in Charlotte,
 Mecklenburg Co., NC d: 01 Jan 2006 in Charlotte,
 Mecklenburg Co., NC
 +GODFREY, Dorothy Mae b: 05 May 1928 in Mecklenburg
 County, NC m: 1951 Father: D. C. Godfrey Mother:
 Mamie ??
 4 SHUMAN, Donald Walker b: 29 Jan 1915 in Charlotte,
 Mecklenburg Co., NC d: 24 Nov 2010 in Charlotte,
 Mecklenburg Co., NC

..... +BARKALOW, Elizabeth Durham b: 29 Oct 1915 in
Manchester, NH m: 24 Sep 1938 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg
Co., NC Father: James Ray Barkalow Mother: Emily Durham

..... 2 WALKER, William Roseborough b: 15 Oct 1856 in Chester, SC d: 26 Nov
1902 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC
..... +HANNON, Mary Jane "Jennie" b: Jan 1860 in NC m: 02 Jan 1881
Father: ? Hannon Mother: Martha K. Stephens

..... 3 WALKER, William "Willie" Franklin Sr b: 20 Feb 1882 in Charlotte,
Mecklenburg Co., NC d: 13 Oct 1964 in Allentown, PA
..... +UPP, Sarah Leone b: 05 May 1901 in Hillsboro, OH m: Bet. 1920 –
1930 d: Oct 1976 in Richmond, Henrico, VA Father: Robert W. Upp
Mother: Nellie R. ?

..... 4 WALKER, William Franklin Jr b: 08 Sep 1926 d: 02 Aug
2006 in Nueces, Texas
..... +CHAPMAN, Mary
..... *2nd Wife of WALKER, William Frank Jr:

..... +CASTLES, Minnie ? d: 1992

..... 4 WALKER, Robert Hannon Sr. b: 18 Oct 1929 d: 28 Oct 2011
in Richmond, VA
..... +HOBBS, Carole d: Aft. 2011

..... 4 WALKER, Eugene Warson Sr. b: 08 Mar 1930 in Richmond,
VA d: 05 Jan 2005 in Freeport, Maine
..... +HICKS, Etta Lucille b: 24 Jun 1932 in Sandston, VA m: 13
Nov 1949 in Richmond, VA d: 26 May 2006
..... *2nd Wife of WALKER, Eugene Warson Sr:

..... +YOUNG, Mazie Burroughs b: 13 Dec 1927 m: Sep 1970
d: 14 Sep 1997

..... 4 WALKER, Rex Edwin Sr b: 22 Jan 1934 d: 23 May 2000

..... +READ, Doris L.

..... 3 WALKER, Child b: Bet. 1882 - 1900

..... 3 WALKER, Frederick Eugene b: 02 Jan 1885 in Charlotte,
Mecklenburg Co., NC d: 11 Sep 1949 in Wilmington, New Hanover,
NC
+? d: Bef. 1949

..... 4 WALKER, David E. b: 01 Jul 1913 in NC d: 11 Sep 1994 in
Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC

..... 3 WALKER, Mamie Ivey b: 23 Jan 1887 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg

Co., NC d: 20 Dec 1910
+BARKLEY, William Harris Sr

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4 BARKLEY, Elizabeth b: Abt. 1906

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WALKER, Mamie S. (Mary?) b: 27 May 1857 in Chester, Chester Co., SC
SC d. 09 Jun 1888

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.....**End of Introduction**

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The Third of Four Files**

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21 Mar 1870 - **Rachel Eliza McCullough Walker** died in Chester, SC before the Census was taken. She was 56 years old. There was a short write-up in the Yorkville Enquirer stating she had had a painful several weeks of illness prior to dying. [Bill Gregory has the photo copy.] Can you find it to insert it here?

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and the cook, may have cooked for the family and boarders...and then went home to her home after preparing evening meal and cleaning kitchen and back in early morning hours... [or she may have cooked for some other family, but lived in the hotel]

1870

(1870 maybe?) I see John Walker was sheriff...and at that time the sheriff family was provided housing in the old jail, that is still standing...It is to the right of the library. Sheriff's family had one floor for residence, I think the main floor and prisoners were on 2nd and third floor....

ok...Emma, Mary and William were in building/dwelling number 89 and they were family unit number 104 in order of visitation. So they all were very close. It may be possible that they all lived in a large building/house/hotel/boarding house...The plantation Hotel stood where the City Hall/Opera House was built...but it burned....

1870

Rachel Walker was buried in Evergreen Cemetery, Chester, SC. Russ Hall told me there are a lot of Walkers in this cemetery.

Lacking telephones and other news media an invitation to Rachael's funeral was written on a piece of paper with black ribbon woven around the words and held in place with a straight pin. It read:

The Relatives, Friends
and Acquaintances of
Mrs. Rachael E. Walker
are respectfully invited
to attend her funeral
at the Presbyterian Church
today at 2 o'clock.

Chester, SC
March 22nd, 1870

Thoughts about the cemetery and headstones: Some of this is reported earlier in our Time Line, but it is timely to have it here, too, in case some of it is new information.

Peggy, I was thinking only last night... why was our Col William and his wife buried in Evergreen Cemetery? a new cemetery at that time and not connected to any church... almost disconnected from the other Walkers in this area... Hummmmmm.

11/28/10 (contains several emails)

Hi Peg... I was just now thinking the very exact thought!

I think the office that has those records is in the old Opera House, site of the colonel Walker's hotel....re there any records telling who bought the plots?

They (Col Wm) may have bought space when the child died in 1841.

Lots were not sold until after March 1858, BUT... their child may have been buried there earlier and this may be why they wanted to be buried at Evergreen.

Now... we just have to know. LOLOL

A portion of what became the Evergreen Cemetery was being used for burials as early as 1840, but those graves were not marked.

Then Thomas Degraffenried sold a piece of land to the city and it was added to

The cemetery officially opened for plot sales in March of 1858...

My Guess is that the son, Thomas bought the plot of graves and reserved one for his own resting place....Bill

11/29

Hi Peggy...

This is what I was able to gather today about the plot at Evergreen Cemetery:

I want to visit the plot and have a good look soon... I have a gut feeling that the 2 children we seek are buried there as well...

and the reason that those burial plots were not sold before the Colonel's death in 1862, as it was known in the community that their two children were buried there....

There are three adjacent plots...

I know who owned those other two plots:

[E. M.] Evans and his wife in plot #168 and #183 Samuel McCormick, only has two burials, and #184 is the Anderson Plot, but the stone is illegible....

I want to know who is buried in those plots....The Big Red book at city hall may have this information. I will go and look soon...

Bill

11/30

I returned to the city hall today and reexamined the RED book and I am sure now that it was C T Walker that purchased the lot...

The plot size was 15 foot x 20 foot... Then I went back to Evergreen Cemetery and reexamined every square inch of those stones.

Looking at Col William's stone I noted that it was signed by the monumnt maker, but could not read it, as it was very aged. I was prepared for this and made a rubbing and it read... McNinch and Kendrick, Charlotte, NC

I can not help but wonder if our Chester, SC McNinch family (that were stone workers) were not somehow connected to this stone manufacture... Also the McNinch family plot adjoins Col William's plot.

As for the two missing childrens graves... I found nothing...to suggest their being buried in the area... not even a small rock or a depression in the earth. nothing.

Rest well,

Bill

CT Walker may have had the Colonel's stone made up in Charlotte, and brought it down here.

I had already thought of that. The McNinch family was in Chester through the 1860 census and then in Charlotte in the 1870 census. There were a bunch of Stone Masons/cutters in the McNinch family. I feel certain it is the same family. I haven't researched the other name in the business that you mentioned. Wonder if they were connected to the Walkers in any way? C. T. Walker died in Charlotte in 1888 so he would have been there when the stone cutting McNinches were in business in Charlotte.

I wonder if the McNinchs went to Charlotte when so many others from Chester went. There is so much to think about! We might figure some connections out in this Walker family yet!

The stones might have been erected much later than the actual death date.

Evergreen Cemetery, Chester, SC

Plot number 167, owned/purchased June 14, 1879 (4 plots) paid \$20.00 by C. F. Walker

this early area. This area had been known as donated area, where many were buried before the city formed the proper Cemetery in 1852..... it is not known why C F [T] Walker did not pay for this plot until 1879, when in fact, the City began to sell lots March 1852.

As we see all 4 plots in #167 were used...

Col. Wm. Walker Sept 16, 1812- March 5, 1862

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d/O Col. Wm. and R.E. Walker

Thomas A Walker Dec 28, 1834 - Dec 24, 1884 (broken Tombstone)

***** End of discussion about the Cemetery

1870

1870 Census, Town of Chester. It looks like they were all staying [Annie Walker Kennedy, her two children, and her brother Thomas Walker] in Edward Graham's house. **Dwelling 88, Family 103.**

Post Office: Chester Household Members: Name Age

Edward Graham 19, Clerk

Annie Kennedy 27

[Sarah A. "Sallie"] Kennedy 10

Richard Kennedy 8

Thomas Walker 36, Clerk

Perhaps Thomas and Edward knew each other from where they worked? Edward moved from Chester to Mecklenburg, too.

North Carolina Death Certificates, 1909-1975 about Edward Graham

Name: Edward Graham

Gender: Male

Race: White

Age: 64

Birth Date: 4 Jul 1851

Birth Place: Chester, South Carolina, United States

Death Date: 24 Mar 1916
Death Location: Pineville, Mecklenburg
Father's name: T M Graham
Mother's name: Annie Atkinson

In the next house of this 1870 census of Chester, Chester on page 11 (of 24 pages) is Emma and her family. She is in Dwelling 89 and she is family 104, including her two youngest siblings. It looks to me like there are other people in the house - one is a group of 4 men including Charles Dooley, who Batie Walker later married, as family 105. The third group (106) is Batie, baby Dooley, and some other people. Why weren't Batie, baby Dooley and Charles Dooley living together?

This is a strange group to be in one house. It appears 18 year old Emma was left in charge of Mary [I think we refer to her as Mamie], 16 and William 14 after their mother died. [We lose track of Mamie after this census. She should have been alive for the 1880 Census somewhere.]

That is true about the cash assets. I had not thought of that. I bet they had to sell everything when he died. So you are thinking that he (Col. Wm.) might not have had any land or house to sell after his death? Or for his family to stay in after his death? That does make sense with the different family living units after the mother's death. Evidently no relatives came forward to help the three youngest children when the mother died. Also the journey to Charlotte to better themselves. Maybe they had nothing in Chester.

Did you get anything out of the 1870 census that I didn't see?

Is there any way of telling if they are in the same house in 1870 as they were in 1860? Rachael had just died, but she might have been living with her family in the 1870 house prior to her death. If Rachael was sick for very long perhaps the land (if they owned anything) was gifted to the son who took care of the minor children? [That was Thomas A. Walker. He never married and was in Charlotte in 1880 and dead in 1884.]

Sallie Walker Cornwell was dead by 1862. She had one child when she died.

Charles Thomas Walker was in Charlotte in 1870 and 1880 and dead in 1883.

Anna Walker was married and living in Chester in the 1860 census. She lived next door to a Jno. D. Walker who was a dentist. (Could he be a relative?) She lived as a widow with a child in Chester in 1870, and was in Charlotte, NC in the 1880 census. She was dead before 1887. I believe her name was Anna Elizabeth Walker because that was written in pencil in a scrapbook.

[Jno T. Walker was a dentist in 1860 and is #8 on my chart. He doesn't seem to be connected to the other Walker line.]

Batie Walker was married by 1870 living in Chester and was in Charlotte by 1880. She was dead by 1884. [I am still a little mixed up about her two marriages and children.]

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Peg... note that the cooks name in 1870 is Emily McCollum... wonder if she was a former slave of the McCollum family...

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Mamie is in the group with Emma in the 1870 census. Where is she in 1880?

yes. the cook is a black lady around 37, if I remember.. if this census was given during the working day, most likely while most were out of house working, someone else gave the information...

Also there was a large livery stable right in downtown Chester at that time and young green mules were brought into the area on railroad cars and broke and trained in this area...so a blacksmith had work right in downtown...

Do you suppose they were able to sell it to finance going to Charlotte? If the family managed the hotel after William's death they might not have had to pay rent. But then it should have been listed as a hotel in the 1870 census.

I don't know that all three of those groups were relatives. In other words I don't know that they were one big happy ... and it could be possible... or the place could have burned and maybe insurance helped them move to Charlotte.

Peg...No I do not think they were all related... I think some were living there as their work was in downtown area of Chester and their customers were in that area, such as seamstress and blacksmith... probably boarders...

and the cook, may have cooked for the family and boarders...and then went home to her home after preparing evening meal and cleaning kitchen and back in early morning hours...

*******End of discussion about the 1870 Census**

1870

I think our Col. Walkers went to a Methodist Church in Chester. The reason being: the book on the history of Calvary Methodist Church in Charlotte, folks who all "transferred their letters" to Calvary when they moved to Charlotte. I don't think it would be worded that way if they were of a different denomination. Was there more than one Methodist church about 1865 in Chester? Do you think I could find any records from it? Can I find out when they all transferred? I suspect it was soon after Rachel died. This is the quote from the book about Calvary Methodist Church, Charlotte, NC:

"Among those who moved to Charlotte a little earlier than the days mentioned, were several families, all related, who came up from South Carolina. Mr. Will Walker, spokesman for the group, said that they simply could not make a living in Chester County where they came from. The war had done to them what had happened to so many in the rural areas of the South. After much discussion as to what move to make for the betterment, it was decided to move, lock, stock and barrel to Charlotte where jobs could be found. These are the names of families, men, women and children who made the move. The Walkers, the Harts, the Dooleys, the Jarrells, and the Kennedys. All of them moved their letters to Calvary Church and became staunch members, furnishing leadership through the years. [*MY THOUGHT: Do you take this to mean that they all went to the same church in Chester? If so, perhaps we could track the Walkers through these people and the church.*]" *These people are all related to the Walkers through marriage. I think Will Walker is William Roseborough Walker. NC. In it are listed the*]

1870

Charles T. was in Charlotte by the 1870 Census. The other remaining Walker family members were in Chester in the 1870 Census with Thomas A. as HOH. Rachael died 3/21/1870, so they didn't pack up and leave as soon as she died.

I wonder if T. A. is Thomas A. b. 1834, son of Col. William and Rachael

1870

Oct. 6, 1870 Thomas A. Walker, Chester County, served on petit jury.

T. A. Walker in year 1870 served as one of the constables in Chester County, SC. In the 1870 Census he was a clerk. I assumed in a store, but maybe for the courts?

1870

Peggy...

I typed in Walker in the 1870 Federal census of Chester County at ancestry... and it popped up a fairly long list of walkers... it seems that they are divided into two areas of the county. Baton Rouge/West Chester and then some sprinkled in the Landsford, Fort Lawn, Lewisville area.

This listing will also give you birth dates and help you to establish different generations of Walkers... I have also noticed a Martha Walker living with some Lipsey, or Lipsy family... I wonder who she was?

Alexander Walker Information.

He is #1 in my chart, but I have a different birth date for him.

Born 1867; he died June 17,1881.

a. Victoria Walker, 4. Born June 2, 1846. Married John Lawson Walker January 3,1884. He was born February 9, 1845, and died May 31, 1913.

(a) Charles Alexander Walker, 5. Born October 27,1884. Married Annie Rebecca Cunningham May10, 1917.

x. Robert Lawson Walker, 6. Born August 21,1918.

(b) John Davis Walker, 5. Born September 10, 1888. Married Lila Woodward November 4,1912.

x. John Davis Walker, 6. Born April, 1919.

y. Edward Woodward Walker, 6. Born August 20,1924.

b. John Alexander Walker, 4. Born April 12, 1849. Unmarried. Died July 10, 1913.

c. Nancy Jane Walker, 4. Born April 7, 1854. Married W. H. Abell, February 28,1882. Died September, 1930.

F. Anne Walker, 3. Born 1801. Married Timothy R. Lipsey 1830. Died May11, 1858.

a Robert Walker Lipsey, 4. Born1832. Married Mary Louise Marion Leard 1866.

(a) Annie Mae Lipsey, 5. Married Dr. Simpson Wise.

x. Marion Wise, 6.

(b) Alice Lipsey, 5.

(c) Susan Lipsey, 5.

(d) Thomas Eugene Leard Lipsey, 5. Born1873. Married Mrs. Harriet Lee Wharton, 1927.

x. Thomas Eugene Leard Lipsey, 6. Born1929.

1872

Sept 25, 1872 Mary Walker had been charged with Lunacy, and was in the Chester County jail. There are MANY Mary Walkers in Chester. Some are black. Did the article say an age, by any chance? [Even though this could possibly be Mamie (Mary) Walker I doubt it because Mamie appeared in the 1870 Census of Charlotte with Emma.]

Wm. McDonald ordered her to be released.

1870 United States Federal Census about Wm. McDonald

Name: Wm Mcdonald

Birth Year: abt 1845

Age in 1870:

Birthplace: South Carolina

Home in 1870: Baton Rouge, Chester, South Carolina

Race: Black

Gender: Male

Post Office: Chester

Wm Mcdonald

Louisa Mcdonald

Harriett Mcdonald

Hampton Mcdonald

1876

William Walker (Sept) and J L Walker (Jan and Sept) served on the juries of 1876 in Chester County, SC [No J. L. Walker in 1860 or 1870 of Chester.]

1876

John W. Walker was serving as sheriff of Chester County on Aug 29, 1876, according to court documents.

United States Federal Census

about John W Walker

Birth Year: abt 1813

Age in 1870:

Birthplace: South Carolina

Home in 1870: Chester, Chester, South Carolina

Race: White

John W Walker **SHERIFF**

Mary Walker

Hattie Walker

Ella Walker

John Walker

1877

Addison Walker and Fred Walker served on juries in Chester County, March of 1877

United States Federal Census about Fred Walker

Name: Fred Walker

Home in 1880: Chester, Chester, South Carolina

Estimated birth year: abt 1852

Birthplace: South Carolina

Relation to head-of-household: Son

Father's name: William A. Walker

Father's birthplace: South Carolina

Mother's birthplace: South Carolina

Occupation: Clerks In Store

Marital Status: Single

Race: White

Gender: Male

William A. Walker

G. Annie Walker

Fred Walker

James P. Walker

William P. Mcluse

Gillum Words

United States Federal Census about **Addison Walker**

Name: Addison Walker

Birth Year: abt 1831

Age in 1870:
Birthplace: South Carolina
Home in 1870: West Chester, Chester, South Carolina
Addison Walker FARMER, black
Adeline Walker
Sarah J Walker
James H Walker
Samuel Walker
Cesar Walker
George W Walker
Peter M Walker
Margaret Walker
Margaret Thompson
William D Walker (He is white, all the rest are black)

1877

William A. Walker had his horse valued at \$125.00 stolen by Preston Carter alias George Porter... verdict of April 1877 was Guilty.

United States Federal Census about William A. Walker

Name: William A. Walker

Home in 1880: Chester, Chester, South Carolina

Estimated birth year: abt 1820

Birthplace: South Carolina

Relation to head-of-household: Self (Head)

Father's birthplace: South Carolina

Mother's birthplace: South Carolina

Occupation: Lawyer

Marital Status: Single

Race: White

William A. Walker LAWYER

G. Annie Walker DAUGHTER [Peggy look this up to see if she is Annie Gills]

Fred Walker

James P. Walker

William P. Mcluse

Gillum Words

Rachael E. Walker died 1870. Would her land have been in limbo that long?

Does this say that Charles T. asked the court to force Thomas A. to sell the property? Does it name the "others"?

If this is about Rachel's sons, perhaps Thomas A. was living in the house and brother Charles T. didn't like it?

This might be what drove the family to Charlotte.

1877 – October

A HOUSE and LOT,

situated in the Town of Chester S C, on Main street bounds.. by Main street and by lots of Mrs. E J Hinton, Dr S E Babcock et al. containing one fourth of an acre, more or less, being the late residence of Col Wm Walker dec'd, to be sold by order of the Probate Court, at the suit of C T Walker vs Thos A Walker et al.

Terms—Cash sufficient to pay the costs of these proceedings. The balance on a credit of 12 months with good security and a mortgage of the premises. Purchaser to pay for necessary papers.

Sheriff's Office, } JOHN W WALKER,
Oct 10th 1877. } S C C

1878

Fredrick Walker was on Grand Jury, January 1878; Chester County, SC
No Frederick in either 1870 or 1880 Census. We found a J. Fred (son of #14)

1878

W. E. Walker, was appointed jailer on January 18, 1878, by then sheriff of Chester County, John W. Walker.

United States Federal Census about William E Walker

Birth Year: abt 1843

Age in 1870:

Birthplace: South Carolina

Home in 1870: Lewisville, Chester, South Carolina

Andrew Walker

Mary A Walker

William E Walker (He is actually 1 year old in this census)

James G Walker ?/12

1880

October 9, 1880

W. E. Walker, Wm. Walker, and S. C. Walker are listed as constables.

There were about 10 William Walkers in Chester County in 1880! The one right below is probably (W.E.) William, since he is a lawyer. Many were under 10 years of age and one was 100.

United States Federal Census about William A. Walker

Name: William A. Walker

Home in 1880: Chester, Chester, South Carolina

Estimated birth year: abt 1820

Birthplace: South Carolina

Relation to head-of-household: Self (Head)

Father's birthplace: South Carolina

Mother's birthplace: South Carolina

Occupation: Lawyer

Marital Status: Single Widowed

Race: White

William A. Walker

G. Annie Walker Daughter

Fred Walker Son

James P. Walker Son

William P. Mcluse Boarder

~~Gillum Words~~ Not on the census with this household

1880 United States Federal Census about William Walker

Name: William Walker

Home in 1880: Chester, Chester, South Carolina

Estimated birth year: abt 1847

Birthplace: South Carolina

Relation to head-of-household: Self (Head)

Spouse's name: Lizzie Walker

Father's birthplace: South Carolina

Mother's birthplace: South Carolina

Occupation: Farmer

Marital Status: Married

Race: Mu

William Walker

Lizzie Walker

William Walker

Thomas Walker

John Walker m

William Walkers were only 18 - one was black; one was mulatto and living with the Gooch family

There was no S.C. Walker in Chester. There was one in Indian Hill, Abbeville, South Carolina

There was no S. Walker in Chester.

There was no C. Walker in Chester

[Were there any in MS? When Emma died, William's grand son-in-law, C. F. Shuman, told the funeral home that Emma's father was born in MS.]

[Peggy's note2016]: I have found a possible connection to one Chester Walker who later lived in Oktibbeha, MS. I looked for a connection to Oktibbeha because one of my Col. Wm. Walker's daughters wrote a little story about saying Goodbye to Oktibbeha - probably in the 1850s. I figure someone in the family must have lived ther.

1880

Where are the Walker children? I think any living were in Charlotte, NC, except Lavicia who was married to Dr. Cornwell in Chester.

1880

Emma's brother Charles T. was a horse trader in 1880. He lived on Graham St. in the city of Charlotte, NC. I don't picture it as being "in the country". Wouldn't he have had to have a supply of horses somewhere? I think he was also the one who was on the Charlotte Fire Dept.

Perhaps 1880 Charlotte Graham St. was rural.

He, Thomas, William, Widow Anna Kennedy, and Widow Batie Dooly all lived close. Charles was a few houses away from the other three.

On same page was a Chambers family headed by a woman Sarah Chambers. They were all born NC. [I think Chambers is a name Virginia connects to my family, but probably not from NC.]

1880-1890

Five of the Walker children died in the 1880s. The average age at death for Col William Walker's family was 44 years old.

1882

Yorkville Enquirer. April 27, 1882, Image 3

DEATH OF SENATOR WALKER, OF CHESTER.—General William A. Walker, State Senator from Chester county, died on Friday night after a protracted illness, running back to the session of the last Legislature. He was in his seat in the Senate in the earlier days of the session in December, but had to be excused and returned home. Toward the close of the

session, although suffering, his sense of public duty induced him to leave his sick bed and return to take part in legislation affecting his own constituency, and returning home he grew worse until the close of his useful life on Friday night.

General Walker was born in Chester in 1820 and graduated from the South Carolina College in 1840, and in 1842 was admitted to the bar, of which he soon became a prominent and successful member. He entered the Confederate service as Captain in the First South Carolina Cavalry and subsequently rose to the rank of Lieutenant Colonel. He was wounded at Gettysburg and on his recovery joined his command and was in all remaining struggles until the surrender. He was elected to the House from Chester in 1865 and to the Senate in 1876 and re-elected in 1878. He was a man of high character, quiet and unobtrusive manners, and true in every relation of life.—*Columbia Register*.

1882

July 10, 1882

Book 57, p. 43a

Henry C. Rothrock of Chester, SC and his mother Charlotte Rothrock of Davidson Co., NC sold the property they had bought at public auction (**Rachel Eliza Walker's** ¼ acre property) back to **Charles T. Walker** of Meck Co. Charles T. Walker of Mecklenburg County, NC paid \$850 for this property.

Description: ½ acre lot and improvements fronting on Saluda Street. Bordered by the lots of Mrs. Eliza J. Hinton, Miss Wilson, Consor, and Dr. S. E. Babcock.

(See July 3, 1877 below for more)

Charles Thomas Walker died in 1883. What happened to the house he bought back?

1883

18 Apr 1883 son **CHARLES THOMAS WALKER** died in Charlotte, NC. He was 44 years old. He had married Ella L. Elam and they had an adopted daughter **Rosa Walker**.

Handwritten letter:

Charlotte, N.C.

Mrs. Chas. T. Walker

The members of the Police force of City of Charlotte, F. W. McNinch Chief and privates Irvin, Boyte, Blackwilder, Hull, Stevens, Healy, Orr and Porter having met together to take action expressive of the sorrow at the death of Alderman Chas. T. Walker, the following Resolutions

were unanimously adopted.

Resolved That the police of the City of Charlotte have heard with profound regrets of the sudden demise of Alderman Chas. T. Walker, who in his official capacity as well as in his private intercourse with the members of the force, had always shown that kindness of heart joined with firmness of purpose that had drawn to him so many friends.

Resolved that in his death the Police feel that they have lost a friend and the City a firm and faithful Officer.

Resolved that a copy of these resolutions be sent to the afflicted family of the deceased as a token of the deep sympathy which the City Police feel for them in their sad bereavement.

J. W. Boyte, Secretary

F. W. McNinch, Chairman

Handwritten letter:

Charlotte, N.C. April 18, 1883

Mrs. Walker,

In obedience to the direction of the Board of Aldermen I herewith enclose to you a copy of the proceedings of the board in respect to the memory of your husband. In performing this duty - to me one of sadness - permit me to add my voice to the declarations of the Mayor and Aldermen in attesting the high character for patriotism, fidelity and intelligence, on all occasions displayed by him so sadly mourned by you today.

For years I have known Charles T. Walker and have been with him engaged in official business, and never can I remember an occasion when his sense of duty was made to yield to personal preferences - and of him it can with truth be said that he was t___ faithful alike to his friends and to the public who so often trusted him.

Allow me to tender you, in this bereavement, my heartfelt sympathy.

Very respectfully,
Your obt servant - Fred Nash

(something written under his name that didn't copy)

Handwritten:

Tribute of Respect

At a regular meeting of Mecklenburg Declaration Lodge No. 9 ---- held at Stein Hall on the Evening of April the 24th A.D. 1883 the following Preamble and Resolutions were unanimously adopted.

Whereas, it has pleased God in his Devine Providence to remove from our midst Brother Charles T. Walker - Sitting Past Grand who departed this life on Wednesday morning the 18th day of April 1883 in the 45th year of his age and

Whereas, In the death of Brother Walker the Lodge has suffered an irreparable loss as an odd fellow he was always loyal, his allegiance to the Order was true and constant, his faith in its Grand Capabilities for Good never waned to the end of his life he was fixed in his devotion

and was ready at all times to lift his voice in advocacy and defiance of its high and sacred missions, we mourn his loss, there is a vacancy in our ranks hard to realize, the warm heart that was always faithful has ceased to beat, the eloquent voice that was always --- is silent, the familiar face and form have been laid away forever, but the memory of his life will survive and will remain a valued heritage for all coming time to - order he loved so devotedly and served so well. Therefore, be it,

Resolved that in the death of Brother Walker the Lodge has been be---ved of one of its most zealous, earnest and able members, his wife a loving husband,. His family a kind and affectionate friend, the community a good citizen, who was always wise in council and faithful in labors.

Resolved, that we will cherish with fraternal love the memory of our deceased Brother and tender to his afflicted family our most heartfelt sympathy, and commend them to Him who is too wise to err, and too good to be unkind and trust that He who tempers the wind to the Shorn Lamb will comfort them in their berievement.

Resolved that a blank page in our Minute Book be devoted to Brother Walker's memory and that our Lodge Room be draped in mourning and the members wear the usual badge for thirty days.

Resolved that a copy of these proceedings be furnished the wife and family of our departed Brother - as

One by one, the autumn leaves fall
While each for itself must answer the call
Of the withering blast that comes to all,
Wait for it, dread it as all of us may
"One by one, we are passing away."

Fraternally
Thomas Ledwell
W. M. Crowell
Jno A. Bixby
(Committee)

H. D. Duckworth
Secty

1884

24 Feb 1884 son THOMAS A. WALKER died, He was 50 years old. I don't know where he lived when he died. He never married to my knowledge. I have not been able to find a death notice for him.

1885

April 7, 1885

Thomas Walker, age 21, son of Dave Walker indicted for abduction and marriage of a maid within 16 years...

Thomas took Margaret Harris, born may 19, 1871, daughter of Alexander Harris, against her parents will... charged with "abducting and deflowering"

Grand Jury issued decision of No... Bill [Gregory?]. [see if I can find original or if Bill can clear this up]

1880 United States Federal Census about Thomas Walker

Name: Thomas Walker
Home in 1880: Chester, Chester, South Carolina
Age: 16
Estimated birth year: abt 1864
Birthplace: South Carolina
Relation to head-of-household: Son
Father's name: David Walker
Father's birthplace: South Carolina
Mother's name: Hizzey Walker
Mother's birthplace: South Carolina
Neighbors: View others on page
Occupation: Farm Laborer
Marital Status: Single
Race: Black
Gender: Male
David Walker
Hizzey Walker
Thomas Walker (He was 21 in 1885)
Dolly Walker
Louisa Walker
David Walker
Mcduffie Walker
James Walker
Rose Carter
Ben Carter

Alexander Harris, black, found on same census page in 1880 census, but I don't see a daughter Margaret. He did have an underage daughter Jane, 11 in 1880 [She would be 16 in 1885]

1885

8 Feb 1885 daughter **BATIE NARCISSA JENNINGS WALKER JARRELL DOOLEY** died in Charlotte, NC. She was 40 years old. She married first Jarrell and 2nd Dooley. She had two sons. [Where did the names Narcissus and Jennings come from?]

1887

09 Jun 1887 daughter **ANNA ELIZABETH WALKER KENNEDY** died in Charlotte, NC. She was 45 years old. She had married **Allen D. Kennedy** in Chester, SC in 1858 and they had two children

1887

Okay. This has to do with Rebecca E. Walker. The date is 1877. [Bill, are you thinking that she is Rachael E. Walker? She wasn't.]

(My) Charles T. Walker died in 1883 and Thomas A. Walker died in 1884 so they were both still alive in 1877.

Rachael E. Walker died 1870. Would her land have been in limbo that long?

Does this say that Charles T. asked the court to force Thomas A. to sell the property? Does it name the "others"?

If this is about Rachel's sons, perhaps Thomas A. was living in the house and brother Charles T. didn't like it??

This might be what drove the family to Charlotte.

From Bill in email on 5/24/2010 at 5:31 p.m.

John Dickey, Justice of Peace

Henry C. Rothrock

Book 55, p. 5, 6, 7

Charles T. Walker (Petition on or about July 3, 1877) in court of probate against Thomas A. Walker, and other defendants praying for a sale.

Hearing on Sept. 3, 1877 decreed property to be sold at public auction by sheriff of Chester County.

Sold November 5, 1877 for \$510 to Henry C. Rothrock. Bordered by Mrs. Eliza J. Hinton, Miss Wilson, Consar, Dr. S. E. Babcock.

1887

J L Walker served on Petit Jury Oct 1887...

next box or drawer will be the year 1888 YEAH!!!!!!!!!!!!

Bill [I think he is J. Lawson Walker.]

1888

09 Jun 1888 daughter **MAMIE S. WALKER** died. Age 31. I don't know where she lived when she died - or why she died so young. She never married that I know of. Could we locate her anywhere? Maybe she DID marry. I saw her name as Mary, aged 8 in the 1860 Census.

1891

From website:

<http://www.nationalregister.sc.gov/chester/S10817712006/S10817712006BI.pdf>

Academy Street. Joseph Walker House. Two-story, common bond brick house with tin-shingled mansard roof South and east slopes of roof have gable-roofed east slopes of roof have gable-roofed dormers with double round-headed, stained glass windows. The hipped-roof porch has turned columns with arched spindle frieze between them. The house was built in 1892 by Joseph Walker, a merchant who purchased the site and the old male academy which stood at the corner of the lot. He demolished the academy and used its bricks in building this house.

Henry's 1897 at 1/2 Main Street and 108-110 Gadsden Street. Walker and Building. Pair of connected buildings constructed in the angle between Main Street and Gadsden Street.

126 West End Street. John G. White House. Two-story, clapboarded frame house v/ith intersecting gabled slate roofs. House was built in 1891 for John G. White, brother of Thomas White, a partner in Joseph Wylie & Co. and Vice-President of White Brothers Bank. In 1898 substantial additions were made to the rear and the house was generally

reworked to appear more classical and less Queen Anne. Deep lot includes a large, nineteenth century barn, two frame garages and several small outbuildings. Victorian iron fencing run along front of lot.

1893

"Carolina Spartan"

Spartanburg, SC

Issue of January 18, 1893

Chester, January 21,--Ex-Sheriff J.W. WALKER, an aged and respected citizen, died at his home in this town last night. For twelve or fourteen years he was sheriff of Chester County, his official career ending in 1884, when he was succeeded by the incumbent. Sheriff WALKER was a highly esteemed citizen, and lived to be about four score years old. He had been ruling elder in the Presbyterian Church here for many years. [Look for his death announcement?] Emma kept this notice. Was he a relative?

Mortuary Notice of Sheriff Walker

Date: Monday, January 23, 1893: **Paper:** State (Columbia, South Carolina)

Issue: 332

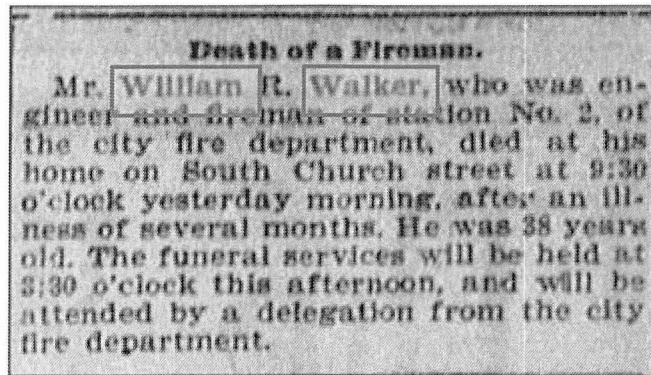
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Ex-Sheriff Walker, of Chester, Dead.

CHESTER, Jan. 22.—Special.—Ex-Sheriff John W. Walker died at his home on Centre street yesterday morning, in the seventy-seventh year of his age. He had only been sick for two days, and being so feeble, his system just gave way. Mr. Walker was an upright, honest, Christian gentleman, being at the time of his death the oldest elder in the Presbyterian church at this place. He was always a regular attendant at all religious services, and took great interest in the Sunday-school work of his church. He was kind and generous to every one, and everybody in this

county was a friend of John W. Walker. The Rev. B. N. McLaughlin, pastor of the Presbyterian church, conducted the funeral services today at 9 o'clock, and the remains were laid to rest in old Purity cemetery, two miles outside of the city, in the presence of a large concourse of friends.

1902
11/27/18902



1908

10 Jan 1908 daughter **MARGARET LAVICIA WALKER CORNWELL** died in Cornwell, SC. She was 59 years old. She was married to Dr. W. J. W. Cornwell in 1833 in Cornwell, SC and they had one daughter.

From FiondaGrave:

Birth: May 31, 1849, USA
Death: Jan. 10, 1908
Chester County
South Carolina, USA

Mrs. Cornwell, wife of Dr. W. J. W. Cornwell, died yesterday morning, at the age of 65. She had been in failing health for more than a year. She is survived by her husband and an only child, Mrs. May Cornwell Holler.

The funeral service took place at noon today, being held by the Rev. C. G. Brown, pastor of Pleasant Grove Presbyterian church, of which Mrs. Cornwell had been a consistent member.

1920

1920 Census for Emma said that her father, **Col William Walker**, was born in **Mississippi**. Same Census said that **Eugene Hart** was born in **GA**.

1925

08 Mar 1925 **EMMA ONI WALKER HART** died in Charlotte, NC in the home of her daughter and son-in-law. She was 72 years old.

She married Eugene N. Hart in 1879 and they had a daughter, Jessie May Hart, but Eugene soon left her and the infant.

MRS. EMMA O. HART.
Mrs. Emma O. Hart, aged 73 years, widow of E. N. Hart, died yesterday morning at 10:15 o'clock at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. F. Shuman, 1806 South boulevard.

In addition to her daughter, Mrs. Hart is survived by three grandsons, Cornwell, Jack and Donald Shuman; four nephews, William G. Jarrell and George L. Dopley, of Charlotte; William F. Walker, of Richmond, Va., and Fred Walker, of Atlanta, and two nieces, Mrs. A. E. Holler, of Chester, S. C., and Miss Sallie E. Kennedy, of Charlotte.

Mrs. Hart was born in Chester, S. C., the daughter of Colonel William and Rachel Walker.

Funeral services will be conducted at the Dilworth Methodist church this afternoon at 3 o'clock, in charge of Rev. George D. Herman, the pastor. Interment will be in Elmwood cemetery.

Palbearers will be C. E. Wakefield, Lester Wolfe, Marvin Helms, J. F. Clarke, S. A. Hunter, Sr., and Hazel Owens.

Walkers of Chester County, SC
Misc. Information - not in any special order or time frame
The Fourth of Four Files

Introduction to our Research on the Walker and Related Lines in Chester, SC

When this project started Bill Gregory, Chester, SC offered to do Court House look-ups for me (Peggy in this report) to see if he could locate information about my ancestor Col. Wm. Walker of Chester who married Rachel Eliza McCullough of prob. York County. Bill went to the Court House each day and sent me what he found about ANY Walkers in Chester County. When he talks about "my Col. William", he is referring to my gr gr grandfather, Col William Walker who shows in the 1850 and 1860 Chester Census with his wife Rachel Eliza [McCullough] Walker and amily. He died before the 1870 Census and Rachel died in 1870.

I soon realized it was escalating into a big project with many Walkers mentioned. We decided to put what he found into a Timeline of events.

Any help with untangling all these Walkers, especially the Williams, will be greatly appreciated.

I have reason to believe that my Walker family had ties of some sort to Oktibbeha, MS that might have ended about 1855 or 1860 when one of the Walker girls wrote a very short piece about saying goodbye to Oktibbeha. If you know of any Chester families who had ties to Oktibbeha I (Peggy Treece) would appreciate hearing about them. I can be reached at margarettreece149@hotmail.com

Bill Gregory, who did all the legwork, can be reached by email at wegreg@truvista.net

Virginia Turner can be reached at eytvwt@ftc-i.net

You will note multiple references to the Cornwells. Two of Col. Wm. Walker's daughters married Cornwells. Also included are references to the Kennedys. They were likely connected to the early Walkers or McCulloughs and one of "my" Walkers married Allen (Alan) Kennedy.

Virginia thinks she has found Rachel Eliza McCullough's parents. That is a huge breakthrough as my family has been searching for about 45 years for parents of either Col. William or Rachel. If correct, her father was Thomas McCullough married to Rachel Conley. Widow McCullough owned land in York County. In 1826 she had daughters Mary, Sarah, Dorothy, and Rachel Eliza in her household. The family may have lived in Chester County at one time.

I think it prudent to put in the genealogy of Col. Wm. And Rachel as we believe it to be. The Outline Descendant Chart is at the end of this Introduction. It may clarify for you the family I am looking for. I descend from Emma Oni Walker. Any and all information will be appreciated by me and my "Cousin" Ellouise Hall who can be reached at

ellouise@bellsouth.net. Ellouise is a descendant of my Emma Oni Walker's sister Batie Walker. Newly found "cousin" Jamie Thomasson can be reached at Jester1002@aol.com Jamie is a descendant of Anna Walker (also a sister to my Emma Oni Walker) and Allen Kennedy.

My gr grandmother Emma Oni Walker married Eugene Hart and had one daughter, my grandmother Jessie May Hart [Shuman]. Eugene appears to have deserted the family soon after Jessie's birth and Emma raised her alone – with the help of relatives and specifically by Dr. Cornwell.

Ellouise's ancestor, Batie Narcissus Jennings Walker married two times. Once to a Jarrell and second to a Dooley.

The members of this Walker family died young. The Civil War was brutal on them. Col. Wm. Did not serve in the War. He died in 1862. Most of the children remaining after the War ended and their mother's death in 1870 went to Charlotte, NC to start a new life.

We are in need of descendants, especially direct male descendants of Col. Wm. to test for DNA. I think the only possibility of a direct male would be through William Roseborough Walker who did leave a male line. My siblings and I have tested and Ellouise's father tested, but none of us are the direct male line. If you know anyone willing to test, please contact me and I will put you in touch with my son who can guide you about which test to submit. There are many tests to consider now and some do not yield the results you are looking for. I don't want you to waste your money on a test that won't yield results for the project.

Family of Col. Wm. Walker, born 1812 in SC

3 Apr 1833 - William Walker b 1812 SC married Rachel Eliza McCullough, b 1814 Chester, in Chester, SC.

28 Dec 1834 son **Thomas A. Walker** was born in Chester, SC

03 Jan 1836 daughter **Sarah Jane (Sallie) Walker** was born in Chester, SC.

29 Aug 1839 son **Charles Thomas Walker** was born in Chester, SC.

09 Sept 1840 son **William Harvey Henry Walker** was born in Chester, SC.

10 Oct 1842 daughter, **Anna Elizabeth Walker**, was born in Chester, SC.

07 Dec 1845 daughter **Batie Narcissa Jennings Walker**, was born in Chester, SC

31 May 1849 daughter **Margaret (Maggie) Lavicia Walker**, was born in Chester, SC

13 Jan 1852 daughter **Emma Oni Walker** was born in Chester, SC.

15 Oct 1856 son **William Roseborough Walker** was born in Chester, SC

27 May 1857 daughter **Mamie S. (Mary?) Walker** was born in Chester, SC

Researchers connected with this project:

William Edward Gregory, Jr. (Bill)

DOB 29 June 1951

Virginia Westbrook Turner

Margaret Shuman Treece (Peggy)

DOB 02 May 1940

Ellouise James Hall

DOB 10 Oct 1951

A 4-Generation Descendant Chart of Col. William and Rachel Eliza McCullough Walker follows on the next six pages.

Descendants of Col William Walker

- 1 WALKER, Col William b: 16 Sep 1812 in SC d: 05 Apr 1862 in Chester, SC
+MCCULLOUGH, Rachel Eliza b: 21 Dec 1814 in SC m: 03 Apr 1833 in Chester
Co., SC d. 21 Mar 1870 in Chester, SC
- 2 WALKER, Thomas Alexander b: 28 Dec 1834 in Chester, SC d: 24 Feb 1884
in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC
- 2 WALKER, Sarah Jane (Sallie) b: 03 Jan 1836 in Chester Co., SC d: 05 Aug
1862
- +CORNWELL, William Davis Jessie Jr. b: 14 Sep 1839 in Chester Co.,
SC m: 10 Jan 1860 in Chester Co., SC d: 28 Jan 1875 Father: William Davis
Jessie Cornwell
- 3 CORNWELL, Francis C. b: 04 Nov 1860 d: 06 Nov 1860
- 3 CORNWELL, Sarah (Sallie) D. b: Apr 1862 d: Aft. 1910 in Prob
Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC
- +TURNER, John Simpson b: 22 Jun 1864 Chester, SC m: 29 Mar
1884 d: 05 Dec 1948 in Prob Greenville, NC Father: William Turner
Mother: Mary Simpson
- 4 TURNER, Frank Murphy b: 09 Sep 1888 d: 22 Feb 1958
- +STEVENSON, Mary D.
- 4 TURNER, Wm. Walker b: 15 Jul 1891 in Chester, SC d: 03
Jan 1927 in Prob Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC
- +COOK, Virgie Odessa m: Sep 1920
- 4 TURNER, John Simpson Jr b: 02 Aug 1894 in SC d: 24 May
1959
- 4 TURNER, Davis Cornwell b: Abt. 1896
- 4 TURNER, Sarah Louise b: Unknown
- +HOUSE, Ismael Worth m: 03 Jul 1943 in Charlotte,
Mecklenburg Co., NC
- 2 WALKER, Charles Thomas b: 29 Aug 1839 in Chester, SC d: 18 Apr 1883
in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC
- +ELAM, Ella L. b: 1836 in FL d: Aft. 1900
- 3 WALKER, Rosa b: 1861 in NC

- 2 WALKER, William Harvey Henry b: 09 Sep 1840 in Chester, Chester Co., SC d: 30 Aug 1841 in Chester, Chester Co., SC
- 2 WALKER, Anna Eliza b: 10 Oct 1842 in Chester, Chester Co., SC d: 09 Jun 1887 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC
- +KENNEDY, Allen Degraffenreid b: 1838 in Chester, Chester Co., SC m: 13 Jul 1858 d: 16 May 1864 in In action at Drury's Bluff, Petersburg, VA Father: Richard Evans Kennedy Mother: Sarah DeGraffenreid
- 3 KENNEDY, Sarah A. (Sallie) E. b: Bet. 1859 - 1861 in Chester, Chester Co., SC d: 31 Jul 1929 in prob Charlotte, NC
- 3 KENNEDY, Richard Allen b: 08 Aug 1862 in Chester, Chester Co., SC d: 08 Jun 1914 in Charlotte, Mecklenbug Co., NC
- +BIXBY, Adele Virginia (Della) b: 27 Jul 1876 d: 22 Feb 1950 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC Father: John A. Bixby Mother: Johanna Smaw
- 4 KENNEDY, Ruby Mae b: 01 Sept 1897 in Charlotte, Mecklenberg Co., NC d. 05 Jan 1988
- +CANNON, John E.
- 4 KENNEDY, William Zimmerman (Billie) b: 1900 in Mecklenberg Co., NC
- 4 KENNEDY, Sarah A. b: 1903 in Mecklenberg Co., NC
- 4 KENNEDY, Blanch b: 1906 in Mecklenberg Co., NC
- 4 KENNEDY, Marion b: Abt. 1909 in Mecklenberg Co., NC
- +HORTON, Walter b: 1905
- 4 KENNEDY, Lottie Lee b: 1913 in Mecklenberg Co., NC d: Aft. 1950
- 4 KENNEDY, Mamie Lee b: Unknown d: 02 Sep 1922 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC
- 2 WALKER, Batie Narcissa Jennings b: 07 Dec 1845 in Chester, Chester Co., SC d: 18 Feb 1885 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC
- +JARRELL, Sgt. Garland William b: 1835 in Wentworth, Rockingham Co., NC m: 21 Oct 1862 in Chester Co., SC d: 03 Jul 1863 in Gettysburg, Adam, PA Father: Thomas Jarrell Mother: Janette ?
- 3 JARRELL, William Garland Walker b: 05 Dec 1863 in Chester, Chester Co., SC d: 21 Jun 1927 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC
- +THOMAS, Rosa b: 23 Jan 1872 in Surry, Pilot Mountain, NC m: 16 Nov 1887 in Mecklenberg Co., NC d: 24 May 1941 Father: William Thomas
- 4 JARRELL, Elenora (Ellie) b: 09 Dec 1888 in Charlotte,

Mecklenburg Co., NC d: 23 Jun 1968
+ B I S N E T, Ervin M. b: 1888 in NY m: 05 Dec 1919

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..... 4 JARRELL, Anna McFarland b: 27 Jun 1891 in Wayne,
Goldsboro, NC d: 18 Jul 1892

..... 4 JARRELL, Charlie Swann b: 05 Aug 1893 in Wayne,
Goldsboro, NC d: 04 Mar 1948 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg
Co., NC

..... +HELMS, Anna Belle b: 26 Dec 1893 in Sharon, Mecklenburg
Co., NC d: 12 Feb 1966 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC
Father: Henry Jack Helms Mother: Susan Matilda Marze

..... 4 JARRELL, Paul Atkins b: 16 Apr 1896 in Charlotte,
Mecklenburg Co., NC d: 26 Aug 1897

..... 4 JARRELL, Margaret Emma b: 19 Feb 1901 d: 08 May 1987

..... +CRUSE, Wilder Allen m: 05 Feb 1924

..... 4 JARRELL, William Walker b: 17 Mar 1904 d: 11 May 1989

..... +CARSON, Edith m: 15 Jul 1934

..... 4 JARRELL, Jessie Garland b: 02 Apr 1906 in Mecklenburg
Co., NC d: 10 Jan 1997

..... +HENNESSEE, Manassa Nixon Jr. b: 16 Nov 1905 in Burke
Co., NC m: 18 Apr 1929 d: 26 Jul 1964 in Concord, Cabarrus
Co., NC Father: Manessa Nixon "Nas" Hennessee Mother:
Margaret (Maggie) L. Scott

..... 4 JARRELL, Mary Rose b: 04 Nov 1912 in Charlotte,
Mecklenburg Co., NC d: 05 May 2004 in Salisbury, NC

..... +TAYLOR, Harvey Wadsworth m: 04 Apr 1935

..... 4 JARRELL, Charles J. b: Unknown d: Bef. 1965
+HELMS, Female b: Unknown d: Aft. 1965

*2nd Husband of WALKER, Batie Narcissa Jennings:
+DOOLEY, Charles b: Bet. 1835 - 1845 in VA m: 25 Feb 1869

..... 3 DOOLEY, George Louis b: 21 Jan 1870 in Chester, SC d: 07 Jun
1932 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC

..... +LEDWELL, Lillian Elizabeth b: 1872 d: 1922 Father: Thomas W.
Ledwell Mother: Elizabeth J. "Lizzie" Hammond

..... 4 DOOLEY, Gertrude Elizabeth b: 03 Aug 1892 in NC

..... +JAMES, William Whiteford b: 1893 m: 10 Apr 1917
d: 1974

..... 4 DOOLEY, George Louis Jr b: 1895 d: 1978

..... +HENDERSON, Nellie Teresa b: 06 Nov 1900 in Charlotte,
Mecklenburg Co., NC m: 31 Aug 1919 d: 08 Feb 1967 in
Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC Father: Lorence Henderson
Mother: Mary Jane Sharar

..... 4 DOOLEY, Eloise J. b: 22 Aug 1897 d: 02 Aug 1928 in
Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC

..... +MERCER, George O. b: Abt. 1895

..... 4 DOOLEY, Charles Horrace b: 02 Dec 1898 d: 1995

..... +MENDENHALL, Nettie Mae b: 1909 d: 1988

..... 4 DOOLEY, Helen Bernice b: 12 Jul 1907 d: 1971

..... +WATTS, Louis Poindexter b: 1905 d: 1981

..... 4 DOOLEY, Lois Edna b: 1909 d: 1934

..... +RUCKER, William Maxwell

..... *2nd Wife of DOOLEY, George Louis:

..... +LISK, Margaret (Margie) b: 13 Nov 1881 in NC m: 15 Oct 1913
d: 28 Feb 1970 in Burke, Morgantown, NC Father: John W. Lisk
Mother: Julia Harris

..... 2 WALKER, Margaret Lavicia (Vicie) b: 31 May 1849 in Chester, SC d: 10 Jan
1908 in Cornwell, SC

..... +CORNWELL, Wm Jessie Williams (MD.) b: 02 Nov 1841 in Chester
Village, Chester, SC m: 13 Jan 1870 in Chester, SC d: 15 Jul 1910 in
Cornwell Station, SC Father: Elijah Cornwell Mother: Frances Pratt

..... 3 CORNWELL, Mary (May) Louisa Oni b: 29 Apr 1871 in Cornwell
Station, Chester Co., NC d: 02 Feb 1951 in Gastonia, SC

..... +HOLLER, Adlai Ellwood Rev. b: 04 Jul 1871 in Catawba Co., NC
m: 23 Dec 1896 in Cornwell, SC d: 16 Oct 1961
Father: Adley D. Holler Mother: Martha Clarinda Miller

..... 4 HOLLER, Adlai Cornwell Rev. b: 18 Jun 1898

..... +FAIR, Miriam b: 24 Nov 1899 m: 10 Apr 1924
Father: S. A. Fair

..... 4 HOLLER, James Carlisle b: 20 Jun 1900

..... +MCFALL, Anna Dean b: 13 Apr 1904 Father: Henry (MD)
Hall

..... 4 HOLLER, Walker Wesley Col. b: 04 Oct 1902 in South
Carolina d: 05 Jan 1992 in Chapel Hill (P), Orange, NC

..... +MAUKERT, Thelma Father: Carl Maukert

..... 4 HOLLER, Martha Miller b: 08 Aug 1905 in Chester Village,

Chester, SC d: 28 Dec 2003 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC

..... +HOBBS, Edwin W. m: 1931 d: 1958

..... 4 HOLLER, Mary Louisa Oni b: 22 May 1908 d: Aft. Jan 2004

..... +RICE, Edmond Lee (MD) b: Mar 1904 m: 29 Jun 1936 in Shanghai, China.

..... 4 HOLLER, Alice Elwood b: 22 May 1911

..... +WIGGINS, Lemuel Edgar Jr. Father: Rev. Lemuel Edgar Wiggins

..... 4 HOLLER, John Emory MD b: 25 Mar 1913

..... +STUCKY, Edith Wilhelmina Father: George E. Stucky

..... 4 HOLLER, Daisy Marion b: 30 Oct 1916 d: 16 Sep 2006 in Rock Hill, SC

..... +WILSON, Melford Alonzo d: Bef. 2006 Father: (MD) Wilson

..... 2 WALKER, Emma Oni b: 13 Jan 1852 in Chester, Chester Co., SC d: 08 Mar

..... 1925 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC

..... +HART, Eugene Napoleon b: 08 Aug 1844 in Aiken Co., SC m: 02 Feb 1879 d: 06 Jun 1916 in Columbia, Richland Co., SC Father: Wiley Hart Mother: Henrietta Victoria Jones

..... 3 HART, Jessie May b: 29 Sep 1879 in Chester, SC d: 29 Jun 1956 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC

..... +SHUMAN, Charles Franklin b: 21 Mar 1880 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC m: 1906 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg, NC d: 14 Oct 1958 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC Father: James Jacob "Jake" Shuman Mother: Isabelle "Bella" Northey

..... 4 SHUMAN, Albert Cornwell b: 06 Mar 1908 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC d: 23 Aug 2003 in Lafayette, IN

..... +CROMBIE, Eleanor Bonney b: 06 Sep 1910 in Cortland, NY m: 24 Nov 1932 in Kenmore, NY d: 15 Oct 2003 in Lafayette, IN Father: Harold Chevalier Crombie Mother: Mabel Evelyn Bonnie

..... 4 SHUMAN, Son b: 29 Jan 1911 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC d: 29 Jan 1911 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC

..... 4 SHUMAN, Jack Northey b: 13 Mar 1913 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC d: 01 Jan 2006 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC

..... +GODFREY, Dorothy Mae b: 05 May 1928 in Mecklenburg

County, NC m: 1951 Father: D. C. Godfrey Mother:
Mamie ??

..... 4 SHUMAN, Donald Walker b: 29 Jan 1915 in Charlotte,
Mecklenburg Co., NC d: 24 Nov 2010 in Charlotte,
Mecklenburg Co., NC
.....
+BARKALOW, Elizabeth Durham b: 29 Oct 1915 in
Manchester, NH m: 24 Sep 1938 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg
Co., NC Father: James Ray Barkalow Mother: Emily Durham

..... 2 WALKER, William Roseborough b: 15 Oct 1856 in Chester, SC d: 26 Nov
1902 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC
.....
+HANNON, Mary Jane "Jennie" b: Jan 1860 in NC m: 02 Jan 1881
Father: ? Hannon Mother: Martha K. Stephens

..... 3 WALKER, William "Willie" Franklin Sr b: 20 Feb 1882 in Charlotte,
Mecklenburg Co., NC d: 13 Oct 1964 in Allentown, PA
.....
+UPP, Sarah Leone b: 05 May 1901 in Hillsboro, OH m: Bet. 1920 -
1930 d: Oct 1976 in Richmond, Henrico, VA Father: Robert W. Upp
Mother: Nellie R. ?

..... 4 WALKER, William Franklin Jr b: 08 Sep 1926 d: 02 Aug
2006 in Nueces, Texas
.....
+CHAPMAN, Mary
.....
*2nd Wife of WALKER, William Frank Jr:

..... +CASTLES, Minnie ? d: 1992

..... 4 WALKER, Robert Hannon Sr. b: 18 Oct 1929 d: 28 Oct 2011
in Richmond, VA
.....
+HOBBS, Carole d: Aft. 2011

..... 4 WALKER, Eugene Warson Sr. b: 08 Mar 1930 in Richmond,
VA d: 05 Jan 2005 in Freeport, Maine
.....
+HICKS, Etta Lucille b: 24 Jun 1932 in Sandston, VA m: 13
Nov 1949 in Richmond, VA d: 26 May 2006
.....
*2nd Wife of WALKER, Eugene Warson Sr:

..... +YOUNG, Mazie Burroughs b: 13 Dec 1927 m: Sep 1970
d: 14 Sep 1997

..... 4 WALKER, Rex Edwin Sr b: 22 Jan 1934 d: 23 May 2000
.....
+READ, Doris L.

..... 3 WALKER, Child b: Bet. 1882 - 1900
..... 3 WALKER, Frederick Eugene b: 02 Jan 1885 in Charlotte,
Mecklenburg Co., NC d: 11 Sep 1949 in Wilmington, New Hanover,
NC

+? d: Bef. 1949

..... 4 WALKER, David E. b: 01 Jul 1913 in NC d: 11 Sep 1994 in
Charlotte, Mecklenburg Co., NC

..... 3 WALKER, Mamie Ivey b: 23 Jan 1887 in Charlotte, Mecklenburg
Co., NC d: 20 Dec 1910
..... +BARKLEY, William Harris Sr

..... 4 BARKLEY, Elizabeth b: Abt. 1906

..... 2 WALKER, Mamie S. (Mary?) b: 27 May 1857 in Chester, Chester Co., SC
SC d. 09 Jun 1888

The above genealogy is submitted for research purposes only. It is not complete and could contain errors. It is shared information gathered by the contributors of this project. If you see errors or have additional information, please let one of us know.

.....**End of Introduction**

Walkers of Chester County, SC
 Misc. Information - not in any special order or time frame
 The Fourth of four Files

1869

3802 Dec. 7, 1869

I William A Walker do solemnly swear
 and truly swear that I am a Citizen of the
 United States, having been born in Charleston
 State of South Carolina on or about
 the 11th day of March 1839 and that I am
 a loyal Citizen
 sworn to before me to help me Sub
 the 6th day of December 1869

W. Walker
 Notary Public Apr 30 years
 Station 5 feet 8 -
 Height High
 Eyes Dark Brown
 Hair Black
 Complexion Fair
 Face oval

J. C. D. Frederick of New York
 do swear that I am acquainted with William
 A Walker and have always considered
 and believed him to be an American Citizen
 or at least in the foregoing Affidavit
 sworn to before me
 the 6th day of December 1869 before me Sub

W. Walker
 Notary Public C. Frederick

1800

The Robert Walker mentioned in Bishop Asbury's Journal is Robert Walker on Sandy River who married 2nd Elizabeth Sealy Hardin about 1785. Bishop Asbury spent the night Dec 24th 1800 in Robert Walker's home after preaching at Sealy's Chapel. He said in the journal that Robert Walker was in his 80th year which would make him born about 1720 (Where?). Who was his first wife? Children? What happened to them? I am a descendant of Robert and Elizabeth's first son, Sealy Walker born 1785.

1869

U.S. Passport Applications, 1795-1925

about William A Walker

Name: William A Walker
Birth Date: 11 Mar 1839
Birth Place: Charleston, South Carolina
Passport Issue Date: 7 Dec 1869
Passport Includes a Photo: N
Source: Passport Applications, 1795-1905 (M1372)

Perhaps going to Ireland for some reason. His parents might still be there.

1920

1920 United States Federal Census about William A Walker

Name:	William A Walker
Home in 1920:	Charleston Ward 12, Charleston, South Carolina
Age:	80
Estimated birth year:	abt 1840
Birthplace:	South Carolina
Relation to Head of House:	Uncle
Father's Birth Place:	Ireland
Mother's Birth Place:	Ireland
Marital Status:	Single
Race:	White
Sex:	Male
Able to read:	Yes
Able to Write:	Yes
Neighbors:	View others on page
Household Members:	

Name

Age

George W Walker	55
Claudia C Walker	51
George W Walker	25
Claudia C Walker	23
Julia M Walker	19
Henry M G Walker	21
	[23]
Josephine Walker	15
Francis F Walker	13
Edward H Walker	12
William A Walker	80

1880

1880 United States Federal Census about Thomas A. Walker

Name:	Thomas A. Walker
Home in 1880:	Charlotte, Mecklenburg, North Carolina
Age:	45
Estimated birth year:	abt 1835
Birthplace:	South Carolina
Relation to Head of Household:	Self (Head)
Father's birthplace:	South Carolina
Mother's birthplace:	South Carolina
Neighbors:	View others on page
Occupation:	Night Watchman
Marital Status:	Single
Race:	White
Gender:	Ma

Household Members:

Name	Age
Thomas A. Walker	45
William Walker	22

It just struck me that we always assumed this William was Tom's brother, but here there is 23 years difference in age. I have 17 years difference in age in FTM for these two men. They lived on Graham Street.

1880 United States Federal Census about Mary A. Walker

Name:	Mary A. Walker
Home in 1880:	Wesobulga, Clay,

Age:	Alabama 44
Estimated birth year:	abt 1836
Birthplace:	South Carolina
Relation to Head of Household:	Dau (Daughter)
Father's birthplace:	South Carolina
Mother's Name:	Eliner Walker
Mother's birthplace:	South Carolina
Neighbors:	View others on page
Occupation:	At Home
Marital Status:	Single
Race:	White
Gender:	Female

Household Members:

Name	Age
Eliner Walker	79
J. L. Walker	39
Mary A. Walker	44
Nancy C. Walker	35

I copied this one because of the Alabama connection. This family lived next to another Walker family and all the parents had been born in SC.

1850

The 1850 Census of Chester has 3 William Walker HOH listed (beside Col. Wm.). They are:

1850 United States Federal Census about William Walker

Name:	William Walker
Age:	67
Estimated birth year:	abt 1783 [20 Feb 1782]
Birth Place:	South Carolina
Home in 1850 (City,County,State):	Chester, South Carolina
Family Number:	835
Household Members:	

Name		Age
William Walker	Father (born 1783)	67
Robert Wylie	Son-in-law	39
Lucinda Wylie	Daughter	32

S M Wylie 8
M A Wylie 2

1850 South Carolina > Chester > Not Stated > 109 of 195 pages to this census

This looks to me like another Walker woman who married a Wylie.
Lives next to Alexander, 50, farmer and Margaret Walker – both SC
Next is John, 71 and E.R. Walker – both SC
Next E. T. Walker, 45, farmer and Eliza Walker – both SC
Next family has a 4-year-old male Walker. Perhaps the wife is a Walker and had him before she married. - SC
Same page has a family of: Adam Walker, 62, farmer – SC Phillip Walker, 66, farmer – SC and James Walker, 59, farmer – SC.

Next page has E. D. Walker, 34, farmer – SC
Jackson Walker, 16, farmer lives with the Brown family - SC
J. W. Walker, 34, farmer – SC

The page before the above record of William Walker had William Cornwell, 57, farmer, - SC
Mary Walker, 56 and Alex Walker, 22, farmer – both SC

1850 United States Federal Census about William Walker

Name:	William Walker
Age:	67
Estimated birth year:	abt 1783
Birth Place:	South Carolina
Gender:	Male
Home in 1850 (City,County,State):	Chester, South Carolina
Family Number:	255
Household Members:	

Name	Age
William Walker	67
Jenett Walker	60
Jane J Walker	18

1850 South Carolina > Chester > Not Stated > 33 of 195 pages – so it is the same census as the above William!

Same page has: W. H. Walker, 38, farmer (see below)

1850 United States Federal Census
about William Walker

Name:	William Walker
Age:	6
Estimated birth year:	abt 1844
Birth Place:	South Carolina
Gender:	Male
Home in 1850 (City,County,State):	Chester, South Carolina
Family Number:	254
Household Members:	

Name	Age
W H Walker	38
Nancy Walker	27
William Walker	6
Jane Walker	4
P W Walker	1

1862 – Sealy Info

W. T. Sealy of Chester bought many things from the estate sale of Wm. Walker, 1862 in Chester, SC. Since Wm. Walker was listed as a hotel keeper in the 1860 census, I assume he was still in the hotel business when he died and that this W. T. Sealy was buying things for his own hotel. Among other things, he bought many framed photos and that made me wonder if he was a relative to the Walkers. Now it doesn't point in that direction, however.

1850 Census, Chester, SC (not him I guess)
Wm. T. [Sealy], 38, lives with his parents

1860 Census, Chester, SC
W. T. Sealy, 38, hotel keeper, b. sc 1822
Wife Maria, 28 b. SC

1870 Census, Chester, SC, page 19 of 24
William T. [Sealy], 50, hotel keeper in town of Chester
Maria E., 40

1880 Census
W. T. Sealy and wife are in GA.
The Blackmons still live with them
James Ross, hired man lives with them, b. AL

I think Maria was either a Blackman or was married to a Blackman before she married Sealy.

ALEXANDER WALKER

<http://www.lanniewalker.com/beth/anothersamuel.htm>

I was searching for Maj William Walker, 1820, Chester, SC when I found this information.

Generation No. 1

1. **ALEXANDER** (992)1 **WALKER** was born 1715 in Augusta Co, Virginia, and died 1798 in Chester Co, South Carolina. Descendants of Alexander (992) Walker
He married **ESTHER** (993) **WALKER** 1735 in Augusta, Hampshire, Virginia.
She was born 1717 in Augusta, Hampshire, Virginia,
and died Bef. 1798 in Chester Co, South Carolina.

Alexander
Walker
Antrim Co.
Ireland

Notes for ALEXANDER (992) WALKER:

Heritage History of Chester Co, S.C. p. 409:

THE WALKERS OF ROCKY CREEK

There is some reason to suppose a connection between the Walkers of Rocky Creek and those of Fishing Creek, and Sandy River, but no proofs have been uncovered.

ALEXANDER WALKER and his wife Esther came to present Chester county, South Carolina, in the 1750's, probably from Augusta county, Virginia and settled about eight miles east of Chester, South Carolina in the fork of Rocky Creek and Alexander Walker's branch.

Their children who have been identified were:

Robert, Philip, John, Alexander Jr., and Samuel.
Old Alexander died in 1798, predeceased by his wife.

Children of ALEXANDER WALKER and ESTHER WALKER are:

2. i. **PHILLIP** (496)2 **WALKER**, b. 1740;
d. April 1794, Chester Co, South Carolina.
- ii. ROBERT WALKER, b. Abt. 1736.
- iii. JOHN WALKER.
- iv. ALEXANDER WALKER, JR..
- v. SAMUEL WALKER.

Phillip
Walker
Antrim Co.
Ireland
(of Chester)

Generation No. 2

2. **PHILLIP** (496)2 **WALKER** (ALEXANDER (992)1) was born 1740, and died April 1794 in Chester Co, South Carolina.
He married (1) REBECCA (497) GAY, daughter of SAMUEL GAY and MARGARET.
She was born September 26, 1742 in York Co, S.C., and died 1826.
He married (2) **ESTHER GRAY** 1762 in Camden District, South Carolina. She was born 1744 in Camden District, South Carolina.

Notes for PHILLIP (496) WALKER: from Heritage History of Chester Co, South Carolina:

PHILIP WALKER, (1740 -1794), son of Alexander and Esther, raised a company in Col. Richard Richardson's regiment for service in the Cherokee War of 1776, and furnished a

wagon for transporting supplies. He lost his left ear on October 29, 1777, when two of his neighbors - Capt. Peter Nance and William Henderson - hired a man to bite it off, and was ever afterward known as "Philip Walker Esqr." From May 11 to June 20, 1778, Captain Walker's company was with Col. John Winn on an expedition for the relief of Georgia from British invasion. Then in December 1778 he marched his company to Ninety Six, South Carolina, and took prisoners from there by way of Moncks Corner to Charleston. From there he marched to Gen. Benjamin Lincoln's headquarters at Black Swamp where his company was attached to Col. Maurice Simons' command under Gen. William Moultrie. Retreating in front of the British Gen. Augustine Prevost's troops, it participated in the battle of Coosawhatchie Bridge on May 3, 1779. They marched on to Charleston and remained there until after the battle of Stono Ferry. After the surrender of Charleston the next year, Captain Walker raised another company and was with Sumter on his rounds and the following year marched to the Low Country and was in the battle of Biggin Church on July 17, 1781.

During the summer of 1782 he succeeded Capt. Joseph Palmer as purchasing commissary for Colonel Lacey's regiment and was at the Congarees and Orangeburgh. He was appointed a justice of the peace for Camden District on February 16, 1782, and held this position until his death in April 1794. He married Rebecca Gay (September 26, 1742 post 1826), daughter of Capt. Samuel Gay of York County, but formerly of Augusta county, Virginia. They were the parents of the following children:

ESTHER (c. 1764 - June 12, 1834), married March 17, 1788, Jonathan Hemphill (1760-February 1, 1826), a Revolutionary soldier, and son of James and Abigail (Gay) Hemphill; moved in 1796 to Washington county, Georgia and later to Jackson county, and had four children - Charles Jonathan (1789-1884), married January 20, 1820, Rebecca Boyle; Nancy Agnes (October 19, 1791-April 1, 1862), married November 22, 1810, Col. James Liddell (1788-1859); Isabella, married a Gerard; and Philip Walker (September 22, 1804-), married September 22, 1825, Elizabeth Cunningham, and May 20, 1845, Narcissa Cunningham.

PHILIP JR., married Martha, and moved to Kentucky before 1787. ROBERT, nothing further known. JAMES, nothing further known.

SAMUEL, married Martha, and moved to Pendleton District, South Carolina before 1804, then to Georgia.

ALEXANDER, married Isabella Kelsey (1755-ante 1821), daughter of Samuel Kelsey (1722-1796) and Susannah Mills (1723-1804).

WILLIAM GAY, or GUY (1783-January 9, 1854).

SAMUEL WALKER, son of Alexander and Esther, Married Jane (surname unknown) and died on January 31, 1781, in Chester county.

Roster of S.C. Patriots in the American Revolution by Bobby Gilmer Moss:

Walker, Philip

b. c. 1735

d. 1794

m. Rebeckah Guy

He served as a captain under Colonel Richard Richardson in the Cherokee War and was a captain under Col. John Winn on the Georgia Expedition. In addition, he was a captain under

Col. Edward Lacey in the skirmish at Coosawhatchie Bridge and the battles at Biggin Church and Quinby Bridge.
During 1782, he was a commissary of Lacey's regiment. S.C. Treasurer's Records; (Knox, Robert, W26190)

Children of PHILLIP WALKER and REBECCA GAY are:

3. i. ALEXANDER (248)3 WALKER, b. 1773, Chester Co, South Carolina; d. 1835, Perry Co, Alabama.
- ii. ESTHER WALKER.
- iii. PHILIP WALKER JR..
- iv. ROBERT WALKER.
- v. JAMES WALKER.
- vi. SAMUEL WALKER.
- vii. WILLIAM GAY WALKER.

James Walker
to Tex 1835

Generation No. 3

3. ALEXANDER (248)3 WALKER (PHILLIP (496)2, ALEXANDER (992)1) was born 1773 in Chester Co, South Carolina, and died 1835 in Perry Co, Alabama. He married SUSAN B. (249) WYLIE Abt. 1800 in South Carolina, daughter of WILLIAM WYLIE and ISABELLA KELSO. She was born 1782 in Chester Co, South Carolina, and died 1866 in Perry Co, Alabama.

Notes for ALEXANDER (248) WALKER:

Samuel Kelso/Kelsey
1720 - 1796

Scotch Irish Immigrant and Revolutionary Patriot of Chester County, South Carolina,
Compiled and Published by Dr and Mrs. Mavis Parrott Kelsey Sr. 2 Longbow Lane Houston,
TX 77024

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Mentioned as knowing about Alexander and Susan's Children:

Sarah Jane

Son? (This is my William Walker)

Phillip
1815 - 1897
(of Chester)
to Tex. 1835

Homer Martin

242 Hillview Dr.

San Antonio, TX 78209

210 826 2548

Unknown book due to van fire:

Susan B. Wylie b 1782 Chester Co, S.C. d 1866 Perry Co., Ala. m 1800/6

Alexander Walker b. 1773 Chester Co., S.C. d 1835 Perry Co., Ala. both are buried Mt.

Pleasant Cemetery near Selma, Ala. On 4-1-1831 he received Cert. # 2152 from

Huntsville Land Co. for E1/2

of N.E. 1/4, Sect 9, T10, R 11, Dist. of Lands subject to sale, signed by

Andrew Jackson.

The State Of Alabama Orphan's Court
Perry County January 1842

This day came Susannah Walker widow of Alexander Walker died and filed her petition for _____ alledgeing that said Walker d _____ and _____ of the following lands _____ the West 1/2 of the S. E 1/4 of Section 18 the E 1/2 of the S. E. 1/4 of Section 25 Township 19 and Range 10 the S.W 1/4 of Sec 30 L 19 Range 11 the S.W. 1/4 of the S.E. 1/4 of Sec 30 L 19 Range 11 the N. W. ¼ Section 31 Township 19 Range 11 the NW 1/4 of the S.W 1/4 of Section 31 L 19 Range 11 lying in said county of Perry _____ of Ala. It is therefore ordered by the Court that the sheriff of said county summons five discreet personsons connected with the ... (Handwriting too hard to decipher)

Whereas Alexander Walker of Perry County, Alabama has deposited in the General Land Office of the United States, a certificate of the Register of the Land Office at Huntsville according to the provisions of the Act of Congress of the 24th of April, 1820, entitled "An act making further provision for the sale of the Public Lands," for the west half of the North west quarter of Section ten in Township ten of Range eleven- west, in the District of Lands subject to sale as Huntsville, Alabama containing eighty acres-according to the official plat of the survey of the said Lands, returned to the General Land Office by the Surveyor General, which said tract has been purchased by the said Alexander Walker.

Signed by President Andrew Jackson

Alabama Notes, Flora D England, vol 3 and 4, 1978

Notes from Orphan's Court Record B, Perry Co., Ala.

p. 59 Perry Co., Ala., 27 Oct. 1833. Personally appeared before me, James Nelson, J.P., David Hamilton, one of the heirs of Wm Wiley... Wm W. Morrow, one of the heirs of Wm Wiley, dec'd. 1st Oct. 1833... Alexander Walker, one of the heirs of Wm Wiley. Oct. 1833.

Children of ALEXANDER WALKER and SUSAN WYLIE are:

4. i. WILLIAM WILEY (124)4 WALKER, b. 1813, Chester Co, South Carolina; d. Bef. 1870, Perry Co, Alabama.

ii. SARAH JANE WALKER.

Name:

Rebecca M Walker
[Rebecca M Walka]

Home in 1900:

Chester, Chester, South
Carolina

Age:

3

Birth Date:

Jun 1896

Birthplace:

South Carolina

Race:

White

Gender:

Female

Relationship to Head of House: Daughter
Father's name: Joseph A Walker
Father's Birthplace: South Carolina
Mother's name: Martha A Walker
Mother's Birthplace: South Carolina
Marital Status: Single
Occupation: View on Image
Neighbors: View others on page
Household Members:

Name	Age
Joseph A Walker born 1854 in England, Merchant Grocery	46
Martha A Walker born 1856	44
Beatrice Walker	19
Mary E Walker	17
Lillian Walker	14
Eugenia Walker	12
Annie B Walker	9
Benjamin J Walker	7
George M Walker	6
Rebecca M Walker	3

They lived on **Pine St.** in Chester Township

1910 United States Federal Census about Rebecca Walkers

Name: Rebecca Walkers
[Rebecca Walker]
Age in 1910: 13
Estimated birth year: abt 1897
Birthplace: South Carolina
Relation to Head of House: Daughter
Father's name: Joseph A Walkers
Father's Birth Place: England
Mother's name: Martha Walkers
Mother's Birth Place: South Carolina
Home in 1910: Chester, Chester, South Carolina
Marital Status: Single
Race: White
Gender: Female
Neighbors: View others on page
Household Members:

Name	Age
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Joseph A Walkers	Merchant	56
Martha Walkers		53
Beatrica Walkers		24
Lillian Walkers		22
Engenia Walkers		20
Rebecca Walkers		13
George Walkers		15
They live on Academy Street		

1892

National Register of Historic Places

Inventory—Nomination Form

(<http://www.nationalregister.sc.gov/chester/S10817712006/S10817712006BI.pdf>)

K 7. 114 Academy Street. Joseph Walker House. Two-story, common bond brick house with tin-shingled mansard roof. South and east slopes of roof have gable-roofed east slopes of roof have gable-roofed dormers with double round-headed, stained glass windows. The hipped-roof porch has turned columns with arched spindle frieze between them. The house was built in 1892 by Joseph Walker, a merchant who purchased the site and the old male academy which stood at the corner of the lot. He demolished the academy and used its bricks in building this house.

1879

Davis, Ellen [Brennen] *Walker*

b. Nov. 9, 1879 Columbia, SC d. May 21, 1949 Chester, SC. widow

Married: A. W. Davis, Sr.

Father: Jas b. unk Mother: Emily Brennen b. unk

Informant: Mrs. Joe Sanders, Chester, SC

1880 United States Federal Census about Ellin B. Walker

Name:	Ellin B. Walker
Home in 1880:	Pleasant Hill, Lancaster, South Carolina
Age:	1
Estimated birth year:	abt 1879
Birthplace:	South Carolina
Relation to head-of-household:	Dau (Daughter)
Father's name:	Joseph D. Walker
Father's birthplace:	South Carolina
Mother's name:	Emely R. Walker
Mother's birthplace:	South Carolina
Neighbors:	View others on page
Marital Status:	Single
Race:	White

Gender: Female

Household Members:

Name	Age
Joseph D. Walker	34
Emely R. Walker	27
George W. Walker	10
Joseph Walker	6
Francis E. Walker	4
Ellin B. Walker	1

NOTE: Columbia is in Lexington County, not Lancaster

1900 United States Federal Census about Lucy H Walker

Name:	Lucy H Walker [Lucy A Walter]
Home in 1900:	Township 8, Fairfield, South Carolina
Age:	15
Birth Date:	May 1885
Birthplace:	South Carolina
Race:	White
Gender:	Female
Relationship to Head of House:	Daughter
Father's name:	Fletcher Walker
Father's Birthplace:	South Carolina
Mother's name:	Cynthia A Walker
Mother's Birthplace:	South Carolina
Marital Status:	Single
Household Members:	

Name	Age
Fletcher Walker	47
Cynthia A Walker	47
Annie B Walker	19
Lucy H Walker	15

Miller, Martha Rebecca *Walker*
b. Jun. 4, 1896 d. Jan. 6, 1979

1900 United States Federal Census about Rebecca M Walker

Name:	Rebecca M Walker
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Home in 1900:	[Rebecca M Walka] Chester, Chester, South Carolina
Age:	3
Birth Date:	Jun 1896
Birthplace:	South Carolina
Race:	White
Gender:	Female
Relationship to Head of House:	Daughter
Father's name:	Joseph A Walker
Father's Birthplace:	South Carolina
Mother's name:	Martha A Walker
Mother's Birthplace:	South Carolina
Marital Status:	Single
Occupation:	View on Image
Neighbors:	View others on page

Household Members:

Name	Age
Joseph A Walker Eng, Eng, Eng, Grocer Merchant	46
Martha A Walker	44
Beatrice Walker	19
Mary E Walker	17
Lillian Walker	14
Eugenia Walker	12
Annie B Walker	9
Benjamin J Walker	7
George M Walker	6
Rebecca M Walker	3

1910 United States Federal Census about Rebecca Walkers

Name:	Rebecca Walkers [Rebecca Walker]
Age in 1910:	13
Estimated birth year:	abt 1897
Birthplace:	South Carolina
Relation to Head of House:	Daughter
Father's name:	Joseph A Walkers
Father's Birth Place:	England
Mother's name:	Martha Walkers
Mother's Birth Place:	South Carolina
Home in 1910:	Chester, Chester, South

Marital Status:

Carolina [Academy St.]

Race:

Single

Gender:

White

Neighbors:

Female

Household Members:

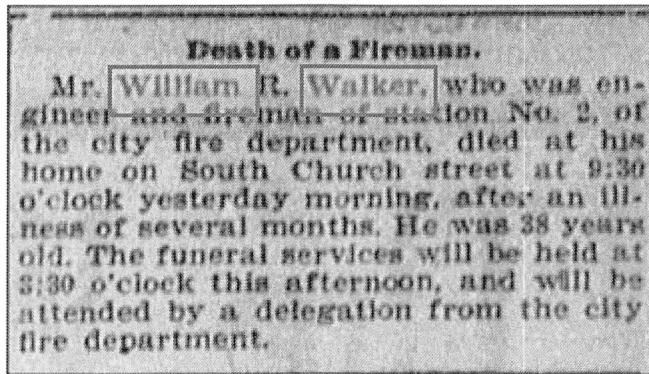
View others on page

Name	Age
Joseph A Walkers Eng, Eng, Eng Grocery Merchant	56
Martha Walkers	53
Beatrica Walkers	24
Lillian Walkers	22
Engenia Walkers	20
Rebecca Walkers (COULD be her)	13
George Walkers	15

They live on Academy Street.

1902

11/27/1902



Walker Burials in Evergreen Cemetery, Chester, SC

Saunders, Ada *Walker*

b. Jun. 3, 1847 d. Aug. 25, 1895

Stroud, Wilma *Walker*

b. Jun. 10, 1883 d. May 18, 1931

Cornwell, Sarah Jane *Walker*

I 167 87

b. Jan. 3, 1836 d. Aug. 5, 1862

Walker, Rachael Eliza
I 167 87b. Dec. 21, 1834 d. Mar. 21, 1870

Walker, Col Wm.
I 167 87
b. Sep. 16, 1812 d. Mar. 5, 1862

Walker, Thomas A.
I 167 87
b. Dec. 28, 1834 d. Dec. 24, 1884

Walker, Albert H.
P 786 147
b. Nov. 1, 1888 d. May 28, 1932

Walker, Carrie A. *McIlroy*
P 786 147
b. Sep. 1, 1869 d. May 19, 1937

Walker, Annie R.
X 2393 224
b. Dec. 14, 1890 d. Oct. 1, 1966

Walker, Sidney C.
X 2393 224
b. Nov. 17, 1892 d. Sep. 22, 1967

Walker, Beatrice
E 88 50
b. Nov. 9, 1880 d. Jun. 21, 1955

Walker, Edward Eugene
E 88 50
b. Aug. 12, 1910 d. Aug. 9, 1913

Walker, Joseph A.
E 88 50
b. Aug. 22, 1853 d. Mar. 3, 1927

Walker, Lillian
E 88 50
b. Oct. 24, 1885 d. Jul. 5, 1922

Walker, Sarah
E 88 50
b. Feb. 18, 1818 d. Nov. 26, 1906

Walker, Martha A.

E 88 50

b. Aug. 23, 1855 d. Apr. 9, 1936

Walker, Bersha *Holley*

N 153 128

b. Aug. 5, 1919 d. unknown

Walker, Marion Budd

N 153 128

b. Mar. 10, 1952 d. unknown

Walker, Ella *Grant*

C 689 40

b. Nov. 19, 1913 d. Mar. 2, 1993 Evergreen Cemetery

Walker, Ella *Clarke*

O 689 40

b. Nov. 23, 1853 d. Nov. 13, 1933

Walker, Capt J. T.

I 194 88

b. unknown d. Jan., 1862

Walker, James C.

I 194 88

b. unknown d. Apr. 5, 1864

Walker, John Conlowe

D 597 31

b. Jan. 10, 1822 d. Dec. 20, 1867

Walker, Victoria T.

D 597 31

b. May 1, 1837 d. Jan. 22, 1920

Walker, Lucy Juliana

E 89 60

b. 1833 d. 1901

Walker, Rosa *Price*

Z 2656 247

b. Feb. 27, 1917 d. Aug. 9, 1989

Withers, Margaret Mary *Walker*

b. 1845 d. 1916

End of information about Evergreen Cemetery burials

Email Mon 2/01/10 4:45 PM has mention of Elizabeth C. Walker

From W. A. Walker, 2 ¾ acres where I now live..... bordered by Alexander C. Walker
Ask Bill about this one. Did he just take notes about the deed?

Email Mon 2/01/10 4:52 PM – small obit for Rachel Walker

Email Mon 2/01/10 4:58 PM – Print it out about W. A. Walker transactions before and After
my William died.

Email Mon 2/01/10 5:01 PM states about William, Rebecca and daughter Rachel

and there is no notice of any Walkers living downtown... or being granted any lot downtown.
if he is in fact your William... do you think he sold his lot and home and then they moved in
with other family or into boarding house.

Maybe in with that Alexander C. Walker.

well... the 1850 census is him (my Col. Wm.) with RE, but he shows no cash assets and also
it states all of them were born in south Carolina....

If he had of had any cash ... seems he would have had it in 1850... and there were several
tenement houses in that area at that time.

I had not thought of that. I bet they had to sell everything when he died. So you are thinking
that he might not have had any land or house to sell after his death? Or for his family to stay
in after his death? That does make sense with the different family living units after the
mother's death. Evidently no relatives came forward to help the three youngest children
when the mother died. Also the journey to Charlotte to better themselves. Maybe they had
nothing in Chester.

then in 1860... the entire family [Col. Wm. Is still alive in this census] is living in [his] hotel
with other boarders or guests. a total of 22 person in the building... just suppose the family
lived in 4 rooms, then a parlor and kitchen and dining room and two guests per room... that
would have been 12 rooms...

It must have been a large building...

and William has \$ 500.00 meaning that it was not just your average 5 bedroom room
boarding house.

it had to have been much larger...

that is a possibility or... maybe a relative or older sibling in Charlotte to help them or a
relative in Chester to finance their move and give references for them

if they all were living in the hotel, and they were the William and Elizabeth, that I looked at today that sold their property in 1859, that might have been when they made move into hotel...

But I can not imagine a hotel owner letting 10 persons in a family move into his uilding.... He probably owned that hotel.... maybe his debts forced him to consolidate property and the family moving into the hotel???

well... Creditors may have seized the hotel.

Peg...

To have 8 children, and to manage to have \$500.00 at that time was an accomplishment. Do you think he might have inherited some cash between 1850 and 1860... maybe his family or hers?

also... I see no will for Rachael ... that means either she did not have any property/estate, or had disposed of it before her death....

possibly were business debts.

maybe a walker bankrolled him in the hotel... it may not have been his to loose.

If the list of debts from 1862 was what he owed, his \$500 wouldn't have covered it, especially if there was not any money coming into the family.

Maybe there would be a map of Chester downtown in 1860 that might show hotels.

I do know that at that time the railroad was coming through here... it started about 1858 or so. and several new hotels were built down the hill in the area of the train depot... about 1/2 mile from confederate monument on top of hill east.

well, lets remember that it was only two and three fourths acre... Two and 3/4 acre... a small lot and the deed says it's north boundary was on Pinckney Street.... and ... I notice one man's land that bordered this lot was a Alexander C. Walker?

wonder if he was a relation?

In SC the woman has her dower right...

I think it is something like one third of the property value in those days...

If she does not sign away that right on the deed, when her husband sells a piece of property... Then she could come back after her husband's death and demand that dower right of one third from the new buyer of the property.

Most new buyers insisted on the wife signing this away in land transactions.

Did you get anything out of the 1870 census that I didn't see?

Is there any way of telling if they are in the same house in 1870 as they were in 1860? Rachael had just died, so she must have been living with the family in the 1870 house. Maybe not? If Rachael was sick for very long perhaps the land (if they owned anything) was gifted to the son who took care of the minor children? That was Thomas A. He never married and was in Charlotte in 1880 and dead in 1884.

Sallie was dead by 1862 so she was on her own. She had one child, a Cornwell when she died.

Charles Thomas was in Charlotte in 1870 and 1880 and dead in 1883.

Anna was married and living in Chester in the 1860. She lived next door to a Jno. D. Walker who was a dentist. She lived as a widow with a child in ? in 1870, and in Charlotte in the 1880 census. Dead before 1887. I believe her name was Anna Elizabeth Walker because that is written in a scrapbook.

Batie was married by 1870 (living where?) and was in Charlotte by 1880. Dead by 1884.

Margaret was married in 1870 and living in Chester.

the 1870 census indicates there was at least 3, possibly 4 separate groups living in one dwelling...I had to have been a large building..... this would tell us it was standing in 1860 through 1870 and I t may have taken two years to build,, can say 1858 through 1870

Peg... note that the cooks name in 1870 is Emily McCollum... wonder if she was a former slave of the McCollum family... Maybe Rachael McCullough was in fact a McCollum?

well heck Peg... you told me that they died young... wow...
Maybe of TB? it was rampant in those days...

Now to the census of 1870... I am seeing what looks like 15 persons that are living in one dwelling... This indicates they are still in the hotel building...
and note that they have a COOK... so they were not broke, and one person is a barkeeper (Henry Hill), one a blacksmith (Dooley), and one a seamstress and one a carpenter... surely some of these people paid room and board....

and... then close by in separate buildings (probably small tenement cottages) we see some Walker black persons, that were probably former slaves.

(this points to property and land and slaves....in the Walker family)

It seems they all lived very close together in a row, like a hotel and several cottages nearby...

Yes, I conclude they were probably living in the same dwelling as in 1860 census...

Bill

yes. the cook is a black lady and around 37, if I remember... if this census was given during the working day, most likely while most were out of house working, someone else gave the information...

Also there was a large livery stable right in downtown Chester at that time and young green mules were brought into the area on railroad cars and broke and trained in this area...so a blacksmith had work right in downtown...

RE: 1870 census

Do you suppose they were able to sell it to finance going to Charlotte? If the family managed the hotel after William's death they might not have had to pay rent. But then it should have been listed as a hotel in the 1870 census.

I don't know that all three of those groups were relatives. In other words I don't know that they were one big happy family. Bill Gregory
I had thought of that also... and it could be possible... or the place could have burned and maybe insurance helped them to move to Charlotte.

Peg...

No I do not think they were all related... I think some were living there as their work was in downtown area of Chester and their customers were in that area. such as seamstress and blacksmith... probably boarders... and the cook, may have cooked for the family and boarders...and then went home to her home after preparing evening meal and cleaning kitchen and back in early morning hours...

...most of the time it lists the head of household first who at that time mostly was the man... He handled family business and answered for the family... Wives were often looked on as less and like an adult child, with no decision making power. (sad)and I am sure that most of the time he was out working and not available to answer questions for a census taker. Women were usually the ones closer house itself work and probably were more available to answer questions...But in the majority of the results... the male head of house was always listed first...so I am thinking the evidence is not there to support the person's claim... I have not heard of that policy. Sealy might have bought a lot of things, that he could use in Sealy's hotel.

W. T. Sealy - Trying to piece together what we know:

William Walker was listed as "Livery" in 1850

William was a hotel keeper in 1860

William dies - estate sale- Sealy buys a lot of things (1862)

Rachel dies 1870, but kids live in Chester at time of census, but not stated as in a hotel or near W. T. Sealy. The family doesn't seem to be associated with W. T. Sealy at all. I think they went to Charlotte about the time that Sealy went to GA. That is more than likely just a coincidence.

1850 W. T. Sealy, 38, lives in Chester with his parents. (NOT HIM, I GUESS)

1860-1870 notes

Sealy, 38, Chester, is a hotel keeper - doesn't live with or real near William

Sealy attends and buys things at William's estate sale

Sealy, 50, is a hotel keeper in town of Chester (William Walker has been dead 8 years)

Sealy is in Georgia

So one year they were both listed as a hotel keeper (1860). Since their residences are different I would assume they are two different hotels.

One thing to consider is that Sealy either owed or was owed money from William Walker at the time that William Walker died. He is listed in the paper you sent me "Accounts to Estate of Col. William Walker".

HUMMMMM... (a capital HUMMM, means my ears perked up)

The Sealy family was also located out in Baton Rouge Area of Chester County... a new country to town connection... wondering if this Sealy married into Walkers? or McC's (McCullough)?
McC's out in Baton Rouge also...
Wonder if Sealy's mother was a McC?

Subject: W. T. Sealy

It doesn't look like W. T. Sealy who attended Wm. Walker's estate sale was a relative.

1860 Census, Chester, SC
W. T. Sealy, 38, hotel keeper, b. sc 1822
Wife Maria, 28 b. SC

1870 Census, Chester, SC, page 19 of 24
William T., 50, hotel keeper in town of Chester
Maria E., 40

1880 Census
W. T. Sealy and wife are in GA.
The Blackmons still live with them
James Ross, hired man lives with them, b. AL

I think Maria was either a Blackman or was married to a Blackman before she married Sealy. I think these are her children.

Re: Sealy Family in SC- Posted by: **Margaret Butler** - February 24, 2000 at 13:09:30
In Reply to: Re: Sealy Family in SC by Rupert Chapman of 184

Go to rootsweb, click into the World Connect link, then type in Sealey. Go to any Lawrence Glenn Hardin site and you'll find several references to Sealey/Sealy -- some very early day SC individuals, particularly around Chester Co. Good luck!!

Start with: <http://www.rootsweb.com>

Re: Sealy Family in SC Posted by: **Dee Lansford** August 23, 2001 at 06:08:52 In Reply to: Re: Sealy Family in SC by Shirley Sealy of 185

Shirley, Is your John Sealy born abt 1715? Did he have a daughter, Elizabeth that married Robert (Robin) Walker? I am searching for a Robin Walker who had a daughter Nancy that married Joshua Paty in SC. A researcher said her mother was Elizabeth Sealy born 1755

Chester SC to John Sealy and Jean Jagges.
Dee Lansford
dlansford@aol.com

Re: Sealy Family in SC Posted by: Shirley Sealy August 23, 2001 at 10:26:55 In Reply to: Re: Sealy Family in SC by Dee Lansford of 185

I have records of Elizabeth Ellen Sealy, dau of John Sealy and Jean Jaggers. Eliz bn 1748 in Beaufort, Granville Co SC. She was married twice Henry Harden first and Robert Walker 2nd about 1784. Robert was born 1745. I have only one child listed for 2nd marriage, Sealy Walker bn abt 1786 chester, SC. She could have had more children by 2nd marriage. I think this is the line you are looking for. Shirley Sealy

Re: Sealy Family in SC Posted by: John Sealy September 05, 2001 at 18:31:27 In Reply to: Re: Sealy Family in SC by Fred Gilchrist of 185

Fred- An Isaac Roden and a Thomas Roden both appraised the estate of Nancy Sealy in 1824 in Chester Dist., SC, as well as William Sealy. Do you have the date of the Roden will and the other Sealy's who were witnesses? Thanks. John Sealy

Sealy Migration, GA, AL, MS in 1825-8 Posted by: Rupert Chapman (ID *****3886) Date: June 09, 2003 at 12:30:10 of 185

Anyone interested in the Sealy migration from Chester, SC to MS via GA and AL in the period 1825-8 should have a look at a fascinating little book:
Southerland, Henry deLeon, and Brown, Jerry Elijah
'The Federal Road through Georgia, the Creek Nation, and Alabama, 1806-1836, Tuscaloosa, The University of Alabama Press.
The route the migration followed was clearly the Federal Road, as far as a place called 'Burnt Corn' and then west to MS. Apart from the family interest, it is a crackin' good read about early days in the Deep South!

Re: Sealy family Posted by: Walt Sealy (ID *****5983) Date: July 14, 2007 at 14:55:01 In Reply to: Re: Sealy family by Walt Sealy of 185

OK, it seemed to have worked. I received a lot of info from John Sealy in S. Carolina. His e-mail address is cajunsealy@comcast.net and has been very good about providing info. He is a Sealy historian of sorts.

There is John Sealy (1720-1791)
Samuel Sealy (1745 -1827)
Garret Sealy(1806-1869)
These dates are according to the databases accessed by the software.

Here is info I have obtained.

[His post has a LOT of SEALY genealogy. Too much to copy. There is mention of Walkers in it. - Peggy]End of Sealy Discussions

I stumbled on this link somehow. (LOL)...

there are some Simpson's and Walkers mentioned during and following the revolutionary war period. <http://www.sciway3.net/clark/gill/SCIrish.html>

I was looking at Margaret's note and saw a note "could her (Rachael) father may have been a Henry" Henry Street is the first street when you enter Pinckney Street from the downtown area. But for some reason I thought this Henry Street was named for a man that had first name of Henry....anyways.... and That the William Walker that had wife by name of Elizabeth, had property that was on that left or north side of Pinckney Street. I think Henry Street was designated a street later, It may have been a service back alley of back lots (cow barns, wood sheds, horse stables, garden areas) that all those large homes had at one time... Just a thought... Bill

Hi Peggy...

I notice when scanning over the first file that there was a BRICE family connection with the McCullough family.... and Remember that the William Walker and wife Elizabeth that sold lot on Pinckney Street in Chester, sold it to a Brice.

I want to go back to probate to look at wills soon...

check our McCullough's and see which wills I can pull.... also that link for Walkers, as to possible fathers of William...

I am glad I made that list of the wills now. (chuckle)

There is a Thomas McCullough in the 1840 Chester county census... that has adults the age of William and Rachel in the home, [This is a good possibility of being my Col. Wm. Walker.] and a male the age of their son Thomas A... However in 1840 Col. Wm. had three children ages 6, 4, and 1. This McCullough household only had one male under 5 years of age.

Near this family were Craig, Robt. Walker, McCormick, Culp, and Sarah McCullough. All names I recognize.

maybe William's father was named Thomas Alexander?

I checked in 1850 and it appears that Thomas McCullough lives with his son Jonas. The three individuals that might have been Col. Wm, Rachel, and their son, Charles Thomas don't appear to be living with Thomas McCullough. Is this a good lead for us?

Bill/virginia October 30_2016 (5 pages so far)

Margie

(jamjackson@gcecis.com)

Sent:

Thu 5/11/06 10:08 AM

To:

SCCHEST2-L@rootsweb.com

There are many PATTON and WALKER names listed on the Fishing Creek Presbyterian Church 1774-1776 visitation list of Rev. John Simpson. There is also one BARNET, with a

note to see also BARNAD, of which there are 4 on that visitation list. However, there are no BARNETTs in the cemetery or other records and only one listing for "PATON". That is: "Margaret STRIGHT, alias PATON, Wife of Christopher, Died July 18, 1788, in her 35th year."

The name WALKER is scattered through the records from 1799 until 1809 and also on the visitation list.

Those shown in cemetery records are:

"Jane Rebecca WALKER, Consort of Dr. John A., Died Mar. 23, 1847, in her 23d year."

"Janet WALKER, Died Dec. 12, 1790, aged 80 years."

"John WALKER, Died Oct. 24, 1802, aged 75 years."

"John WALKER, Died June 16, 1792 aged 37 years."

"Infant WALKER, Son of William & Jane, Died Jan. 31, 1801, aged 5 weeks."

If you would like WALKER information from other records (baptism, received, dismissed) let me know. Margie

From Virginia: A little more on the location of where Eli Cornwell / Cornwall lived. He is buried in the 'Cornwell Family Burying Ground' and it's location is given as this: "located near Chester on the old home place of Levi Roden Wilkes, on the road to Carlisle, and about 5 1/2 miles from Chester." -----copied 1957 by Louise K Crowder.

From the Cornwall records it looks to me that Eli Cornwall lived a little SW of Chester.

Eli lived about 6 miles out from Chester on SC 72 that is West End Rd.. (Near the Chester State Park on SC 72.

Margie

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To: SCCHEST2-L@rootsweb.com

Below is the transcribed document from pages 1-3 of "Early Records of Fishing Creek Presbyterian Church", the book mentioned in earlier posts.

There is also transcribed the first minutes of the May 14 1799 Session when Rev. Davies was ordained. Both seem to have been written by the same person and Fishing Creek is written throughout with a double line at the bottom between Fishing and creek and creek is all lower case. When these writings are combined with the one Virginia sent, it gives a more complete view of the two churches and the area during that time.

Pages 1-3

"A brief historical sketch of the church of FishingCreek , in Chester District S. C.

This church was organized about the year 1770. Of its first bench of Elders were Samuel Neely, John Latta, Robert Walker & Robert Lusk. In the year 1770 this church procured the labors of the Rev. John Simpson from New Jersey. He arrived at Fishing_creek on the 26th of November of that year. He was ordained and installed April 6th 1774 in the pastoral charge by the Presbytery of Orange, which embraced the States of North Carolina, South Carolina and Georgia.

Mr. Simpson sustained the relation of Pastor to this church in communion with Lower Fishing_creek, afterwards, Richardson; But having withdrawn from that church he continued the Pastor of this church until 1789, when this relation was dissolved. He however served the church for one year more and then removed to Pendelton District S.C. where he continued his ministerial labors until his death on February 4th 1808.

The congregation remained vacant, with the exception of a few months in 1793, when they were supplied by Mr John Bowman, a licentiate of Orange Presbytery until 1795. In September 1795 the church preferred their call to Mr. William G. Rosebrough a Licentiate of the Presbytery of South Carolina (which was organized in 1785). He took their call under consideration and labored amongst them for two years under considerable infirmity of body and at length was compelled to (return?) their call.

In April 1798 this church gave an invitation to Mr. John B. Davies to labor amongst them, as a (supply?). He was a Licentiate of the Presbytery of South Carolina. His labors proving acceptable, this church in union with Richardson presented their calls to Mr Davies to become their pastor. Mr Davies having accepted their calls he was ordained and installed as the Pastor of the two churches May 4th, 1799. His labors were devoted to the two churches for the space of thirty three years, when (1831) the pastoral charge of Richardson was resigned; but that of Fishing_creek retained and still continues (1839). When Mr Davies became Pastor of this church its bunch of Elders were Samuel Neely, David Carr, David Neely, Thomas Neely, Thomas Latta to whom was added in 1801 Mr Hugh Gaston.

In 1804 Thomas Neely, Thomas Latta, Hugh Gaston, Josiah Porter, Charles Brown, Wm Walker, D. Davis. In 1808 Thomas Neely, H Gaston, Josiah Porter, Jas Steele, Chs Boyd, Jas Wallis & Samuel Lewis. In 1812 T Neely, H Gaston, J Porter, Ch. Boyd, J. Wallis, S. Lewis, Jas. E. McFadden & John Boyd. In 1820. H Gaston, C. Boyd, S. Lewis, J.E. McFadden, J. Boyd, William Bradford, Edward Crawford, D.A. Rosebrough & John Neely.

In 1827. C. Boyd, S. Lewis, J. Boyd, J. Neely, E. Crawford, Wm Stringfellow, Robert Miller, Alex. Gaston & Josiah H. Gill In 1835 C Boyd, Superannuated, E. Crawford, W. Stringfellow, R Miller, J.E. McFadden, Alex. Crawford & Wm Cowan.

In 1839 C. Boyd, Sup., E. Crawford, Robert Miller, J.E. McFadden, A Crawford, W. Cowan, John Poage & Geo. H. Neely. Rev. (B?) Gilland became pastor 1842 (added later) 1846.

Robert Miller, Alex. Crawford, John Poage, Geo. H. Neely, John L. Chambers, J. Hervey Crawford, Robt Stringfellow - Lewis Miller became Pastor 1849

1851. Robert Miller, John Poage, Geo. H. Neely, John L. Chambers, J. Hervey Crawford, Robt. Stringfellow, Jas. F. Wheery, Edwin R. Mills.”

Pages 4-5

May 14th 1799

Mr John B. Davies was on this day ordained by the Presbytery of South Carolina, to the whole of the gospel ministry, and installed as the Pastor of Fishing_creek and Richardson

congregations. It was unanimously agreed that Thomas Latta act as clerk for this Session, and that a record of the transactions of the same be kept; and that other papers be preserved. N.B. The members of this Session are Samuel Neely, David Carr, David Neely, Thomas Neely and Thomas Latta.

The only papers now to be found in the hands of this Session are 1. A certificate signed by Hugh Brooke V.D.M, of Burt Ireland stating that Sarah Porter is a member of the church & dismissed in good standing. 2 A certificate stating that William Brown & Wife Jane, Charles & Archibald his sons, also Will. Thorn & his wife were of fair and good standing when dismissed. Signed by Rev. John Lewson & William Allen. & 3 A certificate from Rev. Sam W Yongue Pastor of Leban, recommending as in good standing Thomas Wright & Nancy his wife.

The following is a register of the communicants in Fishing_creek as this date John B. Davies Pastor

Polly Davies

(Samuel Neely - David Carr – David Neely - Thomas Neely – Thomas Latta) Elders Sarah Neely, Margaret Carr, Agness Neely, Prudence Neely, Martha Latta, John Latta, Margaret Latta, Eliz. Chambers, Wid. McClure, Martha Gaston, Hugh McClure, Jane McClure, Mary Porter, David Davis, Jane Davis, Thomas Wright, Agnes Wright, Wm Anderson, Joseph Walker, Wid. Bishop, Did.

McCulloch, Mary Elliott, Jas. (this is what it looks like to me but is shown in index as “John”) Armstrong, Jane Armstrong, Charles Brown, William Thorn, Agnes Thorn, John Walker, Martha Walker, Jane Walker, Elizab. Leman, Wid. Knox, David Boyd, Margaret Boyd, Sarah Boyd, Christopher Strait, Rose Strait, John Mills, Sarah Gill, Josiah Porter, Rachel Porter
Total 48

Received on examination in 1799

Elizabeth Mills, Elizabeth Neely, Isabel Allen, Sarah McHugh

--- on certificate

Thomas Miller

Making a total of 55 Members.

Kathryn Walker

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I did get your ancestry information. You should send it to "The Bulletin". schustel@comporium.net While I was going through my information on the Walkers of Sandy River, I found a William Walker that was about the same age of Col. William Walker. His parents were John Walker 1777-1866 and Elizabeth Ross Douglas. (see Walkers of Sandy River)

I got a call from Russ Hall in Memphis this afternoon. He is in the line of Charles Walker son of Adam and Rhonda Terry Walker. He said most of his information had his ancestors living in the city of Chester and being buried in Old Purity Cemetery. They owned a house and property in Chester called Red Banks. He has more information on the Walkers of Sandy River than I do.

I noticed some of your Walkers moved to Charlotte. My grandson is from Charlotte and lived in Dilworth. So I was familiar with some of the cemeteries in that area. Have you ever gone to the Charlotte library? They have a lot of Walker information that I didn't find in Chester. I have never been to the historical society in Columbia. Bud Miller said they had a lot of Walker information there too.

Kin Mapper

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I have a two John Alexander Walkers with the one born about 1819 son of Charles and Sarah Estes Walker although unmarried to the best of my tree's leaves, who could be your guy. The other JAW is the right age but married in 1841 a Kirkpatrick lady who lived into the 20th century. I have nothing more on this other fellow but some on his family.

1840 United States Federal Census about Capt William Waller

Name:	Capt William Waller [William Walker]
County:	Chester
State:	South Carolina
Free White Persons - Males - Under 5:	1
Free White Persons - Males - 5 thru 9:	1
Free White Persons - Males - 20 thru 29:	1
Free White Persons - Females - Under 5:	1
Free White Persons - Females - 15 thru 19:	1
Free White Persons - Females - 20 thru 29:	1
Slaves - Males - 10 thru 23:	1
Total - All Persons (Free White, Free Colored, Slaves):	7
Persons Employed in Agriculture:	2
Free White Persons - Under 20:	4
Free White Persons - 20 thru 49:	2
Total Free White Persons:	6
Total Slaves:	1
Total All Persons - Free White, Free Colored, Slaves:	7

1840 United States Federal Census about William Walker

He is supposedly William B. Walker and is approx. 50 years old, as is the adult female of the household.

Col. and Rachel were married by 1840. Wm could be in this household, but someone Rachel's age is not. Not knowing the wife's name I can not follow her in the 1850 census and William Walker is too vague to research. Would have to go by the childrens ages in the 1850 census to identify him.

In 1830 he (this William Walker) might have lived near a Kennedy and a McCulla and two McCulloughs (Jno and Thomas). I think he is William married to Jennett [Lemen] with daughter Jane in the 1850 Census. In a history I read I learned they had a daughter **Narcissa!!!** And a son James.

[1840 Census]	Name:	William Malker [William B Walker]
	County:	Chester
	State:	South Carolina
	Free White Persons - Males - 10 thru 14:	1
	Free White Persons - Males - 20 thru 29:	2
	Free White Persons - Males - 50 thru 59:	1
	Free White Persons - Females - 5 thru 9:	1
	Free White Persons - Females - 50 thru 59:	1
	Slaves - Males - Under 10:	1
	Slaves - Males - 10 thru 23:	2
	Slaves - Females - Under 10:	1
	Slaves - Females - 10 thru 23:	3
	Slaves - Females - 36 thru 54:	1
	Persons Employed in Agriculture:	9
	Free White Persons - Under 20:	2
	Free White Persons - 20 thru 49:	2
	Total Free White Persons:	6
	Total Slaves:	8
	Total All Persons - Free White, Free Colored, Slaves:	14

Passenger and Immigration Lists Index, 1500s-1900s about William Walker

Name:	William Walker
Place:	South Carolina
Source Publication	69
Code:	
Primary	
Immigrant:	Walker, William
Annotation:	Covers 1800-1830s. See also no. 8354, Sellingsloh.
Source	AINSWORTH, FERN. Index to Naturalization Records, Chester County, South
Bibliography:	Carolina. Natchitoches [La.]: the compiler, 197?. 26p.
Page:	20

Passenger and Immigration Lists Index, 1500s-1900s about William Walker

Name:	William Walker
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Year: 1809
Place: South Carolina
Source
Publication 8354
Code:
Primary
Immigrant: Walker, William
Annotation: All were immigrants from Ireland, 1807-1815. See also no. 0069, Ainsworth. SELLINGSLOH, DAISY P., compiler. "Applications for Citizenship, Chester Co., South Carolina." In *The Quarterly, Local History and Genealogical Society* (Dallas, Texas), vol. 13:2 (June 1967), p. 11.
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 Original data: Filby, P. William, ed.. *Passenger and Immigration Lists Index, 1500s-1900s*. Farmington Hills, MI, USA: Gale Research, 2009.

There are other immigrant records for William on Ancestry.com

North Carolina Death Certificates, 1909-1975 about Mrs Mary Crawford Stough

Name: Mrs Mary Crawford Stough
 [Mrs Mary Crawford Walker]
Gender: Female
Race: White
Age: 70
Birth Date: 16 May 1855
Birth Place: Chester, South Carolina, United States
Death Date: 17 Oct 1925
Death Location: Rineville, Mecklenburg
 [Prob. Pineville, Mecklenburg, NC]
Spouse's name: Rev A L Stough
Father's name: Dr John A Walker
Mother's name: Mary Crain

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 I just received my Chester BULLETIN today.

A lady by the name of Clara Malak [Mrs. Joe Malak Jr. PO Box 37 New Waverly TX 77358: email: cmalak@yahoo.com sent this query:

Looking for any information on William M. Clark d. bef April 24 1833, Chester Co who married 2nd Lenesa Simpson about 1831.

His first wife was Martha or Rebecca Walker.

William M. Clark's children first wife:

Eleanor md Templeton Darby; Rebecca m. Henry N. Carter; Jeremiah Terry Clark unmarried.

2nd wife: Jesse Simpson Clark md Rachel Belinda Lackey

also, in the same BULLETIN is an article called 'An Old Citizen's Early Recollections of Chester', copied by W W Pegram. Original author unknown

on page 5, it states that col walker's house stood where the new jail now stands, the new jail was built in 1842... But we still do not know if that COL Walker is our man or the other Col William Walker.

Well the exact location of this lot is known, as the "new" jail still exists...

so there should be a deed trail back to this William Walker whose home stood there.

and hopefully his wife that signed away her dower rights name was Rachal...

also the Roseboro mentioned as being sheriff was sheriff in 1858 i remember.

and it speaks of the late war, as if it was written after the civil war... so that would move the written date up to after 1865...

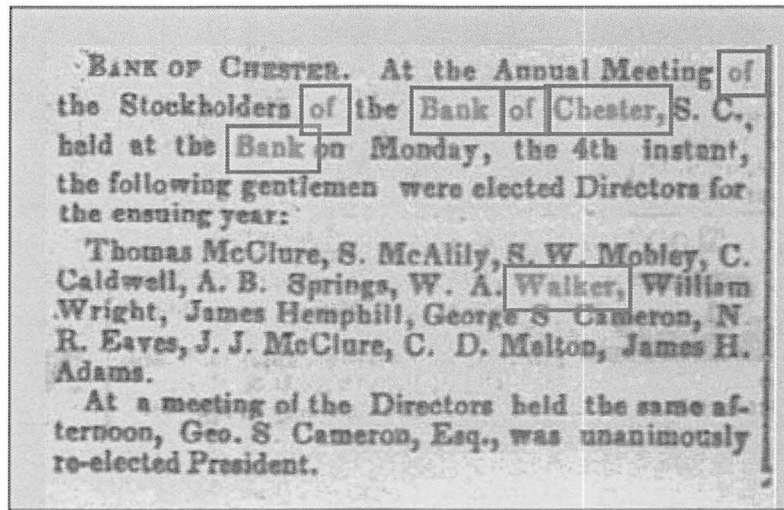
Read it carefully and see if it gives you any clues as to how old any person mentioned is and we then can maybe establish a date it was written, by that person's death date.

"There were four old citizens that I overlooked when I was reviewing Chesterville. John D. Simrill father of our present good citizen, Joel Simrill. I do not remember where he lived when we first came to Chester, but he later kept the hotel then kept by Fowler Kennedy. Also Col. William A. Walker. He lived in a house where the city jail now stands. He once was postmaster and Colonel of a regiment of militia that mustered in town. He was one of the best known men in the country. . . . "

From Bill Gregory on the same article as above:The James Hemphill, lawyer, mentioned on page 3.. The author states that James Hemphill "lives in the same lot" , and "Tho he is far along in eighty"... This James was listed as age 86 in the 1900 Census... Can we assume that this account of Chesterville was written around 1895 to 1900? James Hemphill died in 1902 at age 89... Also... as I read more carefully... the author states on page 5 that "Col William A. Walker was "colonel of a regiment of militia that mustered in town." Do you all think this may have been a local sort of an inactive duty national guard? That may have drilled occasionally? Bill

Mexican War link right time for Col Walker, but I don't find him. <http://www.sonofthesouth.net/mexican-war/war.htm>

From Virginia: Was he W. A. Walker found at genealogybank.com?? **Bank of Chester (News Article)**Date: 1857-05-08; Paper: **Charleston Mercury**



The librarian at the Chester Library told me that during the Mexican War some "John Does" would gather up a bunch of local men and form a regiment. They were not necessarily military people. The leader was often referred to as Colonel. Emma (my Col. William's daughter) was pretty young when her father died. She might not have known he fought (if he did indeed fight) in the Mexican War. When she wrote her papa was too old to fight the Civil War.

Sorry, we don't have Rachael or Col Walker in our records. The closest we have to her date is Matilda McCullough who married William Strong in 1830. Samuel Penny McCullough, born 22 Jul 1824 married Eliza Strong.

There is a strong possibility that your McCullough's migrated from Chester County, S.C. to Lincoln Co. TN with our relatives. They were Associate Reformed Presbyterians and some moved to the community of Molino or Yukon in Lincoln County. My direct line relatives lived next to McCullough Creek (now called Molino Creek) in Molino in the 1860's.

Our relatives continued moving together as a church congregation to the Rosemark, Shelby Co., TN area. They built the Richland A.R.P. Church and their descendants continue to live in that area. There are McCullough's on Armour Road (where we were raised) and are relatives.

Thanks for your Email and good luck with your genealogy, Ed, Jerry, and Barbara

Peggy... there is a Walker Street here in Chester... It is less than two short blocks from the courthouse and where the old jail once stood. and 3 short blocks from the old opera house, which on 3rd floor, housed the first conscription library in the city... Walker Street is in an area that used to contain many large two and three story homes ... some of which were hotels or boarding homes... and turning off onto walker from center street, you will see a large vacant lot...This is the area where the "Colored Music Hall" stood,

I guess about 1900 and behind that the railroad track and a short distance away maybe a block was one of the train depots...Many families after the war had some of their former servants still with the families and they had taken the name of their former owners...you will see this occasionally...Some even continued to attend the "white churches" until their deaths.....

When the opera house burned in Chester, the fire departments from Rock Hill and York responded and assisted or were on standby... it was a much taller structure than the one that was restructured from the ruins... the older one was at least a story taller in the tower... The fire alarm bell that sounded the alarm, came from within the opera house tower itself... The library was on the third floor and some books were saved by volunteers that threw them from the upper windows. If my memory is correct, I think the house had ceased to be used for shows at the time of the fire... it was old stored props and back drops that fueled fire....Bill

ummm boarding houses were a bit less expensive and usually smaller... and more for longer term visits.... Lots of salesmen called in Chester... some had standing reservations for their scheduled visits in the area....could also rent horses/buggies right in downtown area... Livery was just behind the opera house. There were 4 hotels I know of in the area of the opera house/ library and courthouse... (infact the lot that the opera house stands on was formally the site of a large hotel....) opera house built in 1907...and there were 3 or 4 couple blocks east at the railroad depot out Lancaster street...and in the area behind the courthouse that now stands there were several boarding houses. It was very common 20 for some of the owners of the larger homes to have boarders... not seen too often now.... a few of them were used as hospital space during the civil war, as there were so many wounded arriving in Chester. Chester at one time was at a major cross road in the state...before interstates, had to go through Chester to get anyplace in state it seemed. Bill Gregory

Peg... did Col Walker have an obituary in Chester paper?

In the 1850 census... it appears there are 5 households of Walkers in one area... all farming... and in the Killian home next door there is a Walker child... Did any of the Walkers marry into the Killians? also I saw a few Wylie persons in one home. who were they, were they relations?

1850 census only states Chester, South Carolina
1860 Baton Rouge, which is out in West Chester County ...left of or west of highway 9 going in direction towards Spartanburg...so it appears they were farming out there and lots of Walkers at that. and looks like they were prosperous. Wonder if William got a land grant? you might check Land grants also... or he may have married into the property.... [I don't think my Col. Wm. Walker was in Baton Rouge.]

Digital Collections - University Libraries - USC : Browse these maps show lots of old HChester. Just scroll down down you will see Chester... Interesting.

<http://digital.tcl.sc.edu/cdm4/browse.php?CISOROOT=/SFMAPS&CISOSTART=1,101>

William and Rachel Walker received their mail at the Chester County Courthouse, so they lived very close to the city center... I also see the Brice family, I know that they had homes on Wylie Street... one home closer in, within sight of the courthouse, and then on the left just before the train tracks at end of Wylie Street another large house on the left. Both these homes have been pulled down... the one closer in, about 1977 or so...

(1870 maybe?) I see John Walker was sheriff.. and at that time the sheriff family was provided housing in the old jail, that is still standing...It is to the right of the library. Sheriff's family had one floor for residence, I think the main floor and prisoners were on 2nd and third floor....that was at 108 / 131.

ok... Emma, Mary and William were in building/dwelling number 89 (1870 Census) and they were family unit number 104 in order of visitation... so they all were very close... It may be possible that they all lived in a large building/house/hotel/boarding house... The plantation Hotel stood where the City Hall/Opera House was built... but it burned

Peggy... the address of the old jail in Chester is 128 center street, if you want to take a look... It was the second jail in Chester, it was converted into apartments and the 3rd jail located directly behind the courthouse. the 3rd jail is now the Chester museum and the 4th jail is the new complex on Dawson Drive.

Red Bank plantation (built by a Walker) was down towards Richburg Community maybe 10 miles east, from Chester... It was and still is owned by the Gaston family... Baton Rouge is about 10 miles west of Chester...

1/30/2010 - these maps show lots of old Chester. Just scroll down dn you will see Chester... Interesting.

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I just found this when I was filing away some old notes today... "My grandfather Robert Walker Wilkes b. 1883 died Feb 1960. buried New Hope Methodist Church. His first cousin was E. Alston Wilkes."

Remember the Wilkes family came from out at Baton Rouge Area also those Roden men mentioned are also west Chester county/ Baton Rouge family...

I was wondering if the Robert Walker Wilkes... Maybe he had been named for Robert Walker...

if so there would be a link... maybe his grandpa or somebody was a Walker.

I dunno...

who was Wylie McCullough? could he have been named for a Wylie relative?

if they in fact were originally from Chester County... the answer lies there in the deeds... where Elizabeth, wife signed away her dower rights with each sale... not so much in purchases of land, but sales. **This is not my Col. Wm.'s wife, Rachel Eliza.**

well... the 1850 census is him with RE as his woman shemay have been rachael
ELIZABETH

but he shows no cash assets and also it states all of them were born in south Carolina.... If he had of had any cash ... seems he would have had it in 1850... and there were several tenement houses in that area at that time.

Peggy... meaning that it was not just your average 5 bedroom room boarding house. it had to have been much larger....

that is a possibility
or... maybe a relative or older sibling in charlotte to help them or a relative in Chester to finance their move and give references for them

if they all were living in the hotel, and they were the William and Elizabeth, that I looked at today that sold their property in 1859, that might have been when they made move into hotel...

But I can not imagine a hotel owner letting 10 persons in a family move into his building.... He probably owned that hotel.... maybe his debts forced him to consolidate property and the family moving into the hotel???

well... Creditors may have seized the hotel.

Peg...

To have 8 children, and to manage to have \$500.00 at that time, was an accomplishment. Do you think he might have inherited some cash between 1850 and 1860... maybe his family or hers?

also... I see no will for Rachael ... that means either she did not have any property/estate, or had disposed of it before her death....

possibly were business debts.

maybe a walker bankrolled him in the hotel... it may not have been his to loose.

Maybe there would be a map of Chester downtown in 1860 that might show hotels.

I do know that at that time the railroad was coming through here... it started about 1858 or so. and several new hotels were built down the hill in the area of the train depot... about 1/2 mile from confederate monument on top of hill east.

well, lets remember that it was only two and 3/4 acre... a small lot and the deed says it's north boundary was on Pinckney Street.... and ... I notices one man's land that bordered this lot was a Alexander C. Walker? wonder if he was a relation?

In SC the woman has her dower right...

I think it is something like one third of the property value in those days...

If she does not sign away that right on the deed, when her husband sells a piece of property...Then she could come back after her husband's death and demand that dower right of one third from the new buyer of the property.

Most new buyers insisted on the wife signing this away in land transactions.

Now to the census of 1870... I am seeing what looks like 15 persons that are living in one dwelling... This indicates they are still in the hotel building....

and note that they have a COOK... so they were not broke, and one person is a barkeeper (Henry Hill), one a blacksmith (Dooley), one a seamstress and one a carpenter... surely some of these people paid room and board....

and... then close by in separate buildings (probably small tenement cottages) we see some Walker black persons, that were probably former slaves.

(this points to property and land and slaves....in the Walker family)

It seems they all lived very close together in a row, like a hotel and several cottages nearby...

Yes, I conclude they were probably living in the same dwelling as in 1860 census...

Bill

Also there was a large livery stable right in downtown Chester at that time and young green mules were brought into the area on railroad cars and broke and trained in this area...so a blacksmith had work right in downtown...

there are some Simpson's and Walkers mentioned during and following the revolutionary war period. <http://www.sciway3.net/clark/gill/SCIrish.html>

This Major John Walker, was the father of William Alexander Walker...I think he was the W. A. Walker that Col William Walker was indebted to when he died....also was listed a J. H. Walker...and a D. Carroll that might ring a bell for Virginia Turner....I am wondering if Colonel William Walker was a son that died in 1862, before Major John Walker's death in 1866? Major John left \$50.00 to a granddaughter Catherine Johnston, wife of R.

Johnston... Puzzled as to who her parents were...OK>>> you all get to work on this and let me know what you all digout. (CHUCKLE)

Peggy. go to ancestry.com and under public Member Trees, look up John Walker, Born Nov 6, 1877 and died Aug 12, 1866 Married Elizabeth Ross Douglas... It shows William Alexander and daughter Elizabeth That married a Caldwell and had the granddaughter Catherine, That married R. Johnston.But no mention of a William Walker. Bill

Also a Jim Cornwell was owed money by Col William Walker. There were 14 window curtains and also 6 bedsteads and a baby crib and 6 cane bottom chairs, and 16 split and shuck bottom chairs, and 6 wicker chairs.... a LOT Of chairs... You think this was the hotel effects being sold off also?

W A Walker was a lawyer ...he and his father Major John Walker and then C S Brice lived side by side in downtown Chester in the 1860 census. Could be that WA Walker and CS Brice were law partners?

J. Fred was W A Walker, the lawyer's, son
Jay Fred is in the 1860 Chester census with his mother and father WA Walker...

There was at least one Frederick (Eugene) in the family of Col William's son William Roseborough Walker.

I am pretty sure that this Harold Smith Walker is Dr. Robert Walker's father
at the August gen. meeting Dr. Walker indicated he would do research for individuals ??
have not heard more on that.

Anyway I know that they [he and his father] published something in THE BULLETIN on
their WALKER line.

Direct Descendants of JOHN "COURT HOUSE JOHN" WALKER

JOHN "COURT HOUSE JOHN" WALKER b: Abt. 1721 in COUNTY ANTRIM, IRELAND
d: 1802

.. +JANNET

..... 2 THOMAS WALKER b: 1758

..... +JANE GASTON

..... 3 ALEXANDER WALKER b: April 10, 1761 d: 1858 in , CHESTER, SC

..... +ESTHER GASTON b: October 15, 1760 in , CRAVEN, SC d: 1809 in ,
CHESTER, SC

..... 4 JOHN GASTON WALKER b: 1778 d: 1823 in , CHESTER, SC

..... +JANE MCCAIN b: Abt. 1805 in , CHESTER, SC d: August 23, 1859 in
TALLAPOOSA CO., ALA

..... 5 WILLIAM "BLACKSMITH" WALKER b: 1798 in , CHESTER, SC
d: November 14, 1834 in , CHESTER, SC

..... +SARAH EDWARDS b: 1800 in , CHESTER, SC d: July 30, 1845
in , CHESTER, SC

..... 6 ANDREW JACKSON WALKER b: May 07, 1833 in ,
CHESTER, SC d: March 27, 1918 in , SC

..... +MARY ANN WHITESIDE b: April 06, 1843 in , YORK, SC d:
August 02, 1891 in NEELYS CREEK, YORK, SC

..... 7 WILLIAM EDGAR WALKER SR b: November 28, 1868
in , CHESTER, SC d: January 12, 1944 in ROCK HILL, YORK, SC

..... +ROSA ADELAIDE WHERRY b: October 19, 1877 in ,
YORK, SC d: November 06, 1936 in ROCK HILL, YORK, SC

..... 8 WILLIAM EDGAR WALKER JR b: December 24,
1902 in LESSLIE, YORK, SC d: November 18, 1969 in ROCK HILL, YORK, SC

..... +JANIE SMITH b: April 28, 1910 in LESSLIE,
YORK, SC

..... 9 HAROLD SMITH WALKER b: January 09,
1932 in LESSLIE, YORK, SC

Page 7 of "Captain Bill", Book Three, 1990, by Robert J. Stevens, says: "[Sarah Edwards] Married William "Blacksmith Billy" Walker, born 1781, CC [Chester County, SC], died 11/14/1834, a son of John A. Gaston Walker, and grandson of Alexander and Esther (Gaston) Walker, Billy Walker was murdered by John Ferguson, who hung for the crime."

Buried in Elmwood Cemetery, Fort Lawn, Chester Co., SC, same cemetery as James Black and wife Martha Jane Walker Black.

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Description: WESTBROOK, JOHN, AND DAVID B. MARTIN, PETITION ASKING ADDITIONAL COMPENSATION FOR CAPTURING JOHN G. FURGUSON, WANTED FOR THE MURDER OF JOHN RODMAN AND WILLIAM WALKER. (4 PAGES)

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Wilkins, M.J., 71, female, white, SC (see below for Ancestry version)

McCullough, T., male, 27, white, nephew, SC

Lumpkin, T. white, 67, h servant, SC

Gibson, T.P. or T.I.?, 24, white male, laborer in field, SC

You drew my attention to the White family of this area... this is what I have in my data bank... ***** Note child #7, Victoria White....

You have anything on this marriage...?

1. William John White [04738]

William was born in 1720 at Antrim County, Ireland.

William and Ann Garner [04739] were married in 1727 (came to SC from Ireland, and brought with them their children, except last daughter that was born in SC.) at Ireland.

William and Ann had the following children:

2. i. William, Jr. White [04740] William, was mentioned November 7, 1795 (Book E. p 62, Hugh Ross, Jr. to his brother, William Ross, 100 a for 100 lbs sterling, plat, being part of their father's original land grant.) at Chester County, South Carolina in the probate of Bounded by Hugh Bomar, William White, and Hugh Ross, Jr. witt: James Brown (half

brother), George Kennedy, and William White (spouse of half-sister, Jane Brown). William, was mentioned December 14, 1795

(Book E, p 64; Hugh Ross Jr. to his brother, Abraham Ross, 100 a for 100 lbs sterling, plat, being part of an original 400 a grant to their father) at Chester County, South Carolina in the probate of Bounder by Joseph Cobb, Hugh Ross, Jr. .

Witt: James Brown (half brother), George Kennedy, and William White (spouse of half-sister, Jane B William, was mentioned January 9, 1796 (Hugh Ross, Jr, sold to Francis Ross, his brother, 100a for 25 lb sterling, plat, being part of their father's original land grant.) at Chester County, South Carolina in the probate of Bounded by Joseph Cobb, William White, Hugh Ross, Jr, and William Ross. Witt: James Brown, half-brother, George Kennedy, and William Ross, brother.. William, was mentioned April 15, 1800 (Book G, p 247. Hugh Ross and William Ross 100a. for \$200.00 part of a 400 a land grant to Hugh Ross, Sr.) at Chester County, South Carolina in the probate of this 100 a had been conveyed to Francis Ross, deceased; intestate: whose heirs are Hugh, William and Abraham. Witt: William White and John Douglas..

3. ii. Jannet White [03960] was born in 1762 at Antrim, Ireland. Jannet arrived in 1767 (at age 5) at Charleston, South Carolina. Jannet and Robert Miller [03959] were married September 11, 1786 at Antrim, Ireland. Jannet died February 22, 1815 (at age 53) at Chester County, South Carolina.

4. iii. Margaret White [04742]

5. iv. Eleanor Helen White [04744]

6. v. Isabel White [04746] : Isabel and Wilson [04747] moved to Centralia, Illinois.

7. vi. Victoria White [04748]

***** VICTORIA WHITE MARRIED ROBERT WALKER *****
I do not know this Robert Walker.... Do you?...wonder who his parents were?

8. vii. Daughter born in SC White [04750] Daughter and Watkins [04751] moved to Elkton, KY

William and Ann [04739] moved about 1768 to Chester County, South Carolina.

William and Ann [04739] immigrated December 22, 1767 from Charleston, SC

William and Ann [04739] lived at Rocky Creek area of Chester County, South Carolina.

Peggy... I just have a deep feeling that the Kennedys (Major John or his brother George) of Chester, or maybe one of their wives (Evans wife of Major John Kennedy) were somehow connected to either your Rachel or William... Bill

This is interesting about Catharine Evans Kennedy of Chester.
http://genealogytrails.com/scar/chester/wylie&evans_bio.htm

I will now speak of mother's family. My grandfather Richard Evans had three brothers, John, Isaac, and Owen, and one sister. I think her name was Hannah. They were all Whigs and were in the army in the Revolution. They attended the Whig meeting at old Justice Gaston's and volunteered their services. They and I think three Walkers were all the Whigs that were in Sandy River, it being a hot bed of Tories. My grandfather married Katherine McCarter of a highly respected family. They were married before the Revolution and had several children. She was very much distressed and annoyed by the Tories. (A number of the stories are repeated in Catherine Hinton's Evans history -see this information)

As it may be a satisfaction to some, I will tell the names of some of the persons whom my father's brothers and sisters married. Uncle Kelso married a McNeal. I can't remember who Uncle John N. Wylie married first, but I think she was a Nelson. His second wife was a Miss Pepper. Aunt Susan married Alexander Walker. Jennette married William Walker, a brother of Alexander. Mary married D. Hamilton, and Sallie married William Morris (?). They all moved to Alabama except Jennette and my father Peter.

Peggy... note above from the Wylie/Evans material... two sisters (Susan Wylie and Jennette Wylie) married two Walker Brothers... and one Alexander and Susan (it is implied above) Walker husband and his wife " moved to Alabama with all the others... wonder who these two Walker's parents were???? Bill

Margaret, Colonel William died intestate...

He died 'round July 7th 1862 (as his probate papers state)

His file is 112, package 191. His son, Charles T. Walker served as Adm of his estate.

I will attempt to scan/send to you the 6 pages I photocopied of his returns of his estate and proceeds of his estate sale, so you can see what was bought by whom....This may provide some leads also...

I saw NO mention of his wife in any of these probate papers....

I pulled 4 files for Walker family, that I thought might promise leads...

Walker children file 130, Pack 475, which was for guardianship for 3 minor children.

A. J. Walker, file 91, pack 1444, a Wm Walker (unidentified) serving as Adm, and this file was missing.

and Sara E. Walker file 96, pack 1592 (this Sara was a minor and Wm. Walker (unidentified) served as guardian) August 1847

Early McCullough wills, Chester County, SC probate

Peggy, In searching the McCullough wills I did not find one for Rachel Eliza...
So, I went a bit further back, hoping to find a near relation:

1. Elizabeth McCullough, died intestate, April 1852, file 57A, pack 1619... a Elizabeth McCullough (unidentified) bought a bedstead for \$5.00 and... AH McCullough bought many, many items at this sale.
2. Samuel McCullough, 1856, file 104 pack 21...
Left his plantation to Oliver P. McCullough.
3. Thomas McCullough, file 114, pack 231, November 24, 1862
inventory of this estate Dec 11, 1862... adm was Mrs. ME McCullough

well, the first document, is not that important... it more or less states that Col William Walker died intestate and gives Charles power to settle his estate.
Could not find a Rachel Eliza Walker or McCullough for a will... at that time, if you did not have anything, you did not have a will most of the time

R E Walker, I took to be Rachel Elizabeth [Eliza], as it appeared a widow was buying for household..... with intentions of keeping house...
It will be great to see which McCullough's and Walker families you have it narrowed down to, checking census/ages..... (chuckle)
So many left this area starting when the new territories opened up ...
I am kinda droopy ... after all was in probate for 4 and half hours today.... doesn't time fly when doing research? Bill

these are the only probate papers available. I was disappointed also.
and the type of job that it appears they took in Charlotte, were hard jobs.....that did not seem to pay very much...
It may be that they did not own land. No land was mentioned in the estate sale, nor slaves... or lived on someone else's farm....
hard to say, and this was during that HORRIBLE time just after the civil war and reconstruction...
Maybe go for earlier wills, and try to find if either of them had parents that owned property or left them land/cash.... then look at deeds if necessary.....Bill

From an internet forum:

The Robert Walker mentioned in Bishop Asbury's Journal is Robert Walker on Sandy River who married 2nd Elizabeth Sealy Hardin about 1785. Bishop Asbury spent the night Dec 24th 1800 in Robert Walker's home after preaching at Sealy's Chapel. He said in the journal that Robert Walker was in his 80th year which would make him born about 1720 (Where?). Who was his first wife? Children? What happened to them? I am a descendant of Robert and

Elizabeth's first son, Sealy Walker born 1785.

OniI just looked over the descendants of Col William Walker... and noticed two females that shared Oni in their names (one was Emma Oni Walker, and the other Emma's niece Mary Louisa Oni Cornwell...) on page 3

I have taken a liking to that name... I wonder where it came from??

The girl's name **Oni** |o-ni| is a variant of **Ann** (Hebrew), and the meaning of Oni is "favoured grace". also can mean "prayed for"

Peggy... this might shed some light on the name Oni... <http://www.jstor.org/pss/4242620>

Chester Hospital Information:

built by a doctor Pryor as a hospital... had one of the first schools to produce nurses. probably a wing for women and one for men.

he also bought the lot Rachael's house stood on and tore them down and used the wood from Rachael's to build a rental house. and he moved in the corner house that was Doctor S E Babcock's home... this gave him two lots and a larger yard. it seems the more current the record, the longer it takes to go through it.

I was averaging 2 to 2.5 file boxes on the earlier years a day... and now (even with my more experienced eye at going through the documents, as they follow a repeated pattern) the best I can do now is one box a day, and then I am dead. LOL

Hi peggy (deom Bill - talking about his own lineage and what he hoped to find in the court house)

the boxes are taking longer than they did in the earlier years.

I can barely cover a full box in an afternoon. I am only good for about 4 hours each day in archives, and then it takes me about another 2 to get the data typed out and to you.

I also am finding a few things for Virginia... nothing major... only cases that let us know when her Westbrooks were still in the area serving on jury.

I did find a mention of one of my great great grandfathers when he served on a jury. (Alfred Bolch, different line)

unfortunately my Jacob Stone parents remain in the shadows.

oh well...

I only am really looking for 4 individuals:

(1) my greatgreatgreatgrand father William Tillman **Gregory** (where he was buried) I know his lineage.

(2) His wife Susan, who were her parents? ...

Elmira Stone married Marion Tillman **Gregory**, son of the above couple....

(3) Jacob Stone, Elmira's father, who were his parents?

(4) Eliza, Jacob's first wife... who were her parents?

wonder when the son Richard [Kennedy] died? [Richrd died 1914 in Charlotte.]

when did Anna's husband die? [1864 Allen Kennedy died in the Civil War.]
now also.... the man that first owned the hotel we keep referring to was a Mr George Kennedy...

But I do not know his relationship if any at all to Major John Kennedy...

but I do expect some sort of kinship...

[John Kennedy and Katherine Evans had a George. My dates for him are 1807-1825. He is the only George I have in FTM.]

Della Bixby, who married Allen Kennedy's son was a dear friend to my grandma and gr grandmother in Charlotte. My gr grandmother promised Anna that she would look after her children. She must have known she was dying ahead of time. We never quite understood that because Emma wasn't much older than they were. I often wondered if she made that promise to another Anna, also a relative. Peggy

I also found the civil case books today.

they will be so much more easy going than these boxes of jumbled cases.

I am looking forward to seeing what I can find in them.

I counted up boxes today and I have about 20 more to go and that will put me up to 1903 and after that I guess I will switch over to the civil cases...

The civil cases are by year. and have a sort of index like the deed books. so it should be a little easier going in those. I am looking forward to working in those! Bill

I am now at year 1885, those few straggling cases were in middle of later records.

this was most likely a reserve unit that met monthly, like home guard....

I doubt it was the same Captian Walker, sure wish I knew who he was.

and on that Thomas and Dave (Probably David) Walker.

now we know was father of one stray Thomas. LOLOL

I guess I am at the year 1886 or so now.

just think in another 15 years or so, I can start in the equity books! woo hoo!!!

this link has some nice leads and dates...

<http://freepages.history.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~earlofdonegal/WHITE/BOOK.htm>

Purity Presbyterian Church on Wylie Street was built in 1854. The other Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church was not organized until summer 1869 and building built much later.

This doesn't mean that Rachael was a member of this church...

but it would have been easy for her to walk to the church.

it is only a block from where her house stood.

Rachael died on 21st of March 1870 and was "funeralized" on the 22nd. [I read that her funeral (1870) was at "The Presbyterian Church" in Chester. Peggy]

Peggy did you notice that the chief of police in Charles era was a McNinch...? I bet he had ties to the McNinch family in Chester...

Hi Peggy... I just read the notes....

John Kennedy and George Kennedy were brothers.

George Kennedy owned the property and hotel building that Col William Walker had... his business in and next door to it was a livery stable and the next building was the Presbyterian church that was sold to the Catholics....

The livery stable lot was later bought by the Catholic church and construction was done to provide a home for the priest and a side yard... This Catholic church (St. Joseph's) is still in business...

Across the narrow street (20 foot away) was Major John Kennedy's home/tavern/and boarding house combination...

His rank was honorary...

Major John Kennedy had married a Miss Evans of Chester County...

Her family lived just south of Chester, about 2 to 3 miles out of town in the area of the Cornwell community and train stop.

She was a well informed and educated young woman....All of her children were provided tutoring in Chester and later graduated from colleges and led professional lives... I believe the Walker Children were included in this course of studies.....This is how the Walkers might be connected to the Evans family... and if I remember the Evans and Walker graves are side by side...

Could it be that there is a connection to those Evans, McCulloughs, Walkers? Kennedys? Interesting huh?

Peg... check this death certificate...(It's Mrs. Hannah Anderson)

http://search.ancestry.com/iexec?htx=View&r=an&dbid=8741&iid=VRDUSASC1821_088600-00380&fn=H+C+Mrs.&ln=Anderson&st=r&ssrc=&pid=4544

EVANS; The wife of Colonel John Kennedy that had his boarding house/bar across the street from Col William Walkers hotel was a Evans...This Evans Kennedy woman's family lived down Columbia Highway at Cornwell. Also buried adjoining the Colonel William Walker and his wife Rachael Walker was a couple of Evans family members.

There is a relationship of sorts there...

Preface to our Chart of Walkers Found while Researching in Chester, SC

When this project started Bill Gregory, Chester, SC offered to do Court House look-ups for me (Peggy in this report) to see if he could locate information about my ancestor Col. Wm. Walker of Chester who married Rachel Eliza McCullough of prob. York County. Bill went to the Court House each day and sent me what he found about ANY Walkers in Chester County.

I soon realized it was escalating into a big project with many Walkers mentioned. We decided to put Walkers we could identify into this chart format.

Any help with untangling all these Walkers will be greatly appreciated.

I have reason to believe that my Walker family had ties of some sort to Oktibbeha, MS that might have ended about 1855 or 1860 when one of the Walker girls wrote a very short piece about saying goodbye to Oktibbeha. If you know of any Chester families who had ties to Oktibbeha I (Peggy Treece) would appreciate hearing about them. I can be reached at margarettreece149@hotmail.com

Bill Gregory, who did all the legwork, can be reached by email at wegreg@truvista.net

Virginia Turner can be reached at eytvwt@ftc-i.net

I think it prudent to put in the genealogy of Col. Wm. And Rachel as we believe it to be. I descend from Emma Oni Walker. Any and all information will be appreciated by me and my "Cousin" Ellouise Hall who can be reached at ellouise@bellsouth.net. Ellouise is a descendant of my Emma Oni Walker's sister Batie Walker. Newly found "cousin" Jamie Thomasson can be reached at Jester1002@aol.com Jamie is a descendant of Anna Walker (also a sister to my Emma Oni Walker) and Allen Kennedy.

My gr grandmother Emma Oni Walker married Eugene Hart and had one daughter, my grandmother Jessie May Hart [Shuman]. Eugene appears to have deserted the family soon after Jessie's birth and Emma raised her alone – with the help of relatives and specifically by Dr. Cornwell.

Ellouise's ancestor, Batie Narcissus Jennings Walker married two times. Once to a Jarrell and second to a Dooley.

ID #	HOH, Name, age, born Father born Mother born	1840 Location HOH Occupation Family	1850 Location HOH Occupation Family	1860 Location HOH Occupation Family	1870 Location HOH Occupation Family	1880 Location HOH Occupation Family	1900 Location HOH Occupation Family	Date Found Elsewhere Doing What?
#1	<p>Alexander, 10/4/1799 d. 6/17/1881 Fa PA Mo Ireland</p> <p>Wife: Margaret Matilda Love</p> <p>m. 1/7/1845 d. 6/17/1881 wife died 10/26/1867</p> <p>He had slaves in 1860 and 1870.</p> <p>(More information from White History on him.)</p> <p>Son of #25</p>		<p>Chester, SC Margaret M(atilda Love), 34 Victoria, 3 John, 1</p>	<p>Baton Rouge, Chester, SC Margt M., 43 Victoria, 14 Jno A., 11 Nancy J., 6 Paula Love, 36 Margt M. Armfield, 20</p>	<p>West Chester, Chester, SC</p> <p>Victoria, 22 John, 21 Janey, 18</p>	<p>West Chester, Chester, SC Alexander, 81, Farmer Married, no wife Victoria, 34, dau John A., 30, son Janie, 25, dau</p>		
#1A	John Alexander, 4/2/1849 Chester						Blackstock, SC	

	<p>never married d. 7/10/1913</p> <p>Son of #1, Alexander</p>						Farmer	
#2	<p>Phillip, JP, * 1/22./1784, SC *Unmarried? d. 8/22/1871.</p> <p>Brother to #6, 12, #24. Their father was Alexander (#21) m. 1775 to Eleanor (Helen) White.</p> <p>In Rev. War.</p> <p>In 1860 he lives with his brother Adam</p>			<p>Chester, Chester, SC Phillip, 76 Mary, 47 Helen, 14 Adam, 73, brother</p>	<p>West Chester, Chester, SC Farmer Phillip, 86 Mary, 57, widow of Adam</p>			
#3								
#4	<p>Col William, 1812, SC d. 1862 Chester, SC</p>		<p>Chester, SC Livery R. E.</p>	<p>Chester, SC Hotel Keeper R. E., 47 Thos. A., 26 Batie, 14 Lavicia, 11 Mary, 8 Annie [Emma], 5 Wm. R., 3 Levi?????</p>				

				Hotel Guests			
#5	Thomas, 1780, Ireland		Chester Thomas, 70 John P., 20, teacher				
#6	William, 1793, SC *Brother of #2, #12, #24. Son of #21. In Rev. War. Interesting War Record if it turns out to be him! http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?rank=1&new=1&MSAV=1&msT=1&gss=angs-g&gsfn=William&gsfn_x=XO&gsln=Walker&gsln_x=XO&msbdy=1793&msbpn_ftp=SC&msdpn_ftp=Chester%2c+SC&cpxt=0&catBucket=r&uidh=t11&=b%2cd%2c0&cp=12&pcat=ROOT_CATEGORY&h=73596&rec off=1+2&db=USArmyEnlistments&indiv=1		Chester William, 67 Lucinda, 32, dau Robert Wylie, 39, S-in-law S.M. Wylie, 8 M.A. Wylie, 2	Baton Rouge Chester Wylie, Robt, 49 Lucinda, 42 Moore, 18 Mary, 12 Sarah J., 9 Mary B., 6 William Walker, 78			

#7	<p>William, 1783, Chester, SC</p> <p>Father was Phillip who married Rebecca Gay.</p> <p>I have his family lineage in Register Report for John Walker Sr. in file folder.</p>		<p>Chester, SC William, 67 Jenett, 60 Jane J., 18</p>					
#8	<p>Jno T., 1818, PA</p> <p>In 1850 lived next to the jail.</p> <p>[a John T. Walker from Chester served in the Mexican War.]</p>		<p>Chester, SC Dentist E M Walker, 24</p>	<p>Chester, SC E.M ., 35 James M., 10 Jno G., 8 Charlotte, 7 E.J, 5 W.W., 3 Frances G., 1</p> <p>They live next door to Alan and Annie Walker Kennedy in Chester</p>	<p>I can't find any members of this family in 1870</p> <p>[I think he died in 1862.]</p>	<p>I can't find any members of this family in 1880</p>		
#9								
#10	William, 1843, b. SC			Chester, SC				

	Lives with the Fords 1860.			Ford, Wm., 59 Jane, 58 Walker, Jane, 19 Walker, Martha, 16			
#11	Jno. W., 1812, SC m. 1847 d. 1/20/1893 Chester Buried Old Purity *Son of #6 See row below		He lived couple houses from Col Wm. & Rachel next to jail in 1850.	Chester, Chester, SC Mary Gill, 36 Helena L., 13 Saud C., 11 W. E., 9 Hattie E., 1 Ella C., 4 mos.	Chester, Chester, SC Sheriff Mary, 47 Hattie, 11 Ella, 9 John, 7		
<p>“Carolina Spartan”, Spartanburg, SC, Issue of January 18, 1893 Chester, January 21, --Ex-Sheriff J.W. WALKER, an aged and respected citizen, died at his home in this town last night. For twelve or fourteen years he was sheriff of Chester County, his official career ending in 1884, when he was succeeded by the incumbent. Sheriff WALKER was a highly esteemed citizen, and lived to be about four score years old. He had been ruling elder in the Presbyterian Church here for many years.</p>							
#12	Maj. Jno, 11/6/1777, SC d. 8/12/1866. *His father was Alexander who married Eleanor (Helen) White in 1775. John fought in the Rev. War.			Chester, Chester, SC [Maj] Jno, 83 E. R., 60 (dau?) (He married Elizabeth Ross Douglass 1811)			He was in Chester in 1850, too. No children listed. Buried Old Purity Cem., Chester.

	<p>Brother of #2, #6, #24.</p> <p>Son of #21.</p> <p>Father of #14</p> <p>He was a Captain in the War of 1812</p>						
#13	Jno A. G., 1824, SC		<p>Chester, SC Farmer Elizabeth, 24</p>	<p>Cedar Shoals, Chester, SC Jno, 36 Elizabeth, 35 Jane E. L., 9 Thomas Farrar, 22 ???</p>			
#14	<p>William Alexander (General), 6/14/1819, Chester, SC</p> <p>d. 4/21/1882 Chester, SC</p> <p>(In 1880 child Fred is a clerk in a store.)</p> <p>Married Elizabeth Catherine McClure 3/17/1849 Chester. She was born in</p>		<p>Chester, Chester, SC W.A, 41, Lawyer Eliza C., 32 [Francis] Fannie D[ouglas]., 10 F[rederick]. J[ohn]., 8 Jas P[hillip]., 6</p> <p>G. Annie, 10 John F., Frances D (Fannie) 12-13</p>	<p>West Chester, Chester, SC Eliza, widow, 46, farmer Rebecca, 45 Jemma, 24 James, 11</p> <p>Jevimia Clark, male, 58</p> <p>[Virginia says there was a son, William Alexander Jr. b.</p>	<p>Chester, Chester, SC William, 60, Lawyer G. Annie, 30 Fred, 28 James P., 26</p> <p>William P. Mcluse, 22 Gillum Words, 18</p>	<p>4/3/1843 Magistrate. He lived in house where #3 jail stands. 12/1/1846 he sold land to Robert Wylie, reserving life privileges- Witt were Adam and Phillip Walker.</p> <p>Sometimes</p>	<p>All of this family are</p>

	Chester. His parents are John Walker and Elizabeth Ross Douglass			[Don-t know why these people are named here.]	4/3/1861]		buried at Old Purity Cemetery.	referred to as Col. Col. Wm. Walker (married to Rachel Eliza McCullough) was indebted to this man wen he died.
#14 A	Fred was son of W A Walker, the lawye			In the 1860 Chester census with his mother and father WA Walker.				
#15	Adam T, b. 1805, SC (1860 Census says Adam F.) 1850 census says he was 45. He was owner of Red Bank, later Red Hill, House. I have info in file folder. I saw one reference that his middle name was Terry??		Chester, SC Adam, 55, Farmer Eliza, 37 Ellenerar, 15 S.W., (Sallie?), 16 C.N., 12, male J.T., 9, male M.T., 6, female E.A., 4, female	Chester, Chester, SC Adam, 55 Eliza, 47 Jermiah T., 18 Adaline, 15 Peter, 4, son	West Chester, Chester, SC Eliza, 58 Peter, 15	Chester, Chester, SC Adam T., 76 Farmer Eliza, 67 Peter, 24, son Washington, 8, grandson Peter, 11, grandson Sallie McCullough, 40, widowed dau. *****		Sallie's marriage: Issue of April 29, 1858 On the 15th instants, by Rev. R. J. Meynardie, Thomas McCully, Esq., of Chesterville, and Miss Sallie A. M., daughter of Adam T. Walker, Esq., of Chester District, S. C. [York County, SC]

#16	<p>Thomas, 1780, SC</p> <p>I think his wife was Elizabeth Locke, SC</p> <p>May have had a daughter Susan 5/27/1845 in Greenville, SC. Nshe married a Hill.</p>			<p>Landsford, Chester, SC</p> <p>Thomas, 80</p> <p>Elizabeth, 66</p>				
#17	<p>Alexander D., 9/12/1827 SC - 7/22/1866 Chester</p> <p>Buried Liberty Baptist Church Cem, Chester [FindaGrave]</p>		<p>Where was he in 1850?</p>	<p>Chester, Chester, SC</p> <p>Alexander, 32</p> <p>Mary, 68</p>			<p>I assume Mary is his mother.</p>	<p>1855 on Jury with John Cornwell</p> <p>There was an Alexander D. Walker from SC in the Civil War. Him perhaps?</p>
#18	<p>Robert, 1788, SC</p> <p>Died 12/24/1868</p> <p>Chester</p> <p>Capers Chapel Cemetery, Chester</p>		<p>Chester, South Carolina</p> <p>Farmer</p> <p>Robert, 62</p> <p>Ann Walker, 56</p> <p>Joseph T Walker, 14</p> <p>Allen S Walker, 12</p>	<p>Chester, Chester, SC</p> <p>fAlexRobert, 72</p> <p>No family</p> <p>Farmer</p>				<p>1855 on Jury</p> <p>1866 on Grand Jury</p>

#19	<p>Jerry, 27, 1843, SC</p> <p>(He might be son of E. D., b. 1817) See #20</p> <p>He might be J.L. Walker (Jerry Lawson)</p>				<p>West Chester, Chester, SC</p> <p>Farmer</p> <p>Mattie, 22</p> <p>Newton, 1</p>		
#20	<p>E. D., 1817, SC (Elijah D.)</p> <p>Could it be Mary, not May? Alexander D. has a wife Mary b. 1798</p>		<p>Chester, Chester, SC</p> <p>E.D., 34</p> <p>Farmer</p> <p>E., 28</p> <p>J.L., 5</p> <p>M.E., 2</p> <p>Leroy Clark, 28</p>	<p>Chester, Chester, SC</p> <p>Elijah D., 43</p> <p>Rebecca J., 31</p> <p>J[eremiah] Lawson, 14</p> <p>Mary E., 12</p> <p>James Harrison, 1</p>		<p>Chester, Chester, SC</p> <p>Elijah D., 65</p> <p>Jane, 53</p> <p>James Harrison, 21</p> <p>May Walker, 85, mother, widow b. 1795</p> <p>Clark, Long, 58, boarder</p> <p>Lipaey family, servants, black</p>	
#21	<p>Alexander Sr., 1724 in County Atrim. Ireland d. 8/4/1799 in Chester, SC</p> <p>m. 1775 to Eleanor (Helen) White. Served in Rev. War. Sons: Charles, John, Robert, and Adam all served. He and Helen buried</p>	<p>(His wife was dau. of John White and Anna Garner White. She (Eleanor) died 10/10/1839, aged 80.)</p>	<p>On this chart their children are:</p> <p>1) John #12</p> <p>2) William #14</p>				

<p>in Old Purity Cemetery.</p> <p>His father was Alexander, born 1744 and died 1799.</p> <p>He is the father of #12 and grandfather of #14</p>								
<p>Found this in my notes. Does it contradict my records?: Walkers.... Looking for information on CHARLES WALKER who came from County Antrim Ireland after 1750. He had 5 sons who fought in the Rev.War in SC line. Their names were JOHN, ADAM, ALEXANDER, ROBERT,CHARLES. ALEXANDER married ELEANOR WHITE in 1775, he died Chester Co. Aug. 4 1799 and is buried in Old Purity Presbyterian Church Cemetery outside Chester. ADAM married PRISCILLA TERRY in 1779 and he died in Chester Co in 1796 The brothers lived on Sandy River in Camden Dist. Also looking for a JOHN WALKER who married JANE BOYD March 12, 1782. Also looking for RICHARD WALKER born 1790 in Chester Co. He married RACHEL MARTIN daughter of VALENTINE MARTIN and NANCY ELIZABETH MOORE.</p>								
#22	<p>Andrew Jackson, 5/7/1833, SC d. 3/27/1918 York Co., SC</p> <p>m. Mary A. Whitesides</p> <p>In Civil War Buried in Rock Hill, York Co., SC</p>				<p>Lewisville, Chester, SC Andrew, 27 Mary, 27 William E., 1 James W., 5 months</p>			
#23	<p>W.H., 1812, SC</p>			<p>Chester, Chester, SC Nancy, 27 William, 6</p>				

				Jane, 4 P.W., 1				
#24	<p>Adam, 1788, SC *Married Mary Ann Wylie. In 1860 and 1870 he was living in his brother Phillip's home. Served in Rev. War</p> <p>He is brother to #2, #6, #12. Father was Alexander #21.</p>			<p>Chester, Chester, SC Phillip, 76, HOH Mary, 47 Helen, 14 Adam, 73, brother</p>	<p>West Chester, Chester, SC Farmer Mary, 57, HOH, widow of Adam Phillip, 86, brother of Adam</p>			
#25	<p>Robert, 1746 He died 6/1/1822.</p> <p>Father of #1. I am not sure about that. If he is he started his family at age 50+.</p> <p>He married Victoria White in 1780 and he served in the Amer. Rev. (see White History for more info)</p>	<p>NOT in 1840 Census. Already dead.</p> <p>m. 1780 In Rev. War d. 6/1/1822 wife d. 11/23/1834</p>		<p>His Children were: William, 1790 Mattie, 1794 John, 1796 Charles, 1798 Alexander, 1799 Anne, 1801</p>				
#26	Martha Walker							

#27	William Walker 10/4/1802, Chester, SC Father was William Walker Mother was Jane J. Lemant							
#28	William Walker 1764, Chester, SC Father was John Walker Mother was Jane ?	I think he married Jeannette Leman and had a daughter Narcissus.						
#29	William Pinkney Walker 6/6/1828 in Barnwell, SC Father: William Mother: Lydia Ratcliff							
#30	William Fleming Walker 1/24/1828 Chester, SC Father: James Walker Mother: Mary Jane Jordon							
#31	William Milton Walker 1/8/1818 Chester, SC d. 12/13/1868, Chester			Cedar Shoals Chester, SC William 42				

	Father: William (Blacksmith Billy) (#50) Mother: Sarah Edwards Rather			Nancy, 48 Josiah, 14 Sarah J., 7 Sarah, 26				
#32	Rev. Dublin Walker b. July 1838 in Chester. Meth. Minister Mount Zion	m. Matilda McDonald						
#33	James Walker b. prob Ireland d. about 1816	m. Elizabeth Wylie		Children: Jane [McMillan] Margaret [Faris] John Thomas William				
#34	James P. Walker 9/8/1854 in Chester d. 3/11/1930 in Chester buried: Old Purity Son of #14	Farmer m. Nancy (Nannie) Alberta McAliley 1871-1944			In 1870 James P. Walker lives with his father William			1854 date was from Find a Grave. Some info from Death Certificate. Look for obit in Greenville Co., SC
#35	Mrs. Lucy Julianna	She was a	She m.					

	<p>[Jones] Walker</p> <p>She was Lucy J.</p> <p>She was 2nd wife of Joshua Walker. (#46)</p> <p>Joshua was son of #37.</p>	<p>Jones from Barnwell</p> <p>b. 1833</p> <p>m. 1850 in Chester</p> <p>b. Evergreen Cemetery in Chester.</p>	<p>Joshua H. Walker</p>					
#36	<p>Jeremiah Walker, 1780-1852</p> <p>Moved to GA 1836</p> <p>His sibs were Drury, Margaret, Andrew Jr.</p> <p>Drury will 1846 names all of his children. One was William D. Walker. Order his will to see names of children?</p> <p>His father was Andrew who came to Chester (from VA) about 1772.</p>	<p>Lived in Fairfield, Chester</p> <p>The Cornwells also lived in Fairfield</p>	<p>Information from Frank Trowbridge</p> <p>TrowMcn@aol.com</p>					
#37	<p>Jeremiah Walker - info from Will 1836?</p> <p>Lived on Sandy River.</p>	<p>Wife: Mary (Polly) Gore</p> <p>5/23/1794 – 1/18/1884</p> <p>Buried</p>						<p>Jeremiah Walker lived on Sandy River, three miles west of town. The home of Jeremiah was on land preempted by his father. It was near this house where</p>

		<p>Liberty Baptist Church Cem., Chester</p> <p>Children: Elijah D., Joshua H., Alexander, Catherine, and Laria (Louisa?), Adam, Execut or. John and James, witnesses.</p>				<p>Alexander Walker was murdered by Negroes (robbery). Jeremiah is the one who sold his property on Sandy River and moved closer to town "just beyond Dry Falls on the public road". Joshua never lived there I guess. When Jeremiah died his son Alexander lived in the house and was murdered on the property.</p> <p>Joshua bought the Walker/Mills House. So I guess the Walker part of the name was because of Joshua.</p> <p>Joshua second wife was Lucy Julianna Jones from Barnwell, SC.</p>
#38	<p>Isabella Walker will 5/3/1838 Cedar Shoal Church</p>	<p>Gr daughter: Esther A. Walker Gr son: John A. Walker Sister: Margaret Walker Sarah</p>				

		Walker?						
#39	<p>John Roseborough Walker will 1/7/1839, Chester.</p> <p>My notes are confusing. I think this is correct information.</p> <p>There was a John R R Walker with 9 children in 1830 Laurens, SC.</p>	<p>Children: Elizabeth E. Hardin, Poliner, Emiline, John Alexander, Margaret E. Harden, Adam T. Walker, Sarah Caroline Paine, William C. Walker, (Peter Wylie??) Mary Adeline, and Martha Annis Abel.</p>						
#40	<p>Chas. Walker Estate Aug. 16, 1841 (Will dated 1838)</p> <p>Attended: Robert, Samuel, John A. and his widow, Sarah.</p> <p>My notes are</p>	<p>William C. Walker, Dist. and heir.</p> <p>Adam T. Walker, and Adam Walker. distrib.</p>						

	confusing. I think this is correct information.	Robert Walker witness.					
#41	Rody Walker 11/9/1835 will	Children: Charles, Jeremiah, Sarah Stokes, Rebecca Clark. Gr son: Jeremiah Terry Clark.					
#42	In the 1880 Census of York there is a Dentist, Dr. Wm. M? Walker, 56. His wife is Mary E., 46. Both born SC.						
#43	In the 1860 Census of York there is a F. M. Walker, 34, b. Chester. He is a blacksmith.						
#44	<p>William Walker, Barnwell Court of Equity records. Author: Folks Huxford. (Some of my information came from the 1850 Census of Barnwell.)</p> <p>Wife: Unknown (1850 Census of Barnwell indicates her name was Eleanor)</p> <p>Father: Unknown</p> <p>Child 1) Mary m. unk. Jones. Unk Jones was deceased by Nov. 1858. Mary m. (2) unk McWhorter. They had 6 children not listed here in this chart.</p> <p>Children 2-7) Richard W., William P., N. Jefferson, John R., Alcey Ann m. James D. Ray, and Lydia m. Simon Eaves.</p> <p>This William would be a good age to be my Col. Wm's brother, but I doubt that there would have been two Williams. This one had a brother John. Maybe John will also be a possibility as a sibling to my Col. Wm. He moved to Georgia and died there. One of John's daughters married a HART in Barnwell and had children Benjamin and Alice Hart.</p>						
#45	John Walker, Barnwell - brother of #44. He was referred to as Gen. John Walker. He moved to GA from Barnwell and died there. He married unk. and had children: Darling J. or P., Nathaniel G. W., William H.,						

John P., Mary, Adeline m. Silas H. Stallings, Elizabeth m. unk. **Hart**. Elizabeth and **unk Hart** had Benjamin A. and Alice **Hart**. The last child of John Walker was Alice who married a **Jones**. PEGGY'S INTEREST because of the HART Connection????

#46	Joshua H. Walker b. 11/11/1815. Son of # 37 m. Mary Ann Woods 3/22/1943. m.2 Lucy Julianna Jones of Barnwell b. 1832.	His house (later called The Mills House) was used as a hospital at end of Civil War.	This info (and more) from paper called "In Memoriam"					
#47								
#48	Alexander Walker deeded to grandsons (all sons of Phillip, deceased) 5/27/1794. Names were Samuel, Alexander, Jr., William Guy, Robert and James. (Alexander Jr. makes no sense to me. Check in my NC/SC info.)							
#49	Names from my NC/SC trip that I haven't entered here: → Not much info in notes.	Will of Adam Walker, 1796	William C. and Sarah had daughter Sara in 1835	Will of Jane Walker 1824	Will of John Walker, 1786			
#50	From Virginia: Page 7 of "Captain Bill", Book Three, 1990, by Robert J, Stevens, says: "[Sarah Edwards] Married William "Blacksmith Billy" Walker, born 1781, CC [Chester County, SC], died 11/14/1834, a son of John A. Gaston Walker, and grandson of Alexander (#51) and Esther (Gaston) Walker, Billy Walker was murdered by John Ferguson, who hung for the crime."							

Buried in Elmwood Cemetery, Fort Lawn, Chester Co., SC

51 **Alexander Walker (Father of #1 in my Chart) (Info found on the Internet)**

Born 1708 in County Antrim, Northern Ireland[?] [

I've also read born Virginia about 8 years later, but with these children. I may be missing a generation here somewhere?]

Son of [father unknown] and [mother unknown]

[sibling(s) unknown]

Husband of **Esther (Gray) Walker** — married [date unknown] [location unknown]

Father of Robert Walker, John Walker and Alexander Walker

Died 1798 in Chester County, South Carolina, USA[?]

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Alexander Walker

(Parents Unknown - No Esther Gray as part of John Walker (Wigtown Scotland) Descendants; although Gray's did intermarry with Walkers p.295-296)

born 1708 Ireland

Married Esther Gray (b. abt 1715 - died before 1798)

Died 1798 South Carolina

Children: Robert, Philip, John, Alexander Jr and Samuel

"Alexander Walker and his wife Esther came to present Chester County, South Carolina, in the 1750's, probably from Augusta county, Virginia, and settled about eight miles east of Chester, South Carolina in the fork of Rocky Creek. Their children who have been identified were : Robert, Philip, John, Alexander, Jr., and Samuel. Old Alexander died in 1798, predeceased by his wife."^[1]

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