

CONFEDERATE GENERALS OF FAIRFIELD COUNTY

There were 425 official Confederate generals. Eight attained the rank of full general, seventeen became lieutenant generals, seventy-two were major generals and the remaining 328 were brigadier generals. Forty-eight were born in South Carolina, twenty died in South Carolina and twenty-eight are buried in the state. *

Brigadier General John Bratton is the only general buried in Fairfield County; born in Winnsboro in 1831 and died January 12, 1898. He is buried in St Johns Episcopal cemetery in Winnsboro. He was married to Elizabeth Porcher Dubose (1838-1875), daughter of Theodore Samuel Marion Dubose and Jane S. Porcher. Seven infant sons are buried nearby as well as William Dubose Bratton, MD (1860-1897) who became a surgeon in the United States Marine Corps.

Brigadier General Adley Hogan Gladden was born in Fairfield District in 1810. He died April 12, 1862 near Corinth, Mississippi six days after being wounded at Shiloh, Tn.

*See "Generals at Rest" by Richard Owen and James Owen, 1997, White Mane Publishing Company Inc
352 pages with pictures of graves and short biographical sketch of each general before and after the war.

Book needs the following addendum:

Brig. General State Militia, 6th Brigade, Edward Taylor was born about 1811 at the "River Place" on the Broad River, Dark Corner Section of Fairfield County, South Carolina and died April 9, 1896 in Fairfield County is buried behind his descendants house on SC Hwy. #215 between State Road #99 and the county line. Therefore, he was born, lived, and died in Fairfield County, South Carolina and was a Brigade General of the SC Militia, even during the War of Southern Independence.