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Through our "Bulletin" exchange program with other Societies we have seen none that consistently contain as much historical, genealogical, and early church related material as the past "Bulletins" we have issued since our beginning in 1978. Many of our articles have reached back into the seventeenth hundreds and contain events and people not always found in court records. Often times we have been privileged to print or publish information contained in private or personally held records that might not have seen the light of day had it not been for our efforts to retrieve them.

We intend to continue this format and are hopeful that a collection of our "Bulletins" will provide future generations a source of enlightenment of the times, the places, the people, and atmosphere in which their and countless others' ancestors spent their first days and years on American soil.

Many of our members are saving their "Bulletins" and other of our publications. But what about the "Bulletins" that were issued before you became a member? Past "Bulletins" are just as likely to contain information you may be seeking as future ones! For those who became members after 1978 and do not have copies of all the 15 "Bulletins" we have published to date we suggest you order now the missing issues before our inventory is depleted. These are listed and priced on the back inside cover of this issue. Prepare now to leave them to a family member, friend, or library that will appreciate them.

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NEW

The following 3 items are listed for the first time as available on the inside back cover of this issue:

1 - An index to the 4 1980 "Bulletins" (Vol. III). Mrs. Helen Bottenberg, 13 Circle Dr., Decatur, Ill. 62521, though many miles away, has made this valuable contribution to us for which we are most grateful.

2 - An Index to Dr. Lathan's "History of Hopewell A.R.P. Church" has been prepared by Mrs. Edith Todd, 3600 Canterbury Lane, Pueblo, Colo. 81005. It is help like this from so many of our members that makes our jobs easier and more challenging.

3 - The index to "Providence and Hopewell Baptist Church Minutes" which our Jean Agee and Mattie Plyler have taken the time to prepare and contribute to our Society. Indexing is a tedious job especially when there are over 700 names spread across 131 pages.

All three of the above indexes are now available as xeroxed copies at prices shown which included postage. We again thank these fine members for their contributions and their interest in our work and their society.

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A HOME - at last!

The Chester County Historical Society was chartered in 1961. There is no organizational connection between their society and ours, however, at the local level many of us are members of both and work in harmony within the two separate organizations.

The Historical Society, soon after its formation, began the collection of historical artifacts which for safe keeping were stored in the basement of our courthouse. Over the years this collection has grown and the space so crowded no exhibits were possible. In 1980, the former county jail was made available to the society for use as a museum and after much cleaning and renovating the collected historical items have been moved into their new home and placed in attractive displays.

When next in Chester, the Historical Society invites you to visit its museum which is across the street from the courthouse and one block from the public library. Should you have an historical item or document pertaining to Chester you would like to contribute the society would welcome them and gladly send you an appropriate receipt for tax purposes.

The Historical Society's only sources of support for itself and the museum are from contributions and annual membership dues which are only \$3 per calendar year. It is their hope those with ties to Chester County will join with them in support of the work they are carrying on. If you would like to help please send your contribution or membership check to Mrs. F. O. Mayes, Treas., 130 Woodland Dr., Chester, S. C. 29706.

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A REPORTED ERROR

Mrs. David Mayo, Jr., 1148 Forest Oaks Lane, Hurst, Tx. tells us in Ebenezer Church cemetery list Page 52 June '81 Bulletin Sarah Ward died when 30 yrs. old-not 80- a land division record in York County verifies this. Sarah was a daughter of John Reeves and (M) Wilburn Ward.

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THANK YOU NOTES

1 - "Our School" 1905-1942 compiled by Mildred Smith 1979. This school was in Lone Wolfe Valley, N.E. Mitchell County Tx. and is given to us by Ms. Marie J. Hale and her sister 2309 Lynn Dr., Big Springs, Tx.

2 - "Choctaw County Chronicles" - a history of Choctaw Cty. Miss. (1830-1923) published by Federal Judge J. P. Coleman of Ackerman, Miss. Many of Choctaw's early settlers outmigrated from Chester district including Judge Coleman's ancestors.

3 - A collection of many newspaper clippings and cemetery inscriptions from Mr. John Cheek, 3816 N. Oakgrove Dr., Midwest City, Okla.

4 - Tombstone Transcriptions of Crawford Cty. Kans. cemeteries by Mr. William C. Cuthbertson, 108 W. Buffalo Girard, Kans.

5 - "A History of the Bailey and Cantey Families" which includes the Harrisons, Gauldons, Rauchs, Richbourgs, and Kierulffs in S. C. from Mrs. Watson L. Burts, 2143 Sherwood Ave., Charlotte, N. C. 28207.

6 - "Joseph Isaiah Watts and his Descendants" by Mr. Loye E. Nations, 1110 Edgefield St., Columbia, S. C. 29201.

To these donors we are most grateful for helping us build a library of family records, events, and people who settled here or passed through the Craven District which embraced present Chester, Lancaster, Fairfield, York, and Union Counties.

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OUR MEMBER'S PUBLICATIONS

1 - "The History of Joseph and Catherine Elder Caldwell of Fairfield County S. C." by J. Philo Caldwell, 2085 Hopedale Ave., Charlotte, N. C. 28207 is the story of Joseph and Catherine from the time they sailed from northern Ireland in 1804 and their over 1400 descendents most of whom live in the southern states from Virginia to Texas.

Some of the main family names in addition to the present day Caldwells are: Doty, Hicklin, Anderson, Gibson, Brice, Harden, Carothers, Hall, Kinloch, Withers, Johnston, Cardwell, Cheatham, Stroud, Montgomery, Pepper, Lore, Murray, McMullen, Dean, Farrior, Abernathy, Schrum, Mayson, Baker, Renwick, Tucker, Meares, Sibley, Wyche, Doles, Adger, Fenot, Drew, Logan, and Montgomery.

In addition to the descendents of Joseph and Catherine, a number of charts are included to show the ancestry of spouses of early family members.

This history is printed, indexed, and bound in soft cover for \$18 including postage. Hard cover binding is available for \$5 additional. Delivery is promised in Oct. but those interested in one or more copies should order now.

2 - Mrs. Jean Agee and Mrs. Curtis Boulware have combined to offer the following: Cemetery inscriptions of Beaver Creek Baptist Church, Concord Pres. Church, Coleman Family, New Hope A.R.P. Church Cemeteries, all in Fairfield County and Woodward Baptist Cemetery in Chester County. In addition, family sketches of the Andrew Feaster, Boling Wright, and Hans Wagner families.

The above material at \$11 postpaid will be in printed form on 65 pages loose leaf suitable for filing in loose leaf binder. Send order to Mrs. Agee Box 29, Richburg, S. C. 29729.

CEDAR SHOAL CHURCH AND CONGREGATION, CHESTER COUNTY, SOUTH CAROLINA
By the Rev. James H. Saye (1878)

Cedar Shoal Church is situated in Chester County, South Carolina, near a road leading from Richhill to Beckhamville down the ridge between Fishing Creek and Beaverdam an affluent of Rocky Creek. It is one mile south of the road leading from Chester to Lancasterville and two miles distant from the bridge at Cedar Shoal on Fishing Creek.

This church was organized by authority of Bethel Presbytery June 22, 1834, by the Rev. Cyrus Johnston. The circumstances leading to this organization were the following, to wit: Mr. Johnston by invitation of a number of Presbyterian families residing in that vicinity had begun preaching stately at a stand in the grove which surrounded a schoolhouse near the place where the church now stands. These services being well attended, the organization took place as above stated about six months after Mr. Johnston began preaching.

The persons entering into this organization were the following, viz. Joseph Gaston Esq., Jane Gaston, Daniel G. Stinson, Esther Stinson, Lemuel Davison, Anne Davison, Isabella Walker, William A. White, Robert White and Mary White, formerly members of Richardson Church. Together with the following dismissed from Catholic Church with a view of entering this organization, to wit, Dr. J. B. Gaston, Polly B. Gaston, Jane G. Barkly, Mrs. S. Stinson and Margaret Telford, and the following received by examination and profession of faith, to wit, Mrs. Paisly, Elizabeth B. Davison, Jane Davison, Mrs. Woods and Mrs. Elizabeth McFadden.

Joseph Gaston and Robert White having previously been Ruling Elders in Richardson Church were duly installed as the Ruling Elders of this Church. The ministerial services of the Rev. Cyrus Johnston terminated in this congregation early in 1835. In April of this year the Session reported 18 communicants, one of the original members having died and another had been dismissed.

It has been mentioned that a part of the members coming together to form this Church were from Richardson Church and a part from Catholic Church. We shall proceed to give some account of these sources of supply or the religious worship enjoyed and sustained by Presbyterians in this region of country.

Richardson Church was situated near a road leading from the bridge at Cedar Shoal to Roddy Town and about 4 miles above the bridge. Whence the pious people came who settled in this region and began the worship of God at this place, existing documents shed but a feeble light. The settlements on the West side of the Catawba River were probably at first regarded as but an extension of the Waxhaws as the settlements on the other side of the river were commonly denominated. It is certain that these settlements were closely associated in distance and interest and perhaps many of the people by relationship and other ties.

To illustrate this subject we shall make quotations from two journals kept by men who passed through this region at an early period and wrote down observations in regard to the appearance of the country and the state of society. The first is an extract from the journal of the Rev. Hugh McAden who was sent out by the Synod of New York and Philadelphia in 1755 through the Southern provinces. He states as follows:

"Friday the 14th (November) took my leave of these parts (near Love, a ford on Broad River) and set out for the Waxhaws forty-five miles good;

that night reached Thomas Fasle's where I lodged till Sabbath day; then I rode to James Patton's about two miles and preached to a pretty large congregation of Presbyterian people. Wednesday preached again in the same place and crossed the Catawba River and came to Henry White's."

Here he remained till Sabbath the 23rd at the meeting house five miles off and went home with Justice Dickens (should be Pickens). The preaching here first mentioned was probably in the bounds of the Lower Fishing Creek congregation. So judged from the probable position and the fact that both Fasels and Pattons were subsequently members of this church.

The following is an extract from a journal of travels in the year 1766, by Mr. Candour McFadden, whose home at the time was beyond the Potomac River but who came to South Carolina and took notes of his journeyings and observations. He subsequently settled in the Fishing Creek country and is now represented by a numerous posterity in that region.

"Friday July 18th. Set out from the courthouse (Charlotte) and crossed Sugaw Creek-- An exceedingly grassy country but thinly settled. And a few miles farther came into the Catawba nation. It is a tract of country 15 miles square $7 \frac{1}{2}$ on each side of the Catawba River with a vast extent of old Indian fields on the East side of the river but the Indians is moved a few miles lower down the river though I saw many of them. Here I crossed the Catawba River about twenty miles from Mecklinburg. It is a large river, about 100 perches (perch is $5 \frac{1}{2}$ yards) over and in common seasons rideable. It makes its course South as do all the principal rivers in those parts, but turns more easterly and after a course of above 200 miles passing by a famous trading place called Pinetree (Camden) and receiving the Congaree (might be Cougaree) Broad river, Saluda and many other rivers, it falls into the sea 70 miles east of Charlestown.

"About 10 miles over this river, I came to Fishing Creek, where the road to Saluda crosses it. Here I turned down the creek to the Southeastward 15 miles and proceeded no farther. It is a large creek, runs very deep and slow with a fine level country about it and thick settled in some places. Here the Rev. William Richardson has a congregation, to whom he preaches one Sabbath in three. He is esteemed a very worthy man and labors faithfully among them. The rest of his labors is spent about ten miles distant in a place called the Waxhaws on the East Side of the Catawba river. Here I am now about 50 miles from Pinetree and about 180 from Charlestown, and about 40 from Broad river and about 100 to Saluda river. I am now about ten miles in the South Province. The land hereabouts is exceedingly grassy and lies very level, but no swamps nor marshes, the water good and clear but not very cold. The land is exceeding fruitful in many places but there is much of it not settled, being esteemed but thin, although it produces excellent pasture, so that they who get a piece of good land may keep what stock they will, of all sorts."

From the above extracts it appears--

1. That there was a Presbyterian population in striking distance of the Lower Fishing Creek Church in November 1755.

2. That in July 1766 it was a church enjoying the regular services of a pastor, the Rev. William Richardson, in connection with the Waxhaw Congregation.

Of the families resident in the bounds of this congregation at the

time of McFadden's visit 1766, we mention Justice John Gaston who located on the west bank of Fishing Creek one mile below the Cedar Shoal. John Gaston was a native of the North of Ireland, was of Huguenot ancestry who fled from France upon the revocation of the edict of Nantes and stopped first in Scotland whence they removed to Ireland where John was born. About 1730 with others of his relations he came to Pennsylvania where he married Miss Esther Waugh. His brother Hugh became a minister of the Presbyterian Church and was the author of a work known as Gaston's Collections.

About the middle of the 18th century John Gaston, following the current immigration southward, came to the valley of the Catawba. In the year 1760 he was residing as above stated on the South or West bank of Fishing Creek within a mile of the present site of Cedar Shoal Church and five miles below Lower Fishing Creek Church. He was a surveyor by occupation and did an extensive business in this line. He was also a Justice of the Peace under the royal government. He and his family were connected with the Presbyterian Church and devout Christians. His family consisted of 9 sons and three daughters; to which at the beginning of the war had been added 2 grandsons. He had four sisters married and residing in the region of Fishing Creek. These were Mary McLure, a widow in 1780 and residing three miles east of Lewis turn-out on the C. C. & A. R. R. on the road to Rocky Mount, Mrs. Strong, who resided in 1780 at Fishing Creek Church, Mrs. Knox and Mrs. Rosborough, wife of Alexander and mother of the Rev. William Gaston Rosborough. Mr. A. Rosborough's residence was a mile westward of Rich-hill. These families were all connected with the Church and probably with Lower Fishing Creek in 1766. Most of them were distinguished in the War of the Revolution either by deeds or suffering and many of them by both. The home of the Justice was devastated by plunderers and he driven into exile though his head was whitened by the snows of 80 winters. Three of his sons were killed in the battle of Hanging Rock and his youngest son Joseph was shot down and carried the scars to his grave in 1836.

Walter Brown who moved into the congregation a little subsequent to 1766, was afterwards a Ruling Elder of the congregation. The later Rev. John Brown, D. D. of Georgia was his son. He was also the father of Mrs. Jane Gaston, wife of Joseph Gaston, both of blessed memory.

The wife of the Rev. John Bowman was the daughter of Mr. Alexander Rosborough and the sister of Dr. A. Rosborough, late an Elder of the Fishing Creek congregation who removed to Middle Tennessee.

The death of Mr. Richardson took place in the Summer of 1771.

In the year of 1773 this church in connection with Upper Fishing Creek was supplied by Mr. John Simpson who was ordained and installed pastor of these congregations in 1774 by the Presbytery of Orange. He continued Pastor of this church till after the close of the Revolutionary War when he withdrew from this place.

It is probable that Mr. John Bowman, a licentiate of Orange Presbytery, supplied this church a short time in 1793 as it had been resuscitated the year previous under the labors of Mr. John Brown who was supplying at Waxhaw and other places. Mr. William G. Rosborough also probably supplied here in the years 1795, 1796 and 1797, as they called him in regular form, but he from feeble health was compelled to return their call after two years of effort in their service.

In April 1798 the united congregations of Fishing Creek gave an invitation to Mr. John B. Davies to labor among them as a supply. He

was a licentiate of the Presbytery of South Carolina. The Church of Lower Fishing Creek changed its name to Richardson probably in 1792 through respect for its first pastor. Hence is to be known by that name.

Mr. Davies having accepted calls from Fishing Creek and Richardson was ordained and installed over these congregations May 14, 1799. Mr. Davies remained in the pastoral charge of these churches till 1831 when he resigned that of Richardson but retained that of Fishing Creek. We thus see that this church enjoyed his ministrations for a period of 33 years.

The question arises who were the Elders of this congregation in the first years of its existence? We are unable to determine this matter. It is probable that Justice John Gaston may have been in this office from his known character and position. At the reorganization in 1792 Walter Brown and James Crawford were Elders. Crawford came from the Fairforest Church shortly after the revolution and settled about a mile from Cedar Shoal on lands now belonging to Erwin White. His son Edward married and settled in the Waxhaw congregation with which he was connected till his removal within the bounds of Fishing Creek congregation of which he was installed an Elder in 1819. Another son, Alexander Crawford, came into Fishing Creek Church as an Elder in 1835 by certificate from Richardson.

Mr. Davies began to supply this Church in April 1798. At that period there were 44 members. Added up to October 1, 1799, 17, making a total of communicants at that period of 61. On the 17th of that month the following addition was made to the Session, to wit, William Davidson, James Gaston, Joseph Gaston, Isaac McFadden and Felix Davies.

The William Davidson here named came a few years before from the Bethesda Church and settled on Fishing Creek east side a mile below the bridge at Cedar Shoal.

On the 20th of July 1822 Alexander Crawford, Isaac McFadden and Robert White were set apart as Elders.

The ministry of Mr. Davies at this church extended through a period of 33 years, ending in 1831. In this time there were added to its membership upon examination 78, by certificate 29, total additions 107, 115 were dismissed, 29 members died, 212 infants were baptized and 10 adults. The last report 1831 states the communicants then to be 26.

There had then been a sensible decline in the strength of the congregation. The cause was probably removals by the members into distant places and the coming in their places members of other denominations. The Gastons are known to have removed, except Joseph who died on the homestead of his father in 1836.

It was mentioned that certain persons were received from Catholic Church at the organization of the Cedar Shoal Church. The following facts in relation to this matter are worthy of record.

When the Rev. Mr. McCulloch was pastor of Catholic he had preached stately about Rocky Mount. In the Spring of 1809 on the invitation of Samuel Ferguson, an Elder of Catholic, he began preaching at a place on the road above Beckamville and about five miles from the site of Cedar Shoal Church and on the same road lying on the ridge between Fishing and Rocky Creeks, a position truly Mesopotamic in its surroundings, having the big creeks on each side and the lower gap between them stopped by the river a few miles distant. People living on this peninsula are cut off from Catholic by distance and big Rocky Creek and its affluents.

By William E. Lowry

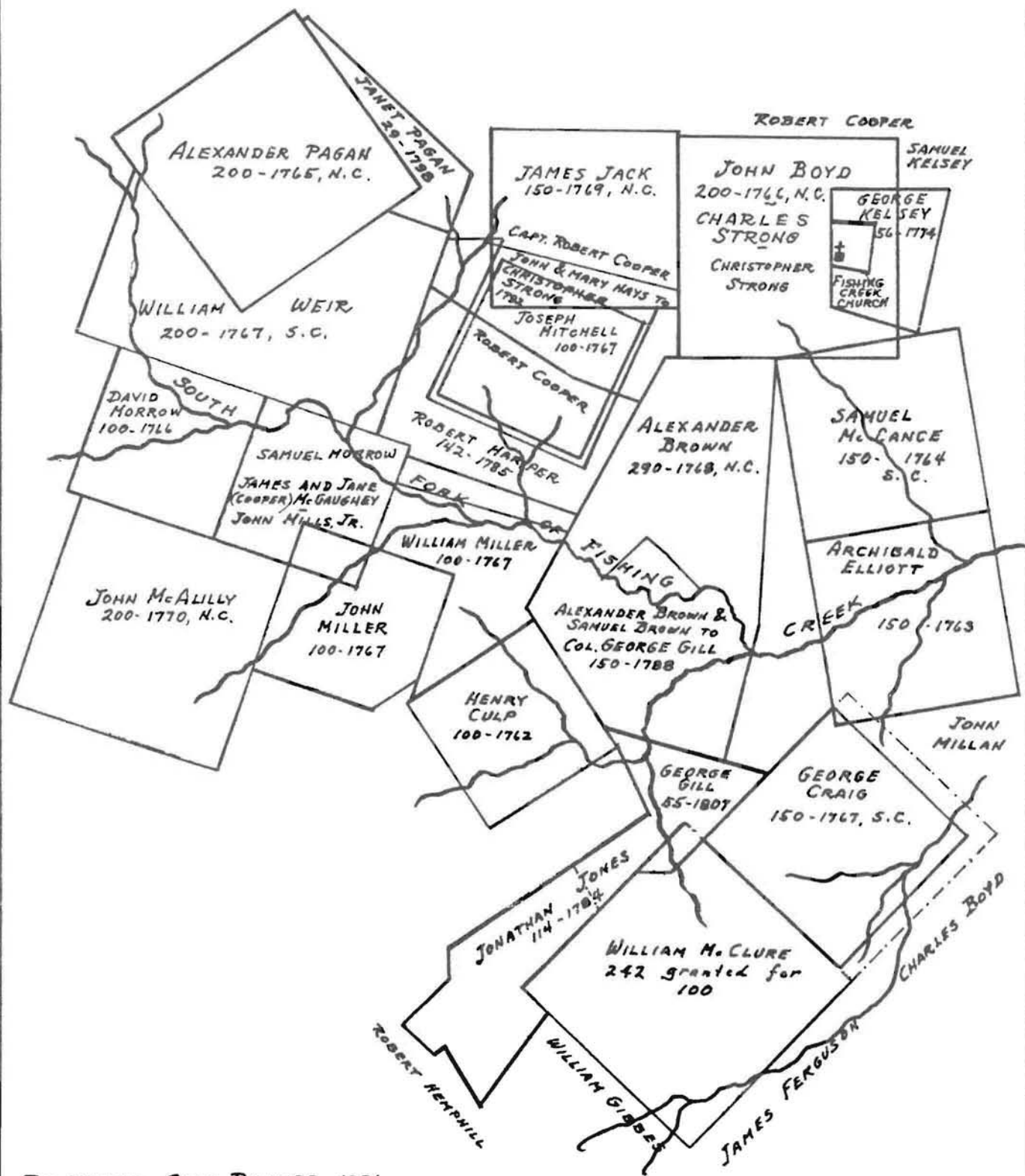
During the late 1700's, the Bullock's Creek Presbyterian Church had as its pastor a very distinguished and learned man in the Rev. Dr. Joseph Alexander. Rev. Alexander was a graduate of Princeton University and attended that school when the prominent Jonathan Edwards was its president. First settling in Mecklenburg County, North Carolina, Rev. Alexander helped to establish a college there by the name of Liberty Hall. Afterwards, Rev. Alexander settled near Bullock's Creek (York District, S. C.), bringing with him a wealth of education and experience and quickly becoming a respected person in education and within the Presbyterian Church. Rev. Alexander maintained a grammar school near his church which was one of the earliest - if not the earliest - school in York County. However, it was not just a grammar school but more of a classical academy where Latin and Greek were very much a part of the curriculum. Rev. Alexander taught some very prominent men who traveled from far away to attend his school. In an address at Bullock's Creek on October 16, 1890, Dr. T. R. English mentioned some of these men as: Issac Sadler, a poet; Governor Johnson of South Carolina; Judge Smith of Yorkville; William H. Crawford of Georgia, Presidential candidate; and Andrew Jackson, President of the United States.

Seeing that a college was needed for the encouragement of learning, and that Rev. Alexander had operated a grammar school "in which a considerable number of students have made great proficiency in literary education", the South Carolina Legislature incorporated the school as Alexandria College on December 16, 1797. By this Act, Alexandria College was fully incorporated and maintained "the same powers of any college of this State". The State Legislature also appointed twenty-one men as trustees of the college. These men were: Joseph Alexander, James Templeton, John Simpson, Francis Cummins, Robert McCulloch, James White Stephenson, John Brown, Robert Wilson, William Williamson, Robert Beccum Walker, Samuel Whorter Yongue, John Foster, John Kennedy, James Gilliland, William Smith, Abraham Nott, Andrew Love, Alexander Moore, Thomas Brandon, William Bratton, and Samuel Dunlap.

Two full years after incorporation, on December 21, 1799, the State Legislature granted escheated properties to the college at the disposal of the trustees. However, the college never reached the success expected and Rev. Alexander, possibly because of infirmity, gave up the college and was succeeded by Rev. George Reid. After a few years, Rev. Reid removed the school elsewhere, possibly to Winnsboro as he began Mt. Zion College there in 1802.

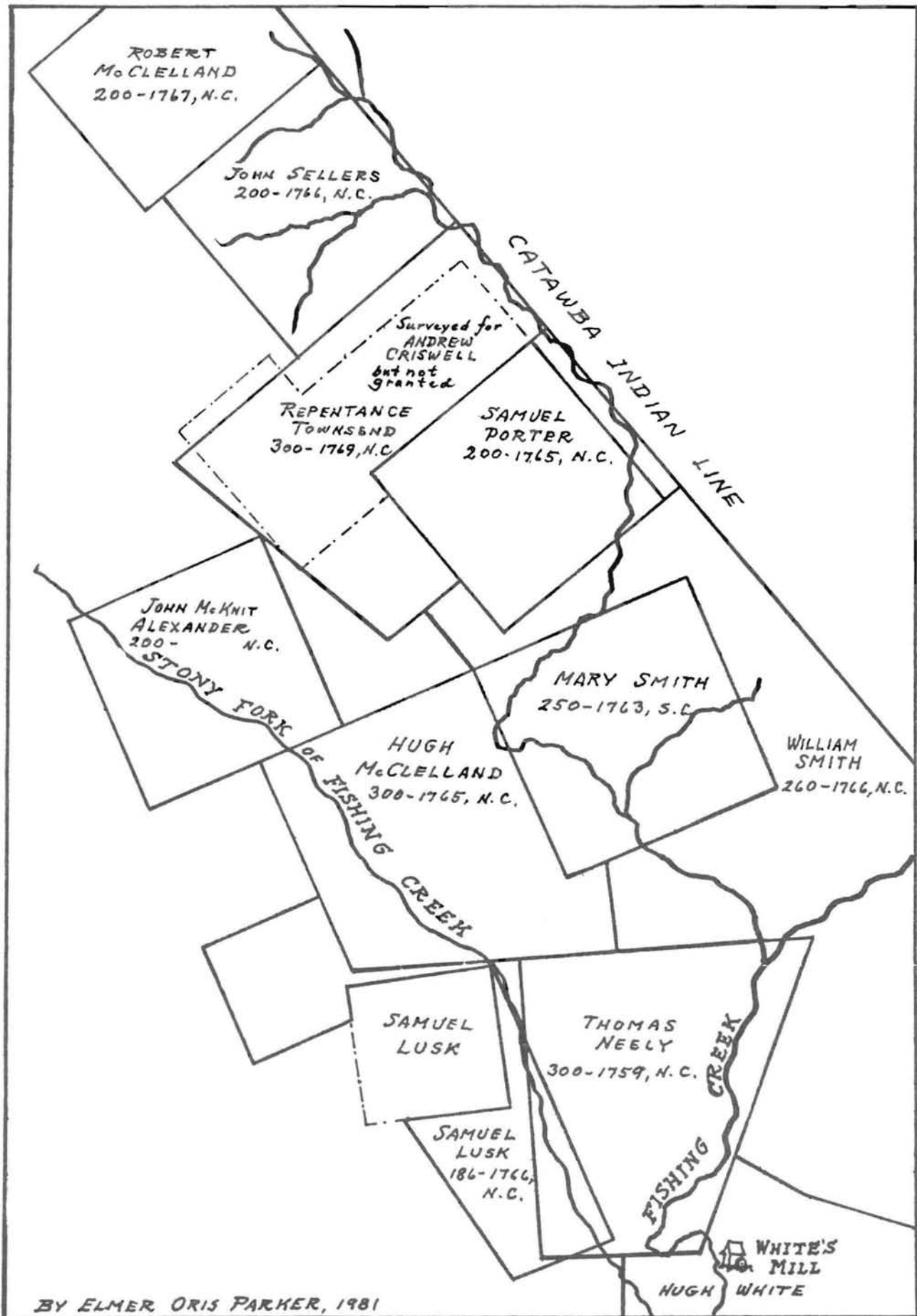
Even though Alexandria College never reached the success hoped for, it is without a doubt that the Rev. Dr. Joseph Alexander helped pioneer early education in the upper part of South Carolina. Rev. Alexander died on September 29, 1809.

(Editor's Note: Mr. William E. Lowry was reared in York, S. C., graduated from University of S. C. where he earned his Masters Degree in History. He and his wife, Elizabeth Allison Lowry of Charleston, reside at #12 Wright Ave., York, S. C. 29745 where Mr. Lowry is Assistant Principal of McCavey Elementary School. We hope Mr. Lowry will become a regular contributor to our Bulletin.)



By ELMER ORIS PARKER, 1981

LANDS WITHIN THE BOUNDS OF FISHING CREEK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH CONGREGATION



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Tinkling Spring's Record of Baptisms Continued from June, 1981 Bulletin:

Thomas Fitzpatrick		Samuel Gilbrath (Calbreath)	
Elizabeth	7 July 1743	Thomas	26 Feb. 1746
Samuel	9 Sep. 1746	Elizabeth	26 Feb. 1746
Samuel Forsaith		Robert Gilkison	
Moses	28 Aug. 1743	Isabel	20 Aug. 1744
John Fowler		Alexander Gillespy	
William	12 Feb. 1745	Elizabeth	Oct. 1746
Samuel	11 June 1747	Jacob Gillespy	
Robert Fowler		Martha	27 Apr. 1749
William	21 Aug. 1743	Mary	27 Apr. 1749
Jean	23 Feb. 1746	James Gillespy	
John Frame		Margaret	4 Oct. 1741
Mary	21 Feb. 1742	Elizabeth	16 Jan. 1743
William	8 Sep. 1745	Matthew Gillespy	
John	Dec. 1748	James	17 Sep. 1749
William Frame		Thomas Gillespy	
Esther	23 Mar. 1746	James	18 Mar. 1744
Jennet	19 July 1747	William	18 Oct. 1747
Elizabeth	2 July 1749	Nathan Gilliland	
James Francis		Katherine	29 May 1746
John	1 Mar. 1741	James Gilmore	
John Fresure (Frazer)		Elizabeth	1 June 1746
John	8 May 1743	James Givans	
Isabel	10 Nov. 1745	Deborah	17 Sep. 1749
Robert	17 Aug. 1747	John Givans	
Patrick Fresure (Frazer)		Sarah	13 Jan. 1745
Ann	22 Dec. 1746	Ann	Aug. 1746
William	10 Mar. 1748	John	10 July 1748
Jacob Fulkenburgh		Mrs. Sarah Givans, widow of	
John	19 Oct. 1740	Samuel Givans, Esq.	
James Fulton		George	11 Mar. 1741
Elenor	10 Dec. 1740	John Glass	
Robert Galt		Samuel	18 June 1741
James	17 Aug. 1747	Sarah	16 Mar. 1746
Alexander Garnar		Samuel	10 Apr. 1748
John	1 May 1747	John Gordon	
Samuel Gay		John	11 Apr. 1742
Elizabeth	19 Apr. 1741	Thomas Gordon	
Rebecca	26 Sep. 1742	Gresil	30 Aug. 1741
William	12 Apr. 1746	Martha	10 Mar. 1744
Alexander Gibson		Sarah	23 Mar. 1746
James	7 Aug. 1744	Margaret	3 Apr. 1748
Christian	Aug. 1746	James Greenlee	
Mary	15 Sep. 1748	James	16 Oct. 1741
Robert Gibson		Samuel	30 June 1743
Mary	15 Mar. 1743	John Grier	
Elizabeth	17 Mar. 1745	Mary	20 June 1743
William	3 May 1747	Edward Hall	
Isabella	3 May 1747	Jennet	Feb. 1745
James	19 Mar. 1749	Isaac	31 May 1747

Archibald	28 Sep. 1749	Margaret	17 Mar. 1745
William Hall		James	22 Mar. 1747
John	15 Oct. 1741	Rebecca	4 June 1749
William	15 Oct. 1741	Thomas Henderson	
Elisabeth	10 Sep. 1746	Michael	22 Feb. 1741
Archibald Hamilton		Thomas	14 Mar. 1742
Andrew	19 July 1741	William Henderson	
Ginny	4 Sep. 1743	Elenor	24 Oct. 1742
Alexander	June 1746	Susanna	25 Nov. 1744
William	19 Aug. 1748	Elisabeth	July 1746
Arthur Hamilton		Rachel	1 Feb. 1747
William	6 Mar. 1747	Elisabeth Herison, an	
John	25 Feb. 1749	adult person	27 July 1744
James Hamilton		Jeramiah Herison, an	
Mary	13 Sep. 1747	adult person	3 Nov. 1740
Joseph Hanna		Lidea Donnel	29 May 1743
Alexander	28 Nov. 1742	(Jeramiah Herison, sponsor)	
Jennet	12 June 1745	Nehemiah	5 Dec. 1745
Martha	18 July 1748	Abigal Herrison, an	
Samuel Harris		adult person	21 Jan. 1747
Thomas	10 May 1741	Joshua Hicman	
Andrew Hays		William	19 July 1741
John	2 Mar. 1747	Samuel	8 Aug. 1742
James	27 Feb. 1749	Mary	5 Feb. 1744
Charles Hays		Rachel	12 Jan. 1746
John	19 Apr. 1741	Isaac	30 Mar. 1747
Andrew	18 Oct. 1741	George	5 May 1748
John Hays		Johnston Hill	
Rebecca	June 1746	Robert	July 1746
Patrick Hays		William Hinds	
Hugh	10 Dec. 1740	William	May 1743
Rebecca	30 June 1743	Margaret	9 Apr. 1749
Alexander Henderson		James Hogseed (Hogshead)	
Elisabeth	20 Dec. 1741	John	9 Sep. 1744
John	19 Dec. 1742	James	6 Apr. 1746
Jean	13 Mar. 1748	William	1 May 1748
Daniel Henderson		John Holms	
Robert	28 Oct. 1744	Jean	29 July 1744
Mary	10 Aug. 1746	Katherine	13 Apr. 1746
Jean	27 Apr. 1749	James	14 June 1747
David Henderson		John Hood	
Elenor	22 May 1748	Margaret	7 Apr. 1745
James Henderson		Robert	Oct. 1746
Jean	26 Apr. 1747	John	25 Nov. 1748
Archibald	26 Mar. 1749	Robert Hooks	
John Henderson		Esther	23 Dec. 1740
Mary	23 May 1742	Robert	26 Jan. 1743
John	19 Aug. 1745	Martha	16 Jan. 1745
Margaret	19 Aug. 1745	George	Oct. 1746
Robert	5 June 1748	Jean	Oct. 1746
Samuel Henderson		Jonathan Horseford	
John	30 Jan. 1743	Mary	16 Dec. 1742

Henery Hughs		John King	
Sophia	5 Nov. 1740	Isabel	12 Apr. 1741
George Hutchison		Sarah	July 1746
Frances	22 Nov. 1740	Margaret	24 Jan. 1748
George	Mar. 1744	William King	
John Hutchison		Annis	20 Oct. 1741
Mary	24 Apr. 1741	David Kinked	
Isabel	24 Apr. 1741	Elisabeth	20 June 1743
William	6 June 1742	Hobson	4 Aug. 1745
Jennet	10 Mar. 1744	Robert Kirkpatrick	
Thomas	11 Oct. 1747	Margaret	4 July 1742
George	10 Sep. 1749	Hanna	29 July 1744
John Jamison		William Lamb	
Jean	8 May 1748	Anna	25 Jan. 1743
William Jamison		James	2 June 1745
Elisabeth	4 Mar. 1747	William	29 June 1747
James Jeners		Robert	6 June 1749
Jean	21 June 1741	Thomas Landrif	
Mary	21 June 1741	William	4 Apr. 1742
William Johnston		Joseph Lang (Long)	
John	19 Oct. 1740	Ruth	10 Sep. 1746
Margaret	26 Oct. 1740	Patrick Lang (Long)	
Mary	15 Nov. 1741	Patrick	24 May 1741
Zachariah	26 Sep. 1742	William Lang (Long)	
Jennet	26 June 1743	Francis	5 Dec. 1742
Joseph	21 Apr. 1745	Joseph	16 Sep. 1744
Joseph	1 May 1748	David	11 May 1746
Abraham Jonston		Joseph Lapsly	
Maryanna	29 May 1743	Jean	15 Oct. 1741
David Kennedy		William Legerwood	
Mary	14 June 1741	James	11 Dec. 1740
Felix Kennedy		Jacob Lemons	
James	7 Feb. 1744	Elisabeth	29 May 1746
Martha	26 Feb. 1746	James Lesly	
Elenor	27 Mar. 1748	Isabel	27 Apr. 1741
Andrew Ker		Margaret	20 Mar. 1743
Jennet	24 Aug. 1746	John	13 Jan. 1745
John	27 Mar. 1748	Dolly	15 Feb. 1747
John Ker		Sarah	22 Jan. 1749
Isabel	19 Oct. 1740	Andrew Lewis	
Elisabeth	6 Feb. 1743	John	14 Sep. 1746
Letitia	22 Sep. 1745	Samuel	18 Sep. 1748
Margaret	2 Aug. 1747	James Liper	
Mary	27 Feb. 1749	Margaret	19 Apr. 1741
Samuel Ker		John	22 Jan. 1744
Samuel	29 Nov. 1741	Thomas Little	
Agness	20 Mar. 1743	John	1 May 1741
William	5 May 1745	Jacob Lockard	
Lucia	13 Dec. 1747	Elisabeth	28 June 1743
William Ker		Jacob	21 June 1745
Andrew	16 Sep. 1744	Jean	28 Aug. 1747
James	13 Apr. 1746	Samuel Lockard	
Thomas	11 Oct. 1747	Jean	10 Aug. 1746

Sarah	21 Jan. 1748	Mary	28 Nov. 1742
William Lockridge		Jean	14 July 1745
James	3 Feb. 1741	Ann	10 Nov. 1745
David Logan		Elisabeth	21 May 1746
Margaret	5 July 1741	Esther	13 Sep. 1747
Benjamin	1 May 1743	Thomas	15 Sep. 1748
Hugh	24 Mar. 1745	James	6 Nov. 1748
John	10 May 1747	Patrick McColam	
William	16 July 1749	Elisabeth	22 Nov. 1747
William Logan		Isaac McCollock	
Samuel	26 Oct. 1740	John	19 Apr. 1741
John	2 May 1742	Jennet	19 June 1743
Elisabeth	7 Nov. 1742	James	29 Sep. 1745
Mary	22 Mar. 1744	Joseph	27 Sep. 1747
Mary	9 June 1745	John McCollock	
Ann	21 May 1746	Samuel	11 July 1742
Isabel	24 Apr. 1748	Thomas	14 Aug. 1743
Jean	12 June 1748	Alexander	1 Sep. 1745
Daniel Love		Thomas McCollock	
John Lowery		Elisabeth	2 Nov. 1745
John	26 Feb. 1749	Ann	2 Nov. 1745
Adam Luny (Looney)		Andrew McComb	
Robert	4 Mar. 1749	Jean	26 Jan. 1746
William McCandless		Barbara	30 Oct. 1748
John	30 June 1743	John McCord	
Ann	June 1746	Agness	4 Mar. 1741
John McCapin		James McCowen	
Margaret	13 Mar. 1749	Ann	Oct. 1746
Robert McClean		John McCowen	
David	5 Nov. 1747	Malkcome	6 Mar. 1743
James McCleland		Agness	9 Sep. 1746
Rhoda	10 May 1741	Samuel McCuen	
Robert McClenochan		Rachel	28 Oct. 1744
Jean	8 Dec. 1740	Mary	Nov. 1746
John	7 Nov. 1742	John	29 Jan. 1749
Letitia	26 May 1745	James McCurkle	
Robert	19 Apr. 1747	William	8 Mar. 1747
William	10 Jan. 1749	Robert McCutchion	
Alexander McCliry		Agness	6 Nov. 1748
Rachel	16 Oct. 1741	John	31 Aug. 1749
Andrew McCluer		Rondal McDonal	
Esther	19 June 1743	Alexander	9 Nov. 1740
Elisabeth	10 Nov. 1745	John McDowel	
James	25 Sep. 1748	Sarah	16 Oct. 1741
Jas. McCluer		Robert McDowel	
Samuel	9 Nov. 1740	Mary	15 Mar. 1741
Esther	8 Nov. 1741	William	4 Sep. 1743
Nathaniel McCluer		Sarah	Oct. 1746
Mary	2 Mar. 1747	James McElroy	
Alexander	10 Mar. 1749	James	July 1746
John McClure		James McGill	
James	2 Nov. 1740	William	21 Apr. 1748
Ann	29 Mar. 1741	John McGown	

Samuel	4 Mar. 1749	James	15 Aug. 1745
Andrew McKinny		Thomas	28 Feb. 1748
William	Dec. 1748	William Maxwell	
Robert McKittrick		Patrick	10 May 1741
Sarah	15 Aug. 1747	John Meson	
John McIWrath		James Miles	
Thomas	14 Sep. 1747	Andrew	Oct. 1746
Agness	14 Sep. 1747	Sarah	27 Feb. 1749
Hanna	14 Sep. 1747	James Miller	
Jean	14 Sep. 1747	Jean	4 Oct. 1741
Robert McMachan		John	27 Feb. 1744
Jean	25 July 1742	David	1 June 1746
Thomas	1 Feb. 1745	Katharine	28 Nov. 1748
Neal McNeal		John Miller	
Thomas	7 Mar. 1749	Sarah	11 Mar. 1742
Daniel McNear		Martha	11 Mar. 1742
Joanna	19 Dec. 1742	James	11 Mar. 1742
Martha	30 June 1745	Margaret	6 July 1743
James	29 Apr. 1747	Francis	21 Sep. 1744
Robert McNeely		Sarah	9 Dec. 1745
Michael	10 Mar. 1741	John	12 Mar. 1749
George	20 June 1743	William Miller	
William	20 June 1743	Robert	23 June 1743
Andrew McNeily		Alexander Mills	
Mary	10 Mar. 1749	Elisabeth	Oct. 1746
James McNish		Gilbert	30 Apr. 1749
James	1 May 1741	John Mills	
Samuel McRoberts		Mary	8 Mar. 1749
Samuel	5 Mar. 1749	Andrew Mitchel	
Andrew McWilliams		Hanna	28 Nov. 1742
Jean	16 Dec. 1740	Jean	4 Apr. 1746
John Madison		John Mitchel	
Thomas	1 Oct. 1746	Elisabeth	6 Mar. 1747
John Malkom		William Mitchel	
Elenor	1 Dec. 1745	John	30 June 1743
John	24 July 1748	James Moor	
James Maphet (Moffett)		James	1 Mar. 1749
Elisabeth	3 Feb. 1748	James	10 Mar. 1749
John Maphet (Moffett)		John Moor	
Mary	29 Mar. 1741	Margaret	3 Feb. 1741
Katherine	29 Mar. 1741	Agness	1 Jan. 1745
John	5 July 1741	Robert	10 Mar. 1749
Robert	26 June 1743	William Moor	
William Marshall		Andrew	26 Feb. 1749
William	26 Jan. 1748	Benjamin Morrow	
Andrew Martin		William	29 May 1746
Elenor	18 Oct. 1741	David Neilson	
Patrick Martin		John	27 Dec. 1741
George	20 Oct. 1741	William Owens	
Edly Maxwell		Robert	20 June 1743
Edly	15 Mar. 1741	Henry Paton	
John Maxwell		Henery	6 Mar. 1748
William	3 July 1743		

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Blakely	Harris	Moore
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Cornwall	Land	Simpson
Cowell	Lathan	Singleton
Crawford	Latta	Starr
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Cushman	Lindsay	Stringfellow
Davidson	Love	Triplett
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Major General S. W. Crawford of Huntsville, Ala., visited Chester in 1871 and wrote this letter to his father Rev. S. W. Crawford, D. D. telling of his trip.

Huntsville, Ala.
Nov. 20, 1871

Dear Pa:

I wrote you something of my trip to Chester C. H. and promised something more in detail and here it is.

On the third of November I left Chester in a carriage with Dr. A. P. Wylie, whose guest I was, and taking the Saluda road, traveled about six miles. We turned off to the right near a Mr. Wherry's and crossed the "Mountain Gap" road; and shortly after the South Fishing creek, and coming in about a mile further on to the Old Fishing creek and graveyard.

I entered the graveyard at once and began an examination of the gravestones. It is a very old yard, established before the Revolution. An old stone fence surrounds the space, now about four acres. A new part has been added towards the creek. The old soapstone tablets show the old graves, although many have fallen and others remain in fragments. There were no stones placed here before 1800. At least Mr. D. G. Stinson, an old man of 80 who had been sent for by Dr. Wylie, and who joined us in the graveyard says that such is his impression. The Crawfords and Wylies were buried here.

Alexander Crawford
Born March 6, 1783
Departed this life Feb. 2, 1852
Aged 67 years.

J. F. Straight
Born Sept. 19, 1802
Died July 10, 1865
Aged 62 years 9 months.

Agnes Crawford
Wife of James Crawford
Died 1838, aged 82 years.

George Straight
Died 1843
Aged 79 years.

Joseph Gaston
Died April 23, 1823
Aged 89 years.

Archibald Gill
Colonel 1st Regt. S. C. Militia
Died 2nd of Oct., 1805, aged 46 years.

I wandered on down the centre of the graveyard, trying to decipher the old marks; old Mr. Stinson was on his knees before some old tablet; his white hair flowing in the wind and looking like "old Mortality", when suddenly I came upon an old bent soapstone tablet; right in the midst of the Straight's space, and judge of my emotions when I found that underneath my feet lay Rosanna Wylie, the sister of Dr. Wylie and the kind aunt who sheltered Aunt Margaret during the early days of her orphanhood. Yes there was the record, and annexed. I give you almost facsimilie of her tomb-stone.

Sacred
to the
Memory of
Rosanna Strait
wife of
Christopher Strait
Who died Oct., 2, 1812
Aged 46 years.

I'm going unto the happy shore
Where pain and death are known no more.

Old Strait had three wives, and there they lie, side by side, with old Christopher at the head. He outlived all of them and then departed. Close by the grave of Rosanna Strait is a stone bearing the following: "Here lies the body of Margaret Strait, alias Patton, wife of Christopher Strait who departed this life, 8 July A. D. 1788 aged 35 years."

Near this grave also is that of his first wife (a Reamer) Mary Strait. She died August 29, 1734 aged 48 years. And then comes old Christopher himself, he died Jan. 14, 1816 aged 77 years, and he had the following cut on his stone:

"My day has come, my glass has run
My resting place is here;
This stone was got to show the spot
Less man might dig too near."

Which leads to the conclusion that Christopher was something of a "wag".

But it was fast growing dark, and the cold N. E. wind gave token of speedy rain and so after plucking a few flowers from Rosanna's grave and a hurried examination of the old church, we returned to the comfortable wraps of the carriage, and turned our horses heads southward and soon arrived at Mr. Lewis's, son-in-law of Mr. Stinson's where we remained all night. Of course the object of my visit was the absorbing subject of conversation. A more thorough search was to be made and the whole matter was discussed. Mr. Stinson knew everybody apparently that had been in the county for the last century. His memory was something wonderful, and already persons in search of historical and revolutionary associations have found him out, and a cute Boston Yankee who is writing the life of Sumpter has just been here and at his house for two weeks.

It appears that a Mr. Douglas bought the place after Christopher died and made some changes, but I will give the account as I obtained it from Mr. Wherry, who has lived all his life next to the place, and who now owns it.

We now arranged the following programme for the next day. We were to return to the churchyard and, then go to see Mrs. Crawford who lived close by and who is now very old and has lived all her life in the neighborhood. After that, to return to the Saluda Road and go to Dr. Strait's place, after that we were to take the road to Rocky Creek and the old Covenanter church. Old Stinson was rich in his memories of by-gone days, and he read to us from the "Women of the Revolution" by Mrs. Ellet a long contribution of his own. The fact is he has furnished more material for history hunters in that section than any living man. He went into the Covenanter settlement questions and produced a book written by Dr. Howe, called the "History of the Presbyterian Church in South Carolina." In this book is an article furnished by Mr. Stinson on the Covenanters of S. C. and it gives a short but concise history of the church in this section. It gives an account too of the churches and the various ministers and the whole history of the organization. Martin the first minister came over in 1772. He died in 1806, he had the oldest Covenanter church in the county. It was two miles east of what is long known as Catholic Church on the Rocky Mount road, about ten or more miles from Chester, and between Big and Little Rocky Creeks. This old Covenanter church was burned by the British in 1780 on account of a sermon preached by Martin urging the settlers to take arms for Independence. The Covenanters not feeling themselves strong enough to sustain a minister and not altogether liking Martin (for he was a fighting parson

and fond of whiskey), joined the Seceders and the Associate Reformed and established "Catholic Church", the name indicating the general or universal use of the church. Rev. Martin preached for many years. The old quaint church and its old graveyard impressed me very much, but I will tell you of it directly. Martin settled on Rocky Creek and died in 1806.

Mr. Stinson produced an old letter from Henry Malcolm to John Lynn from Ballygowan Ireland, May 30, 1773, in which he says "we have it reported here that Mr. Martin and his Covenanters had ill getting their lands and that Mr. Cochrane was the occasion of all their trouble." In going over the grounds of the day, Mr. Stinson told me of McLeods letters and that a Mr. Gates of Charleston had referred Mac to Dr. Douglas who referred him to Mr. Stinson. He told me also that some ten years ago, a Mr. John Simpson had asked him in regard to your father and mother and that he applied to a Mr. Thomas Walker whose mother was a cousin of Dr. S. B. Wylie, your uncle. This Mr. Walker lived below Landsford on the Catawba. John and William Wylie, cousins of Dr. S. B. Wylie, lived and died here at, or near the Union Associate Reformed Church. You will find it marked on the map I sent you. This Mr. Walker told Mr. Stinson that he had heard Dr. Wylie preach.

After making a note of these facts it was time to retire for the night.

Saturday Nov. 4th 1871.

We were up at daylight and were soon on our way. We went first to Mrs. James Crawford's the daughter of Archy Gill. She was over 68 years of age, and was brought up at a place near her present residence. She lives about one mile in a direct line from Mr. Strait's. She remembers Aunt Margaret very well and said she had a sweet voice. She said she saw her start with Joh McNinch and his wife, Aunt M. riding horseback, John McNinch and wife in a buggy. She remembered that it was reported that either Aunt or Mrs. McNinch was injured during the trip, by the fracture of some limb. It was this woman's son, Mr. James Crawford, that McLeod wrote, but he declined to answer him.

We then went to Fishing Creek graveyard, and remained an hour, looking over the old tablets and deciphering the worn inscriptions. On our return we met Mr. Wherry, to whom we had sent word to meet us and he turned and accompanied us to his house on the Saluda road, (the same road we had come yesterday) and just at a point we had turned in we passed on down the Saluda road about a quarter or half a mile and here close to the road stood the site of Christopher Strait's old house. Here at last, I stood upon the very site of the house that had sheltered Aunt M. after your loss. I was fortunate in having for my guide a man whose whole life had been passed on the next place, who remembered Aunt M. and who could give me much reliable information of the property. The foundation of the old house is now grown over and nothing but the outline remains, and hardly that, the old stones forming the foundation of the chimney still exist. I broke off a small piece of granite and will enclose it with this. Near its site stands the old well from which no doubt Aunt M. often drew water. I send a sketch of the old well I made and spring house as it now stands. Three old trees stand around it, two catalpas and one large Kentucky coffee tree, very old. The old house was about twenty-five by twenty feet, one story and had a half high, built of pine logs, peeled not hewn. It was torn down by Mr. Douglass who built another near it which still stands vacant, although still habitable. In front of

the old house is a large walnut tree, and there are china and locust on each side of the road. The old locust have been standing a long while. The timber has been all used from the place and there is not none on it to fence it. Douglass who bought from Strait, used the old house for a kitchen and dining room for a long time.

From Douglas it went to Billy Best and from him to John Pagan and then to a Mrs. McDaniel, a widow; John Pagan married her daughter and went west and sold it to Mrs. McDaniel. She held it for three years and then sold it to James and David Crawford, who bought it from Sam Boyd and from Boyd it was bought by David Crawford. He sold it to Edward Mills, and he sold it to Mr. James F. Wherry who now owns it, and whose family have owned the adjoining place for over a century.

Wherry was born in 1802, remembers well Aunt M., and spoke of her sweet voice, mentioned some of her songs. His father and mother saw Aunt M. go north with John and Mrs. McNinch. The place is about 200 acres. It was all woods nearly in the early part of the century. The Rail Road from Chester to Charlotte, N. C. now goes through the low grounds. Douglas rebuilt the house in 1816 or -17.

Christopher Strait was a tall fine looking man of good presence and a successful planter of cotton and corn. I had forgotten to mention that Dr. Gibbs lived on the place at some time and cut down a fine orchard; some few fruit trees still remain. Mr. Wherry lived on his father's place when Aunt Margaret was at Mrs. Strait's. He said they called her Peggy.

After visiting her house and seeing his family, who were very kind, we turned towards the Rocky Creek country. I had lingered long about the site of the old place, of which I had heard so much in my childhood, but it was far from satisfactory. It was here I learned the sad end of Rosanna and the spot was pointed out to me. Desolation and decay seemed to reign unmolested and I was not sorry to turn away from it to more inviting scenes.

We kept on the Saluda road to "Lewis Turnout" half way to Chester when we turned to the left on the Rocky Mount road to Beckhamville we were hunting up the old folks we could find. First we stopped at a Mrs. Ferguson's or Finney's, she was a Johnson, was over 80 but she was not communicative. I think she thought we were Ku KLUX for she would give no information whatever. I finally asked her how old she was, but this was an unfortunate question and stirred up the female reserve to a fierce extent. "I don't know how old I am, I never kept no writing. I don't remember nothin."

Our visit was short as you may infer and I was greatly tempted to allude to a story of her early life. I had heard among the "Faste" of the Country. She was courted in her early days by John McKee, a pompous old pump, who expired in Chester only two or three months ago, aged 84. He lived in the village and was a punctilious man. He went to her house one night to see her. It was a new house, and the boards had only been laid on the floor upstairs but had not been nailed down. Miss Johnson was upstairs making herself beautiful, John was sitting before the fire in the room immediately below. But Miss Johnson with that curiosity that reigns in the female breast thought she would take a peep at John. She was at the moment nearly in the condition of Hans Breitman's mermaid, "a maiden mit nothing on," so she stepped to the edge of the board which immediately tilted up sending Miss Johnson to slide right on top of John and doubling him up to the floor. The old woman, her mother who was in the room, retained her presence of mind, hollered to her to "run to the barn" and she ran out leaving John McKee on the floor. He picked himself up and then broke off the match, but I said nothing about it and we soon left.

Many thanks to Martha Hawkins of Monticello, Arkansas for sending us the following information:

Abstract of Moore Records of S.C. 1694-1865, By Janie Revill, 1931. The State Company, Columbia, S.C.:

Elizabeth Moore "widow of Charleston" - Will dated Dec. 14, 1790. Son, John Moore; daus, Rachel Flagg, Mary Mitchell, Elizabeth Moore, Harriott Moore; grandson, William Moore Allston. Wit: John Neufville, Wm. Hasell Gibbes and Peter M. Neufville. Proved, March 23, 1791.

JOHN Moore "of Parish of St. Thomas & St. Dennis" - Will dated Feb. 16, 1788, wife, ELIZABETH, son John Elias Moore, daus, Mary Mitchell, wife of Edward Mitchell; Sarah Gibbes and Elizabeth, Margaret and Harriett Moore, grandson, William Moore Allston; Exors. son and s-i-l Edward Mitchell. Wit: Geo Elfe, Ann Elfe and Isaac Edwards. Proved July 23, 1788.

One of Boddie's books also refers to the fact that Elizabeth Neufville was not the wife of James Moore.

It would be good if someone could see the original documents - as abstracted information is frequently in error.

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WILL OF JOHN BOYSE - MINISTER - BOOK A, PAGE 88, FEBRUARY 1, 1793, MECKLENBURG COUNTY, N. C.

Now residing on Little River in Fairfield County, S. C. I allow myself a deceny burial or serving with cakes & liquor which shall be at the discretion of my friends, the expenses to be born by my execs.:

To brother David
" James
" Robert

My good friend, Miss Peggy McQuiston, dau. of David McQuiston, several Books and enough black silk to make her a gown & petticoat and my execs., to buy her the best black silk handkerchief they can find.

To Miss Jenny McQuiston - many Books
Brother Wm., cash due from the congregation.

John Boyse (SEAL)

Wit: Wm. Boyse, M. David Smith on Water of Rocky River - Mech.

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Jane Eleanor Craig, fifth of nine children born to Thomas & Elizabeth Craig. Thomas Craig married his cousin Elizabeth Craig and was disinherited by his father, William Craig. Thomas was the son of William & Jane Logan Craig. William was the oldest son of John & Eleanor Craig who came to S. C. from Ireland in Nov. 1773, landing at Charleston, and locating near Enoree River, in what was then the Ninety-six District. John Craig was born sometime prior to 1740, and after coming to S. C. served in the Revolution as a private in the S. C. Militia. He died in 1785, and was buried in the old Duncan's Creek Presbyterian Churchyard, near Clinton. The will of Eleanor Craig, his widow, is recorded in Laurens, S. C. court records.

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Letter to John Linn from Jennet Linn

May the 3rd, 1779

Dear and Loving Husband,

I received your letter dated April the 27th last past. I gladly embrace this opportunity to let you know I and the children are all in

good health at present. Blessed be God for his mercy. Wishing these may find you in good health also. The frost that was on the day of the 29th of last month, hath killed chief of the wheat and the rie (rye), if not all, it killed also part of the flase (flax). Nothing would be more desirable to me than to have your company at home with me but I would be far from desiring you to desert. I have got the field for the corn cleared and William Paul hath plowed it for me, and I expect to get it planted this week. No person hath molested me to rob me as yet, but I am many times in great fear when dogs bark at night. I add no more at present but I remain your loving and affectionate wife until death.

Jennet Linn

Please to tell John Rock and John McDill that each of their wives are well.

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Cemetery Inscriptions of New Hope A. R. P. Church, Fairfield County, S. C.:

Margaret Jane Boyce, wife of Rev. E. E. Boyce, dau. of John and Nancy Stevenson, died Oct. 10, 1851 in the 23rd year of her age.

Cella W. Brice, wife of James S. Brice, dau. of Charles and Jane Bell, June 9, 1833-June 19, 1852, age 19 yrs. 10 days.

Jennet Brice, wife of Robert Brice, Sr., died July 19, 1869 in the 73rd year of her age.

Mary Brice, wife of John Brice, born in County Antrim, Ireland - emigrated to this country Nov. 1840, died June 1874, aged 71 yrs. 9 mo.

James Calvin Douglas, Feb. 27, 1866-June 14, 1900. Pastor of Russellville, Ark. A. R. P. Church for 4 years.

Martha Dunbar, wife of James Dunbar, born County Antrim, Ireland, June 27, 1814-Oct. 20, 1875.

Parmelia McGinnis, wife of Joseph McGinnis, died Feb. 15, 1854, aged about 68 years.

Mary E. Roddey, wife of David C. Roddey, dau. of John and Nancy Simonton, Oct. 7, 1835-Sept. 11, 1885.

Andrew Stevenson, Dec. 24, 1797-May 2, 1880.

Col. Hugh Stevenson, died Jan. 27, 1838 in the 46th year of his age.

Rev. James Walker was born at Cannonsburg, Pa., 26th Nov. 1815, he died 18th Sept. 1841 - Although it was the will of God he should die among strangers, yet they were friends indeed (Erected by J. T. W.)

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By courtesy of Miss Barbara Smith and Mr. Lunsford Lazenby, this is a copy of the old Neely graveyard located near Edgemoor, S. C., on the original Starnes property.

Samuel and Mary M. Neely: he died Nov. 18, 1849; she died Dec. 25, 1849.

Peter White - b. Sept. 15, 1795; d. Jan. 15, 1844.

Next to above grave, a footstone M. R. W. (the head stone destroyed)

Matilda Susanna White - b. Oct. 11, 1832; d. Dec. 21, 1843.

Virginia Cornelia Rives - b. Sept. 28, 1850; d. Sept. 22, 1855.

Mary Rives - May 21, 1855, age 43 yrs., 10 mo., 3 days.

John Rives - b. Sept. 1, 1775; d. May 4, 1839.

Robinson Rives - b. Sept. 28, 1813; d. Sept. 19, 1832.

Truman Safford, son of Caldwell and Martha M. Rives - b. April 5, 1849; d. May 29, 1849.

Q U E R I E S

BISHOP - WHITE --- Joella White Beimfohr, 48 Kenilworth Dr., Short Hills, NJ 07078 wishes to know if anyone has information on BURL BISHOP, m. ELIZABETH WHITE in 1811. She b. SC 1786, dau. of WILLIAM & JANE (BROWN) WHITE. They moved to Kentucky and had at least one daughter, JANE.

MILLER - WHITE --- Joella White Beimfohr, 48 Kenilworth Dr., Short Hills, NJ 07078 would like to correspond with anyone who has info on ROBERT MILLER, b. ca. 1760, (wounded at Battle of King's Mountain), d. 12 Aug. 1831, buried Old Purity, Chester, SC, m. JANNET WHITE, b. 1762, Ire., d. 22 Feb. 1815. She was dau. of JOHN & ANN (GARNER) WHITE.

WALKER - WHITE --- Joella White Beimfohr, 48 Kenilworth Dr., Short Hills, NJ 07078 Would like to correspond with anyone who has information on the family of ALEXANDER WALKER, b. 1744, Ire., d. 1799 SC and ELEANOR HELEN WHITE, b. 1758, Ire., d. 1839, SC. They had children: Charles, John, Robert, William, Phillip, Nancy Cunningham, Adam, James and Ann.

WALKER - WHITE --- Joella White Beimfohr, 48 Kenilworth Dr., Short Hills, NJ 07078 Would like to correspond and/or exchange information with someone who is working on ROBERT WALKER (b. 1747, d. 1822), m. VICTORIA WHITE (b. 1764, d. 1834). They had children: William, Mattie, John, Charles, Alexander, Anne, and Jane.

BALLARD - WALLACE --- Ray Beeman, 1246 Goodman, Memphis, TN 38111 - Seeks info on THOMAS BALLARD. Tradition has it he was an Irish Jew, came to SC, m. SALLY WALLACE, thence to Montgomery Co., AL, thence to Stevens, Cauchita Co., AR. Their oldest son WILLIAM THEOPHILUS BALLARD, b. 17 Oct, 1844, d. 20 Jan 1914, Arkansas. THOMAS BALLARD not found in the Ballard Genealogy published Washington, DC.

BECKHAM - DOBBINS - SUMMERVILLE --- Mrs. S. F. Buchanan, P. O. Box # 5, Cruger, Miss. 38924 - Researching families of BECKHAM, DOBBINS and SUMMERVILLE. Any info on these families will be appreciated.

TAYLOR --- Mrs. Elizabeth Caulder, 111 N. Cardinal Dr., Wilmington, NC 28405 - Seeks info on WILLIAM TAYLOR & JACOB TAYLOR of Craven Co., SC Were they brothers of ISAAC TAYLOR? Isaac Taylor was supposed to have married RACHEL ?

DURR - FISHER --- W. G. Conn, Rt. 2 Box 43, Karnack, TX 75661 - MICHAEL DURR, b. 1816, DAVID H. DURR, b. 1820, JIM DURR, birth date unknown. MICHAEL & DAVID went to Louisiana, 1838/39. Does anyone know who their parents were? Their mother remarried an ALEXANDRIA and lived in Ala. The DURRS were Huguenots & believed to come from Goxwiller, B-Rh, France. Descendants of Jean Jacques Durr, b. 12 Dec. 1728, m. Appolonie Grucker, b. 12 Oct 1731. Anyone with a tie between the French DURRS & MICHAEL & DAVID DURR would be greatly appreciated.

AMOS FISHER, b. SC, went to Louisiana about the time as the DURR brothers. His wife was named Elizabeth, b. Tenn. Was this AMOS FISHER related to the DURRS?

CARROLL --- W. G. Conn, Rt. 2 Box 43, Karnack, TX - THOMAS WILLIAM CARROLL, b. 1804 Abbeville Co., SC, m. MARY ANN McCLELLAN, b. 1805, Abbeville Co., SC. His father was MATTHEW CARROLL and have been unable to find any background on he or his wife. Would also like any info on the parents of MARY ANN McCLELLAN. (75661-Zip for Karnack, TX)

WESTMORELAND --- W. G. Conn, Rt. 2 Box 43, Karnack, TX 75661 - JOHN WESTMORELAND, b. 1772, m. RACHEL FORD, lived Spartanburg, SC - interested in their descendants. especially if there was a dau. MOLLY MALONE WESTMORELAND. JOHN was the grandson of the last Lord Westmoreland, Thomas of Dinwiddie Co., VA. (KA Price George Co.) He owned 1803 Acres at Licking Place Branch-Nottoway River.

PARKER --- Carol Duncan, 132 Anthony St., Gaffney, SC 29340 - Union Dist, SC - Would like to know names of ELEAZOR PARKER 1807/1839 & MARY MARGARET CAROTHERS children.

CAROTHERS - Carol Duncan, 132 Anthony St., Gaffney, SC 29340 - Union District, Would like to know the maiden name of JOHN CAROTHERS first wife MARY ____ ? .

DAVIS - Cheri Davis Hunter 2625 E. Olive, Decatur, IL 62526 - Would like to exchange material on REV. WILLIAM CUMMINS DAVIS, b. 16 Sept. 1760, educated & trained for ministry at Mount Zion College, Winnsborough, SC. Ordained 1789. Supplied Bullock's Creek Church, SC in 1805. Withdrew from Presbyterian Church 1810 & organized The Independent Presbyterian Church. Died 27 Sept 1831 near York, SC. Need Burial place and his parents names. (Note-Write Bullock's Creek Church, Route # 1, Sharon, SC 29742 for information - they do have cemetery records)

GIBSON - John Gibson Elliott, 1254 Canfield Ave., Dayton, OH 45406 - Searching for information about the WILLIAM GIBSON family. WILLIAM, d 1879/80 Chester Co, SC b. England, m/Mary Simmott BUTLER, left four children, three boys, 1 girl, b. 1877, Chester SC named Mary Elizabeth (my mother). Any information will be appreciated.

FERGUSON - Dr. James F. Gollattscheck, 400 Seneca Trail, Maitland, FL 32751 - Requests information on WILLIAM S. FERGUSON'S wife EVALINA, b. 1815. Her Maiden name? Birthplace ? Parents ?

WRIGHT - Dr. James F. Gollattscheck, 400 Seneca Trail, Maitland, FL 32751 - Need information on CLAYBURNE WRIGHT, Chester Co. 1790/1820 and other related WRIGHTS

WYLIE - STINSON - Dr. James F. Gollattscheck, 400 Seneca Trail, Maitland, FL 32751 Need information on ELIZABETH WYLIE, b. 1763, d. Chester Co., 1811, m. WILLIAM STINSON, b. 1757 Ire., d. Chester Co 1809. Need their parents and any other ancestors. He father probably WILLIAM WYLIE. Was her mother ISABELLA KELSO ? His father probably ROBERT STEPHENSON.

BARBER - FERGUSON - Dr. James F. Gollattscheck, 400 Seneca Trail, Maitland, FL 32751 Requests information on ISABELLA BARBER, b. 1754 d. 1823 Chester Co., w. of SAMUEL FERGUSON. Need her mother & father's birth dates and birth places, also her mother 's maiden name.

FERGUSON - ADAMS - Dr. James F. Gollattscheck, 400 Seneca Trail, Maitland, FL. 32751 Need information on parents of SAMUEL FERGUSON, b. 1755, d. 1817 Chester Co., father was JAMES FERGUSON. Mother was AGNES ADAMS. Need their birthdates and places, other ancestors.

GASTON - Vernon H. Gaston, 939 Coast Blvd., Apt. 1B, La Jolla, CA 92037 - WILLIAM M. GASTON, b. 23 Mar. 1818, 30 (according to 1850 census KY), m. ELIZABETH JANE HAMILTON, of VA. about 1840. They had 10 children-born KY. He was a minister. Need County in SC when he was born and the name of his father.

O'BANNON - JONES - TUCKER - GOLDEN - James G. Gilmore, 7210 Gary St., Houston, TX 77055 - Need help with the followins ancestors: ROBERT O'BANNON, b. 16 Apr. 1796, Chester, Co., SC; KIMBALL O'BANNON, d. 31 July 1802, Chester Co., SC; WILLIAM JONES m/ Mary Bridges 22 Jan. 1807, SC; JOAN TUCKER, r, Charleston, SC; TRESVANT R. GOLDEN, b. 10 May 1810, SC

GILL- Mrs. Clifton Gill, 41 Ridgeview Dr., Chickawaw, AL 36611 - Need information on family of JAMES GILL, b. 20 Mar. 1792, SC (believed to be Chester, Co.) m. in Clarke Co., AL 23 Nov. 1817 to CATHERINE (CATHERENE) TILL also b. SC

WILLIAMS - Mrs. J. M. Hacksma, 1815 Grant Rd., Wenatchee, WA 98801 - Need data on JOHN WILLIAMS & wife, HANNAH ___, of Spartanburg, Co., SC (ca 1787/1792) of Tyger River Area.

BRUTON - Mrs. J. M. Hacksma, 1815 Grant Rd., Wenatchee, WA 98801 - ENOCH BRUTON, b. 1766 SC, Spartanburg Co., SC ?. Lived on Ferguson Creek of Tyger River, ca 1806/1810. m. DARCAS WOFFARD, ca 1786/87 - Need any information.

COCKRAN/COCHRANE - Mrs. J. M. Hacksma, 1815 Grant Rd., Wenatchee, WA 98801 - asks who has data on JACOB & ABRAHAM COCKRAN/COCHRANE of Brunswick Co., VA 1757, later NC? ABRAHAM m/ TAMAR ?, has ch: MARY, DAVID & ELIZABETH. Need JACOB COCKRAN and w, CELIA ?, who had dau. SUSANNAH E. B. COCKRAN, ca 1830/38, SC

BRUTON - Mrs. J. M. Hacksma, 1815 Grant Rd., Wenatchee, WA 98801 - GEORGE BRUTON, b. 1762, m. MARTHA ADDINGTON, of Union Co., SC, before 1783. Probably Baptist, where would records possible be located? GEORGE left SC, (for KY), about age 30. NEED ISSUE.

HILL - Mrs. Elliece Hill Hopkins, 7280 Dillon St., Houston, TX 77061 - WM. HILL, m/ MOLLIE ?, b. ca 1735, d. 1804 Chester Co., SC. Will names children & wife, son STARKEY, m. DORCAS. Need birth, marriage, death dates, also maiden names of wives, parents. Did they come from N. C. ?

CROSSLAND - Mrs. Elliece Hill Hopkins, 7280 Dillon St., Houston, TX 77061 - JAMES CROSSLAND, m. MARY LINN (LYNN), b. ca 1786 Fairfield Dist., SC, father JOHN CROSSLAND., son JAMES LINN CROSSLAND, b. SC, d. Nacogdoches, TX. Need names of three other sons, birth, marriage and death dates.

CULP-KOLB - George L. Irwin, P. O. Box 4262, Greenville, SC 29608 - Need information as to parents of GEORGE WASHINGTON CULP-KOLB, b. 22 Dec. 1825, moved from unknown site to Chester SC in 1849, m. ELIZABETH SARAH McINCH, 15 Nov. 1849, vet of Mexican War, stabbed in Chester 4 July 1855, d. 7 July 1855, buried Old Purity Presbyterian Cemetery, Chester with wife. Two ch: GEORGE W. CULP, Jr. & (My paternal g/mother) CATHERINE ISABELLA CULP IRWIN. Am sure he was a part of the large CULP/KOLB family in Chester & adjacent counties. 1850 census lists him as a mechanic.

CABEEN-GRAHAM - Dorothy R. Love, Rt. 3 box 363, Poulsbo, WA 98370 - Interested in contacting any descendants of THOMAS CABEEN, b. 1752, Scotland, d. 9 Oct 1801, Chester SC, w. EUPHEMIRE (EFFEY) ESABELLA GRAHAM, b. 1759 NC, d. 8 June 1827 Chester, SC. Ch: NANCY m. Solomon HILL; ELLEN, MARY, BETSEY, ELEANOR m. Robert GILL, ISABELLA, JOHN, DANIEL, ALEXANDER and WILLIAM.

DUNLAP - Dorothy R. Love, Rt 3 Box 363, Poulsbo, WA 98370 - ROBERT DUNLAP, b. 1751 PA, d. 14 July 1831, Chester SC, w. MARY, b. 1754, d. 4 July 1822, both buried Old Waxhaw Presbyterian Church, Ch: SAMUEL, b. 1775, WILLIAM, b. 1777, JOHN, b. 1780, MARY, b. 1782, ELIZABETH, b. 1784 m. Jonathan WALLACE; ROBERT, b. 1787, THOMAS, b. 1789, DAVID b. 1792, AGNES b. 1795, WILLIAM b. 1798 - Would like to hear from others working on this family line.

JONES - William E. Lowry, 12 Wright Ave. York, SC 29745 - Seeks information about a LILLIAN JONES, b. Rome, GA 8 Jan 1887, also her father, WILL D. JONES of Rome, GA. Mr. Lowry also seeks information about a CATHOLIC SCHOOL, HOME OR ORPHANAGE in Richmond, VA in the 1850's.

O'CALLAGHAN - Mrs. James E. Mullen, 4025 Hanging Moss Rd., Jackson, Miss. 39206 - Searching for info on MAURICE (MORRIS) O'CALLAGHAN, came to US from Ire. 18 June 1798, Maturalized 4 Nov. 1808, Chester, SC. wife ?. Where are they buried? Two sons: ? & EDWARD, m. Rachel ?. Can anyone fill in the blanks?

AUTREY - Mrs. Clay McClain, 2147 Washington Ave., Redding, CA 96001 - ABSALAM AUTREY, of NC, w. ELIZABETH NORRIS, moved to N. LA ca 1840, dau. CELIA, m. WILLIAM J. FIELD. Would like to have names of other AUTREY children.

AUTREY - Mrs. Clay McClain, 2147 Washington Ave., Redding, CA 96001 - CARRIE AUTREY, m. AINSLEY H. COLVIN ca 1895. Who were her parents?

RIDDLE - Mrs. Clay McClain, 2147 Washington Ave., Redding, CA 96001 - Wish to correspond with descendants of ISABELL DALLAS RIDDLE, m. THOMAS R. COLVIN 1866 Richmond, Va, (Henrico Co.)

STEWART - Mrs. Robert McCartney, 3429 E. Indianapolis, Fresno, CA 93726. Seeks info re parents of FRANCES (FANNIE) STEWART, b. 11 Aug. 1778, m. 1798 WILLIAM BARRON of York District.

ADAIR/ADARE - Mrs. Robert McCartney, 3429 E. Indianapolis, Fresno, CA 93726 - Seeks any info on BOZEMAN ADAIR (ADARE), b. ca 1772, VA or SC. In GA 1802, At least two sons JOHN B. & JAMES L. Need information as to any other children & any information on wife.

MCCORMACK - B. H. McCormack, 6959 Payte, Ft. Worth, TX 76180 - HUGH MCCORMACK, d. 1850 Fairfield Co, SC, son JAMES, m. MARGARET BLAIR, (dau. of Thomas BLAIR) in 1810. HUGH in SC by 1797, prob. from NC. Need wife of HUGH, his parents, and any other children he may have had.

LOONEY-RUSSELL - B. H. McCormack, 6959 Payte, Ft Worth, TX 76180 - HUGH LOONEY, b. 1783, Pendleton Dist, SC, m. ELIZABETH RUSSELL. Searching for her parents.

ERWIN - B. H. McCormack, 6959 Payte, Ft. Worth, TX 76180 - WILLIAM ERWIN, b. 1785 ?, m. SUSANNA CURRY, then left for KY, thence to AL - Need any info on this couple.

ROUNTREE-PORTER-CARTER-GOLDSMITH-WHITTEN-GAVIN-NARRAMORE-NARREMORE-PIERCE-LITTLE- Arthur M. Reagan, 5101 Maris Ave., 101, Alexandria, VA 22304 - will exchange info on ROUNTREE of Union Chester & Edgefield Cos., SC. JOHN & KESIAH PORTER, Capt. WILLIAM GASTON, 1743-1814 & second wife, ANN (PORTER) GASTON and descendants, including ROUNTREE and CHURCHILL CARTER families of Chester Co., SC. WILLIAM GOLD-SMITH-WHITTEN of Greenville Co., SC. GAVIN of Spartanburg Co., SC. ROBERT H. LITTLE, b. 1780, d. after 1850, from SC to Lincoln Co., TN, then Jefferson Co., AL., thence Rusk Co., TX. From SC to GA ELI W. NARRAMORE (NARREMORE)- GEORGE PIERCE, b. 1776.

GIBSON - DYE - Mrs. Lillian G. Riegert, 4812 Invernes Ave., Ft. Worth, TX 76132- Need info on JOHN HILLIARD GIBSON, d. 7 June 1918, father (JOHN) OSBORNE GIBSON, dates unknown. JOHN H. m. EMMA DYE, b. 25 July 1851, d. 16 Oct 1915 - Especially need parents & relatives of EMMA, OSBORNE's parents & wives name.

FOOTE - RICE - MOOREMAN - Mrs. Hildred M. Stratton, 1202 Donelson Ave., Old Hickory, TN 37138 - WILLIAM FOOTE, b. ca 1772, Caswell Co., NC same to Chester Co., SC, with family ca. 1785., m. NANCY RICE McDaniel, a sister to Wm's brother JAMES w. JANE MILLS RICE. Need WILLIAM'S Children, had a stepdaughter Mary McDANIEL, m. f MOOREMAN.

FOOTE-RICE-SIMS-BULLOCK - Mrs. Hildred M. Stratton, 1202 Donelson Ave., Old Hickory, TN 37138 - Anyone working on the HEZEKIAH & MARY RICE family? He supposedly in Caswell Co., NC, then Chester Co., SC then Union Co, SC where he d. ca 1808. Known children: DAVID, JANE, NANCY, HEZEKIAH, jr. Was MARY a SIMS before marriage? Is the BULLOCK family related? Any info will be appreciated.

NOLEN-ADDERSON - JoAnn Sanderfer, 18 Enchanted Forest Dr., Bayfield, CO 81122- Need help on STEPHEN NOLAN, b. 18 Oct. 1787, where ? , m. MARY C. ADDERSON, b. 14 Sept 1790, dau. of Christopher ADDERSON and Agnes ? . STEPHEN, MARY & Fam. Newton Co., GA 1830; Coosa Co., AL 1850. Mary d. 1859, Stephen d. 1870. Both buried Pine Grove Cemetery, Coosa Co., AL.

SANDEFER - LOTT - Victor D. Sanderfer, 18 Enchanted Forest Dr., Bayfield, Co., 81122 SAMUEL SANDEFER, b. 4 Nov. 1790 Chester Co., SC ? d. 1872. m. MARY LOTT, b. 11 May 1795, Fairfield or Chester Co., SC , d. 1840. Family AL 1830. Had eight boys. Mary and Samuel buried Johnston Cemetery Limestone Co., AL.

JOHNSTON - Bruce M. Sullivan, 5002 Loch Lomond St., Houston, TX 77096 - Would like to exchange info about descendants of JAMES and MARY JOHNSTON, Chester & Fairfield Cos., SC Mentioned "Rev. Soldiers of Old Catholic Pres Church" & Ellett's "Women of the American Rev."

PRICE-SMITH-RAGSDALE-ALLEN-WILSON - Miss Janie Price, Apt. 428 Hamilton Hotel, PO Box 480, Laredo, TX 78040 - Need info on father of DANIEL PRICE, d. Chester Co. SC 1836, w. probably ALICE ?, Ch: DANIEL, Jr., JOHN, ELIZABETH, m. Jacob SMITH by 1833, SASANNA, d. 1836, m. ? RAGSDALE, HANNAH, m. ? ALLEN, ANNY, m. John WILSON. DANIEL PRICE had a brother CUTHBERT PRICE.

PRICE-MOBLEY-COLVIN-PRATT-LEWIS-HEAD-WILBANKS - Miss Janie Price, Apt 428 Hamilton Hotel, PO Box 480, Laredo, TX 78040 - Need info on CUTHBERT PRICE SR - who were his parents? w. MARGARET ?, d. Sept 1826. CUTHBERT, Sr, d. Chester Co., SC Dec 1834. Ch: JOSEPH, SAMUEL, (did he die Henry Co., GA 1856?), DANIEL, left SC by 1835, WILLIAM (1789/1833) m. DORCAS MOBLEY, DSC, MARY "POLLY" m. ELI COLVIN before 1823, THOMAS, (1796/1858) m. ELEANOR LEWIS, Greene Co., AL ca 1820, TX 1851, CUTHBERT, Jr, (1804/1882), m. 1, ELIZABETH PRATT, & 2nd AESLEY ?, & 3rd CAROLINE ?, ? m. ? HEAD and had dau MARGARET, who m. WILLIAM WILBANKS. CUTHBERT SR had a brother DANIEL.

GLAZE-BREDIN-COCORAN - Ramona Smith, Route 1 box 215, Ville Platte, LA 70586 - Need info ZACHARIAH GLAZE, of SC, m. MARY BREDIN, son JAMES BREDIN GLAZE, b. Lancaster Co., SC, m. DRYDEN BRASHEAR of MD, May 1827 (St. Landry Parish, LA). James in LA & owned plantation ca 1818/1820. Zachariah was related to GIDEON GLAZE, b. ca 1760 SC, d. ca 1790 SC of Lancaster & Chester Cos., GIDEON'S son, another Zachariah, m. ELIZABETH COCORAN. All related to Col. JOHN GLAZE & descended from GABRIEL GLAZE & son MALACHI both Notary Publics & J. P. Charleston Co. SC - Any info on GLAZE Family would be appreciated.

FERGUSON-PEAKE-LIVELY-GRIFFITH-CAREY - Ramona Smith Route 1 Box 215, Ville Platte, LA 70586 - Need info DANIEL FERGUSON (b. 1774, SC, d. 1843, LA), m. ESTHER (HESTER) PEAKE, (d. 1824 LA) of SC. Daniel possibly son of MOS FERGUSON & ELIZABETH LIVELY. Daniel's dau. MARY ANN FERGUSON, b. 1793, LA, d. 1883, LA, m. ISAAC GRIFFITH, b. 8 Aug. 1787, Dover, DE, d. 1852, LA a son of John & Nancy CAREY.

TERRY-GLOVER-SELY-STOKES - Peggy Thomas, 3418 Hillsdale Lane, Garland, TX 75042 - Searching for in STEPHEN TERRY, d. 19 Dec. 1769, Chester Co, 1st w. SARAH ?, d. 4 May 1765, 2nd w. Mrs SUSANNAH GLOVER, d. 1785. STEPHEN'S son JOHN TERRY, b. 27 Apr. 1752, d. 12 Apr 1834, Chester Co., 1st w. SARAH SELY, d. 20 May 1823, 2nd w. PRISCILLA STOKES. Need parents of STEPHEN TERRY or when the TERRY fam came to Chester.

TERRY - GLOVER - Robert M. Terry, Box 1531, Enid, OK 73701 - STEPHEN TERRY estate adm. Charleston 9 May 1771, parish of St. Bartholomew, Colleton Co, by Mrs. SUSANNAH TERRY Is she SASANNAH GLOVES or widow Glover on plat next to STEPHEN TERRY of Fishing Creek 26 June 1767? Is he Stephen TERRY, f. of JOHN TERRY, d. 1834 Chester Co., SC?

TERRY-WALKER-LEAK-SCAIFE - Robert M. Terry, Box 153, Enid, OK 73701 - Need info of families of JOHN TERRY & RICHARD LEAK TERRY, whose est adm. Chester Co 19 Dec. 1801 by WILLIAM SCAIFE. Richard son of JAMES TERRY of Anson/Orange Co NC, w. ELIZABETH LEAK, dau. of RICHARD LEAK of Orange Co NC. Admr. WINNEFRED NUTT TERRY & bond sg by JOHN TERRY & JOHN WALKER, is bondsman JOHY, MY JOHN W. TERRY, d. 1834 & if so how is he related to RICHARD & JOHN TERRY? Is it possible JOHN, RICHAR & STEPHEN TERRY who d. 1769 brothers?

GILL-TERRY-DICK - Robert M. Terry, Box 1531, Enid, OK 73701 - Need info ALEXANDER GILL, son of JOHN BILL, d. 1791 Chester Co., SC & w. AGNES DICK, b. 1756. What was ALEXANDER'S s. name? He was f. of ELLEN GILL TERRY, m. GREENBERRY HILL TERRY, 1st s. of Maj. STEPHEN TERRY of Atlanta (d. 1866)

MINTER-GOOCH-TERRY - Robert M. Terry, Box 1531, Enid, OK 73701 - JOSEPH M. (MINTER?) TERRY, minor orphan 1817, Edgefield co., SC Is he son of WILLIAM TERRY, d. 1815 Edgefield, SC a bro. of JOHN W. TERRY?, d. 1834 Chester SC? Is SARAH MINTER, dau. of JOSEPH MINTER & ANN MARIAH GOOCH, w of above mentioned WILLIAM TERRY? ANN MINTER m. a JOHN TERRY. Is he related to fam. of JOHN W. TERRY, d. 1834? Ann is a sister to SARAH. JAMES TERRY of Newberry Dist., SC who m. a SUSANNAH CLEMENT is an uncle to JOSEPH MINTER TERRY.

STOKES-WISE-WALKER-WOOD-TERRY - Robert M. Terry, Box 1531, Enid, OK 73701 - GREEN-BERRY STOKES and oh: JOHN B., RHODA TERRY and LEVI. Why was Rhoda Terry STOKES middle name TERRY? Was she related in some way to PRISCILLA STOKES TERRY, w. of JOHN W. Terry, d. 1834, Chester SC? RHODA TERRY STOKES was 1st w of DANIEL WISE. Were these STOKES related in some way to THOMAS TERRY, ADAM, PHILIP, ALEXANDER WALKER or CLEMENT WOOD?

HILL-RODEN-POTTS-TERRY - Robert M. Terry, Box 1531, Enid, OK 73701 - Need parents of THOMAS RODEN 1733/1809 and w. MARY POTTS. Dau. SAVILLA 1759/1844, m. MOSES HILL 1758/1821. Need parents of Moses HILL who was father of Elizabeth H. HILL who m. Major STEPHEN TERRY, d. 1866 Atlanta, GA.

WHITE - Reva Mayo White, Rt 1 Box 73, Fountain Hill, AR 71642 - Who were brothers of JOSIAH WHITE, b. 1797, Anson Co, NC. He was a son of ZEDEKIAH WHITE, b. 1758, Anson Co, NC. Zekeiah is thought to be son of JOSEPH WHITE of Anson Co. Josiah m. Nancy BARKLEY. This fam in Marengo Co, AL 1830, Lauderdale, Miss by 1837 and in Drew Co., AR by 1846.

JONES-McLEAN - Reva Mayo White, Ft 1 Box 73, Fountain Hill, AR 71642 - Who were the par.or fam connections of NATHANIEL GREEN JONES, b. ca 1813, probably Wake Co NC, m. MARY MARGARET McLEAN, 1836 Cumberland Co., NC, came to Drew Co., AR 1854. I have their family bible in which their 12 children's births are recorded.

COWSERT-STEPHENS - Lavonne Sanders Walker, Rt 3 Box 74, Tecumseh, OK 74873 - JOSSEPH COWSERT, b. 1796, m. SARAH STEPHENS, dau. of David & Amelia STEPHENS, they moved to Miss. Bro. JOHN COWSERT, b. 1785, m. Elizabeth ?, his father JOHN COWSERT, Sr, b. 1745, w. Margaret. JOHN Sr. parents may have been THOMAS & AGNES COWSERT.

HENRY-McMASTER-WRIGHT - Melba G. Woodson, 1801 Glen Valley, Irving, TX 75061 - Needs to know when HUGH HENRY, b. 1781, Ire. (according to 1850 census, Chester Co., SC) came to the US, naturalization papers & if he was related and if so, how to JAMES HENRY, d. 1845, Newberry Co., SC. JAMES HENRY m. JANE WRIGHT, dau. of ALEXANDER WRIGHT. HUGH HENRY, m. MARY McMASTER, dau. of James McMASTER & JANE KILLOCH, b. 1758, Ire. James McMaster, b. 1754, Ire and bro to HUGH McMASTER. Would like to know the parents of JAMES McMASTER, JANE KILLOCH & HUGH HENRY. Was JAMES McMASTER a Rev Soldier? There was another JAMES McMASTER who m. CLARY & has been documented as a RS - Any connection between these two? Correspondence with anyone working on these lines will be appreciated.

MATTISON-COX - Mrs. W. F. White, 145 Pinckney St., Chester, SC 29706 - JAMES MATTISON d. testate, Anderson Co., SC between 30 Jan 1848 & 30 July 1849, names dau. MARY COX. Need name of Mary's husband. Were Mary & husband COX parents of JAMES MATTISON COX d. Mar/Apr 1864 Anderson Co., SC? Where are these persons buried? Any info will be appreciated.

WHITE-MORROW,BROWN - Joella White Beinfuhr, 48 Kenilworth Dr., Short Hills, NJ 07078. Would like to correspond with someone who is working on HUGH & SARA (MORROW) WHITE family. He was son of WILLIAM & JANE (BROWN) WHITE.

WHITE-BROWN-McCLINTOCK - Joella White Beinfuhr, 48 Kenilworth Dr., Short Hills, NJ 07078. Have info on WILLIAM WHITE, II, son of WILLIAM & JANE (BROWN) WHITE, and MARGARET "PEGGY" McCLINTOCK. Need to correspond with anyone for current generation updating.

GASTON-McCLURE - Mrs. R. L. Bottenbert, 13 Circle DR., Decatur, IL 62521 - Who was the husband (or husbands) of MARY McCLURE, sister of Capt. JOHN McClure, who was mentioned in "Women of the American Revolution"?. Did she marry WILLIAM GASTON, s. of ROBERT GASTON? I have conflicting information, & will appreciate hearing from anyone concerning the GASTON-McCLURE LINES.

FIELD - Mrs. Clay McClain 2147 Washington Ave. Redding, CA 96001- Seeking ancestors of WILLIAM FIELD & sons ROBERT, JEREMIAH, WILLIAM & JOSEPH of NC 1759/1776.