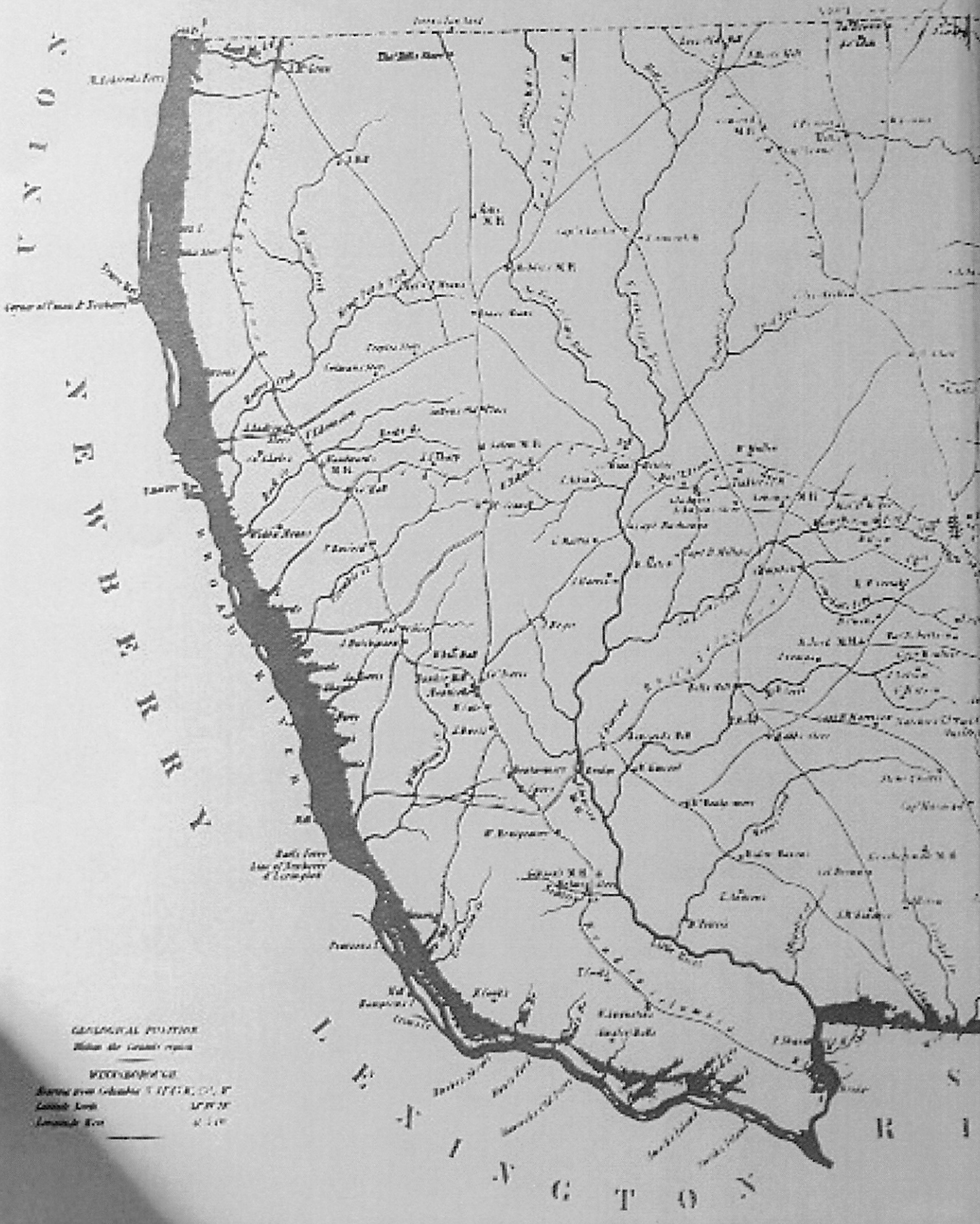


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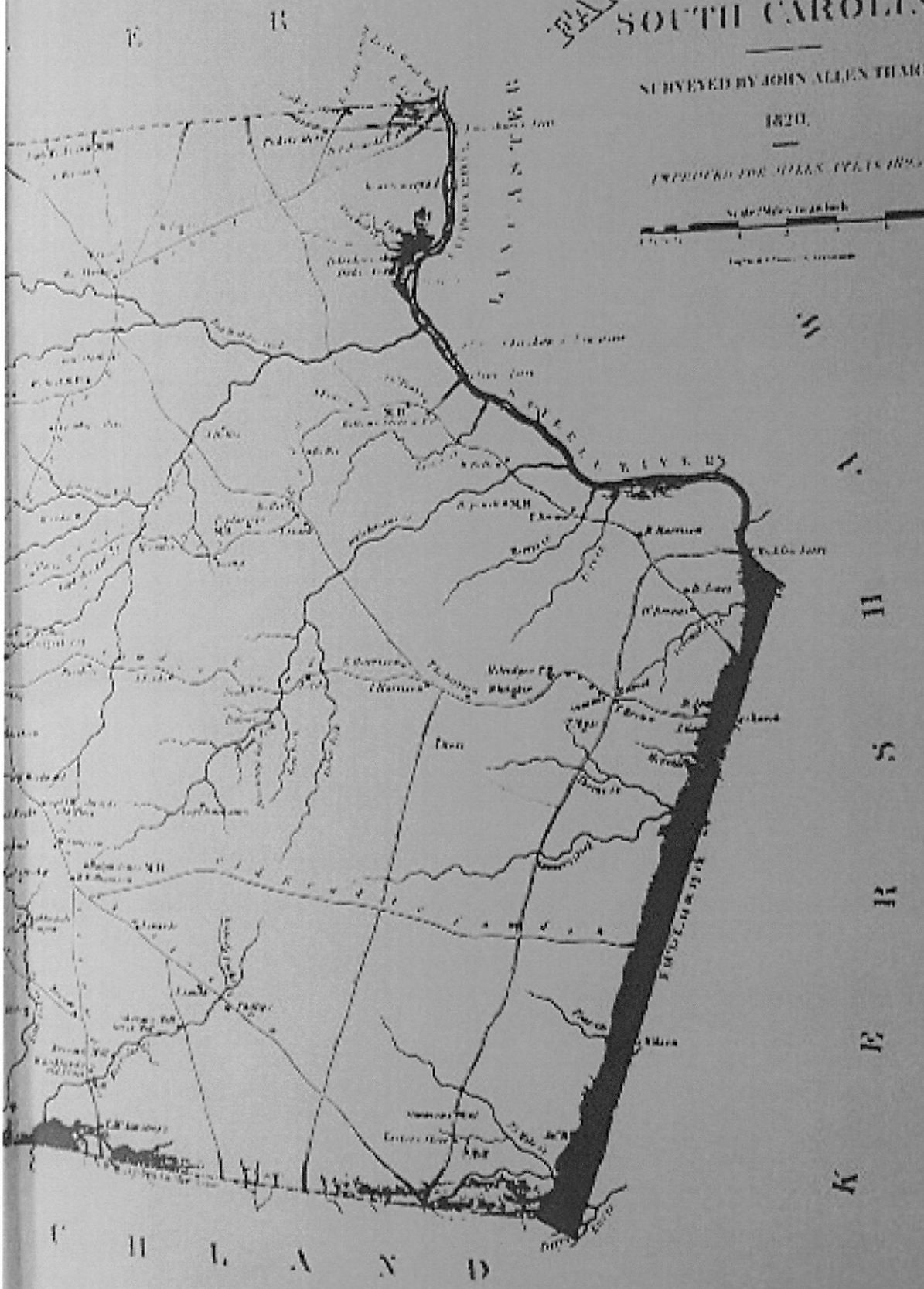
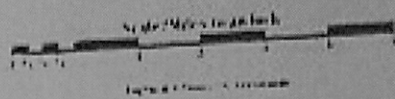
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Foreword

The history of any place lies with its inhabitants, and the reader of this book will find many accounts of early settlers in Fairfield County, which was once a part of Craven County during the time of the Lords Proprietors. This area, now known as Fairfield, was also once a part of the Camden District.

A local legend ascribes the name "Fairfield" to Lord Cornwallis, who wintered in Winnsboro from the fall of 1780 until early January of 1781; in actuality the county most likely received its name when the Camden District was formed into five districts, Chester, Lancaster, Fairfield, Kershaw and Sumter, in 1789. At that time, Blythewood, once known as "Doko", was a part of Fairfield District. The town of Blythewood later "seceded" to Richland County.

Early settlers in this area were predominantly Scotch-Irish, with an intermingling of French Huguenots, German, Swiss and Welch. The first settler in what is now Fairfield is thought to have been a Yorkshireman by the name of Thomas Nightingale, who established a cow pen in 1740 near the place where the county seat would eventually be located.

The Lyles brothers, John and Ephraim, were also early

settlers, arriving here about 1745, and locating near the Broad River in the western section. Aromanus Lyles, son of Ephraim, was born around 1748, and may have been the first white child born in the county. (See Lyles family history).

Winnsboro, or Winnsborough, was chartered in 1785. The petition was signed by Richard and John Winn and John Vanderhorst. Today, it is the county seat. Fairfield's other municipality, Ridgeway, was first known as New Lands, and its early inhabitants included the Palmer, Thomas and Coleman families, descendants of whom still reside in the Ridgeway area.

This book is in no way meant to be a comprehensive history of the county; but rather a record of the histories of many of its inhabitants. We are grateful to those who have assisted in any way in the preparation of the "Fairfield Family Histories," and it is our earnest desire that others might be inspired to research their families' histories. The novice genealogist will find much information at hand, in the Fairfield County Library, the Fairfield County Museum, Fairfield County Courthouse, and the South Carolina Archives.

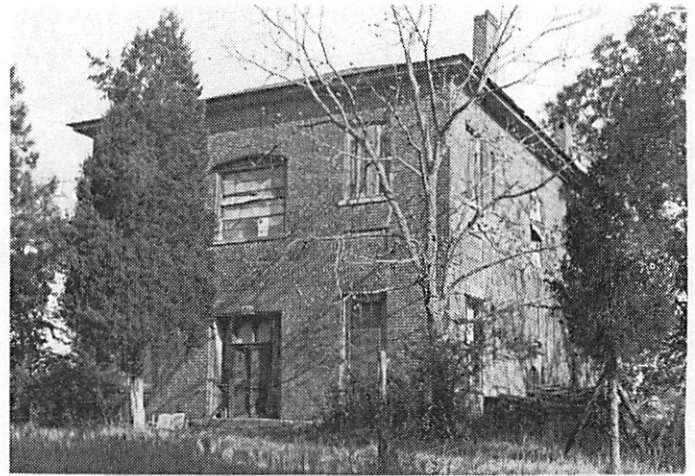
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Congress Street, Winnsboro



McCreight House, 1774



**Furman Institute, 1838
(Forerunner of Furman University)**



**Fairfield County Courthouse, 1823
(Robert Mills Building)**



The Century House, Ridgeway



Fairfield Country Club, 1861



Fairfield County Museum, 1830s

Mount Zion Campus

By the year 1777, Winnsborough was settled enough for its residents to turn their energies towards education. There may have been a small log cabin school before the Revolution, but by 1777, the need for formal schooling had become urgent. There were no state supported schools, so an educational society, the Mount Zion Society, was formed.

Charter members of the Mount Zion Society were John Winn, Robert Ellison, Thomas Woodward, Richard and William Strother, Joseph Kirkland, John Milling and John Kennedy of Fairfield County, and Thomas Taylor of Richland, and Francis Adams, Robert Buchanan and David Milling of Charleston. The group received its charter on February 13, 1777. The Mount Zion Society is still active today.

Some classes were apparently held in 1779 and 1780; but operation halted during Lord Cornwallis' occupation of the town in 1780-81. During the summer of 1783, steps were taken to commence the construction of a permanent college building. Located on the campus at the time were

a temporary college, boarding house and a few other buildings. The college was attended by students from throughout South Carolina and from adjoining states.

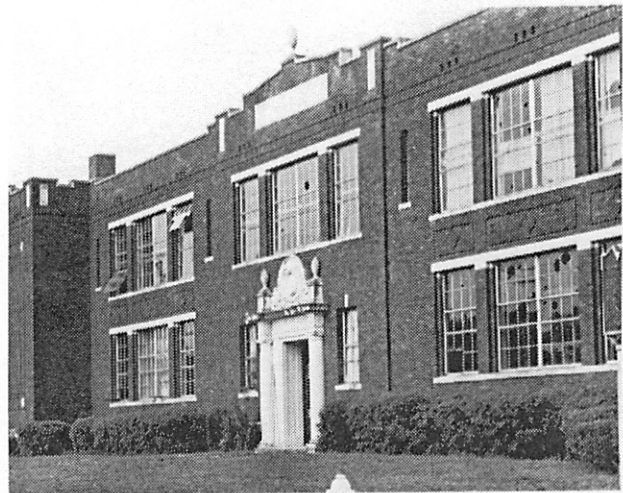
The foundation stone for the new building was laid on May 13, 1789, and the building was completed on June 26, 1792. Until the time of the Civil War, Mount Zion, as it was spelled then, was closely connected with the Presbyterian Church, denomination of the Scotch-Irish who predominated the area's population.

Sherman's troops laid the college to waste in their infamous march and the fine library collection was burned.

In 1878, a public graded school was established on the campus; in 1885, the town issued \$7,500 in bonds to provide additional buildings.

There have been a number of buildings erected on the site. Several were destroyed by fire. The latest building to succumb to fire was the 1922 building which housed Mount Zion Institute, a high school.

Presently, sixth and seventh grades occupy the remaining school building, which was completed in 1936.



Mount Zion Institute

Mount Zion Institute on the historic Mount Zion Campus in Winnsboro served as a high school until it was replaced by Winnsboro High School. Later the building

housed county offices, and even later, the Pine Tree Players' theatre. In September of 1981, the building was destroyed by fire. (Photo by Faye Johnson)

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The Town Clock Building

Town Clocks played an important role in the life of early American towns. The tolling bell pealed messages understood by the villagers. The curfew to clear the streets, the arrival of supplies and news, fire alarms, and SOS calls in times of disaster. The Town Clock was the public outcry, the nerve center, the symbol of established security.

Winnsboro's Market House with its clock tower was built in 1833-34 on a small piece of land in the middle of Washington Street, formerly used as a duck pond. The land was donated to the town as site for a new market house. The town council accepted the land and petitioned the Legislature for authority to erect a new market house and town clock. The authority was given "provided the building be no more than 30 feet in width."

Works for the new clock were ordered by Colonel William McCreight, town intendent, from Alsace, France. They were imported to Charleston by sailboat and hauled to Winnsboro in wagons. Some say it took 50 wagons and three weeks to make the trip to Charleston and back. The town clock bell was also ordered from France and had a very silvery tone. The bell was cracked in 1895 and was sent to Philadelphia for repairs and lost its silvery tone as reported by the old timers. The clock tower was repaired in 1875 and the present tower was erected. Carpentry was done by John Smart, a black Winnsboro carpenter. In spite of the cracked bell and repairs to the tower, the old clock has run continuously for over 100 years, the longest continuously running town clock in the United States.

The Market House was built to specifications in width with one large room on the ground floor with two small rooms, one on each side of front entrance, and used as Guard Houses where breakers of the peace were restrained.

The public market occupied the long room on the ground floor and had a bell of its own which was rung vigorously. The sound echoed over the hills with a message to come to the market house for fresh meat. Tradition has it that there were beaten paths from every direction made by dogs tht knew the sound of the bell and that it meant morsels of fresh meat for them as well as their masters.

The clock had heavy iron weights and was wound by a windlass with large wire cables. The pendulum is said to be copper, however, it has the appearance of iron. The clock was wired to run electrically several years ago as no one wanted the chore of climbing the steps to the tower to wind it.

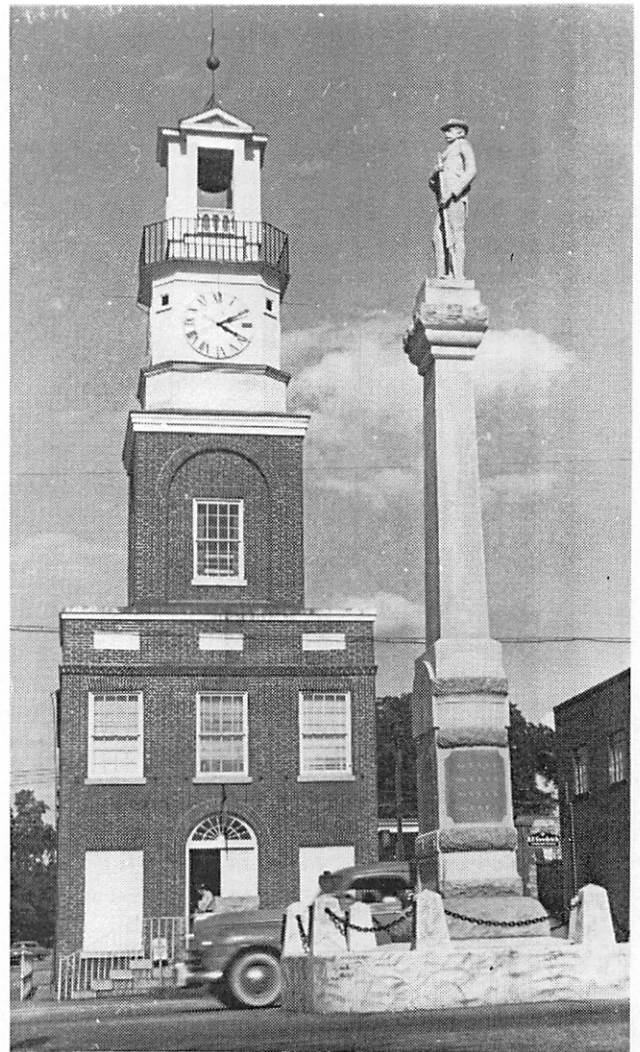
The walls of the building are 8, 12 and 18 inches thick and in the tower 18 and 24 inches in width. The molding around the top of the rooms is part of the original plastered walls. There are 12 windows on the main floor

with 12 over 12 panes, and the original mantle still adorns the fireplace. Christian doors are used and the lower floor has double half-doors with large circular panels of glass above them. The front entrance door also has the fan shaped panel of glass overhead as seen in many of the old homes in Fairfield County.

Note the S-shaped irons on each side near the top of the ground floor. These iron braces or brackets hold the heavy earthquake rod that you can see from the inside.

The steps and landing of the building is of granite quarried in Fairfield County.

(Sketch of Town Clock on front of book by William Wilson Taylor.)



Town Clock with Confederate Monument
(Photo by Kathleen L. Sloan)

1910 Memorial Edition to Confederate Veterans

By Kathleen Lewis Sloan

The Winnsboro newspaper on May 25, 1910, published an elaborate Memorial Edition devoted principally to the county's Confederate veterans, with emphasis on those still living.

J. Frank Fooshe, editor and proprietor, editorialized his regret that he had been unable to publish the edition on Confederate Memorial day as he had planned. He also expressed his appreciation to the John Bratton Chapter of the UDC for delaying its annual memorial services to coincide with the Memorial edition.

Mr. Fooshe had mailed blanks to every veteran whose name could be located, including those on pension rolls, those who had been decorated with crosses, and those supplied by friends and relatives. Some information, he said, came from veterans out of state.

Some of the living veterans, with their birthplaces, that were listed in the Memorial Edition were: John Abbott, Ridgeway; James M. Blair, Blackstock; LeRoy D. Black, Chester County; R.D. Bolick, near Lebanon Church; Chesley G. Boulware, Crosbyville; John R. Boyd, Rion; W. Watt Brice, near Winnsboro; Thomas Scott Brice, New Hope; Jesse R. Bryce, near Winnsboro; Samuel W. Broom; William E. Braziel, Ridgeway; James Edward Craig, Ridgeway; Thomas Franklin Curlee, Rion; George W. Coleman, Feasterville.

Also, John Hampton Cooper, Ridgeway; Joseph W. Clarke, Union; Charles Mason Chandler, Columbia; Isaac Smith Chappell, near Winnsboro; W.W. Crosby, —; Richard C. Dove, —; Henry Kendree Dellinger, Gaston County, N.C.; Alexander Scott Douglas, Fairfield Dist., between forks of Little River; Marion A. Dickerson; Thomas Edward Dye, Chester County; J.M. Ederington, near Strother; W.B. Estes, Chester County; John Fee, — Lee Bond Fee, Chester County; Jacob Freeman, Richland County.

Also, Joseph Freshley Free, —; John Long Fort, Rocky Mount; James Wesley Freeman, Richland County; Warren Harvey Flenniken, Chester County; David L. Glenn, Jenkinsville; James Bunyan Gladney, —; Joel A. Hagood, —; James P. Harvey, —; Louis Jefferson Hagood, near Winnsboro; Arthur Hays, Kershaw District.

Also, Elder Henning Heins, Germany; James Durham Hornsby, Fairfield County; P.M.B. Holley, Chester District; James Hudson, Chester County; James Jones,

Madison County, Ky., William Phillips Jones, Newberry County; William Glover Jordan, Winnsboro; Walter James Keller, near Henderson's Ferry, Newberry County; W.W. Ketchin, Lancaster; W.J. Lathan, near Blackstock; James A. Kennedy, near Ridgeway; George Yarborough Langford, Lexington County; Troy Theodore Lumpkin, Mitford section; James Thomas Lemmon, ten miles from Winnsboro.

Also, James Carroll Lewis, Chester County; John Quarles Lewis, Chester County; James I. Long, Monticello; Belton E. Lyles, near Blair; John Woodward Lyles, Broad River; Robert L. Martin, Monticello; Hayne McMeekin, Union Dist.; Matthew Harkness McGrady, Fairfield County; James Madison McDonald, near Blackstock; Joseph Thompson McDowell, Wateree Section; Samuel McCormick, Chester County; Levi H. Melton, Centerville; John H. Neil, —; Frances Alexander Neil, —; John Jackson Neil, seven miles east of Winnsboro; Joseph Willis Nevitt, near Lyles Ford; John F. Paul, Jackson Creek; Edward Fayssoux Pagan, Chester; William Thomas Pettigrew, Fairfield County.

Also, Archie M. Park, five miles w. of Winnsboro; William Clarence Rabb, near Winnsboro; Thomas Cason Raines, eight miles e. of Winnsboro; James M. Raines, Alabama; William Donald Richardson, near Nelson; James W. Rowe, near Winnsboro; Dixon Hawley Robertson, Cedar Creek; W.S. Robinson, Ridgeway; John Thomas Robinson, Fairfield County; John Alexander Stewart, six miles north of Winnsboro; W.E. Riley, Edgefield Dist.; D. Gunning Smith, near Winnsboro; Thomas Riley Sterling, Woodward; T.G. Yarborough, Fairfield County.

Also, others: Robert Proctor, Marlboro County; Robert Stevenson, Avon; Henry Jeffares, Shelton; Daniel Young Morgan, —; James Dickinson Hogan, Kershaw County; Thomas Woodward Traylor, Strother; Christopher Leitner, —; M.C. Harrison, —; Thomas Yarborough, —; Capt. H.A. Gaillard, —; W.J. Martin, —; R.E. Massey, —; J.W. McCreight, —; J.C. Caldwell, —; Jno. D. Harrison, —; Wiley Team, Kershaw County; John D. Leitner, —.

The special edition also contained the complete rolls of the Sixth Regiment of South Carolina Volunteers, Col. James H. Rion, commander; and the death list of Company G., Sixth S.C. Infantry.

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James Carroll Lewis, above, and his brother John Quarles Lewis, served in the Civil War. James Lewis enlisted at Camp Lee April 28, 1862, and was paroled May 1, 1865, at Greensboro, N.C. He served in the 7th Florida Infantry, Co. D., Alachua Rebels, and fought with the Western Army and in the Battle of Atlanta.

The Legend of the Cotton Gin

Captain James Kincaid at one time was commander of a sailing vessel in the Caribbean. He brought back many unusual plants for his gardens and was said to be the first one to cultivate the tomato in this section.

Captain Kincaid had seen in the Caribbean the natives taking the coir off coconuts by an engine with saw teeth revolving between the wooden slats which kept the nuts from being injured. Captain Kincaid and another neighbor, William Watt, who kept a large number of sheep, tried to apply this idea of revolving saws between slats to pull the cockleburs from the wool. But it did not work. The wool became too tightly tangled in the many teeth. The cockleburs were too near the middle of the strand of wool rather than at the end.

Employed at that time on the Kincaid place was Hudgen Holmes of Bamberg and also, it is said that he employed Eli Whitney but soon discharged him. Holmes, with the aid of Kincaid, had been working on a machine; conceived the idea of applying the principle to pulling lint from the cotton seed, the cotton seed being at the end of the rivers. He made several sets of saws, with finer and finer teeth-points, sharper and sharper, more and

more curved, and teeth less thin and finally he had something-the idea upon which he got a caveat on March 14, 1776.

When Holmes made his invention there was no Patent Office in the United States. Prior to 1776 letters of patents to South Carolina would be issued from the British Registry.

Between 1776-1790 when the U.S. Patent Office was established the procedure was to submit drawings and specifications to the office-and if passed a five-year caveat would be issued. James Kincaid got such a caveat in the name of Hudgen Holmes (or Henry Ogden Holmes) on the 14th of March 1779. It was signed by George Washington and had a seal of the U.S. This was in the Exhibit of the Cotton States Exposition at New Orleans in 1881. Then it was in the Public Library in Charleston for many years but disappeared. Some years back people said they had seen it there.

When a definite patent for fifteen years was asked for before the caveat had expired it was found that Eli Whitney had identical plans and was given a patent March 14, 1794, the day Holmes' caveat expired!

Eli Whitney, from Connecticut and a graduate of Yale but not a mechanical genius, came to South Carolina seeking a job as a teacher. He was traveling to Savannah and found himself in the company of a wealthy widow, who invited him to her plantation. There he heard the neighboring planters express their longing for some mechanical device that would separate the cotton lint from the seed.

Whitney went to the Kincaid home while Captain Kincaid and Holmes were in Charleston in regard to the gin. Whitney took a key to Mrs. Kincaid and told her that Captain Kincaid had evidently given him the wrong key to the shop. Whitney disappeared, taking with him the drawings and patterns of Holmes' gin. Hurrying to Washington and back to New Haven with the aid of the wealthy widow, they claimed him as the inventor of the cotton gin.

When Holmes completed the gin it was first operated at the foot of the Kincaid gardens by water on Mill Creek. At that time this was a deep creek and cotton was shipped down it to Charleston. But Holmes never got credit for his invention. James Kincaid was marketing cotton for the English market. The difference between the upper and lower country planters was a necessity to work through two firms of factors-one in Columbia to receive the cotton and one in Charleston to handle the ultimate sale.

This is the way I know it from writings on the subject and the newspapers. True or false it remains to be seen, but it does give interest and romance to our county, Doesn't it?

Eugenia Kincaid McMaster, daughter of Eugenia Anderson and George Buchanan McMaster, great-great-great granddaughter of James Kincaid.

Fairfield County, South Carolina

Population 20,700



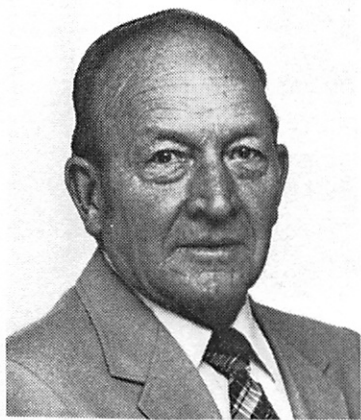
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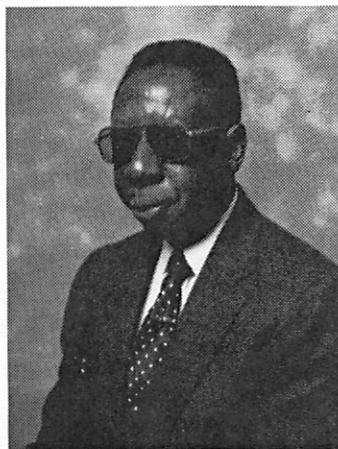
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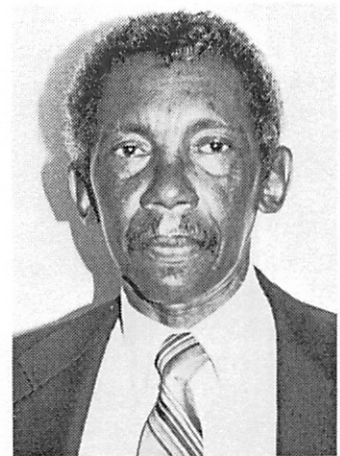
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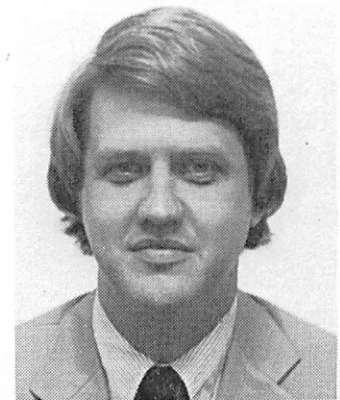
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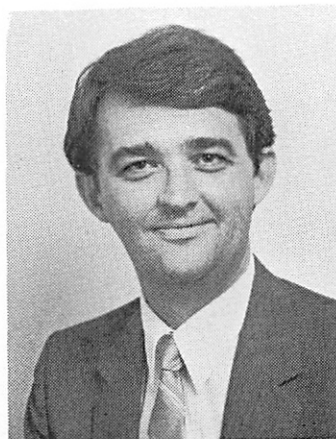
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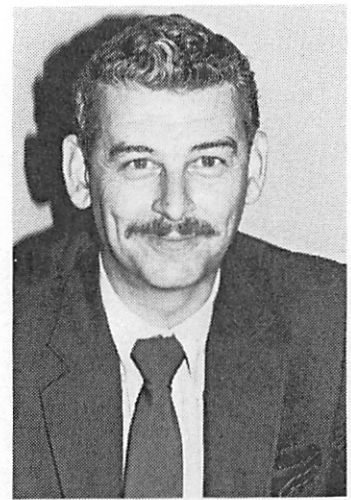
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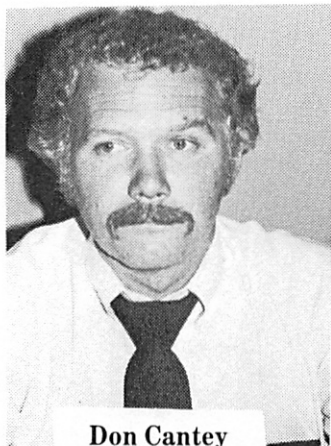
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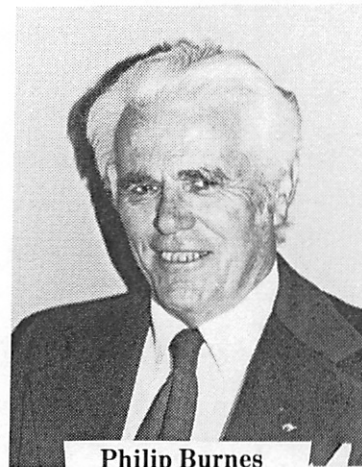
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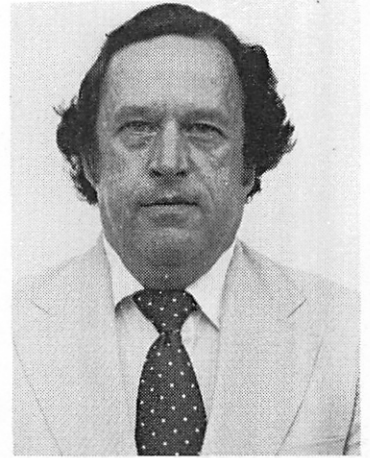
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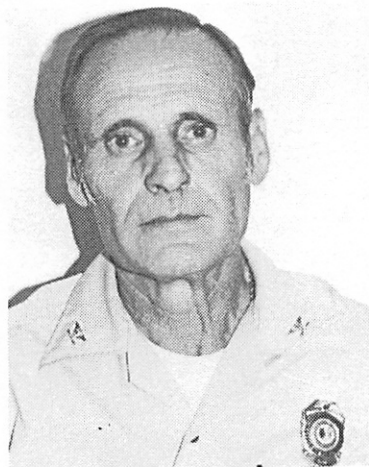
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Claudie Cooper



Police Chief Thomas Leigh



William Edward Aiken Family

The family of Dr. William Edward Aiken and his wife, Eloise Woodward Aiken posed for this picture in 1897, on the porch of the Aiken home on W. Washington St., where Sion Presbyterian Church is now located.

Seated, first row, are Thomas Ketchin Elliott, Carrie Aiken Elliott, Eloise Woodward Elliott, and Charles Simonton Douglas (standing). On the 2nd row are: Dr. David Aiken, Thomas Ketchin Elliott, Jr., Carrie

Aiken Elliott (Mrs. T.K.), William Aiken Elliott, Mary Ellen (Nell) Elliott, Henry Laurens Elliott, Augusta Aiken Douglas (Mrs. Charles A.) holding infant Margaret Boyce Douglas, Charles Finch Elliott.

On the 3rd row are: Charles Alexander Douglas holding Alexander Talley Douglas, Annie Eloise Aiken, Patsie Woodward Aiken (Mrs. W.E.) with fan. Top row: Mary Ellen Aiken, Dr. William Edward Aiken.

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The Aiken Family

James Aiken (1733-Jan. 6, 1798) was a native of County Antrim, Northern Ireland. His wife was Elizabeth Reid (1743-Oct. 16, 1803). They came to the Little River section of Fairfield County around 1788. Their son, William, had settled in Charleston, around 1787, where he became a successful merchant and later president of the South Carolina Railroad Company which produced the first successful American-built locomotive, "Best Friend of Charleston", in 1830. The city and county of Aiken are named for him. His son, William Jr., was elected governor of South Carolina in 1844.

The children of James and Elizabeth Reid Aiken were: (1) Mary (1770-1852), married Edward Martin, a captain in the Revolutionary War; (2) James (1773-1804); (3) John (d. 1835) married Betsey ; (4) Hugh married Ester Wilson; (5) Margaret (1777-1847), married David Martin, a soldier in the Revolution; (6) William (1779-1831) married Henrietta Wyatt; (7) Elizabeth married a Boyd; (8) David (1786-1860) married Nancy Kerr.

The youngest child, David, worked in Charleston with his brother William for several years and in 1805 opened a store in Winnsboro. He became a prosperous planter and merchant. He married Nancy Kerr of Yorkville, who was also a County Antrim native.

The children of David (1786-1860) and Nancy Kerr Aiken (1794-1859) were: (1) James Reid (1812-1877) married Eliza Jane Cloud; (2) Elizabeth Rachel (1815-1887) married Osmund M. Woodward; (3) Joseph Daniel (1817-1884) married Ellen D. Martin, (4) Caroline Margaret (1820-1878); (5) Colonel Hugh Kerr (1822-1865), killed in the War between the States, married Mary Gayle; (6) Dr. William Edward (1826-1910) married Patsie Eloise Woodward; (7) Colonel David Wyatt (1828-1887), member of U.S. Congress married (1) Martha Gaillard and (2) Virginia Carolina Smith; (8) Isaac Means (1830-1907) married Fannie M. Bryan; (9) Augustus Milton (1834-1907) married Emma Eliza Smith.

Dr. William Edward Aiken studied medicine in Charleston, Baltimore and at the University of Paris. He was a physician, pharmacist and planter and also served as Winnsboro's intendant (mayor). He married Patsie Eloise Woodward, daughter of Colonel John Jefferson and Rebecca Mary Pearson Woodward.

Children of Dr. William Edward and Patsie Eloise Woodward Aiken were: (1) Edward, M.D., (1854-1885); (2) John (1857-1884); (3) Mary Ellen (1859-1940); (4) Carrie (1861-1936) married Thomas Ketchin Elliott, banker of Winnsboro; (5) William E. Jr. (1863-1865); (6) Augusta (1865-1933) married Charles A. Douglas, a Washington attorney; (7) David (1868-1949) a dentist in Winnsboro; (8) Annie Eloise (1874-1959) married John Franklin Davis, planter and merchant of Winnsboro.

Children and grandchildren of Carrie Aiken (1861-1936) and Thomas Ketchin Elliott (1855-1930): (1) Carrie Aiken Elliott; (2) Eloise Woodward (Pat) Elliott married Fayssoux Stevens Du Pre' of Spartanburg, their children are: (a) Carrie Aiken, married James Anderson Berry of Union, (b) Helen Stevens married Carl Moore of Greenville, (c) Fayssoux Stevens, Jr.; (3) Thomas Ketchin Elliott, Jr., married Cornelia Ligon McGary, their daughter is Cornelia who married Dr. Edgar Wayburn of San Francisco; (4) Charles Finch Elliott married Katherine Flenniken, children are: (a) Thomas Ketchin III, (b) Carolyn Ansley married Melvon Beesinger of Connecticut, (c) Margaret married Herbert Sherman of Connecticut, (d) Katherine married Leonard Smith of Raleigh, N.C.; (5) William Aiken Elliott married Barbara Graf of Washington; (6) Mary Ellen (Nell Elliott married Kitt Rion McMaster of Winnsboro, their children are: (a) Nelle Elliott married William Thomas Sprott, (b) Kitt Rion, Jr. married Frances Simpson of Clinton, (c) Jane Marshall married Donald Roehrs of New Jersey, (d) Caroline Aiken married Dr. William Sloan Lyles, (e) Rachel Donald, Ph.D. married Jerome Kaye, Ph.D. of Rochester, N.Y., (f) Henrietta Laurens married George Livings; (7) Henry Laurens Elliott married Ruth Guice.

Annie Eloise Aiken (1873-1959) married John Franklin Davis (1878-1929), son of Amos Elnathan and Martha Peay Lyles Davis. Their daughter is Patsie Woodward Aiken Davis (b. 1914) who married John Alton McLeod, Jr., of Dillon. Their children are: (1) John Davis McLeod, attorney of Winnsboro, who married Virginia Martin Ingram of Florence. Their children are: (a) Annie Blyth and Amos Davis McLeod; (2) Annie McLean McLeod married Gordon Womble Jenkins of Winston-Salem, N.C. Their child is Sarah Woodward Jenkins.

Arnette Family

John Quirn Arnett (1802-1856) was born in Georgia and moved to Chester County about 1826. He owned and operated a mercantile business near the Fairfield-Chester County line in the Buckhead Community.

His first marriage was to Frances Elam (1802-1835), daughter of Martin and Mary Elam. She was killed by "a strock of lightning" leaving her husband and three children, the oldest son, William, having died in 1831. Their second child, Mary Ann Martha (1829-1848), married Eldredge Land; third child, Sarah Ann Elizabeth (1831) married Henredon Chalk; and William White (1833-1837).

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About 1836 he married Eliza C. Brennen, nee Coleman, (1817-1890), daughter of Robert Fitz and Susan Mobley Feaster Coleman. Their children were: John Feaster born 1837, served in 12th Louisiana Regt. and died 24 May 1862; Berry born 1839, served with the Buckhead Guards in the Confederate War, and later moved to Georgia; Susannah (1842-1876) married Dr. Andrew Cameron and the youngest, Dr. Robert Coleman (1847-1907) married Mary Caroline Evans (1855-1911), daughter of John Winn and Mary Martin Evans.

In 1856 John Q. and family left Fairfield and resided a short time in Goshen, Lincoln County, Ga. where he died. Eliza and her four children returned to their home. Eliza then married Wesley Mayfield, her fourth marriage.

Dr. Robert C. Arnette practised his profession in Fairfield until his death. The only survivors of this family in the county are children of Robert Evans and Sara Hall Arnette.

Christopher Atkinson

Born 21 October 1872, Charlotte CH, VA, died 26 February 1961, Winnsboro, son of Rev. William Robert Atkinson, D.D. (b. 25 April 1841 at Oakton, a rice plantation near Georgetown, d. 3 March 1901, at Williamsport, PA, served in the Signal Service in the Civil War, President, SC College For Women, Columbia, 1890-95) and Lucy Morton Hannah (b. 30 Nov. 1849 at Gravel Hill, near Charlotte CH, the plantation of her father, George C. Hannah, d. 20 Dec. 1890, Columbia, m. 1 Feb. 1872). Served in the Navy during the Spanish-American War, owner of Columbia Supply, owned the Lace House in Columbia.

Married twice, first to Eleanora de Norval DeTreville (b. 25 June 1878, Summerville, SC, d. 24 Oct. 1911, Columbia, m. 3 Oct. 1900, dau. of Louis DeTreville and Eleanora De Norvelle Witsell, granddaughter of Richard DeTreville, Lt. Gov. 1854-56, SC Senate 1835-54, signer of the Ord. of Secession, desc. of Capt. John la Boularderie DeTreville, a Revolutionary War officer from Beaufort).

They had four children, Eleanora Norvelle (b. 29 May 1902, d. 12 Sept. 1965, m. 11 Feb. 1926 John Hugh McMaster, Jr., b. 24 Feb. 1902, d. 20 Apr. 1967; children Norvelle, b. 5 Nov. 1926, m. Edward Mabry Cox; Marion, b. 19 Mar. 1929, m. Thomas R. Weigle; Mary Catherine, b. 29 July 1934, m. Charles Wesley Atkinson; Barbara DeTreville, b. 29 July 1934, m. Harry Mims, Jr.; and Lucy Virginia, b. 3 Nov. 1931, d. 24 Dec. 1970, m. Broadus Brock Williams), Lucy Hannah (see James Leroy Robinson), Christopher DeTreville (b. 5 Feb. 1908, d. 31 May 1972, m. 1 July 1943 Lucinda Wood, child, Christopher W., b. 13 April 1945) and Virginia Louise (b. 6 Oct. 1910, m. 30 Mar. 1935 Wilson Hall Townsend, b. 19 Nov. 1910, child, Virginia, b. 13 Aug. 1936, m. Frank Rhett Sanders). Christopher Atkinson's second wife was Katherine Elise Latimer (b. 31 July 1886, d. 4 June 1969, m. 5 Nov. 1913).



Juliana Marijobanks

Banks (Marjoribanks)

John Marjoribanks was born in 1743 in Kincardine Parish, Perthshire. He married Helen Murdoch of Kilmadock Parish (nearby) in late 1769. The first born was Samuel (born Dec. 19, 1770). There were 7 other children born—the last being born in Nov. 1787. It is thought that the father (John) came to America to Chester and York Counties about 1788 (changing his name to Banks). He was a dyer of cloth in Scotland. He built a mill on North Fishing Creek (York Co.). His estate was probated in 1790 in York Co.

In 1794 his son Samuel Marjoribanks came to Charleston looking for his father. He found his father was dead. But Samuel met and married Elizabeth Robinson (see article on Alex. Robinson who died 1796) Nov. 6, 1797. They went to Charleston intending to return to Scotland, but Elizabeth did not like the looks of the ocean so they stayed in Fairfield County. Samuel changed his name to Banks also. Elizabeth died July 23, 1846 and Samuel died Jan. 16, 1851. They are buried at Concord Presby. Church, Woodward. They had 11 children: John (born 1798, married Esther McCreight), Margaret (born 1800, married Henry Moore), Helen (born 1802, married Archibald Robinson), Juliana (born 1804, married Col. Joseph Ragsdale Coleman); Jane (born 1806, married Robert Thompson); Rev. Alexander Robinson (born 1808, married Elizabeth Pratt); Henry Moore (born

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1810 married Rebecca Grier), Samuel Jr. (born 1812, married Dorcas Weir); Rev. Wm. (born 1814, married Mary Elvira Harrington), Mary Elizabeth (born and died 1816), and Elizabeth (born 1818, married David Weir).

Rev. Wm. Banks was pastor of Catholic Presbyterian from 1841-1869. Rev. Alexander R. Banks went as a missionary to Arkansas in 1836. Samuel Jr. (born 1812) and Elizabeth (born 1818) and their spouses are buried at Beaver Creek Bapt. and Juliana (born 1804) and her spouse are buried at Fellowship Bapt.--both in northern Fairfield County. The rest of the family seems to have remained Presbyterian.

Elizabeth (born 1818) had a daughter Nancy Weir, who married Richard Calvin Dove. Nancy and Richard Dove had 6 children: Wm. Banks Dove (b. 1869), David R. Dove, Charles, Bessie, Fitzhugh H., & John L. Dove.

Wm. Banks Dove was Secretary of State of SC ca. 1916-1920 and corresponded with our Banks relatives in Scotland at that time. His brother, David R. Dove had Sophronia, D.R. Jr., and Eloise Dove. Eloise married Gene Hinrichs. They live in southern Fairfield County. They have two children E. Craig and Michael. Craig married Charlotte Bonto and they have 3 children. He preaches for the Church of Christ in Winnsboro.

James W. Green, III

John L. Barber

In 1791, John L. Barber and his wife Sarah Carmichael moved to the Fairfield District from Chester, South Carolina, where they had lived for about one year. Their home was about six miles east of Winnsboro. John was born in Glenwherry, County Antrim, Ireland. They had seven children: John Jr., Mary, Nathaniel Carmichael, Sarah Elizabeth, James Alexander, Jane and William Thomas. In 1839 John and all his children except John and Mary moved to Chambers County, Alabama, where he died 3rd July 1848.

At that time John, Jr. and his wife Ruth lived in Washington County, Alabama. Daughter Mary was deceased. Her living children were Nathaniel Barber Hall who married Nancy Boulware, Mansel Hall and Sarah L. Hall wife of James T. Perkins. Mary had three granddaughters: Sarah, Mary and Eugenia Knighton, children of her deceased daughter, Louisa M. Hall Knighton.

Nathaniel Carmichael Barber, born May 1800, died May 1875, married Elizabeth Hardin Walker, lived in Chambers County Alabama, had ten children.

Sarah Elizabeth Barber, born 1802, died 1887, married John Welsh, lived in Chambers County Alabama, had three children.

James Alexander Barber, born 1805, died 1884, married Matilda Jane Crawford lived in Chambers Coun-

ty Alabama, had nine children.

Jane Barber died 1869. No other information.

William Thomas Barber born 1809, died 1884, married Sarah Jane Bradley. Moved to Cass County, Texas in 1854. Five children.

Submitted by Ellissue Barber Morris, 10318 Crittendon, Dallas, Texas 75229 (a great-granddaughter of William Thomas Barber.)

Thomas Basil Barrineau, Junior

Thomas Basil Barrineau, Junior, (b. August 7, 1939, Florence, S.C.) married Valeria Elizabeth Blair (b. December 5, 1942, Newberry, S.C.) on July 27, 1963, at Salem Presbyterian Church in Blair. Tom Barrineau is the son of the late Thomas Basil Barrineau of Andrews, South Carolina, and the late Rhoda Shuford Barrineau of Georgetown, South Carolina. Betty Barrineau is the daughter of the late Ray McGill Blair and the late Catherine Parrott Blair of Blair.

The Barrineaus moved to Fairfield County in 1966 when Tom entered the practice of law with Senator John Martin. In 1969 he was elected Fairfield County Probate Judge and continued a private practice of law. He held the position of Probate Judge until 1980 when he was elected as a Family Court Judge of the Sixth Judicial Circuit.

The Barrineaus have three children. They are Elizabeth Blair Barrineau, born on June 28, 1966, in Orangeburg, South Carolina; Thomas Basil Barrineau, III, born on September 13, 1968, in Winnsboro; and Ray Blair Barrineau, born on March 7, 1972, in Winnsboro.

The family are members of the First United Methodist Church of Winnsboro.

Blair Family

Thomas Blair and his wife, Margaret Hussey, with four of their children, were the first Blairs to settle in Fairfield County. They came around 1800 and settled in western Fairfield County near Dawkins, where they lived for several years. Then they moved to a new home about seven miles north of them. This home became known as the "Old Blair Home" (Fair View). The couple's four children-Margaret, Martha, Nancy, and William- continued to live with them at Fair View.

Their oldest child, Eleanor, was married and lived out of state. The four children living with Thomas and Margaret married persons living in Fairfield. Margaret married James McCormick; Nancy married William McConnell. She died at an early age, and her husband married her sister, Martha. William, the only son,

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married three times. His first wife was Sarah McConnell, who died at the age of forty-two. There were six children from this marriage-Margaret, Mary, Thomas, William, Andrew, and Nancy Elizabeth. Following Sarah's death, William married Elizabeth McGill from Monticello. William and Elizabeth had two children-John Davis and Sarah Jane. Elizabeth died at the early age of forty. Her sister, Nancy McGill, became William's third wife. She and William had four children-Robert Butler, James Edward, Lawrence McGill, and Hattie Elinor.

The Blairs are Presbyterian and of Scotch-Irish descent. Thomas Blair helped to organize Salem Presbyterian Church, founded in 1812. He was one of the first elders in the church.

Submitted by Hallie Frances Blair

Blair Family

The children of William Blair and his three wives, Sarah McConnell, Elizabeth McGill, and Nancy Jane McGill, lived successfully and happily in the State of South Carolina. Only one child died young, Robert Butler, who died at the age of four years. His mother was Nancy Jane McGill.

Some of William's grandchildren went to Buffalo, Texas, to live. Sallie (Sarah), with her husband, Jim McGill, went to Buffalo and had several children born while living there. Some of William's great-great-grandchildren are now living not only in Texas, but in North Carolina, South Carolina, and Georgia.

There are descendants of William and his wives living in Fairfield County today. They are Frazier T. Blair; William S. Blair, Sr.; Andrew F. Blair; Hallie F. Blair; Jessie Blair Baldwin; Marion Frazier and wife, Grace Blair Frazier; Patsy Blair Ligon; Nancy Blair Hendrix; Edward C. Blair, Jr.; Elizabeth Smith Mann; Hugh Mann, Jr.; Betty Blair Barrineau; Sadie Smith Rabb; William Rabb, Jr.; Alex Blair Rabb; Virginia Ragsdale Stevenson; Elinor Ragsdale Wylie, George Blair Parker; Dorothy Ann Parker; Margaret Parker; Jean Martin Ramsey; and Milo Martin.

Bolick Family

The Bolick family of Fairfield County traces its ancestry to Johan Adam Bolch who reached Philadelphia on the ship "Neptune" on September 24, 1753. Leaving Europe with Johan was his wife Anna Cristina () and a son, Jacob. A second son was born while crossing the ocean. Five more children were added to this family after their arrival in America.

It is not known when Johan and his family left Pennsylvania, nor how long it took them to reach their destination, but it is believed that they settled in North Carolina, around what is now Conover, in 1760. He received a State's grant of land in Lincoln County, N.C. on 20 September 1770, and a second one on October 20, 1782. On July 21, 1774 he purchased additional land which had been held under Royal Grant.

Johan Adam Bolch was shoemaker by trade and a man of much property and very strict religious habits. The Bolick connection of Fairfield County comes through their fifth son, Godfrey, and his wife Catherine Traffested, namely:

Daniel Bolick Jr. who married Janette "Jane" (Weir) Stevenson, daughter of James and Elinor McLurkin (Weir) Stevenson.

Cephas Bolick who married Jennie Stevenson, daughter of William and Jane (Thompson) Stevenson.

Levi Bolick who married Martha Clark.

Melinda Bolick who married Elijah Killian.

The descendants of Johan Adam Bolch spelled their surname in various ways, the most common being Bolch, Balch, Bolich, and Bolick.

Boulware Family

One of the original Boulware family emigrants in Virginia was Thomas Boulware, who was living in Yorktown as early as 1653 and who later moved to Rapahannock River to a place that still bears the name "Boulware Wharf."

The line of Boulware descent passed through Muscoe Boulware and his wife Nancy Pickett, who moved to Flint Hill Ridge, Fairfield County, S.C., after the Revolution. Among their descendants in Fairfield County were Muscoe Boulware II, III, and IV, Musco Pickett, Muscoe Robertson, Musco Raines, Muscoe Higgins, et al.

Mary Hill McM. Boulware

Mary Hill McMaster Boulware is the line we follow in Winnsboro. She was almost 20 years younger than her husband, Benjamin Franklin Boulware. When she was about 35, Benjamin died, leaving her with nine children to raise. The youngest, twins, were a year old. Three of her sons she buried in their early 20's. All of the nine she managed to give some if not a full college education. Marcus Butler was career military, attaining the rank of full colonel when captured by the Japanese at the onset of World War II, in the Philippines. He died in 1945 in a P.O.W. Camp. One of the twins, John Hugh, became a doctor of medicine, the other Rich Hugh, became a

druggist. All three served in the Army in World War I. This woman saw five of her children and one grandson buried before her own death in 1944.

Muscoe Boulware

Muscoe Boulware I, 1758-1825, married Nancy Pickett, 1762-1836. Their children were:

1. Thomas, married Martha Pickett, nine sons and three daughters.
2. Benjamin, married Sara Barber Richmond, three sons and three daughters.
3. Muscoe II, married Elizabeth McCullough, one son and one daughter.
4. Reuben, died single.
5. William, M.D.
6. Elizabeth, married John Pickett, two sons and two daughters.
7. Sarah, married John Pickett, two sons and two daughters.
8. Nancy, married Jephtha Pickett.
9. Katherine, married William B. Raines.
10. Margaret, never married.
11. Eliza Ann, married John Barber, John J. Neil and John McCulley.

Benjamin Boulware

Benjamin Boulware, b. 1793, d. 9-14-1860, married Sarah Richmond, b. 1812, d. 1858. He is buried in Boulware Walls; she in Mt. Olivet Church cemetery. He was a plantation owner.

Their children were Muscoe W., b. 1832, married Mary Pickett, eight children; Nancy IV, married Dr. Nathan B Hall; Georgia, five children; James Richmond, b. 1835, married Eliza Milling 11-13-1867; Eliza, b. 1837, d. 1914, married Col. William Stokes; Sarah, b. 1849, d. 1915, married Richard Nott McMaster; Benjamin F., b. 1844, d. 1897, married Mary Hill McMaster.

Benjamin F. Boulware

Benjamin Frank Boulware married Mary Hill McMaster. They had nine children:

Benjamin Boulware, b. 4-16-1879, d. 1904, never married; Frank Stokes, b. 12-1-1880, d. 1910, never married; Hattie McMaster, married Woodard Durham, four children; Riley Hall, b. 12-20-1884, d. 2-8-1910, never married; Marcus Butler Boulware, married Virginia Wright, three daughters; Sara Boulware, married Jasper Gettys, seven children; Mary Alice Boulware, married Palmer Aiken Matthews, four sons; John Hugh Boulware (twin) married Lucy Gaston McDonald, three daughters; Rich Hugh Boulware (twin) married Edith Seabrook, three sons.

Mary Alice B. Matthews

Mary Alice Boulware, b. 1890, d. 1871, married Palmer Aiken Matthews, b. 1888, d. 1952. He was postmaster in Winnsboro. Their children:

1. John Palmer Matthews, retired postal clerk, married Eloise Ruff Cork; parents of: a. Travis Eloise Matthews, school teacher, married Edward Weldon, school teacher (two children: Kenneth A. and Palmer Matthews Weldon). b. John Palmer Matthews, Jr., salesman, married Terry Branch (one daughter, Harriett Collins Matthews).

2. Frank Boulware Matthews, retired merchant, married Sarah Wood Wise, retired school teacher, parents of: a. Frank Boulware, Jr., school principal, married Nell Dillard, school teacher (one daughter, Laura Dillard Matthews). b. Sarah Wise (Sally) Matthews, school teacher, married Lamar Maxey, railroad engineer (one daughter, Gena Wood Maxey).

3. Robert Elliott Matthews, druggist, (d. Oct. 1979) married Carolyn McCutcheon, four children: a. Mary Margaret Matthews m. William DeCalb Televast, florist (W. DeCalb, Jr., and Robert Elliott Televast); b. Robert Elliott Matthews, Jr., single; c. Manton McCutchen Matthews, Ph.D., married Catherine Taylor (Manton McCutcheon, Jr., John Taylor Matthews); d. Marcus Boulware Matthews, single.

4. Henry Elliott Matthews II, major, U.S.A.F. ret., b. Aug. 25, 1920, d. July 8, 1980, married Mary Elizabeth Miller, watchmaker and jeweler. Their children are: a. Leslee Ann Matthews married Thomas L. Blackley, electrical engineer (Thomas L. Blackley, Jr., Todd Alan Blackley and Christopher Scott Blackley); b. Bret Elliott Matthews, pro bowler and recreation manager, Brunswick Corp.

Richard Hugh Boulware

Richard Hugh Boulware, retired druggist, b. 3-16-1896, married Edith Seabrook, and they were the parents of a. Richard Hugh Boulware, Jr., druggist; b. Frank Seabrook Boulware, in real estate; and c. John Hugh Boulware II, M.D. Richard Hugh was the twin of John Hugh Boulware.

John Hugh Boulware

John Hugh Boulware, M.D., married Lucy Gaston McDonald and they had three children: a. Lillie Elliott Boulware, m. Lenard Robinson Jordan, druggist (parents of Lenard Robinson, Jr., attny., married Charlyn Davis, diamond broker; Lucy McDonald Boulware, married John Fuller, theater owner; (parents of Lil Jordan Fuller); and Marion Elliott Jordan, married banker John Kirk C.P.A.

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Mary B. Martin

Mary McMaster Boulware married John Alfred Martin, attorney and state senator. Their children are: a. Lucinda McDonald Martin, legislative assistant, married Glen Hollister Shirley, golf pro (parents of Glen Hollister Shirley, Jr.); b. John Alfred Martin, Jr., curator, Confederate Relic Room; c. Marianne Elliott Martin, dentist, married Walter M. Safritt, attorney (one son, Walter Miller, III); d. DuBose Rivers Martin, research assistant, state government, married Terry Marie Hamiter.

Lucy B. Steele

Lucy Ann Boulware, teacher, married 1st Jas. Marvin Jennings, 2nd Joseph Steele. Her children are: a. Jas. Marvin Jennings, Jr. (deceased); b. Ann McDonald Jennings; c. Marcus Lee Steele; d. Eric A. Steele. Joseph Steele is a member of the Winnsboro Town Council.

Boulware-McMaster

Hugh McMaster married Margaret Killock, their son John McMaster married Rachel Buchanan, their son, Dr. James Riley, married Harriet Mobley, their daughter Mary Hill McMaster married Benjamin Franklin Boulware, their children were: Benjamin Franklin, Frank S., Hattie McMaster, Riley Hall, Sarah Richmond, Mary Alice married Palmer Matthews, Marcus Butler married Virginia Wright, Dr. John Hugh married Lucy McDonald, Richard Hugh married Virginia Seabrook.

The children of Dr. John Hugh and Lucy McDonald Boulware are: Lillie (Mrs. Leonard R.) Jordan, Mary (Mrs. John A.) Martin, and Lucy Ann (Mrs. J.L.) Steele.

Submitted by:
Nelle McM. Sprott

Boyd Family

Robert Boyd and his wife Agnes (1758-1825) purchased land from James Craig on July 24, 1798. It was part of a two-thousand acre tract that was originally granted to Samuel Porcher situated on Morris Creek branch of Little River in Fairfield District, west of Winnsboro.

They were the parents of:

Margaret Boyd (married? Brown).

William Boyd (no record.)

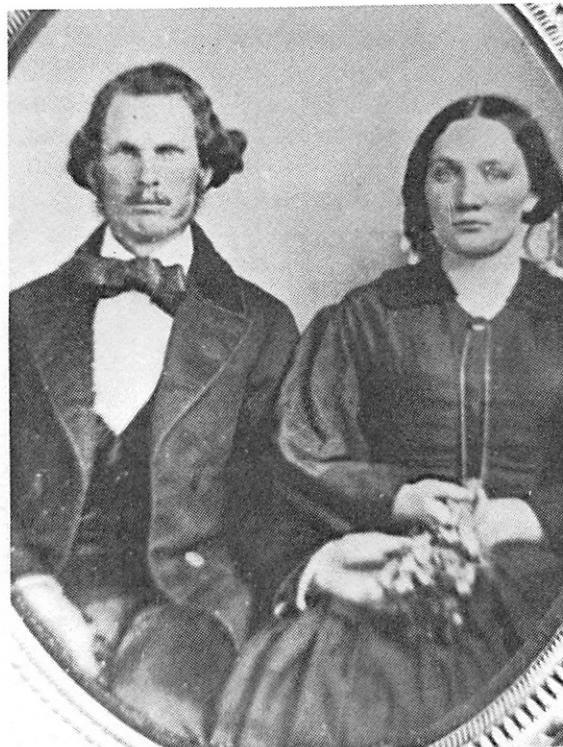
Mary Boyd (b. October 1, 1775), (married James McDill).

Margaret Boyd Brown had one daughter, Margaret, who married David Weir and they moved to Tennessee.

Mary Boyd married James McDill on February 10, 1803.

This line continues under the McDill name.

Broom Family



Dr. Thomas Broom, Cicely Aline Coleman

My grandfather told that two brothers and a cousin came to Fairfield County and that one brother went west. We knew there were two groups in Fairfield County, one on Big Cedar Creek and our group on Little Cedar Creek. He said it was our group whose brother went west.

William Broom (born Feb. 3, 1753) settled on Little Cedar Creek; John (born March 16, 1763) settled on Big Cedar Creek; and Mathew probably went west between 1800 and 1810. These were probably the three of the family tradition.

John Broom (born 1763) who was in the Revolution wrote in his pension application that he was brought into Fairfield County at age 5 (1768) from Wake County, NC. William would have been only 15 and for Mathew we can

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only say he was 3 or older, so it is expected that there was an older Broom. We find one in the first land grant to a Broom in the county. It was in 1772; Charles Broom was granted 150 acres on Little Cedar Creek (and 400 acres in Newberry Co. at the same time). Since families got 100 acres for the head of the family and 50 for each member, Charles must have had 9 in his family besides himself. This is the only record of him.

At the death of William Broom (born 1753) on Sept 5, 1826, he had 2098 acres. He is buried in Fairfield County 3/10 mile south of intersection of US 321 and Road 30, 50 yards west of US 321. His wife was Amy Naomi. He had 8 children: Charles Broom Sr. (born 1784), Elizabeth (who married Wm. Long & Matthew Tho. Wooten, and had Wm. Broom Long), Priscilla (who had Wm. & Eliz. Stanton), Rachel (who had Wm. & Leonary Broom), John (who married Cortney and moved ca. 1831 to Covington Co., Miss.), Mary (who had Jane Mounce), Mathew (who married Nancy Robinson, daughter of Alexander Robinson who died 1820*), and Luke A. Broom (who married Charlotte Arledge).

The eldest son, Charles Broom Sr., lived Dec. 19, 1784-Aug. 7, 1867 marrying Apr. 9, 1806 Dorcas Tobitha Powell (daughter of Caleb Powell Sr.*). They had 9 children: Caleb J. Broom (born Sept. 14, 1808 marrying Sarah Turlah Robinson & moving west), Rebecca (living Jan. 22, 1811-Oct. 26, 1856 marrying Thomas Hobbs who is buried at Greenbrier Meth. Church), Capt. Wm. Preston Broom* (born 1813).

Charles M. Broom Jr. (born May 1, 1816 who was a violinist and after the Civil War, moved to South America with the Confederates and never married), Dorcas (born July 30, 1820), Amy Jane Broom (born 1824 married James Walter Yongue*), Mary Elizabeth Broom (lived Oct. 1826-Oct. 19, 1862 and had Lilly, Henry, Dick, Terry, and Jerry Muse), John Bunyan Broom* (born 1831 married Mary Ann Vaughn), and Dr. Tho. Furman Broom* (born 1834 marrying Cecily Aline Coleman).

John Broom (born 1763) died July 17, 1842. He had 8 children: William Alexander (born 1786), Susanna (who married John Johnston), Mary (who married Wm. Johnston), John Jr. (born Feb. 1, 1799 marrying Margaret Lightner), Dorcas Tobitha (who married Richard Neely), Jane, Ann?, and Victor (who married Lydia Arledge).

John's son, William Alexander Broom (born 1786) married twice. First to Harriet Phillips and had 14 children of which 10 are known, then he married Elizabeth Amelia Hay with whom he had 4 children. This second marriage occurred when Wm. was 66 and Elizabeth was 27. The children of Wm. & Harriet were: Mary (born 1817 marrying Jackson Boyd), Thompson (born Jan. 30, 1827 marrying Mary), Tabitha (born 1829 marrying Richard Neely, Catherine (married Phillip Hay), Jackson Boykin (born Feb. 10, 1837 marrying Harriet Wooten), Wm. McFee (born May 12, 1839 marrying Mary Blair), Susan (marrying a Raban), Sara (marrying a Thompson), Ellen (marrying Jason Raines)

and Rebecca Broom. William Alexander Broom (born 1786) & Elizabeth Hayes then had: Dargan Strother Broom* (born Oct. 25, 1852 marrying Leonora Wooten), Leonora Ann (born 1858 died at age 18 of spinal Meningitis), Durham Alexander (born March 17, 1908 marrying Mary Jane Richardson) and Phillip Cook Broom (born Sept. 21, 1867 marrying Virginia Ann Christmas).

*See separate article.

James W. Green, III
with Bessie Broom Richardson



Charles & Dorcas Tabitha Broom

Dargan Strother Broom

Dargan Strother Broom was born Oct. 25, 1852, in the southern area of Fairfield County, between Little and Big Cedar Creeks, near the sight of the Broom Mills.

Dargan S. Broom married Lenora Wooten 1877. Children of this union were; Wm. Alexandria, married Mary Ida Frick; Dedrick Debell, married Anna Frick; Elizabeth Magnolia, married, Edward Kohn; Cauthran D. married Irene Frick; Lenora Marie, married Warren Powell; Dargan Strother, married Bell Vaughn; Durham Arthur, married Annie Boney; Edward Richardson, married 1st. Ladas Taylor, 2nd. Louise Dent; Boyce Carlyse, married 1st. Ethel Boney 2nd. Lena McKinsey.

Brooms now living in Fairfield County are, Jane Stevens, daughter of Dargan Strother; Palmer Powell and Grace P. Hunt, children of Lenora Marie; Dargan D. and Edith B. Lyles, children of Durham Arthur; Lillie Belle Brown

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granddaughter of Strother.

Dargan Durham Broom married Isabelle Frick Brown.

Edith Broom married Carl G. Lyles, son of James Davis Lyles and Minnie Estelle Castles. Children born of this union are Carlie Ann, married Richard Henry Thomas; James Durham, married Tandy J. Painter; Mary Elizabeth (Bunny) married, Brian Ogburn; and Margaret Estelle, married Alvin Wilkes. Children of Carlie Ann Thomas, grandchildren of Carl G. and Edith B. Lyles, are Laura Ann, Lenoia Dawn, and James Quay Thomas.

Submitted by Edith Lyles

Thos. Furman Broom

Thomas Furman Broom born March 7, 1834, was the youngest child of Charles Broom and Dorcas Powell and was the grandson of William Broom and Caleb Powell, Sr. (see articles on Broom Family & on Caleb Powell).

Family legend says his father (Charles) named him for Richard Furman (founder of Furman Univ.) who was reputed to be a friend of Charles Broom. James Furman (son of Richard) was preaching in the local churches like Crooked Run Bapt. about this time and the school was being moved to Fairfield Co. Charles Broom was a good Baptist, for he named his son (born 1831) John Bunyan. Charles was a delegate to the Bapt. Associational Meetings from Buffalo Bapt. Church from its beginning (183). The family attended Buffalo until they left Fairfield Co. in 1888. Mrs. Charles Broom was also strongly Baptist. Her brother was also a delegate from Buffalo; and her ancestors (it is thought) had to leave England and their property because they were Baptist.

Thomas Furman Broom attended the Medical College at Charleston 2 years; 1854-5 and 1855-6. He wrote his thesis on Typhoid Fever and graduated in 1856.

He married Cecily Aline Coleman Dec. 1, 1857 at her father's house in Chester Co. She lived June 1, 1834-July 11, 1912. She died and is buried in Timmons ville beside her husband. Her parents were Col. Joseph Ragsdale Coleman (who was a son of Wylie Roe Coleman and a grandson of Robert Coleman Jr. both of Fairfield Co.) and Juliana Banks (who was the daughter of Samuel Banks of Scotland & Elizabeth Robinson). (See articles on these.)

In Nov. 1864, he replaced his brother (John Bunyan Broom) in company, Regt. SCV & served until Lee surrendered at Appomattox. As a result of the War, he suffered chronic bronchitis. About a month before he died, he left the farm of about 311 acres (that he had aquired from his brother Charles and inherited from his father) and moved to live with his son, A.J. Broom, in Darlington. He died Feb. 6, 1888, and was buried at the 1st Bapt. Church in Darlington, but when the family moved to Timmons ville, his body was moved there.

He had 7 children: Joseph Allen Broom (called A.J. living Oct. 20, 1859-July 23, 1944 never marrying), Emma Julia Broom (living July 11, 1863-Mar. 13, 1941), Charles Walter Furman Broom Sr. (born 1864, dropping his name Charles), Minnie Viola (living Mar. 25, 1866-1937), Lilla Amelia Broom (living June 25, 1867-April 6, 1960), Alice Inez Broom (living Feb. 6, 1872-Mar. 18, 1957 marrying George Elliott Burn), and Eunice Eliz. Broom (living Sept. 6, 1873-Oct. 1970 marrying Rev. Samuel J. Parker).

A.J. was a merchant and investor. He lost most of his wealth in the depression. Em never married. Minnie married Henry M. Smith Sr. of Darlington, a banker and they lived in Darlington. They had 3 children to live and adopted one more. Lil married John Murry Clements and they had one child to live. They lived in Timmons ville with Em and their mother. Nex and Eunice had no children to live and they lived in Society Hill.

A.J. Broom left Fairfield Co. and moved to Lancaster Co. living there 1884-5 and W.F. was there 1886-1889. W.F. met his future wife in Lancaster at the store when she was only a child. In 1888, A.J. moved to Darlington and had a store until about 1896. Meantime, he had a business in Danville, Va. and Durham NC. In 1896-1897, he was in Edgefield. In 1897-1901 W.F. worked in Dry Goods in Columbia. In 1906 A.J. and W.F. moved back to Lancaster and had a store. On April 24, 1907, W.F. married Julia E. Killian of Fort Lawn. She was born June 16, 1882. In 1913 A.J. pulled out, probably moving into investment at Beach Island, SC. In 1914 W.F. was forced out of business in Lancaster and moved to Lake City. The store in Lake City did not do well. He became a drummer and his family saw him infrequently. His family left Lake City Dec. 1918. They lived with Mrs. Broom's nephew (Sid Killian) near Evans in Chester Co. Jan.-Aug. 1919. Then they lived at Ridgeway Aug. 1919-June 1920 at 3 locations (one was with the Starnes-Mr. Broom's Coleman kin). Then they moved to Rion. In Aug. 1926 they moved to 4313 Ridgewood Ave., Columbia, W.F. Sr. had a resturant there. About June 1927 the family moved to Greer for 6 months then they moved back to the family land in Fairfield Co. A.J. gave his 25 acre share of land to W.F. and built them a house on the resulting 50 acre holding. They lived there until after W.F. Sr. died Dec. 18, 1939. Mrs. W.F. (Julia Killian) Broom died of cancer in that house Aug. 6, 1928. She had had an operation for the cancer in 1925, but it had returned.

The children of W.F. Broom Sr. and Julia Killian were Eunice, Thelma, W.F. Jr., Essie, and Martha. Eunice never married and lives in Columbia. Thelma married Ellis Hodges, had 2 children and lives in Ridgeland. W.F. Jr. married Ruth Sherer and had W.F. III, Harriet, Joe, and Billy and lives in Sullivans Is., SC. Essie married James Green Jr. and had one child--James Green, III. Martha married Bob Padgett Jr. and had one son.

W.F. Jr. and his family returned to the 50 acre estate of his father's about 1948 for years. He bought the adjoining shares that his aunts held in his grandfather's

(T.F. Broom's) estate. He then found a job for the Health Dept. in Thailand then moved to Sullivan's Is. His son, W.F. III, married Martha Borum and had 3 daughters: Deb, Helen, and Gayle. They 1st lived in Columbia then moved to Pittsburg, Pa., then about May 1980 they moved to the land that his father had bought from W.F. Jr's aunts, to the housesite of T.F. Broom.

In 1965 Essie had bought out her brother and sister's shares in their father's estate of 50 acres and in 1969 she and Mr. Green bought the last of her Broom cousins' (Dan and Dave Agnew's) Broom land. In March 1972 the Greens moved from Johnson City, Tenn. where they had lived 21 years to this land, where they still live.

James W. Green, III

Brown Family

George Brown (died 1888) and wife, Margaret McDill Brown (b. 1810) married on April 8, 1838, and resided on the McDill family land in Fairfield District on Morris Creek, a branch of Little River.

George was a descendant of James Brown born in Fifeshire, Scotland, in June, 1710, and his wife, Janet Brown, who was born November 6, 1713. (Her grave is next to his in the old family cemetery.) George and Margaret McDill Brown had nine children born during the period from 1839-1860.

Mary Elizabeth, Margaret Ann, Thor James McDill (died age 2), Sarah Matilda, Edward Jason (died age 18) Robert Preston, Albert Jesse, John Means, and Candace Jane (died at 7 months.)

Only three of the nine children married. Sarah Matilda married William Steele (no children). Albert Jesse married Kitty Steele (no children), and Robert Preston (1850-1912) married Mary Jane King, daughter of Miles and Ann Poag King of Chester County.

To this union four children were born:

1. John Smith (1877-1938) married Elizabeth English Rutland (1888-1965) daughter of Sheridan and Wesley Ruff Rutland, 2. Olive Candace (1847-1954) never married. 3. Lillie McAlpine (1880-1945) married Charles Samuel Timms, son of James Tweed and Catherine Robertson Timms. 4. Albert Grover (1883-1945) married Fannie Roberts (1886-1945) daughter of Nathan and Barbara Boyd Roberts.

The children of John S. are: Annie McDill (1910-1957) (m. David Robertson Beckham); Robert Rutland 1912-1974 (m. Mildred Boulware); Maurice Holiday 1914-1960 (m. Elizabeth Ligon); John Smith, Jr. 1916 (m. Jewel Cummings Gathwright); Margaret Elizabeth 1918 (m. Frank Earle Pope, Jr.); Isobel Ruff 1920 (m. Thomas Hugh Frick); Olive Carrol 1922 (m. William Lindsay Castles); Sarah May 1924 (m. Lewis Clifton Ashford).

The children of Lillie M. Brown Timms are Olive Catherine 1914 (never married); Charles Preston 1916 (m.

Sadie McPherson); Grover Brown 1917 (m. Frances Boyd); John Lloyd 1918-1962 (never married); Mary Grey 1920 (m. William Herbert Rexrode); Frances Elizabeth 1922 (m. Julian B. Ballentine).

The children of A. Grover Brown are: Mary King (m. William Cunningham Peay); Barbara Eloise (m. William McGill); Susie Boyd (m. Lewis Sanders); Lula Ruth (m. Edward T. King); Grover Preston (m. Elizabeth Haddon); Frances Lillian (Peggy) twin of Grover Preston born 1921; Martha Caroline (b. 1923) (m. Neville Whitehurst).

From the above 21 great-grandchildren of George and Margaret McDill Brown are great, great, great-grandchildren spreading over South Carolina, North Carolina, Georgia, Arkansas, Louisiana, Texas, Indiana, and Oklahoma. All are united in a close family relationship which God has richly blessed.

Buchanan Family

The clan of Buchanan is of Celtic origin and the family lands lay in Menteith and the Lennox, near Lochs Katrine and Lomond in Scotland. Like many Scots, some members of the Buchanan family moved to Northern Ireland, and it was at Ballymena, County Antrim, that John Buchanan and his wife Rachel Phillips Buchanan married and raised five children. They were: Mary (born 1746); Robert (born 1748); John (born 1750); William (born 1758); and Creighton (born 1760).

Robert and John Buchanan came to South Carolina in 1770 with their uncles, John and Robert Phillips. The Phillips were men of education and some wealth and were Loyalists during the American Revolution. Colonel John Phillips was an associate of Lord Cornwallis and Lord Rawdon. At the close of the war his property was confiscated and he and his family moved back to Ireland. A brother, James, came to South Carolina in 1773 and was a Captain in the Revolution. He came back to Fairfield after the War was over and was soon accepted by his family and friends, though he had been on the King's side in the war. Robert Phillips was a lieutenant and lost his life in the war.

Robert and John Buchanan both took the side of the American cause in the Revolution. Robert, who was a teacher in Charleston and one of the original members of the Mount Zion Society, was a lieutenant in his brother, Captain John Buchanan's Company, 6th South Carolina Regiment, Continental Army, commanded by Colonel William Henderson. Robert was taken prisoner when Charleston fell in May 12, 1780, and refused to take parole, as his brother John did, and died on a prison ship in Charleston harbor, August 31, 1780.

Captain John Buchanan was in the battles of Cowpens, King's Mountain, Eutaw Springs, and others and was captured at Charleston, May 12, 1780. He was exchanged

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in June 1781 through the intercession of the Widow Milling, Mrs. Sarah Birnie Milling, whom he married after the war was over. There were no children of the union. Captain Buchanan had a mill on Little River. Then he moved to Winnsboro and built a home on Congress Street, part of which served as an inn. He served as Judge of Ordinary. He sold his inn in 1807 to his brother Creighton and moved into a house near Mt. Zion College on Zion Street. Captain and Mrs. Buchanan were among the founders of the Winnsboro Methodist Church. He died April 23, 1824.

William Buchanan, a brother of Captain John Buchanan, never came to America, but his widow and children did. His daughter, Mary Ann, married William Carlisle and their son was Dr. James H. Carlisle who was president of Wofford College for many years.

Creighton Buchanan was born 1760 in Northern Ireland and married the Widow Valentine, Mary (Molly) Milliken. In 1788 they came to South Carolina and settled on Little River. Their children were: John (born 1790); Rachel (born 1793); and Martha (born 1796). John graduated from South Carolina College in 1811. During The War of 1812, he was adjutant of a regiment near Charleston. He practiced law in Winnsboro and was Commissioner in Equity. He became a Major General in the South Carolina militia. For more than 25 years, he served as a Representative and Senator from Fairfield District in the State Legislature. He married Harriet Yongue. Their children were: John M.; Samuel; Ann who married Rev. Edward Palmer; William Creighton (killed in the Civil War).

Rachel Buchanan, daughter of Creighton and Mary Milliken Buchanan, married John McMaster. Their children are listed in the McMaster Family history in this book.

Martha Buchanan, daughter of Creighton and Mary Milliken Buchanan, never married.

Creighton Buchanan's second wife was Elizabeth Smith, the Widow Stewart. Their children were: Calvin; Dr. Robert Buchanan; and Elizabeth Catherine. Calvin moved to Texas. Elizabeth Catherine married James McKinney Elliott, and their only child was Lizzie Elliott who taught in a Texas college. Dr. Robert A. Buchanan was born in 1819. He married Rebecca Woodward. Their children were: Osmond, Robert, Rebecca, Alice, and John. Osmond W. Buchanan served in the General Assembly and was elected Attorney General in 1894. He became a circuit judge. He married Sophie Tillman in 1889.

Dr. John Buchanan was born August 6, 1862. Graduated first in his class at South Carolina College in 1883 and also was first honor man at the Medical College of South Carolina in 1887. He practiced medicine in Winnsboro for 41 years. Died February 28, 1943. He married Minnie A. Yongue. Their children were: Henree Catherine (Mrs. George Coleman); Minnie (died at 10 years); Claudia Rebecca (Mrs. Frank Snowden); Ethel

Yongue (Mrs. Frank Sanborn); twin boys (died in infancy); Dr. John Creighton married Mary Byers Douglas; William Yongue married Ellen Brice.

Alice Buchanan, daughter of Dr. Robert A. and Rebecca Woodward Buchanan, married David Walker. Their children were: David V. Walker, Jr.; J.B. Walker; Rebecca who married Dr. Virgil Kinnaird; and Alice America Beaufort Walker, genealogist, historian, and one of Fairfield's greatest boosters.

Submitted by Nelle McMaster Sprott

Burley Family

Joel Butler Burley, son of Hartwell Burley and Margaret Hoy Burley, was born March 11, 1859 in the Bethel section of Fairfield County. He was married in 1888 to Mary Sue Perry, born February 25, 1867 in Lakeland Florida, daughter of Captain Thomas J. Perry and Susanna Robertson Perry. Mr. and Mrs. Burley first established their home at Bethel, moving later in 1903 to Winnsboro, South Carolina where they lived on North Vanderhorst Street until their deaths. Mr. Burley died on November 24, 1930 and Mrs. Burley on December 18, 1936.

Mr. Burley served Fairfield County for a period of thirty years as Town Clerk, Auditor, and County Supervisor.

Their children were:

Mary Ann (Mayme),-born March 11, 1890; died August 22, 1974; married David Roe Coleman, Jr., of Winnsboro, S.C. one daughter, Lola C. Sellers, Dawson, Georgia.

Lois Irene,-born August 11, 1892; died June 3, 1973; married Hilliard Gibson Wylie, of Winnsboro, S.C.; three daughters: Livian W. Tyler, Florence, S.C.; Margie W. Meng, Winnsboro, S.C.; Nelle W. Paulsen, Macon Georgia.

Henry Hartell-born December 13, 1895; died April 19, 1973; married Mae (Mary) Boyd of Waynesboro, Georgia. No Children.

Ernest Perry;-Born September 19, 1895; died May 15, 1980; Married Florence Moore of Jasper, Alabama. No children.

Sally Butler;-born June 9, 1897; now living at Garden City, S.C. married Vance W.B. Norwood of Wilmington, N.C. One son, three daughters: Joel Vance Norwood, Great Falls, Virginia; Mary Louise N. Skillman, Garden City, S.C.; Charlie N. Edge, Conway, S.C.; Ann N. Guardino, Conago Park, California.

Gladys;-born August 18, 1902; now living at Murrells Inlet, S.C.; Married Thomas F. Proctor of Wilmington, N.C. One son, one daughter; Thomas F. Proctor, Jr., Fairfax, Virginia; Sandra P. Pettingill, Richmond, Virginia.

Thomas Jefferson;-born March 21, 1906; died October 27, 1956; married Malloy Hearon, Bethune, S.C. one son, one daughter: Joel Burley, Tampa, Florida; Melita B. McPherson, Bethune, S.C.

Submitted by:
Lola Coleman Sellers

To The Memory of Joel Butler Burley and Mary Sue Perry Burley



Joel Butler Burley
Born March 11, 1859
Bethel Section, Fairfield County
Died November 25, 1930,
Winnsboro, S.C.

Mary Sue Perry Butler
Born February 25, 1867
Lakeland, Fla.
Died December 18, 1936
Winnsboro, S.C.

The Burleys

Members of the Burley family have been in Fairfield County prior to the Revolutionary War as evidenced by records of the Southern Rangers dated 1751. This record shows that John Burley (Berly) was a member of the Southern Rangers. He entered this unit May 23, 1751. The Southern Rangers were a troop of men organized by Governor Glen to act as protection against Indian raids.

The Burley name as used today has been written numerous ways throughout county history. Census takers have spelled the name Burley, Burly, Berly, Berley, Byerly, Byerley, Bierly, Boierly, and Boirly.

Most of the Burleys in Fairfield County at this time are descended from Harrison A. Burley and Margaret Steele Burley. Harrison A. Burley was born in Fairfield County on Jan. 3, 1820, died April 5, 1877, and was buried at Little River Baptist Church. He had several children. Most of his children left Fairfield County after the War between the States. These settled in Louisiana, Texas, Mississippi, and Alabama. William J. Burley, son of Harrison, was born in 1850, stayed in Fairfield and several descendants still live in the Monticello, Salem, and Lebanon areas.

During the War Between the States, a number of Burleys from Fairfield County fought with Confederate troops. These are as follows:

W.J. Burley, pvt. 17th Regiment S.C. Volunteers, Co. B, paroled at Appomattox Court House, Virginia. April 9, 1865.

Adam Burley, pvt., 17th Regiment S.C. Volunteers, Co. B. listed at 40 years old.

N.A. Burley, capt. 17th Regiment S.C. Volunteers, Co. B. Wounded at several different battles; also listed as Noah.

H.H. Burley, was first listed with the Buckhead Guards which later became part of the 6th S.C. Infantry. Also listed Hart Burley. Given name Hartwell Burley. Obtained rank of 1st sgt.; wounded around Petersburg, Virginia; died of complications from these wounds.

Walter A. Burley became 3rd Lt. 6th Calvary S.C. Vols. Charles B. Burley, corp. 12th S.C. Regiment, co. F. served from beginning of war. Wounded at Jerico Ford, Va., May 23, 1864, returned to regiment and paroled at Appomattox Court House, Va. April 9, 1865.

During World War I, Ernest P. Burley served in the U.S. Infantry.

During World War II, the following served in the military.

Joel C. Burley, Monticello, entered Army Air Force Nov. 7, 1942. Honorable discharge July 24, 1945, rank Staff sgt.

M.D. Burley, Monticello, entered U.S. Army, awarded Bronze Service Star. Honorable discharge Feb. 21, 1946,

sgt. Military Police.

Charles C. Burley, Monticello, entered U.S. Army Honorable discharge Nov. 16, 1945, pvt.

Samuel T. Burley, Monticello, entered U.S. Army Honorable discharge April 1, 1946, capt.

At the present time there are seven families in Fairfield County with the head of the household as a Burley and a number of aligned families.

Marion Fetner

Verlin Barnett Family

Verlin E. Barnett, (born Sept. 12, 1903, Wilkes County N.C.) Married Sara Bivins, (born March 5, 1907, Jones County Ga., on August 28, 1928.

He came to Fairfield County 1923 and she came to teach school in 1927. They settled in Ridgeway and have lived here ever since.

The Barnetts have three children. They are Verlin E. Jr. (Lin) Born Oct. 14, 1936, Louise born March 16, 1939, and William Jackson, born Dec. 24, 1941. Verlin e. Jr., married Claire Biddison of Baltimore Md., Feb. 14, 1960. They have two children, Cheryl, and Dawn. Louise Barnett was married to William H. Beha Jr., Sept 22, in Ridgeway Baptist Church. They have three children, William Jr., Jenifer, and Stevens. Williams Jackson was married to Patrician Lyles in Winnsboro, Aug. 5, 1961. They have two children, William Jackson Jr., and Jaudon.

The Barnetts are members of the First Baptist Church Ridgeway.

Berzley Family

Harold William Berzley was born in Allegan, Michigan, on May 29, 1919, and lived there with his parents, Francis Alfred and Leona Whitacre Berzley, until he was called to serve in the United States Army in World War II.

While stationed at Fort Jackson, and on maneuvers in Fairfield County, he met Lois Harriet Plyler (b. August 3, 1918). Harold served in the European Theater of War, and was honorably discharged November 27, 1945. He and Lois were married on Dec. 27, 1945 and since that time have resided in Winnsboro. They have one son, Harold William Berzley, Jr. (b. Aug. 4, 1957) who married Ann Elizabeth Hunnicutt (b. Sept. 2, 1961) on Feb. 18, 1978. "Bill" and "Libby" reside in Columbia, S.C.

Camak Family

The Camaks in Fairfield County are the descendants of the Camak clan of Ireland.

DAVID CAMAK, born in County Down, northern Ireland in 1740, emigrated to America in 1757 or 1758. Settled in the Jackson Creek section of Fairfield County. Died in 1802 at age of 62. Married an Irish girl named Mary who came over on same boat. She died April 10, 1824, at age 84. They with other family members, are buried in the OLD JACKSON CREEK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH YARD, Lebanon Community.

Very little recorded information can be obtained on 2nd generation of Camaks in Fairfield County. However, the CARLISLE family Bible records the death of a DAVID Y. CAMAK in the year 1842.

DAVID YOUNG CAMAK, 3rd generation-Born July 3, 1810 in Jackson Creek section. Died May 8, 1885-(Married Mary Jane Robertson-Born March 20, 1817-Died October 17, 1872.) Settled in Mossy Dale section, lower Fairfield County and both buried BETHEL METHODIST CHURCH YARD. Their children-4th generation:

SAMUEL YOUNG CAMAK-Born Feb. 17, 1837-Died in CIVIL WAR May 31, 1862.

HENRY R. CAMAK-Born Dec. 30, 1840-Died May 29, 1849.

DAVID WARREN CAMAK-Born Nov. 3, 1843-Died in CIVIL WAR, Nov. 3, 1862.

WILLIE R. CAMAK-Born Sept. 11, 1846-Died May 15, 1849.

NANCY JANE CAMAK SMITH-Born May 26, 1849-Died Oct. 21, 1930.

ROBERT ROBINSON CAMAK-Born June 24, 1852, Died Dec. 2, 1933.

THOMAS CHARLES CAMAK-Born May 11, 1855-Died July 9, 1944.

EDWARD JEROME CAMAK-Born March 18, 1858-Date of death unknown.

THOMAS CHARLES CAMAK-Born in the Jackson Creek section, moved to the Mossy Dale section with his family at the age of 4 where he spent his entire life.

First marriage - Dec. 7, 1876, to LOU E. MEADORS of Laurens Co. S.C. Born May 30, 1859-Died Oct. 26, 1898.) Their children-5th generation:

PASCAL YOUNG CAMAK-Born Oct. 17, 1877-Died Oct. 7, 1880.

DAVID ENGLISH CAMAK-Born July 26, 1880-Died Jan. 25, 1967-(Methodist minister and Founder of TEXTILE INDUSTRIAL INSTITUTE, now SPARTANBURG METHODIST COLLEGE, Spartanburg.

Author of two books-JUNE OF THE HILLS AND HUMAN GOLD FROM SOUTHERN HILLS)

BLANCHE CAMAK (Robertson) Born May 21, 1882-Died July 7, 1949.

LAVINIA CAMAK (Blair) Born Feb. 21, 1885-Died Sept. 23, 1967.

ROBERTA CAMAK (Lyles) Born Dec. 19, 1886.

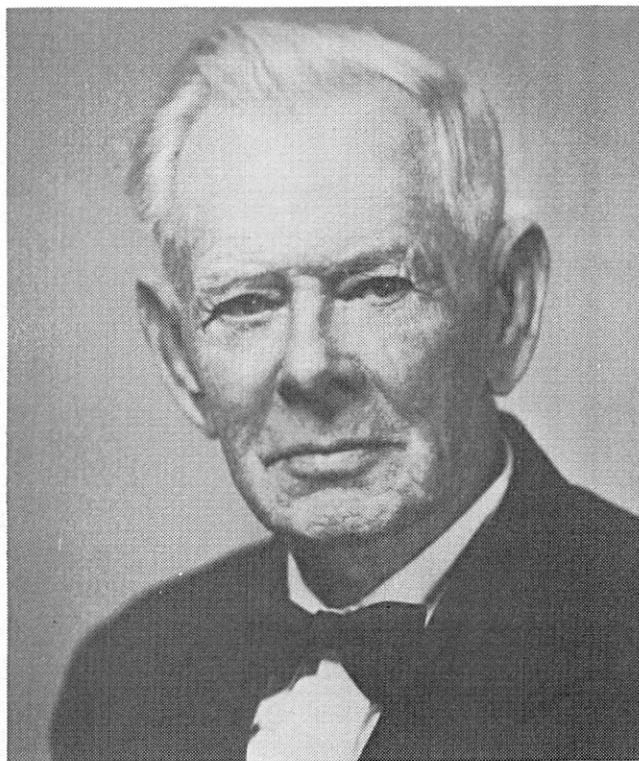
MARION BOYD CAMAK-Born Sept. 4 1888-Died Oct. 16, 1962 (Educator, Writer and Speaker-Author of W'EN YER IN YER STOCKING' FEET).

MARY LOU CAMAK (Blair-Born July 13, 1892.

THOMAS CLIFTON CAMAK-Born April 5, 1894-Died Nov. 6, 1935. Second marriage-Jan. 7, 1903 to (MARY CARLOS PAGETT of Lykesland, S.C. Born Jan. 29, 1871-Died Feb. 9, 1957) No children by this marriage.

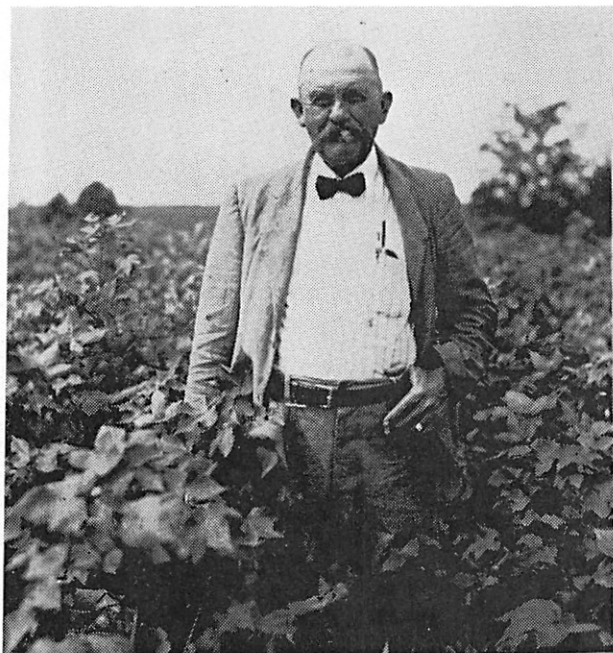
THOMAS CHARLES CAMAK-gentleman, farmer, philosopher, friend and wit lived four score and nine years through good times and bad. A longtime correspondent for The News and Herald, he conversed with his many friends in a humorous vein under the name of "MOSSY DALE," the section of Fairfield County he called home. And many is the friend who felt the sting of his kindly wit. However, he never wrote of a person whom he disliked. He once remarked that, "I never write about a person I dislike-unless I can whip him." He had the faculty of telling a world of truth in a few sentences.

A man of great character and influence in his home, church, county and state, he lives on in the memory of his many descendants who are scattered near and far. Direct descendants still residing in Fairfield County are of the names LYLES, ROBERTSON, BLAIR AND PEAK, all of whom are proud to claim him as a very important part of their heritage.



Thomas Charles Camak

Castles Family



Samual F. Castles

S.F. Castles' Home



Castles Family

Pictured above from left to right are: Herbert Lee Castles, Samual F. Castles, J.F Castles (twin), Samuel T. Arledge, (brother of J.R. Arledge), Sallie E. Arledge (wife of J.R. Arledge) holding Rufus A. Castles (twin), Dr. J.R. Arledge (dentist), Maude Lyles (sister of Leilia L. Castles) and Leila L. Castles (wife of S.F. Castles).

At the time this picture was made in 1895, Samuel F. Castles was a sharecropper for Dr. J.R. Arledge and lived in the little four-room tenant house on the road to Greenbrier Methodist Church, still standing today.



Leila L. Castles (Mrs. S.F.)



Samuel F. Castles' homeplace after adding second story in 1904.



Samuel Franklin Castles was born June 26, 1864, in Chester County (Smyrna Community) (d. Aug. 11, 1939-buried in Greenbrier Methodist Church Cemetery). He was the son of Henry and Tarzey Elizabeth Russel Castles.

On April 2, 1890 in Winnsboro, S.C., he was married to Leila Lee Lyles (b. Oct. 31, 1871 in Fairfield County (Horeb Community) (d. Dec. 20, 1954-buried in Greenbrier Methodist Church Cemetery.)

Leila was the daughter of B. Franklin Lyles (b. Mar. 19, 1843) (d. Dec. 20, 1903-buried in the Lyles Cemetery in Fairfield Co. (Horeb Community) and Catherine Maude Robertson Lyles (b. Nov. 2, 1843) (d. Sept. 18, 1897-buried in the Lyles Cemetery in Fairfield Co. (Horeb Community).

Samuel Franklin and Leila Lyles Castles moved to the Greenbrier Community in Fairfield County in late 1891 and worked for Dr. J.R. Arledge (Leila's uncle by marriage) as a sharecropper. They lived in the little four-room tenant house on the Greenbrier Methodist Church Road, just off Highway 269. At this time they had one child, Herbert Lee Castles. They lived at this location until the purchase of the Dr. J.R. Arledge home on Oct. 8, 1901. This home is presently owned by Henry W. Castles.

Sam Castles was a self-educated enterprising business man. From a sharecropper for Dr. J.R. Arledge, he became a prosperous farmer. He operated the Castles' General Mercantile Store, the Castles Gin, Castles Bottling Company, Castles Telephone Company. Later he purchased the old Padgett Place consisting of 900 acres, from which he founded Castles Mineral Springs. This water was bottled and sold for many years in Columbia and surrounding areas. These were but a few of his many interests and accomplishments.

Mr. Castles was magistrate for a number of years and handled the criminal cases in his district along with marrying many fine couples in the community.

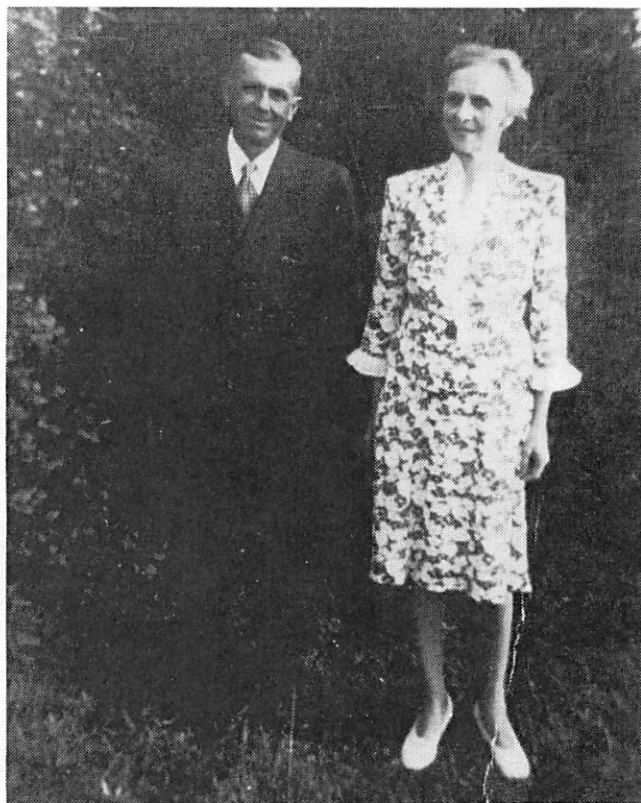
Mr. Castles was a believer in higher education. Each of his children received a high school education, two of which attended the University of South Carolina. His son Ernest Castles received a degree in Law and was later appointed a County Judge.

At the time of his death, through this good business management, Mr. Castles left each of his children a home place and acreage. Mr. Castles was known in the community for his outstanding character and his word was his bond.

Samuel and Leila were members of the First Baptist Church in Winnsboro, S.C.

From this marriage were the following children: Herbert Lee Castles, May 26, 1891; James and Rufus Castles (twins), Mar. 9, 1894; Hoyt and Estelle Castles (twins), Apr. 23, 1897; Sammie F. Castles, jr., July 23, 1898-(d. Nov. 5, 1901); Ernest B. Castles, July 8, 1900; Marion S. Castles, Apr. 8, 1905; Nannie Bell Castles, Sept. 25, 1910.

Submitted By:
Marian M. Castles



Mr. & Mrs. Herbert Lee Castles

Herbert Lee Castles

Herbert Lee Castles was married to Nellie Marie Watts on 1 June, 1912. To this union were born the following children: Samuel Lewis Castles, Leila Virginia Castles, Annie Elizabeth Castles, Henry Wadsworth Castles and Nellie Lee Castles.

Samuel Lewis Castles was born 11 April, 1913, at Winnsboro. He married Margaret Goff under date of 18 August, 1936. To them were born four children; Samuel Lewis Castles, Jr., William Herbert Castles, Emma Jean Castles and Paul Edward Castles. Samuel Lewis Castles, Jr. was born 19 December, 1939, and married Wanda Jane Houze from Winnsboro on 10 December, 1966. To them were born Samuel Lewis Castles, III on 27 March, 1969 and Clifford Houze Castles, 16 February, 1974.

William Herbert Castles was born 19 December, 1939, and married Betty Elaine Baker of Kingstree, South Carolina, under date of 12 February, 1967. To this couple were born Eric William Castles, 5 November, 1968 and Gregory Ray Castles on 5 March, 1970. Emma Jean Castles, born 13 July, 1942, was married to Carroll Eugene McGee on 25 April, 1970. To them were born Heather Noel McGee on 4 October, 1972, and Hollie Nicole, 3 Dec. 1976.

Paul Edward Castles, born 27 July, 1947, married Linda Susan Cotton on 31 October, 1968. To them was born

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Paul Edward Castles, Jr., March 25, 1976. Paul Edward Castles, Sr. died October 26, 1975, and is buried in Greenbrier Cemetery.

Annie Castles Shull

Annie Elizabeth Castles, born 7 September, 1918, was married to Lonnie Newell Shull on 8 April, 1939. To them were born three children: Lonnie Newell Shull, Jr. was born 21 October 1943, and on 30 May, 1965 he married Mary Ann Quattlebaum. To them were born Elizabeth (Beth) Louise Shull on 6 September, 1967, Lonnie Newell Shull, 3rd, on 15 April, 1969, and Edwin Lee Shull on 3 December, 1971. Kenneth Castles Shull was born 27 April, 1947 and was married to Marie Scott. Stephanie Shull was born 9 May, 1949 and was married to Gary Swanger from Greenville, and to them were born two sons, Michael Edwin Swanger, 25 March, 1976 and Jason Gary Swanger, 12 June, 1981.

Henry W. Castles

Henry Wadsworth Castles is married to Frances Norris and he has three children by a former marriage, Henry Wadsworth Castles, Jr., Herbert Lee Castles and Nancy B. Castles. Henry Wadsworth Castles, Jr. was born 9 August, 1946 and is married to Debbie Kelly of Columbia. He has one son by a former marriage Henry W. Harper, born 28 July, 1970. Herbert Lee Castles was born 17 November, 1948 and is married to Margaret Ann Stoddard of Fountain Inn. To them were born Carol Ann March 8, 1979. They have one son Christopher Michael, born 23 February, 1981.

Nellie Castles Rutland

Nellie Lee Castles was born 10 February, 1924 at Winnsboro, and was married to Clyde Woodward Rutland on 3 February, 1946 at First Baptist Church, Winnsboro. To this couple were born the following children: Mary Marie Rutland, Judy Kay Rutland and Annette Lee Rutland. Marie was born 25 May, 1947 and was married to Charles Parham Eargle of Orangeburg, on 5 April, 1969. To them were born the following children: Charles Parham Eargle, Jr. on 2 June, 1971, Clyde Wesley Eargle on 2 October, 1973, and Hans Melton Eargle on 22 November, 1976. Judy was born 1 March, 1950 and was married to Edward McIlwain Craig, Jr. of Columbia, on 8 May, 1976. They have a son, John Todd Craig, born 9 September, 1970 by her previous marriage. Annette was born 4 May, 1954 and was married to David Elliott Booth of Gwynedd, Pennsylvania on 12 August, 1978. To them was born Abby Lee Booth on 25 June, 1980.

Leila Castles Phillips

Leila Virginia Castles, born 11 December, 1914 at Winnsboro, was married 22 December, 1938 to Otis Clifford Phillips from Butler, Georgia. To them were born Pamela Virginia Phillips, Gail Castles Phillips and Otis Clifford Phillips, Jr. Pamela Virginia Phillips was born 6 July, 1944 and was married to Terry Ivester from Greenville. To them were born Ashley Lynn Ivester, 12 September, 1969, and Cindy Ivester, 15 March, 1971. Gail Castles Phillips was born 26 September, 1947, and was married to Albert J. Zidlick. To them were born Karen Gail Zidlick on 25 August, 1967, John Witherspoon Zidlick on 29 December, 1972 and Matthew Zidlick on 28 February, 1978. Otis Clifford Phillips, Jr. was born 2 September, 1951, and married Gloria Warner from Greenwood.

James F. Castles

James Fred Castles, Sr. (b. March 9, 1894) (d. March 28, 1932-buried in Greenbrier Methodist Church Cemetery), married Annie Elizabeth Stevenson (b. October 27, 1892), daughter of David Lee and Anna Turner Stevenson, on June 11, 1919, at home in the Lebanon Community of Fairfield County. He served in the Navy during World War I.

"Jim" and Annie lived in the Greenbrier Community where he was a farmer and carpenter associated in manufacturing, construction and the mercantile business. Annie graduated from Winthrop College in 1914, and was an elementary school teacher for 18½ years before retiring. She is a member of Greenbrier United Methodist Church. They had four sons and two daughters, and they are James Fred, Jr., Mary Elizabeth, David Franklin, Robert Lee, Cathryn Maude, and Thomas Sproles.

James Fred (Jim) Castles, Jr. (b. June 28, 1920) married Laura Daniels (b. December 28, 1927) in Blythewood. He served as major in the Infantry during World War II. His children by a former marriage are Bonnie Anne and Mary Cathryn.

Bonnie Anne (b. Feb. 6, 1947) married Ronald Edward Leaphart (b. Aug. 26, 1945) in Columbia. Their children are, Amy (b. Jan. 26, 1973) and Ryan Edward (b. September 16, 1980).

Mary Cathryn (b. Sept. 20, 1948) married Gary Skinner (b. May 4, 1948) in Columbia. Their children are, Matthew (b. March 3, 1975) and Jennifer Lynn (b. Nov. 18, 1978).

Mary Elizabeth (Elsie) Castles (b. February 10, 1922) is an elementary teacher in Lexington County School District 5. She is a member of Greenbrier United Methodist Church.

David F. Castles

David Franklin Castles, Sr. (b. Feb. 11, 1924) married Nell Rholetter (b. Nov. 10, 1931) in Columbia. He served

in the Air Force during World War II and was a prisoner of war for a year. Their children are Nancy Lynn (b. Nov. 27, 1952), Annie Marie (b. Mar. 7, 1956) David Franklin, Jr. (b. July 27, 1957), Jane Elizabeth (b. Sept. 7, 1965), Jennifer Carol (b. Oct. 10, 1967).

Nancy Lynn married Edward K. Bertram, III (b. Sept. 1, 1952) in Atlanta, Ga.

Anne Marie married Michael Kevin Shea (b. Jan. 19, 1956) in Atlanta, Ga. Their children are Dylan (b. Feb. 28, 1976) and Colleen (b. April 9, 1980).

Robert Lee (Bob) Castles, Sr. (b. Oct. 10, 1925) married Sue Marie Shaw (b. Aug. 26, 1928) in Columbia, S.C. He served in the Navy during World War II. Their children are Robert Lee, Jr. (b. Feb. 12, 1954), Susan Henderson (b. Oct. 22, 1955), and James Calhoun (b. Aug. 15, 1961).

Robert Lee, Jr. married Stephanie Capilos (b. June 19, 1955) in Columbia.

Cathryn Maude Castles (b. Feb. 24, 1928) married John Clay Black (b. July 16, 1927) in Lebanon Presbyterian Church, Winnsboro. John served in the Navy during World War II. Their children are David Benjamin Black (b. Apr. 9, 1953), Cynthia Anne (b. Dec. 12, 1956), Elizabeth Mae (b. Dec. 26, 1958), and Allen Clay (b. Sept. 17, 1961).

David Benjamin Black married Lillian Lane McLendon (b. July 16, 1953) in Greenville, S.C. They have a daughter Lawson Elizabeth (b. Mar. 20, 1981).

Cynthia Anne Black married Stephen Wayne Steadings (b. June 27, 1956) in Greenville.

Thomas Sproles (Tom) Castles (b. June 12, 1930) married Saffie Caldwell Clary (b. Sept. 5, 1931) (d. Feb. 4, 1965). He served in the Marine Corps following World War II. Their children are Denise (b. Aug. 10, 1958), James Richard (b. Feb. 6, 1960), Karen (b. June 1, 1961) and John Strader (b. Mar. 5, 1963).

Thomas later married Sarah Quattlebaum (b. Oct. 31, 1935) in Winnsboro. They have one daughter, Mary Harley (b. Mar. 8, 1968).

Rufus A. Castles

Rufus Arledge Castles, Sr. (b. Mar. 9, 1894. Chester Co., S.C., died Aug. 21, 1973 Fairfield Co., S.C.) married Dec. 12, 1915 Fairfield Co. Mary Lou Ashford (b. Oct. 2, 1897 Fairfield Co., S.C., died Jan. 5, 1978 Lexington Co., S.C.).

Their children are: Ada Lee Castles, b. 12-22-16; Rufus Arledge, Jr., B. 8-5-18; Helen Marjorie b. 11-24-19; William Lindsay b. 2-14-22; Edna Lou b. 8-16-25; Mary Jeanette, b. 8-1-27; Alice Ramona b. 5-31-29; Martha Ann b. 7-25-32; Joel Ashford b. 6-9-37; Rebecca Diane b. 9-26-40, all were born in Fairfield County.

Ada Castles Pleasants

Ada Lee Castles married on April 25, 1941 in Fairfield

Co. to Earl Harry Pleasants (b. Jan. 29, 1918 Fairfield Co.). They have no children.

Rufus A. Castles, Jr.

Rufus Arledge Castles, Jr., married on Sept. 15, 1940 in Fairfield Co. to Marian Louise Mann (b. Dec. 13, 1922, Richland Co., S.C.). Three children: Priscilla Louise b. 11-13-41; Rufus Arledge, III, b. 4-1-44; Harry Wardell b. 12-5-50; all were born in Charleston Co., S.C.

Priscilla Louise Castles first marriage 5-12-61 Charleston Co., S.C. to David Allen Cox (b. 6-1938). Three children, Catharine Ramona Cox b. 7-27-64; David Allen Cox, Jr. b. 10-5-65; Christine Louise b. 10-28-70, all at Charleston.

Catharine Ramona Cox m. William Gobee 6-82 Shelby Co. Tenn.

Priscilla Louise Castles (Cox) second marriage 4-7-79 Richland Co., S.C. to Campbell W. Drawdy (b. 5-7-37) Charleston, S.C.) No children.

Priscilla Louise Castles (Cox Drawdy) third marriage 4-82 to Robert Duncan, Shelby Co. Tenn.

Rufus Arledge Castles, III married on 12-20-71 in Alexandria, Va. to Henrietta Thomas (b. 10-17-48 Walker Co., Ala.). Two children: Etta Rufina, b. 9-1-73, and Jeffery Jesse, b. 1-15-76, both in Richland Co., S.C.

Harry Wardell Castles married in June 1970 in Richland Co., S.C. to Patricia Breedlove (b. 3-9-50 Charleston Co., S.C.). One child, Robert William born Jan. 17, 1971, Richland Co. S.C.

Helen Marjorie Castles Muse

Helen Marjorie Castles married on Sept. 2, 1961 in Fairfield Co. to Henry William Muse (b. 4-1-16 Fairfield Co.). He had two children by a former marriage; they are Johnny Irene Muse, b. 11-8-46 and George William Muse, b. 7-9-48, both in Richland Co., S.C.

Johnny Irene Muse married 9-17-65 Fairfield Co. to John William Martin (b. 8-22-44 Union Co., S.C.) They have three children, John William Martin, Jr., b. 7-9-66; Sherry Francine b. 10-26-68, Alicia Down Martin b. 1-8-72, all in Richland Co., S.C.

George William Muse married 7-13-69 in Fairfield Co. to Shelby Gean Belk (b. 2-20-51 Richland Co., S.C.) Three children: George William, Jr. b. 11-4-69; Amanda Britt and Deza Michelle, (twins) b. 4-13-79, all in Richland Co., S.C.)

George William Muse second marriage on 2-17-78 in Fairfield Co. to Pamela Kilpatrick (b. 6-15-53). Two children (twins): France Kelly and Kathy Gwin, b. 9-25-79 in Lexington Co., S.C.

William Lindsay Castles

William Lindsay Castles married on 8-7-45 in Fairfield Co. to Olive Carrol Brown (b. 12-1-22, Fairfield Co., S.C.) Six children: John Lindsay, b. 3-8-47, Fairfield Co.;

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Charles Edward, b. 6-15-50, Richland Co.; Miriam Carrol, b. 7-25-52; Richland Co.; Terry Rufus, b. 9-16-53, Richland Co.; Lamar Brown, b. 6-26-55, Greenville Co., S.C.; Mary Elizabeth, b. 8-18-61, Greenville Co., S.C.

John Lindsay Castles married on 6-14-69 in Tioga Co., Pa. to Jan Newcomb (b. 3-6-47 Tioga Co., Pa.). They have two children: Earl Lindsay, b. 11-24-72; Lindsay Newcomb, b. 12-26-73, both in Greenville Co., S.C.

Charles Edward Castles married on 1-4-75 Knox Co. Tenn. to Deborah Lynn (b. 9-10-54, Texas). Two children: Charles Edward, II, b. 8-31-79 and Jennifer Lynn, b. 7-82, both in Greenville Co., S.C.

Miriam Carrol Castles married on 7-15-72 in Greenville, S.C. to Robert Joseph Mills (b. 6-5-52 Hamblin Co., Tenn.) Two Children: William Earl, B. 2-28-76 and Carrol Lynn, b. 8-2-77, both in Dekalb Co., Ga.

Terry Rufus Castles married on 7-5-75 in Savannah, Ga to Sherry Lynn Hall (b. 12-7-54 Battle Creek, Iowa). One child: Julie Hall, b. 10-17-80, Macon, Ga.

Mary Elizabeth Castles married on Aug. 7, 1982 Greenville Co., S.C. to Timothy Keith Appleton.

Edna Castles Robinson

Edna Lou Castles married on 6-3-45 Spartanburg, S.C. to Andrew Francis Robinson (b. 2-17-24 Fairfield Co., S.C.) Two children: Andrew Francis, Jr., b. 5-8-46, Fairfield Co.; Helen Diane, b. 1-21-53, Richland Co., S.C.

Andrew F. Robinson, Jr. married 10-15-64 in Newberry Co., S.C. to Rennetet Boulware (b. 3-15-47 Fairfield Co., S.C.) One child, Russell Scott, b. 7-6-67, Richland Co., S.C.

Andrew F. Robinson, Jr. Second Marriage on 12-16-77 in Fairfield Co. to Kathy Starnes (b. 9-18-51 Richland Co., S.C.). Three children: Brande Charlene, b. 8-24-73, Andrew Charles, b. 2-21-80 and Jennefer Diane, b. 4-31-82, all born in Richland Co., S.C.

Helen Diane Robinson married 7-12-72 in Fairfield Co. to Michael A. Moschello - Divorced.

Mary Castles Shedd

Mary Jeanette Castles married 4-24-48 in Fairfield Co. to George Ray Shedd (b. 4-17-27 Fairfield Co.) Two children: Georgette Lee, b. 11-11-54 and Joel Ravenel b. 2-23-58, both in Anderson, S.C.

Georgette Lee Shedd married on 7-7-73 in Fulton Co., Ga. to James W. Cooper (b. 7-25-52 Mississippi). One child, James Micah, b. 4-19-78 in Fulton Co., Ga.

Alice Castles Evans

Alice Ramona Castles married 12-8-51 in Fairfield Co., to Robert Evans (b. 2-27-26 Franklin Co., Ohio). No children.

Martha Castles Weed

Martha Ann Castles married on 7-25-53 Fairfield Co. to

Cecil Harold Weed (b. 1-5-32 Fairfield Co.). One child: Michael James, b. 9-13-64 in Japan.

Joel Ashford Castles

Joel Ashford Castles, married on 5-31-63 in Bienville Parish, La. to Rebecca Ann Johnson (b. 1-7-39 Bienville Parish, La.). Three children: Joel Ashford, Jr., b. 6-23-66 in Placer Co., Ca.; Pamela Ann and Patricia Ann (twins) born 5-4-68, Alexandria, Va.

Rebecca Castles Gossett

Rebecca Diane Castles married on 11-6-65 Fairfield Co. to Billy Wayne Gossett (b. 8-26-41 Greenville Co., S.C.). Two children: Mattison Arledge b. 8-3-72 and Jennifer Castles, b. 12-18-74, both in Richland Co., S.C.

Submitted by Marian M. Castles
(Mrs. R.A. Castles, Jr.)

Henry Hoyt Castles

Henry Hoyt Castles (b. April 23, 1897), son of Samuel Franklin Castles and Leila Lee Lyles Castles, married Mildred Adele Blair on April 19, 1919. She was the daughter of William Preston Blair and Lillian Wesley Leitner, all of Fairfield County.

Henry Hoyt served in the U.S. Navy during World War I, and he died October 8, 1969; Mildred died November 9, 1980.

Their children are William Henry Castles, Joe Blair Castles and Gladys Jane Castles.

William H. Castles

William Henry Castles, born May 1, 1920, married Rebekah Brooks Boney September 8, 1942. Rebekah is the daughter of Brooks and Minnie Wooten Boney. She was born January 17, 1916.

William's and Rebekah's children are:

(1) William Preston Castles (4-29-44) m. 2-29-64 to Patricia Morphas; parents of Rebekah Marie, Robert William and Kimberly Page.

(2) Richard Brooks Castles (6-29-55), m. 6-9-79 Martha Jo Wingard (1-27-56).

Joe B. Castles

Joe Blair Castles, born August 14, 1921, married Norma Darby, born March 4, 1922, in Dec. 20, 1941. Norma was the daughter of John Clarence and Agnes Gibbons Darby.

Children of Joe Blair and Norma are:

(1) Susan Cromer Castles (5-15-44), m. 4-9-66 George Curtis Kennedy, Jr. (12-9-43); parents of Laura Barrow

(12-6-70) and Kathryn Blair (2-19-75).

(2) Joe Blair Castles, Jr. (7-21-47), married 12-28-68 Patricia Ann Petty (5-3-47); parents of Joe Blair Castles III (11-18-71) and Patricia Darby Castles (1-22-76).

(3) Lillian Blaire Castles (7-28-52), married 6-6-81 Gilbert Mack Smoak (12-12-51).

Jane Castles Brooks

Jane Castles, born Dec. 4, 1937, married John Joseph Brooks, June 21, 1958. John Joseph was the son of James Pope Brooks II, and Alice Willingham Brooks of Fairfield County. Children of Jane and John Joseph Brooks are Deborah Adele Brooks, born April 13, 1961, and John Joseph Brooks, Jr., born May 2, 1963.

Minnie Castles Lyles

Minnie Estelle Castles, born in Fairfield County April 23, 1897, to Samuel Franklin Castles and Leila Lee Lyles, married James Davis Lyles, Jr. on July 19, 1919. James Davis Lyles, Jr., born April 13, 1895 in Fairfield County was the son of James Davis Lyles, Sr. and Lizzie Gaden Lyles. He served in the army during World War I from June 23, 1918 to July 7, 1919. He served in France, Germany, and England. James Davis Lyles, Jr. died July 4, 1963 at Fairfield Memorial Hospital, Winnsboro. Minnie Estelle Castles Lyles died Feb. 10, 1981 at Chester County Nursing Center, Chester. This couple is buried in the Greenbrier United Methodist Church Cemetery, Route 3, Winnsboro. The following are the children of this couple. All the children were born in Fairfield County.

Carl Grady Lyles, born Sept. 27, 1921. (Carl served in the U.S. Army in World War II from April 1943 to June 1945. He was stationed in England.)

James Fay Lyles, born May 30, 1925. (James Fay served in the U.S. Navy in World War II from May 28, 1943 to May 8, 1946. He was stationed at Whidbey Island, Washington. He was in the inactive reserve from May 9, 1946 to May 8, 1954.)

Betty Lou Lyles, born March 12, 1929.

Mildred Estelle Lyles, born Jan. 9, 1934.

Judith Lee Lyles, born July 22, 1939.

Carl Grady Lyles, son of Minnie Estelle C. Lyles and James Davis Lyles, Jr., married Edith Evelyn Broom on June 7, 1942 at Sandy Level Baptist Church, Blythewood. Edith was born May 15, 1921 in Fairfield County. The following children were born to this couple.

Carlie Ann Lyles, born Feb. 10, 1946 in Fairfield County.

James Durham Lyles, born Dec. 13, 1950 in Fairfield County.

Mary Elizabeth Lyles, born Nov. 27, 1952 in Richland County.

Margaret Estelle Lyles, born Oct. 29, 1953 in Richland County.

James Fay Lyles

James Fay Lyles, son of Minnie Estelle C. Lyles and James Davis Lyles, Jr., married Marguerite Benton on July 27, 1952 at Eureka Baptist Church, Corapeake, N.C. Marguerite Benton was born May 13, 1919 in Suffolk, Virginia. The following children were born to this couple:

Thomas Ray Lyles, born April 23, 1953, Suffolk, Virginia.

James David Lyles, born Oct. 1, 1957, Richmond, Virginia.

Betty Lyles Knight

Betty Lou Lyles, daughter of Minnie Estelle C. Lyles and James Davis Lyles, Jr., married William Marcus Knight on July 19, 1949 at Greenbrier Methodist Church, Route 3, Winnsboro. William Marcus Knight was born May 22, 1927 in Bartow, Florida. The following children were born to this couple.

Patricia Estelle Knight, born April 7, 1957 in Fairfield County.

Mitzi Luanne Knight, born Sept. 20, 1966, in Fairfield County.

Patricia K. Drake

Patricia Estelle Knight, daughter of Betty L. Knight and William Marcus Knight, married Robert Derrell Drake at Greenbrier United Methodist Church, Winnsboro, on May 19, 1979. Robert was born on March 12, 1951 in Anderson County, S.C.

Mildred L. Gustafson

Mildred Estelle Lyles, daughter of Minnie Estelle C. Lyles and James Davis Lyles, Jr., married Pete Gunnar Gustafson on Oct. 3, 1959 at Greenbrier United Methodist Church. Pete was born May 17, 1934 in Jacksonville, Florida. The following children were born to this couple.

Mark Gunnar Gustafson, born Nov. 23, 1961 in Waycross, Ga.

Martha Kay Gustafson, born Dec. 31, 1970 in Fairfield County.

Judith L. Glover

Judith Lee Lyles, daughter of Minnie Estelle C. Lyles and James Davis Lyles, Jr., married Charles Edgar Glover, Jr., on Sept. 2, 1961 at Greenbrier United Methodist Church. Charles was born Feb. 12, 1940 in Fairfield County. The following children were born to this couple:

Charles Edgar Glover, III, born Nov. 7, 1965 in Fairfield County.

James Lee Glover, born Nov. 24, 1969 in York County.

Carlie Ann Lyles, daughter of Carl Grady Lyles and Edith B. Lyles, married Richard H. Thomas on May 21, 1966 at Crooked Run Baptist Church, Route 3, Winnsboro.

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nsboro. Richard H. Thomas was born Feb. 23, 1946 in Richland County. Children born to this couple were as follows:

Laura Ann Thomas, born March 23, 1967 at Camp Lejune, N.C.

Lenoia Dawn Thomas, born Aug. 21, 1971 in Richland County.

James Quay Thomas, born Feb. 8, 1974 in Richland County.

James Durham Lyles, son of Carl Grady Lyles and Edith B. Lyles, married Tandy Jo Painter on June 24, 1973 at the First Baptist Church, Newport, Tennessee. Tandy was born Nov. 27, 1953 in Middlesboro, Kentucky.

Mary Elizabeth Lyles, daughter of Carl Grady Lyles and Edith B. Lyles, married Brian Earl Ogburn on Nov. 12, 1977 at Greenbrier United Methodist Church. Brian was born June 23, 1953 in York County, Rock Hill, S.C. The following son was born to this couple.

Grady Earl Ogburn, born July 7, 1981 in Richland County, S.C.

Thomas Ray Lyles, son of James Fay Lyles and Marguerite B. Lyles, married Cynthia Jane Scott on June 28, 1975 at Maryland Presbyterian Church, Towson, Maryland. Cynthia was born Feb. 22, 1953 in Towson, Md. The following son was born to this couple.

Jason Thomas Lyles, born Nov. 20, 1979, Charlotte, N.C.

Ernest B. Castles

Ernest Benjamin Castles (b. July 8, 1900) (d. June 21, 1971) married Thyra Gowdy (b. November 3, 1902-d. April 24, 1973) on June 26, 1930, in Lake City, S.C. Their children were Daniel Lyles and Dottie Beth.

Daniel Lyles Castles (b. January 29, 1933) (d. May 31, 1976) married Rebecca Salley (b. January 17, 1933) on March 8, 1954. Their children are:

- Charlotte Ruth (b. Nov. 5, 1954 in Jacksonville, Fla.)
- Thyra Elizabeth (b. Oct. 9, 1956-d. Nov. 20, 1963).
- Rebecca Salley (b. Jan. 4, 1959 in Anderson, S.C.)
- Daniel Lyles, Jr. (b. Oct. 16, 1962 in Anderson S.C.)
- Dottie Beth Castles (b. in 1936-d. May 26, 1938 at 2 years, 4 mos. of age).

Marion S. Castles

Marion Sumter Castles (b. April 8, 1905, d. March 1, 1949 in Winnsboro) married Ruby Platt Ligon (b. September 16, 1912) on January 5, 1930, in Winnsboro. Their children are, Marion Ruby, Lousie Adair and Emily Ruth.

Marion Ruby (b. January 30, 1931) married Walter Dickson Fanning, Jr. (b. March 2, 1926 in Norway, S.C.) on Dec. 2, 1949 in Winnsboro. Their children are, Marion Steven, Michael Glenn and Marcia Beth.

1. Marion Steven (b. Jan. 19, 1952 in Orangeburg)

married Rachel Ann Carson (b. Nov. 26, 1956) (divorced March 1980). They have one daughter, Stephanie Ann (b. Feb. 4, 1975).

2. Michael Glenn (b. Dec. 17, 1955 in Orangeburg) married Johncia Marie Tindale (b. May 24, 1957) on March 6, 1976 in Neeses, S.C. Their children are, Crystal Dawn (b. June 5, 1978) and Nichole Marie (b. June 30, 1981).

3. Marcia Beth (b. Feb. 14, 1957 in Orangeburg) married Ronald David New (b. Dec. 30, 1954) on February 28, 1975 in Norway. Their sons are David Paul (b. Feb. 25, 1977) and Joseph Scott (b. Nov. 25, 1980).

Louise Adair Castles (b. July 19, 1933 in Winnsboro) married John Thorrell Long, Jr. (b. November 9, 1929) on March 23, 1951 in Winnsboro. They had the following children:

1. John Tony (b. Feb. 11, 1954) married Donya Raye Wylie (b. March 21, 1956) on March 15, 1975 in Columbia. They have a daughter, Melissa Carol, (b. April 9, 1980 in Aiken, S.C.)

2. Russell Alan (b. June 26, 1960) (d. Nov. 26, 1963).

3. Marion Christopher (b. June 21, 1962).

4. Tracey Adair (b. May 11, 1965) (d. Aug. 30, 1973).

Emily Ruth Castles (b. September 12, 1943 in Winnsboro) married William Francis Windham (b. February 16, 1941 in Columbia) on April 17, 1970 in Columbia. They have one daughter, Ruby Alison (b. Jan. 8, 1971 in Columbia).

Nannie Castles Stewart

Nannie Belle Castles (b. September 25, 1910) married Marion F. Stewart (b. July 28, 1909 in Anderson County) on December 24, 1933. They have one daughter, Marian.

Marian Stewart (b. April 27, 1945 in Anderson) married William Lawrence Lyles, Jr. (b. June 22, 1945) on May 27, 1966 and they have three children:

- Amy Elizabeth (b. Aug. 29, 1970 in Honolulu, Hawaii).
- William Lawrence, Jr. (b. Nov. 17, 1971 in Camp Springs, Maryland).
- Marian Lee (b. Nov. 12, 1979 in Anderson).

Center Family

Nathan Center (17-to 1782) migrated from Virginia to South Carolina 20 years before the Revolutionary War. He settled in Richland County near Columbia. He married Martha Taylor, sister of Col. Thomas Taylor. Their children were: (1) Elizabeth, (2) Nathan, (3) William, (4) John.

Nathan Center (1777-1850) married Charlotte Rives (1781-1847), daughter of Timothy Rives. Their children were (1) Dr. Thomas Rives, (2) Dr. James, (3) William, (4) Martha.

Dr. Thomas Rives Center (1808-1886) married Hester Boyd (1816-1856). Their children were (1) Marion, (2) Robert Gibbs, (3) Thomas Murray, (4) James Nathan, (3)

Celia Howard, (6) Martha, (7) Hester Boyd.

James Nathan Center (1854-1935) married Mary Tallulah Connor (1860-1937), daughter of Rev. Jacob Sylvanus Connor and Miriam Lumplin Connor. Their children were: (1) Jacob Sylvanus, (2) Thomas Marion (3) Miriam.

Thomas Marion Center (1885-1972) married Alma Gertrude Dixon (1887-1975), daughter of Tillman Lee and Mary Mobley Dixon. Their children were (1) Marion, (2) Tallu, (3) Mary Lee, (4) Alma, (5) Thomas Marion, (6) Miriam, (7) Katherine.

Marion Center married Joseph Alexis Brooks. Tallu Center married William Clark Willingham. Mary Lee Center married James Berry Rhinehardt. Alma Center married Wilbur Alexander Poston. Thomas Marion Center, Jr., married LaVerne Geddings. Miriam Center married Heward Clinton Cooper. Katherine Center married P.L. McRaney.

Contributed by:
Miriam Sprott

Coleman Family

The Coleman family emigrated from Wales to Virginia. The James Wyatt and Elizabeth Pickett Cason Coleman family settled in Fairfield County, around 1775.

In 1897, Joseph Hines Coleman, son of James and Elizabeth Coleman, married Martha Walker Harrison, daughter of Lunsford Swanson and Mary Walker Harrison, of Ridgeway. Joseph was a clerk in Ruff & Company grocery store in Ridgeway, and he and Martha had eight children. The youngest was only thirteen months old when Martha died and Joseph's mother, Elizabeth, lived with the family from then until her death. In 1923 Joseph married Jane Irene Crumpton of Ridgeway. Both are now deceased. Joseph's and Martha's children are listed below:

Pauline Elaine, Martha Josephine and Joseph Walker (twins), Mary Helen, Maude Elizabeth, Lois Douglas, Ethel Mae, and Hugh Harrison Coleman.

Pauline began her career at an early age as a secretary at South Carolina Baptist Headquarters and remained there for forty-one years and nine months. She is now married to Rev. B.B. Jernigan of Columbia.

Josephine, a school teacher, married James Wilburn Lewis (deceased), a farmer and sawmill operator in Greenbrier Community. They had three daughters-Lucy Josephine, Betty Elaine, and Helen Jane Lewis. Josephine now lives in Sumter with Betty.

Lucy, now Mrs. Quay Williford McMaster of Winstonsboro, was first married to Richard Henry Thomas (deceased) of Columbia and they had two boys-Richard Henry, Jr. (Ricky) and James Myer (Jimmy) Thomas. Ricky married Carlie Ann Lyles of Greenbrier Community and they have three children-Laura Ann, Dawn

Lenoia, and James Quay Thomas. Corporal James Myer Thomas died in Vietnam in 1964.

Betty married Thomas Hamilton Davis, Jr. of Columbia and Sumter, and they have two children-Martha Elaine and Thomas Hamilton Davis, III ("Tee"). Elaine is married to William Charles Harrington of Florence, and they have a son, Coke Hamilton Harrington. "Tee" married Dianna Josephine Drakeford of Sumter and they have a son and daughter-Thomas Hamilton Davis, IV and Lauren Sutler Davis.

Helen married James Francis Wilkes of Lebanon Community, Fairfield County, and they have four children-Helen Diane, Barbara Ellen, James Francis Wilkes, Jr. (June), and Janet Kaye. Diane is married to Ronnie Goebel of Columbia and is the mother of two daughters-Ashley Wilkes and Kacy Diane Goebel.

Joseph (Josephine's twin), a school superintendent and educator for forty-four years, married Carolyn Key of Rodman, and they had three children-Jennie Bartlett, Joseph Walker Coleman, Jr., and Mary Martha. Joseph died in 1978 at age 75.

Jennie is married to Rev. David Leroy Shirkey and has two children-Cheri Caroline and David Leroy Shirkey, Jr.

Joe, Jr. married Martha Taylor of Columbia and they have two children-Joseph Walker Coleman, III and Kelly Jo Coleman.

Mary married Jacoby Gordon Cartrette of Marion, and their three daughters are Mary Jennie, Jobi Martha, and Cobi Gordon Cartrette.

Helen, a nurse, was first married to Claude Atteberry (deceased) of Columbia and is now Mrs. Samuel A. Crawford of Columbia.

Maude was also a nurse and she, too, was married twice. She and her first husband, Shep Crouch (deceased) of Columbia, had one daughter-Elizabeth Ann (Libby) Crouch. Maude's second husband, Harold Courtney of Augusta, Georgia, is now deceased.

Libby is married to John Charles Logue of Swainsboro, Ga. and had three children-Charles Courtney, Stephanie Ann (deceased), and John Michael. Charles married Katharine Elise Donothan of Augusta and has two children-Russell Courtney and Heather Michelle Logue. Michael married Virginia Elaine Woodring of Augusta. Stephanie died in a tragic automobile accident.

Lois married Joe Edward Bradham of Salters, and they operated a grocery store there for many years. They now live in Charleston.

Ethel, a nurse, married Alfred Lee Toler (deceased) of West Virginia. She retired from E.I. DU Pont de Nemours & Company, Inc. after almost twenty-five years as a nurse there and lives in Camden.

Hugh is married to Evelyn Thomas of Kinston, North Carolina and they have three children-Barbara Evelyn, Sylvia Carol, and Hugh Harrison Coleman, Jr. Hugh, Sr. served in the Army overseas, and as a Lt. Colonel was active in Reserve Affairs. Before retirement he was first a

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mechanical engineer and then in sales. The Colemans now live in Charleston.

Barbara is married to Howard Phillip Andrews and had three children-Edward Watkins (deceased), Thomas Phillip, and Samuel Howard Andrews.

Sylvia is married to Charles Harry Blich, Jr. and has two children-Rachel Allison and Charles Harry Blich, III (Trey).

Hugh, Jr. married Vickie Elaine Hall and they have a son, Hugh Harrison Coleman, III (Hank).

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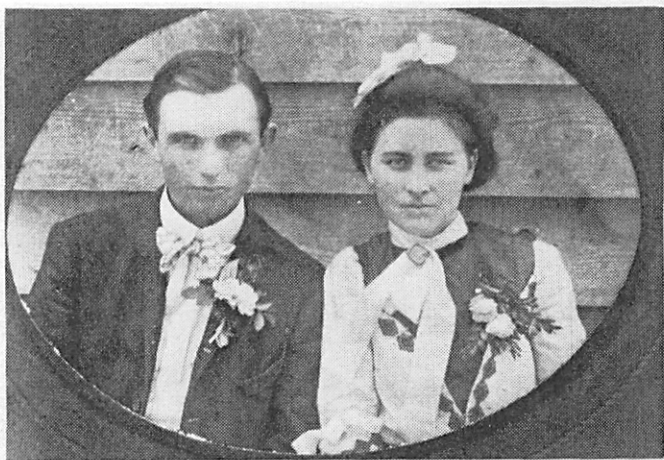


The Coleman Clan

This photo, taken in 1944, shows the following members of the Coleman family. Seated: J. Bradham, Harold Courtney, Claude Atteberry, J. Wilburn Lewis, Helen Jane Lewis, Betty Elaine Lewis, Joe W. Coleman, Jr., Mary Martha Coleman, Libby Crouch and Jennie Bartlett Coleman. Standing are: Maude Elizabeth C. Courtney, Lucy

Josephine Lewis, Mary Helen Coleman, Joe Hines Coleman, Evelyn Thomas Coleman, Capt. Hugh H. Coleman, Irene Crumpton Coleman, Martha Josephine Lewis, Lois Douglas Bradham, Pauline Coleman, Carolyn Kee Coleman, Joseph Walker Coleman and Ethel Mae Toler. Picture was taken after Capt. Hugh Coleman's return from overseas.

Collins Family



Owen R. and Katie Della W. Collins

Owen Rockwell Collins

Owen Rockwell Collins was born in Fairfield County March 6, 1883, and married Katie Della Wilson 1-6-1906. He was the son of Wyatt Wesley Collins and Rebecca Elizabeth Hood of Fairfield County. He was one of the first people to organize the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints in the county. He was a member of the Sunday school board in Centerville, where the members were persecuted for joining the new religion that was so strange to many. The missionaries were tarred and feathered; some were killed. Mobs would mask themselves by night and attack members, and by day they entered Mormon homes looking for the missionaries.

Most of the members of Owen Rockwell Collins' family are members of the LDS Church today. He and Katie had fourteen children, including two sets of twins. The children were:

Jessie Myrtle, born 12-4-1906, married Henry Otis LeGrand 6-7-1924.

William Wesley, born 4-30-1909, married Estelle Dinkins 5-1-1927, died 12-31-1952.

Mary Elzie, born 10-24-1911, not married.

Nina, born, 3-19-1914, died 3-20-1932.

Ethel Lorene, born 7-4-1916, married Robert Andrew Ramsey 1-13-39.

Essie RosaBell, born 11-3-1918, married Edward Crossland 5-1-35.

Elroy (a twin), born 4-24-21, married Minnie Lee Goldman 9-6-1940.

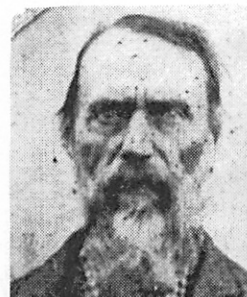
Elise (twin), born 4-24-21, married Glen Alexander Ramsey 12-29-37.

Grace Beatrice, born 8-14-24, married William Wesley Till 5-11-38.

Alice Rebecca, born 8-7-1926, married James Dwight Cooper, 7-7-1944.

Howard Rockwell, born 12-4-29, married Gwendolyn Jane Brewer (a twin) on 7-20-52.

Harold Owen, born 12-4-29, married Helen Christine Varnadore 7-7-51; died 11-13-71.



William James Collins

William James Collins

William James Collins was born in Lancaster County 2-11-1821, and married Mary Rowena Rose 11-1847, in Fairfield County.

Mary Rowena Rose was born 9-29-1826 in Fairfield County. She died 8-25-1886. She was the daughter of Amos Rose from Nash County, N.C., and Mourning Evans, granddaughter of Burrell Rose and Sherrod (Sherwood) Evans and Martha Manning. She was the great-granddaughter of John Evans and Ann Culpepper (1740-1806). William James died 3-4-1900. There is not much information about his parents. His children are:

Wyatt Wesley, born 8-13-1848, married Mary Boney 12-26-1879, died 3-31-1924.

William Calvin, born 8-16-1850, married Mary Melvina Eliza Rivenback, died 1-31-1923.

Mary Elizabeth, born 8-11-1853, died as a child.

Ella Julia, born 3-22-1860, married Lawrence Bertrand Wilson 12-21-1876, died 11-7-1929.

Lucy Nancy, born 10-8-1862, never married.

Wyatt Wesley Collins

Wyatt Wesley Collins was born 8-13-1848, in Fairfield County, and married Rebecca Elizabeth Hood (born 5-14-1849 in Richland County) on 11-1-1874. He died 3-31-1924, and she died 11-16-1944. He was the son of William James Collins, born 2-11-1821 in Lancaster, and Mary Rowena Rose, born 9-29-1826, in Fairfield. He was married first to Mary M. Boney on 12-26-1872. She was born 1-1-1848, and died 1-18-1874. They had one son, John, born 1-18-1874, died 1-18-74.

Wyatt Wesley and Rebecca Elizabeth had eight children:

Ella Jane, born 9-22-1875, died 7-11-1914, married Jim Skeens.

Mary Maria, born 3-23-1877, died 1-10-1961, married James Addison Joyner 4-10-1898.

William Calvin, born 3-5-1879, died 5-24-1960, married

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Lula Oneida Player 12-19-1906.

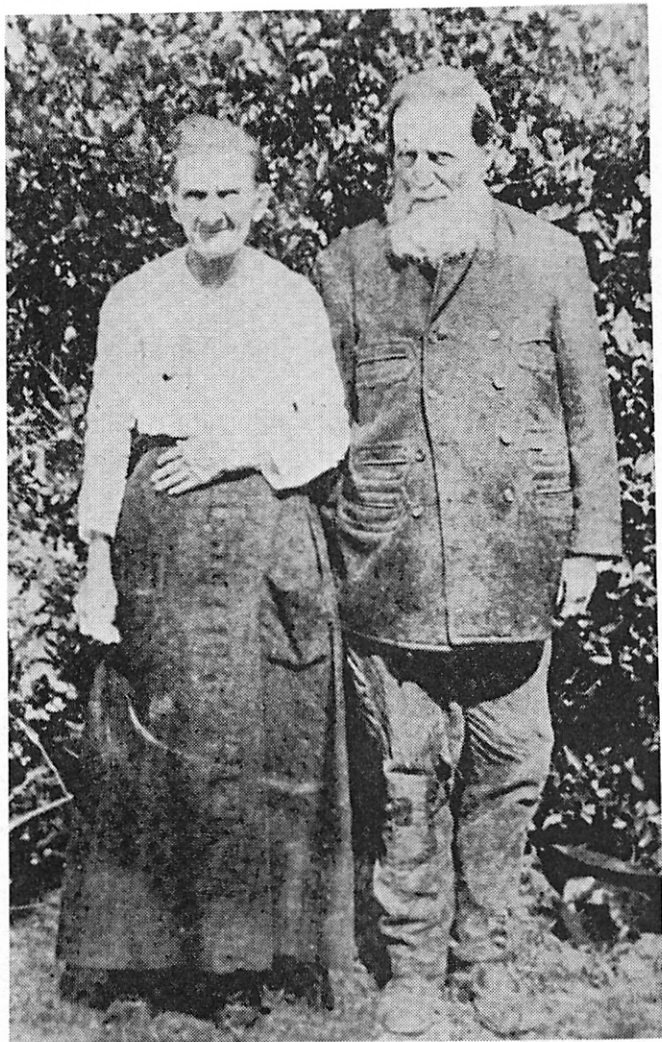
Elizabeth Rebecca, born 4-21-1881, died 2-21-1965, married Herbert Calhoun Joyner 11-25-1900.

Owen Rockwell, born 3-6-1883, died 10-6-1961, married Katie Della Wilson 1-7-1906.

Lucille Abbey, born 6-25-1885, married Claude L. Man-
cey, 1-24-1925.

Fannie Dora, born 6-29-1888, died as a child.

Hattie Jemima, born 6-17-1891, died 8-16-1966, married
Ed Rowe 1-20-1916.



Rebecca Elizabeth Hood and Wyatt Wesley Collins

Carroll Family

The Carroll family came from England in the latter part of the 17th Century and settled mainly in Maryland. There is a town in Maryland today that bears the name of Carrollton. One of this family, by the name of Charles, lived there. He was a signer of the Declaration of Independence. As he was about to sign his name, someone suggested that since there were others by this same name

the British could not seek him out to lynch him if the colonies lost. To show he was not afraid, he boldly wrote "Charles Carroll of Carrollton".

Joseph Williams Carroll, grandfather of the families of Ethel Carroll Pope, Jeanette Carroll Turner, Fern Carroll Lemmon and Haskell Carroll in Fairfield County, was enlisted in the War Between the States. He was a volunteer in the Palmetto Sharpshooters, the first regiment to leave from South Carolina. He went in as a private and was promoted up to first lieutenant.

Joseph Williams Carroll was named for his grandfather Williams, who fought in the Battle of Kings Mountain in the Revolutionary War. He was wounded at the Battle of Gettysburg.

Submitted by:
Kathleen Lemmon

James Carl Chambers

James Carl Chambers, born 4-19-1900, at Canton, Ga., married Anna Cross, born 1-18-1901, at Gainesville, Ga., on 7-4-1920, in Gainesville.

They moved to Winnsboro in June, 1937, and James Carl died in June, 1948.

They had two children. James Carl Chambers, Jr., was born 4-24-1921 at Gainesville, and married Josephine Gurak of New York City in 1951, at Las Vegas, Nev. They have two sons, James Carl III, born 6-1953, in Los Angeles, Calif., and William Stanley, born 2-1955, in Los Angeles.

Martha Ree was born 6-8-1927, at Canton, and married Travis Reynolds of Fairfield County 2-1947. They have six daughters, Virginia Dale Connor, Joanna, Nancy Runette Woolfley, Susan Carl Wilkes, Patti Ruth Smith and Travis Renee Boyter.

Connor Family

William Connor came to America from Ireland with his father, his brother, David, and his sister, Peggy.

William Connor married Barbara Moorner, and they had the following children: John Connor married Betsy Rhodes; Jacob Connor married Sophie Shuler; David Connor married Susan Seigler; Ezar Connor married Mary Rigby, Rachael Connor married (1) George Smith and (2) George Thompson; Margaret Connor married David Carn; Ann Connor married Lewis Carn.

Jacob Connor (Aug. 24, 1799-Oct. 20, 1882) married Sophie Shuler (March 4, 1801-Dec. 31, 1874). They had the following children: Lewis Connor married Mary Mellard; Frederick married Martha Mims; Jacob S. Connor married Miriam Lumpkin; Benson Connor married Amanda Livingston, Elizabeth Connor married Frank Rast.

Jacob Sylvanus Connor (May 6, 1830-July 12, 1891) and

Miriam Lumpkin (June 19, 1840-May 21, 1900) had the following children: Mary Tallulah married James Nathan Center, Rosa married Thomas M. Jordan, Eunice married Dr. Pressley, and Mr. Frank Clark; Claud Connor married Ruby; Julian Connor married Josephine; Albert Connor married Annie Skinner and Elizabeth Smith.

Rev. Jacob Sylvanus Connor attended Cokesbury Conference School and received a graduate certificate. He joined the South Carolina Methodist Conference in 1872 and located in Winnsboro where he lived until his death. He is buried in the Methodist Cemetery in Winnsboro.

CRUMPTON FAMILY



Crumpton Family

Three generations of Crumptions now live in Ridgeway. From left to right are, seated: Louise C. Smith and Kate C. Whitlock. Second row, Marguerite Crumpton and children Lina Marguerite and Henry Logan, Jr. On the back row is Joseph Norwood Crumpton.

There have been eight generations of Crumptions in Fairfield County, beginning with Henry Crumpton born in North Carolina in 1730. He came to Fairfield County as a young man, met and married Eleanor Rabb. They were deeded a tract of land between the Broad and the Little rivers by Eleanor's father, Alexander Rabb. Henry was a charter member of "Gibson's Meeting House," a log building that later became Little River Baptist Church. Henry either sold or gave to the ARP congregation a small plot of land on Little River for a "Brick Meeting House" called Ebenezer in 1787. We know this structure today as the "Old Brick Church." Henry died in 1807. There were six children.

Alexander was married twice and was the father of nine children, six sons and three daughters. Only two of the sons remained in South Carolina. Alexander was a plantation owner.

Zachariach A. Crumpton was born between 1790 and 1800. He married Lidia McCants. There were several

children.

Zachariach (A or C) was born in 1812. He served in the War Between the States as a private. He was a prisoner of the War for a short time. After the war he moved to farmland near Ridgeway. He married Jane Boulware and five children were born.

Henry Lawson was born in 1851. He owned and operated a farm. There were nine children. Today two are still living in Ridgeway; Mrs. Lila Louise Crumpton Smith and Mrs. Kate Mood Crumpton Whitlock.

Norwood Zachariah Crumpton was born in 1882, married Lina Tidwell in 1916. He died in 1942. There were four children; Zachariach "Zack", Joseph Norwood, Henry Logan, and Mamie Carolyn.

"Zack" Crumpton married Helen Chappell of Jenkinsville, where they now reside. They have two sons; Charles Norwood, and Zachariach Thompson. Charles married Sara Johnson of Birmingham, Ala. They make their home in Hartford, Ala. with their two children; Sarah Lynn and Charles Norwood Jr. "Tommy" married Molly Houck. They have two children Betsy and Amiee.

Joseph Norwood married Edith Schindler Kattmann. They make their home in Ridgeway.

Henry Logan married Marguerite Miley Webb of Chappells. They have two children; Henry Logan Jr. and Lina Marguerite. Henry Logan Sr. died in May 1956. They live in Ridgeway.

Mamie Carolyn married William Benjamin Scott. There are three children; Sherry Lynn, William B. Jr. and Sally, all live in Columbia.

CRAWFORD FAMILY

David Porter Crawford (1821-1892) married 15 June 1849 in Drumbo Parrish, Ireland, to Sarah Anne Black (1830-1906). He was the son of John Crawford. She was the daughter of Hamilton Black.

Encouraged by his brother, Samuel (1830-1910), who was living in Fairfield County, they emigrated from Liverpool on the "ARLINGTON," captained by Samuel Rion, arriving in Charleston Harbor where their second child was born 7 Oct. 1852 on board ship.

Their children were: Mary Jane (1850-1921), married William J. Burley (1849-1930); Samuel Rion (1852-1940), married Sarah Frances Crowder (1861-1938); Margaret Ellen; Elizabeth Ann born 1862; Sarah Rebecca born 1867; Barbara Anna (1872-1929), married John Wylie Neal; and William John Hamilton born 1876.

Samuel R. married on 7 Dec. 1881 to Sarah Frances Crowder, daughter of William James and Jamima Dye Crowder. They farmed in the Salem community and reared these children: Lillie Mae (1882-1961) married James W. Ederington; James David (1886-1956) married Lillie Belle Minter; Robert Walter (1888-1905); Flora Belle (1891-1978); Ernest B. (1874-1969) married Pauline

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Turner; William Douglas (1896-1971) married Audrey Faircloth; Thomas Pressley (1899-1951) married Virginia Young; Pearle (1901-1980) married James E. Wylie; Charles Rion (1904-1973) married Alice Faircloth and Mary Helen (1908) married Arthur Earl Jeter.

submitted by:
Sarah W. Arnette

Douglas Family

Thomas Goulding Douglass' father's name was Charles Brown Douglass, born 1801, died 1851, who married Sarah Jane Crosby January 2, 1834. Alexander Douglas, the original Douglas, and Charles Brown Douglass are buried in the old stone manse Presbyterian Cemetery six miles north of Winnsboro, S.C. off the Newberry Highway. Thomas Goulding was one of ten children: 1) First born, October 14, 1834, died October 16, 1834, (lived two days).

2) Thomas Goulding Douglas, M.D. born near Jenkinsville. Married Charlotte R. Rabb who lived near Jenkinsville where she was born in 1845. She had one brother whose name was Willoughby Rabb. Thomas Goulding was named for a Baptist Minister.

3) Mary Ann married Thompson Chappell.

4) David Scott was killed in the Civil War. He was in company SCV. He died from wounds received in the battle of Gines Mill on the 27th day of June, 1862.

5) Nancy Jane married Dr. S.B. McLaurkin from Dark Corner, S.C.

6) Sarah Crosby married a Mr. D.L. Glenn from Jenkinsville, S.C.

7) Charles Cummings.

8) Martha Rebecca married Joseph McMeekin. He had four sisters. Lula married a Mr. Chappell. One married a Mr. Caldwell; one married a Mr. Shedd. Emma married a Mr. Suber from Silverstreet, S.C.

9) Emma Charity married Dr. W.M. Meador who lived near Union, S.C.

10) Charles Brown Douglass, Jr., lived in Jenkinsville-buried in Shiloh Cemetery.

Thomas Goulding's bachelor uncle, James Douglas, originally owned Thomas Goulding's home and much land. This was assigned to Thomas Goulding; he raised his family in this home. He worked with Dr. Thomas Furman who lived about three miles south of Monticello. The Furmans were a rich family of the best standing in highest order in Fairfield County and it was quite an honor for the young doctor fresh from college to be associated with a physician of Dr. Furman's skill and standing. Dr. Furman's family originated Furman University in Fairfield County. Thomas Goulding's wife, Charlotte, was the daughter of Johnathan Rabb.

Now we take up the four sons of Charlotte and Thomas Goulding Douglass:

1) James Edgar Douglas, M.D., born 1864, died 1946, buried in ARP Cemetery.

(2) Thomas J. Douglas born 1866, died 1952, buried in New Hope Cemetery, Douglass, S.C.

3) Charles Harrison Douglas, born 1868, died 1935, buried in ARP Cemetery, Winnsboro, S.C.

4) John Willoughby Douglass, M.D., born 1876, died 1950, buried in New Hope Cemetery, Douglass, S.C.

James E. Douglas

A. James Edgar Douglas, M.D. married Margaret Jeanette Stevenson, born 1865, died 1929, buried in ARP Cemetery in Winnsboro, S.C. He designed and had the Douglas Building constructed in or around 1928; it is still standing on main street in Winnsboro.

Their children are:

1) Elizabeth Rebecca Douglas born in 1887, died in 1963, buried in ARP Cemetery, Winnsboro.

2) Mayme Emma Douglas, born in 1889, died in 1966, buried in ARP Cemetery, Winnsboro.

3) James Edgar Douglas, Jr., M.D. born in 1891, died in 1956, buried in Methodist Cemetery, Winnsboro.

4) Robert Thomas Douglass, Dentist, born in 1893, died in 1970, buried in Presbyterian Cemetery, Winnsboro.

5) Lily Ray Douglass, born in 1896, died in 1970, buried in ARP Cemetery, Winnsboro.

6) Charles Milton Douglas, dentist, born in 1899, died in 1980. Buried in Hickory Grove, S.C.-ARP Cemetery.

(a) Elizabeth Rebecca married William Pope McMeekin. He was a dentist and practiced in Columbia, S.C. Also in real estate.

(b) Mayme Emma never married and taught school for 42 years.

(c) James Edgar, Jr., M.D. married Annie Gibson, who was born in 1891 and died in 1954. She is buried in the Methodist Cemetery in Winnsboro. Her mother's name was Margaret McDowell, born in 1856, died in 1934, buried in the Methodist Cemetery, Winnsboro; Annie's father's name was Stark Sims Gibson who was born in 1841, died in 1909, buried in the Methodist Cemetery, Winnsboro. He was previously married, lived near Union. James Edgar, Jr. served on the Winnsboro Town Council 30 consecutive years (1925-1955).

(d) Robert Thomas, Dentist, married Wilhelmina Mayes who was born in 1896, died in ?.

(e) Lily Ray married Maynard Jefferson Davis.

(f) Charles Milton, dentist, married Martha Miller.

1. Elizabeth and William Pope McMeekin were married in 1910. Their children are:

(a) Hayne D. McMeekin-born in 1911, died July 13, 1974, married Nellie Ladd from Winnsboro. They had two boys. Hayne was a successful business man in Winnsboro; he served in the House of Representatives for one term.

(b) Sarah Jeanelle (Nelle) McMeekin born in 1913, died —, married Clyde E. Hinnant from Richland County. They had two boys; one girl that died at an early age.

(c) William Pope (Dudie) McMeekin born 1915, died in 1948; was a pilot in World War II. He was killed in a private plane crash in Fairfield County in 1948.

(d) Elizabeth Rebecca (Bessie) McKeekin, born 1917, married Reeves Sherrod from Tenn. They had one son.

(e) Edgar (Eddie) Gibson McMeekin born 1919, married Frances Speake from Laurens, S.C. They had two girls.

2. Mayme Emma Douglas. A brother's child, David McDowell, lived with her most of his life. In 1950 she retired from teaching school; in 1953 she had constructed the yellow brick house on Evans Street in Winnsboro where she and David lived until her death in 1966.

3. Annie and James Edgar Douglas, Jr., M.D. married September 1, 1920. Their children are:

(a) Anne Sims Douglas, born 1922, died 1977, married Wesley John Melvin from New Jersey in 1946. They had 2 girls and 2 boys.

(b) Margaret Jeanette Douglas, born 1923, lived about one year.

(c) Dorothy Douglas born 1924, married William R. Traylor from Ridgeway in 1948. They had two girls, one boy.

(d) James Edgar Douglas, III, born 1926, died 1973, married Florence Scott from Ridgeway in 1949. Buried in ARP Cemetery, Winnsboro. He had three girls.

(e) Carl Macie Douglas, born 1929, married Katherine Bennett from Georgia in 1951. They had two boys, one girl.

(f) David McDowell Douglas, born 1930, died 1978, married Carolyn Weed Jacobs from Winnsboro in 1969, who had one daughter, Deborah Carol. They had one son.

(g) Jimmie Milton Douglas, born 1934, married Brigitte Knopf from Germany in 1959. They had one son. He is with the S.C. State Board of Health, Columbia, S.C.

4. Wilhelmina and Robert T. Douglass, Dentist, were married in 1922.

Their children are:

(a) Wilhelmina Douglass, born 1923, died ?, never married. She was a school teacher.

(b) Robert Thomas Douglass, Jr., born 1925, died ?, married Mary Dawson from West Virginia. He is a successful business man in Camden, S.C. They had 2 boys, 1 girl.

(c) George Gregg Douglass, born 1928, married Clyde Brooks from Rion, S.C. in 1952. They had 2 girls, 1 boy.

5. Lily Ray and Maynard Jefferson Davis were married in 1917. Their children are:

(a) Margaret Davis, born 1918, never married, worked for the Veterans Admin. in Columbia, S.C.

(b) Maynard James Davis, born 1921, married Ruth Reed from Winnsboro, S.C. They had 1 boy, 1 girl.

Martha and Charles Milton Douglas, Dentist, married in 1932. Their children are:

(a) Addie Jane Douglas, born 1934, married Eddie White, an ARP minister. They had 1 girl, 1 boy (both adopted).

(b) Jeanette Douglas, born 1942, married Eddie Alexander who works at Shakespeare Company, Columbia, S.C. They had two boys. She was named for her Grandmother.

Thomas J. Douglas

B. Thomas J. Douglas married Georgia Shedd.

(a) Harold E. Douglas (1890) married Mary Lee Bell, born 1900.

(b) Thomas J. Douglas, Jr., married Ethel Graddick from Kershaw County.

(c) John L. Douglas married Geraldine McElrory in 1920. She was born in 1900, died in 1972.

(d) J. Pryor Douglas married Stella Sandifer.

(e) Irene Douglas married Robert Wilkes.

(f) Marie Douglas married Lewis Rosborough; after his death married C.C. Herlong.

1. Mary and Harold E. Douglas, Sr. were married in 1921. Their children are:

Harold E. Douglas, Jr. born 1922, Sara Elizabeth Douglas, born 1926, Leslie B. Douglas, born 1924, F. Marian Douglas, born 1931, Mary Ann Douglas, born 1933, Wallace S. Douglas, born 1936, Evelyn C. Douglas, born 1938, and Thomas G. Douglas, born 1941. Named for Thomas Goulding.

1. Harold E. Douglas, Jr. married Virginia Cooper. They had 2 girls, 1 boy.

2. Sara Elizabeth married Thomas Wells. They had 5 children.

3. Leslie B. married Bernice Mattox who died; had 4 children; second wife, Sandy Driggers, no children.

4. F. Marian married Barbara Cushing. They had two children.

5. Mary Ann married Joe Herring. They had 4 children.

6. Wallace S. married Jean White, they had 2 boys.

7. Evelyn C. married Ray Long. They had 4 children.

8. Thomas G. married Carol Love. They had 3 children.

2. Ethel and Thomas J. Douglas married in 1910. Their children are:

(a) Thomas Lee, born 1914, never married.

(b) Joe E. Douglas born 1917, married Sara Branham. They had 2 boys, 2 girls.

(c) Miriam C. born 1925, married Jesse Wallace. They had 2 girls.

3. Geraldine and John L. Douglas married in 1920. Their children are:

(a) William L. born 1920, died 1948, married Merriell New. They had 2 children.

(b) James Pryor (Bo Peep) born 1922, married Mildred Bell, had 4 boys, remarried Grace Taylor, had 5 children.

(c) David E. born 1924, married Sara Lou Edgemon, no children.

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(d) John M. Douglas, born 1926-1948, married Bessie Lee Moore. They had 1 boy.

(e) Samuel Shedd born 1928, died at age 9.

(f) Albert B., born 1930, married Phyllis Livingston, 4 children, remarried Annie Lee Powers, no children.

(g) Leonard W., M.D. born 1932, married Mary Ann Dubose. They had 2 boys.

(h) Isabel, born 1934, married Brice Blackwelder, no children, remarried David Summer, one child; remarried Odey Brown, 2 girls.

(i) Malcom, born 1936, married Joan Hollis. They had 3 boys.

4. Irene Douglas married Robert Wilkes. Their children are:

(a) Robert W. married Marion Carlyle. They had 1 child.

(b) Thomas married Wil Lou (Tody) Cooper. They had 5 children, 1 died.

(c) Gene married Virginia Brice. They had 5 children.

(d) Louise married Paul Lewis. They had 4 children.

(e) Georgia married Sammy Branham. They had 5 children.

(f) James Faye married Bertie Broome. They had 3 children.

(g) Lillian married William Rhymer. They had 2 children.

(h) Leslie married Darlene Isenhower, he died in 1971. They had 3 children.

(i) Essie married John Swearinger. They had 6 children.

(g) Earl married Gertrude Morgan. They had 3 children.

5. Marie Douglas married Lewis Rosborough. Their children are:

(a) One son, William Lewis (Billy) Rosborough, born 1926, married Betty Banks. They had 2 girls, 3 boys.

6. Children of Stella and Pryor Douglas are:

(a) Barbara married Harry Murphy. They had 3 boys, 1 girl.

(b) J. Morris married Doris Powers. They had 1 girl, 1 boy.

(c) Frederick married Cynthia Roberts, no children.

Charles H. Douglas

Now we take up the line of Charles Harrison Douglas, third son of Thomas Goulding Douglass:

C. Charles Harrison Douglas married May Chappel in 1903. She was born in 1877, died in 1947.

Their children are: Jesse Douglas born 1904; Charles H. (Buddy) Douglas, Jr., Dentist, born in 1905, died in 1966; Mamie Douglas, born 1910; Nelle Douglas, born 1913; Rebecca Douglas born 1916; and Catherine Douglas born 1918.

(a) Jessie married Sam Foster, lives in Georgia, no 40

children.

(b) Charles H. (Buddy) married Callie Fipch from York where he practices dentistry. They had 2 girls.

(c) Mamie married T.N. Thomas from Bethune; lives in Winnsboro. They had 1 girl, 1 boy.

(d) Nelle married S.W. Nock, lives in Virginia, no children.

(e) Rebecca married Herbert Vassey, lives in Chesnee, S.C. They had 1 boy.

(f) Catherine married John C. Stewart. They had 2 girls, 1 boy.

John W. Douglass

John Willoughby Douglass, M.D. married Maude Ives from Fla. Their children are:

(a) John W. Douglass, Jr., Dentist, born 1903, never married, moved to Greenville in 1940, where he practiced dentistry. In 1965 he retired and restored the original home of Thomas Goulding located in the Douglass Section of Fairfield County where he and his sister now live.

(b) Gene Douglass, law officer, never married, born 1905-died 1940.

(c) Maude Douglass, born 1918, never married, worked with the Welfare Department in Greenville where she moved in 1940. She returned to Fairfield County 1965, where she now works with the Welfare Department; she assisted her brother, John W., in restoring Thomas Goulding's home in the Douglass Section of Fairfield County where she and he presently live.

Hayne Douglas McMeekin

1. Children of Hayne Douglass McMeekin and Nellie Preston Ladd, married December 14, 1938.

Hayne Douglass McMeekin, Jr. born January 6, 1945. Graduated from Charleston Medical College, June 7, 1973, and John Stephen McMeekin born May 12, 1954.

2. Children of Sarah Jeanelle (Nelle) and Clyde Eugene Hinnant, married October 27, 1938.

Clyde Eugene Hinnant, Jr., born October 30, 1939; Jeanelle McMeekin Hinnant born December 26, 1943, died November 26, 1946; and James Milton Hinnant, born June 4, 1948.

3. Children of Elizabeth Rebecca McMeekin and Reeves J. Sherrod, married November 19, 1944.

William Pope Sherrod born May 17, 1949. Graduated from Erskine College Due West, S.C.

4. Children of Edgar Gibson (Eddie) McMeekin and Frances Elliott Speake, married June 30, 1948.

Rebecca Elliott McMeekin born March 4, 1951. Graduated from Furman University, Greenville; and Elizabeth Douglass McMeekin born April 21, 1952.

5. Children of Anne Sims Douglas and Wesley John Melvin:

Anne Douglas Melvin born May 24, 1947; Wesley John Melvin, Jr. born June 2, 1950; Kathryn Stella Melvin born January 19, 1953; and Harry Terrell Sims Melvin born November 7, 1956.

6. Children of Dorothy Douglass and William Ruff Traylor:

Dorothy Isabell Traylor, born March 25, 1952; William Ruff Traylor, Jr., born May 31, 1953, and Sallie Douglass Traylor born August 17, 1960.

7. Children of James Edgar Douglas, III and Florence Scott:

Marguerite Scott Douglas born August 21, 1949. Graduated from Erskine College, Due West, S.C.; and Florence Ruth Douglas born December 25, 1953; and Jane Richards Douglas born October 22, 1958.

8. Children of Carl Macie Douglas and Katherine Bennett:

Carl Macie Douglas, Jr., born August 9, 1953; James Gibson Douglas born September 3, 1955; and Katherine McDowell Douglas born April 8, 1959.

9. Children of David McDowell Douglas and Carolyn Weed Jacobs:

David McDowell Douglas, Jr., born June 27, 1970.

10. Children of Jimmie Milton Douglas and Brigitte Knopf:

Jimmie Milton Douglas, Jr. born March 29, 1963.

11. Children of Robert Thomas Douglass, Jr. and Mary Dawson:

Mary Elizabeth Douglass, born April 21, 1952; Robert Daniel Douglass, born January 5, 1954 and William Thomas Douglass, born February 20, 1956.

12. Children of George Gregg Douglass and Clyde Brooks:

Janet Lynne Douglass, born February 16, 1954; George Gregg Douglass, Jr., born February 3, 1957; and Susan Brooks Douglass, born February 13, 1960.

13. Children of Maynard James Davis and Ruth Reed.

Maynard James Davis, Jr., born August 11, 1948. Graduated from Clemson University, Clemson, S.C.; and Kathleen Ruth Davis born July 2, 1954.

14. Children of Addie Jane Douglas and Harry Clifford White:

Martha Miller White born January 15, 1964; and Harry Clifford White born October 25, 1968.

Children of Margaret Jeanette Douglas and Edward Click Alexander:

Charlie Douglas Alexander born July 12, 1968; and Edward Click Alexander, Jr. born September 6, 1963.

Robert W. Durham

Robert Winfield Durham, b. 1785, Fairfield County planter, owned a large plantation on Dutchman's Creek. he was m. in early 1800's to Mollie (Molly) Eliza Ross.

R.W.D. died before 1860 in Fairfield, and his wife d. before 1880 in DeSoto Parish La. where she had gone to live after 1865, and most of her children followed.

Their ten children were: Ausmond; Dr. Chasnell Hitawer, b. 1819; Joel; Abner, killed in Mexican War; Robert, killed in Mexican War (1846-47); Martha Elizabeth, b. 1825 who m. Elijah Harrison Jones in 1846; John, b. 1829; William, b. 1832; Mary E., b. 1834 and m. Jim Nelson; Emma H. b. 1836 who m. Dr. A.J. Beall.

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Elliott Family

Daniel Elliott received land grants in Chester County, S.C., in 1771. He had come from Pennsylvania down the Appalachian Trail. The Elliotts were originally Lowland Scots who, along with Covenanters and other dissenters in Scotland, moved to Northern Ireland in the 17th century, because of religious persecution.

Daniel Elliott married Elizabeth Ferguson and lived near Richburg. During the Revolutionary War he furnished supplies to American troops. The oldest sons were in the militia. In June, 1780, he was murdered by Tories in his own yard as they plundered his place.

Children of Daniel and Elizabeth Ferguson Elliott: William (Aug. 17, 1759-1796) married Jane Gaston, Margaret (1761-Sept. 1807) married Charles Orr, Benjamin (June 17, 1763-Oct. 26, 1795) married Mary Gaston, Francis (no record), Daniel II (March 26, 1767-Nov. 15, 1807) married Mary McCullough, Jane (1769-?) married Alexander Douglas, Ebenezer (March 26, 1771-Aug. 26, 1849) married (1) Esther Gaston, (2) Margaret Mitchell Gillespie (3) Nancy Henry Boyd, James (Sept. 26, 1773-April 25, 1865) married (1) Elizabeth Wilson (2) Nancy Reid.

James Elliott

The youngest of the eight children of Daniel and Elizabeth Ferguson Elliott, James (Sept. 26, 1773-April 25, 1865), moved to Winnsboro where he was a silversmith. He also served as Clerk of Court of Fairfield County (1828-1846). He was an elder in Bethel Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church. In spite of being crippled from the age of ten, he lived to be 93 years old. He married first Elizabeth Wilson, second Nancy Reid.

Children of James and Elizabeth Wilson Elliott: John Wilson (May 20, 1807-March 13, 1831) never married, James McKinney (December 28, 1809-January 31, 1896) married (1) Eliza Catherine Buchanan, (2) Margaret Ann

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Black, William Reid (August 13, 1812-August 9 1847) married Sarah Yates, Henry Laurens (December 7, 1817-April 30, 1897) married (1) Mary Milliken McMaster, (2) Tirzah Ketchin, Harriet Jane (February 26, 1818-November 6, 1846) married William Marion. Child of James and Nancy Reid Elliott: David Aiken (May 24, 1827-September 22, 1854) married Rosa I. Hay.

Henry Laurens Elliott was a banker and planter. He was an elder in Bethel Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church. He first married Mary Milliken McMaster, daughter of John and Rachel Buchanan McMaster. His second wife was Tirzah Christine Ketchin, daughter of Rev. Thomas and Mary Christine McIwaine Ketchin.

Children of Henry Laurens and Mary Milliken McMaster Elliott: (1) John McMaster, killed at 18 years of age, in War between the States, (2) Laura Martha, married John P. Matthews, merchant of Winnsboro, (3) Rachel Eliza, married B.C. Rosborough. After his death

she married Rev. Neill E. Pressly, D.D., the first A.R.P. missionary in Mexico. (4) Margaret Milliken, married A. Fletcher Ruff, merchant and planter, lived in Ridgeway and Rock Hill. (5) Mary Jane, married Joseph Henry Cummings, businessman of Winnsboro.

Children of Henry Laurens and Tirzah Christine Ketchin Elliott: (1) Thomas Ketchin, married Carrie Aiken, (2) Ella Jeanette, married Robert Carpenter Gooding. She conducted a private school, (3) Lillie, married James Edwin McDonald, attorney of Winnsboro, (4) Harriet Marion, married James P. Caldwell, merchant of Winnsboro, (5) Anna Louise, married Rev. John R. McAlpine, Presbyterian minister. (6) Helen Laurens, died in infancy, (7) Henry Laurens, married Alexina Talley. He was a businessman in Columbia, (8) William Robert, married Kitty Rice. he was one of the first State Agriculture Agents sent out by Clemson College. He served as mayor of Winnsboro for many years, (9) Tirzah Christine, married Rev. Oliver Johnson, D.D., who was pastor of



T.K. Elliott Family

This picture of the family of Thomas Ketchin and Carrie Aiken Elliott was taken in 1921, on the porch of the Elliott home on Peay's Ferry Road. Seated, from left to right, are: Carolyn Ansley Elliott, Kitt Rion McMaster, Jr., Cornelia (Peggy) Elliott, Nelle Elliott McMaster, Helen Stevens Du Pre, Thomas Ketchin Elliott III. Standing, 1st row, are: Charles Finch Elliott holding Margaret Elliott, Katherine Flenniken Elliott (Mrs. Charles F.), Carrie Aiken Elliott, Nell Elliott Mc-

Master (Mrs. Kitt Rion), Eloise Woodward Elliott Du Pre, William Aiken Elliott.

Standing, 2nd row, are: Carrie Aiken Elliott (Mrs. Thomas K.), Thomas Ketchin Elliott, Kitt Rion McMaster holding Jane Marshall McMaster, Fayssoux Stevens Du Pre, Thomas Ketchin Elliott, Jr., and Henry Laurens Elliott.

Bethel A.R.P. Church for forty years.

Thomas Ketchin Elliott (Oct. 8, 1855-Nov. 25, 1930) married Carrie Aiken (Feb. 11, 1861-July 6, 1936), daughter of Dr. William Edward and Patsie Eloise Woodward Aiken. Thomas Ketchin Elliott was a graduate of Virginia Military Academy. He was president of The Winnsboro Bank, Fairfield Cotton Mill and Wylie Mills in Chester. He was an elder of Bethel A.R.P. and later Sion Presbyterian Churches.

Children of Thomas Ketchin and Carrie Aiken Elliott: (1) Carrie Aiken, a teacher, (2) Eloise Woodward, married Fayssoux Stevens DuPre', real estate insurance agent of Spartanburg, (3) Thomas Ketchin, Jr., married Cornelia Ligon McGary. He was an electrical engineer in New York City, (4) Charles Finch, married Katherine Fleniken, was a banker and industrial consultant, elder of Bethel A.R.P. and First Presbyterian, Columbia, (5) William Aiken, married Barbara Graf, was a real estate dealer in Washington, D.C., (6) Mary Ellen (Nell), married Kitt Rion McMaster, merchant and planter of Winnsboro, (7) Henry Laurens, married Ruth Guice. He was a wholesale merchant. Elder of Sion Presbyterian Church.

Mary McM. Elliott

Hugh McMaster married Margaret Killock; their son John married Rachel Buchanan; their daughter Mary Milliken McMaster married Henry Laurens Elliott; their children were: Laura Martha Elliott married John Palmer Matthews; Rachel Elliott married (1) B.C. Rosborough and (2) Rev. Neill E. Pressly; Maggie Elliott married Arthur Fletcher Ruff; Mary Jane Elliott married Joseph Henry Cummings.

Children of Laura Martha Elliott and John Palmer Matthews were: Elliott Palmer Matthews; John Elliott Matthews; Carl Stanley, Robert Kemper; Mary McMaster, Rachel Rosborough; Maggie Ruff; Palmer Aiken married Mary Alice Boulware; Henry Elliott married Elizabeth Brown.

Children of Rachel Elliott and B.C. Rosborough: Mary Elliott, Jennie. Children of Rachel Elliott and Rev. Neill E. Pressly: Rev. Bonner Grier Pressly; Dr. John Ebenezer Pressly; Rev. Henry Elliott Pressly. Rev. and Mrs. Neill Pressly were A.R. Presbyterian missionaries to Mexico as were their son and daughter-in-law, Henry Elliott and Mary Pressly.

William R. Elliott

William Robert Elliott, born October 10, 1872, married Kittie Rice on October 10, 1897; she was the daughter of Mary Carlisle and Spencer Morgan Rice of Union, S.C.

Three children were born of this union: Mary Carlisle (January 13, 1901), William Robert (November 13, 1904), and Spencer Rice (November 19, 1907).

Mary Carlisle married Robert Harris McDonald and they had one child, Mary Carlisle, born August 3, 1929. She married Meredith Word Chappell and they have one daughter, Margaret Carlisle Chappell, born October 14, 1962.

William Robert Elliott, Sr., died October 11, 1936.

Kittie Rice Elliott died March 20, 1953.

William Robert Elliott, Jr., died July 2, 1971.

Spencer Rice Elliott married Lucy Hill Doty Davis October 3, 1959; she died June 24, 1975, and he died July 24, 1976.

The deceased members of this family are buried in Bethel A.R.P. Cemetery in Winnsboro.

Evans Family

David Evans (died c. 1797), his wife, Mary Read Evans (died c. 1801) and their children emigrated from England to Charleston in 1784. He received his citizenship in Charleston in 1785, after which he and the family moved to Fairfield County. The children were David Read, Mary, Emily, Joseph, William and Elizabeth.

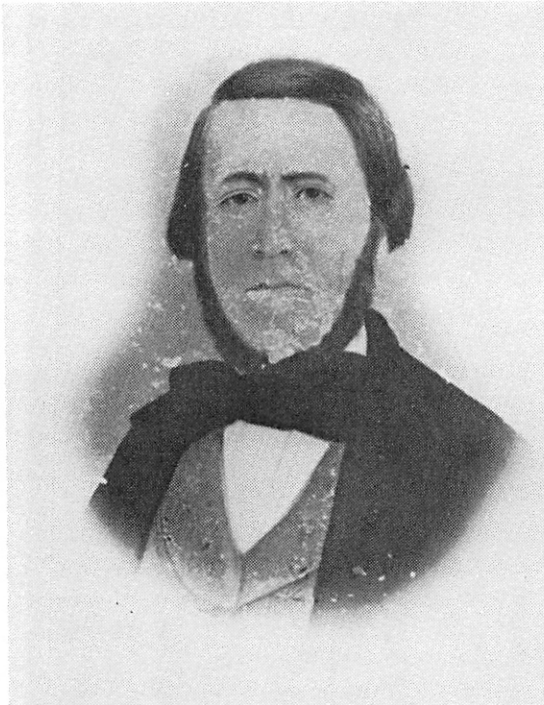
Traditionally, Mary married Minor Winn, Emily married James Winn and Elizabeth married John Winn. All three were sons of Colonel John Winn and Dorothea Wright.

David Read (1769-1843) practised law and became Judge of Ordinary in Fairfield County. He was among the petitioners to incorporate Sion Presbyterian Church. In 1804 he began service in public office, continuing intermittently until 1832. Margaret Winn (1779-1806), daughter of General Richard Winn, was his first wife. His second marriage was to Nancy Malinda Yongue (1787-1835), daughter of Rev. Samuel Yongue. There were no children by either marriage.

Joseph Evans (1778-1837) was educated as a lawyer but chose to become a planter. He married Elizabeth Havis (1797-1861) daughter of Jesse and Mary Willingham Havis. Their children were: Mary (1809-1853) married Hugh Y. Gladney (1800-1856); Martha (1811-1864) married William Gilbert (1804-1864); David R. (b. 1814) married first Mary Gladney (1830-1857); Joseph H. (1819-1855) married Mary Davis (1826-1856); John Winn (1823-1886) married Mary Martin (1824-1891); James (1826-1857) unmarried; Jane (b. 1832) married R.A. Herron (1826-1884); Obed; and Jesse. Descendants of this family now in the county are the children of Robert Evans and Sara Hall Arnette, Berry, Davis, Ed Mobley and William J.

Submitted by:
Sarah W. Arnette

Fenley Family



Joel Daniel Fenley

"Born in Fairfield District, S.C., Sept. 30, 1819" is the inscription carved on the tombstone of Joel Daniel Fenley, who died April 2, 1899. He and his brother, John McKemie Fenley, were among the first settlers of Uvalde County, Texas. They were the sons of Charles Dansby Fenley and Elizabeth McKemie, the latter being the daughter of Fairfield pioneers, Isham and Jane Vobe Dansby. John Fenley served in the American Revolution in the 6th S.C. Regiment. His father, another John Fenley, was killed in the Revolution. His widow, Mary, married William Powell, and there are many records of Fenley-Powell property transfers.

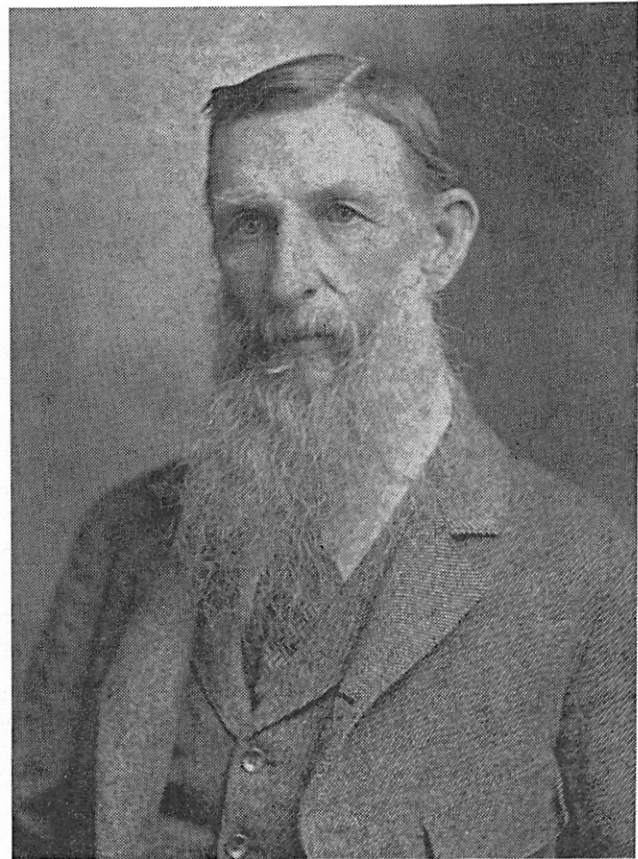
Charles Dansby was the oldest son of John Fenley and Elizabeth Dansby. Their other children were: Judith, who married James Ringer; Isham; Martha, who married Abel Gibson; Susan, who married Thomas Butrell; Daniel Dansby, who married (1) Ann Pearson (2) Elizabeth Kinsler (b. June 3, 1848, d. Dec. 28, 1906, buried in Old Cedar Creek churchyard); Nancy and Elizabeth. Records show all of the Fenleys quit-claimed their land interests to Daniel Dansby. He remained. He was a colonel in the Nullifiers, and he and his son, Joel Pearson, served in the Civil War. He moved his plantation from near Monticello to Cedar Creek. There in the old Cedar Creek churchyard, under a spreading magnolia, is the Fenley plot and Daniel's grave. He was born Feb. 8, 1802 and he died April 15, 1886.

They are all gone now, the Fenleys who helped settle

Fairfield County. Caught up in the westward movement, they pushed south and west, but records show that always in their hearts was a remembered homeland, the Fairfield District of South Carolina.

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Fetner Family



John T. Fetner, B. 2-16-1833

John Aberhart Fetner was born October, 21, 1760, in Charleston of German parents who were believed to be from the Palatine area of Germany. He moved to Gramby, in the Lexington District where he entered the Continental army at the age of 16. He is listed among the patriots who fought at Charleston, in the Battle of Fort Moultrie. He was later captured at Brier Creek near the border of South Carolina and Georgia. He was placed on a prison ship in Savannah, Ga. He was later recaptured and served under Colonel Lee until the end of the war. After the Revolutionary War he moved to Chester, and later to the Richland District where he died at the age of 86. He had three sons, Archibald Campbell Fetner, James

B. Fetner, and Alexander B. Fetner. Thus begins the connection with Fairfield County.

Archibald Campbell Fetner, born in 1795, married Jane Brown, daughter of Thomas Brown, a well-known Indian trader from Winnsboro. Archibald Fetner was a member of the 2nd regiment South Carolina Volunteers, during the War of 1812. He farmed most of his life and died in 1861.

Alexander B. Fetner married Mary Ann Brown, also a daughter of Thomas Brown from Winnsboro.

James B. Fetner was a member of the Tennessee Volunteers during the War of 1812. He left the state of South Carolina and his decedents still live throughout the Southeast.

During the Mexican War, James E. Fetner from Fairfield County entered the Palmetto Regiment. He was wounded at San Juan, Mexico, and died of these wounds on June 12, 1847. His name is encribed on the Palmetto tree in honor of the dead of the Mexican War. This tree is located at the State House. James E. Fetner's family received gold and silver metals for service during this war.

During the War between the States several Fetners served from Fairfield County. These are as follows:

William D. Fetner a member of the 12th S.C. Volunteers. He enlisted at Alston, in company F. He took part in the Wilderness, 2nd Manassas, Gettysburg, and Sharpsburg battles. He was wounded at Jerico Ford, Virginia, and died of these wounds in 1864.

Nathanel Fetner enlisted at Ridgeway, Feb. 12, 1861, and was a member of the 1st S.C. Inf.

David A. Fetner enlisted Nov. 21, 1861, company D, 7th Cal. S.C. Captured near Waynesboro, N.C. Feb. 21, 1865; died in prisoner of war camp May 3, 1865.

N.H. Fetner enlisted May 17, 1862 in Co. D. 7th Calvary S.C. paroled April 9, 1865, Appomattox Court House, Virginia.

T.A. Fetner enlisted June 10, 1864, co. D. 7th Calvary S.C.; paroled April 9, 1865, Appomattox Court House, Virginia.

John T. Fetner from Richland County moved his family to Fairfield County and entered the 1st North Carolina Inf. Co. H. He was captured at Salsbury, N.C. April 12, 1865; eventually released from POW camp in Ohio, June 13, 1865.

The Fetner family has lived in Fairfield County since the early 1800's. This is confirmed through Federal census records. There are two Fetner families in Fairfield County at this time and several other families in the Blythewood area which was originally in Fairfield County.

Submitted by:
Marion Fetner

Dr. Jessie B. Floyd

Jesse Blease Floyd, son of Samuel Russell Floyd and Susan Hicks Floyd, was born April 18, 1913 in Olanta. He was the sixth child in a family of eleven children.

His mother, Susan, died October 17, 1918, when Blease was only five years old.

In March 1919, his father, Samuel, married Susan's sister, Mettie Hicks.

Samuel died suddenly in November 1941, of a heart attack at the age of sixty-one. He was a prominent man in Olanta, a member of the Olanta School Board, chairman of the Florence County Governing Board of Commissioners, a member of the House of Representatives from Florence County, Postmaster of Olanta, a member of the Masonic Order and Bethel Baptist Church.

Jesse Blease Floyd was an ambitious and energetic child, eager to learn even at the early age of twelve when he decided he was going to be a doctor.

At the age of thirteen he went into business for himself. He bought ice from Sumter Ice & Fuel Company to be resold to a route of customers he had established. He and his father built a storage house, wrapped the ice in burlap sacks and covered it with sawdust. Blease established himself in this little ice business and used some of what he saved to help put himself through medical school.

His young life was full of going to school, playing sports, running his ice business, delivering papers to the local drug store to be sold, helping around the home of a large family, and he was very active as a member of Bethel Baptist Church. He was baptized in Lynchess River (Needles Eye section).

Upon graduation from Olanta High School he went to the University of South Carolina and the Medical College of Charleston where he received his MD degree in 1938.

He served his internship at Greenville General Hospital, Greenville.

In August 1939, he opened his private practice in Great Falls, and became very active in the community. He was a member of the First Baptist Church, Hejaz Temple of the Shrine, Lions Club, the S.C. Medical Assoc., President of the Chester County Medical Society, Mason and Chairman of the Board of Health.

After getting established in private practice in August he married in December 1939, a nurse he had met while at Greenville General Hospital, Miss Margaret Lewis Yongue of Pickens. They lived an active life in Great Falls until September 1946, when he gave up his practice to accept an appointment of City Health Commissioner of Greenville. But after five months in the position Dr. Floyd resigned because he loved and missed private practice. A quote from the Greenville County Medical Society Bulletin stated, "Dr. Floyd has led a very active

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life with a variety of experiences which come with a general practice and has found it difficult to settle down to a routine of a desk job."

His resignation was effective March 1, 1947 and he began his private practice in Winnsboro March 17, 1947. His office was located in the McMaster Drug Company building in the office formally occupied by Dr. J.T. Hardy.

Dr. and Mrs. Floyd lived in an apartment in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J.H. Aiken on Zion Street until their home was built on the Newberry Road (now known as Evans St.).

Their marriage was blessed with two children, Margaret Yongue Floyd born Aug. 29, 1949 and Jesse Blease Floyd, Jr. born March 18, 1952.

Dr. Floyd served as an Examining Physician in the Selective Service System of the United States from Nov. 12, 1940 to March 31, 1947.

In 1955, Winnsboro opened its new \$520,000 Fairfield Memorial Hospital and Dr. Floyd was the hospital's first Chief of Staff. He was elected President of Fairfield County Medical Society and was named delegate to the S.C. Medical Assoc. In 1956 he was appointed Fairfield County Health Officer.

Dr. Floyd, a great believer in education, completed a post graduate course in General Practice at Emory University School of Medicine in 1952, and a post graduate course in The Treatment of Heart Disease in 1976, which are only two of the many courses he was taken over the years. He has attended countless medical conventions.

In 1969, his wife, Margaret, died after a long illness of cancer, at the age of 56.

Dr. Floyd married again in 1970, to Margie Carlisle Perry, who had been his nurse for twenty-two years. This marriage enlarged his family with a step-daughter, Randy Murrell Perry Cole, and a grandson, Jeffrey Byron Cole.

After years of practice and much education, Dr. Floyd continued to get education. He completed the requirements to retain active membership in the American Academy of Family Practice (150 hours of accredited continuing medical study every three years).

The people of Winnsboro got together and donated money to have Dr. Floyd's portrait painted and hung in the Fairfield Memorial Hospital. So much was donated that they decided to establish a scholarship in his honor. So on March 16, 1975, the trustees of the Floyd Portrait Committee Educational Fund established a permanently endowed Scholarship Fund in the University of South Carolina Educational Foundation in honor of Dr. Jesse B. Floyd, a prominent Winnsboro physician, and a member of the class of 1934 at the University. This scholarship is one of his proudest moments and is most meaningful to him.

Many were saddened at his declining health and retirement, but no one was as deeply affected as he was.

He dreaded giving up the part of his life he loved so much, but he felt he should due to his own health and in fairness to his patients. As he said, "they need someone healthy they can count on to be there when they need him and I can't always be there for them now, so I must retire and get them set up with a good young doctor."

Upon retirement in 1980 from his private practice, he remains active as Fairfield County Health Officer, Chairman of the Board of Directors at the Bank of Fairfield, deacon and member of the First Baptist Church, membership in the Shrine, Mason, S.C. Medical Assoc., S.C. Public Health Assoc., American Academy of Family Practice, and Fairfield County Medical Assoc.

Other interest are football, baseball, and basketball games, fishing, and listening to music (partial to hymns). He is a farmer at heart and loves working in his yard and garden. And to many it will surprise them to know he is no stranger in the kitchen, he is a pretty good chef and one who cleans up his own mess.

The man is tireless, always doing something, he isn't one to be idle for too long.

His love for life, his church, family and friends is unlimited. He has appeared to be gruff and outspoken, but those who really know him will attest to his soft, tender love, devotion and generosity. He loves people and enjoys their company. He has given his family a special kind of love, devotion, and guidance.

As the writer, I only wish this history could reflect the man as we see him, that it could include the feelings of his many patients, the stories his patients tell of his devotion to them and his work. But then it wouldn't be a history, but a full-length novel about a dearly loved small town doctor who cared for his fellow man, who delivered a lot of babies, made house calls at all hours of the day and night, and who was very unselfish with his time and knowledge. A very dedicated doctor who made his mark in Winnsboro with his patients and family. An old fashioned doctor who didn't believe in sending out bills, because his idea was to cure the sick and if they could pay they would; if they couldn't or wouldn't, well sending them a bill wouldn't help.

This is the history of Dr. J.B. Floyd, our town's beloved family physician, retired, but still loved. He is one in a million as a doctor, family man, Christian and civic leader.

Children of Samuel Russell Floyd and Susan Hicks Floyd: James Kelly Floyd, Feb. 22, 1903; Grethal Mae Floyd, Oct. 27, 1904; Stephen Leroy Floyd, Nov. 27, 1906; Hattie Ruth Floyd, Sept. 22, 1908; Samuel Russell Floyd, Jr., Oct. 13, 1911; Jesse Blease Floyd, April 18, 1913; Susan Valorie Floyd, July 27, 1917.

Children of Samuel Russell Floyd and Mettie Hicks Floyd: Jack Hicks Floyd, May 4, 1920; Vernon Epps Floyd, Nov. 10, 1922; Hilma Mett Floyd, Aug. 3, 1924; Frankie Evelyn Floyd, Oct. 5, 1926.

The Fridy Family

The Fridys, Fridays, Fritigs, or Frietags, were among the very earliest Swiss settlers in South Carolina. John Fridy must have been quite young when he came to this country for he seems to have been married and had children in the early 1750s. There is no complete record due to name spelling until David Fridy died in Fairfield County in 1827. His wife's name was Amelia, or "Milly". They were parents of Thomas Washington Fridy, born March 28, 1825, and lived in Cedar Creek Community in upper Richland County. He married Frances K. Lever on March 29, 1849, daughter of Nancy Smith and John D.F. Lever of the Oak Grove Community, Richland County. To this couple were born nine children. Three, John D., Thomas L. and Nannie F., died in September, 1867, of typhoid fever. Frances K. died April 12, 1872, at the age of 44 years.

Two years later (11-26-1874) "Grandpa" Fridy married Georgiana Douglass, daughter of Joseph Douglass of Mt. Pleasant area of Richland County. To this couple was born four children. Grandpa was the father of thirteen children—all born at Cedar Creek were normal, healthy individuals. He died in May 13, 1895, at the age of 70. Georgiana died May 5, 1929, at the age of 79. She made her home with her son Lloyd and his family in Fairfield County the last 20 years of her life.

Of Grandpa's children, eight had Fairfield connections. They were:

William Jefferson Fridy is the grandfather of William Wallace Fridy, born December 25, 1910. Wallace was a Methodist minister for 38 years; editor of the S.C. Advocate for 5 years; and has written nine books. He is now teaching at Lutheran Seminary in Columbia.

James Marion Fridy (Jimmie), born February 18, 1855, married Emma King Rabb, daughter of the Calvin Rabbs of Monticello. Jimmie was a Methodist minister, also. His fourth child was Louise Fridy, born November 9, 1889. She married Rev. T.W. Munnerlyn, a Methodist minister, on December 10, 1910. Rev. Munnerlyn died of a heart attack in the pulpit in 1931. Louise was later made dean of women at Columbia College, where she served long and well. She died November 9, 1967.

Edwin G. Fridy (Ed), born March 6, 1859, married Minnie Irby of the Horeb community of Fairfield. They had four children. Rena, their daughter, married Asa Harman of Spartanburg and had one son. Rena taught at Bethel School for several years. The Ed Fridys moved to Brooksville, Fla., about 1914. Rena followed ten years later. This family had a pump organ which they gave the Old Brick Church, as Mrs. Minnie Irby Fridy dearly loved this church. This organ was stolen.

Stephen Lever Fridy was born July 29, 1864, and married on October 1, 1889, Willie Cauthen Jennings, born November 12, 1869, in the Bethel Community. She

was a sister of Marvin Jennings. They moved to Reddick, Fla., and their five children were born and reared there.

Lloyd Douglass Fridy was born April 22, 1876, and married Martha Jane Leitner of the Bethel Community. (See history in this book)

Hattie Josephine Friday, born September 1, 1877, came to Fairfield and lived with her brother Lloyd and his family for 40 years. She died May 10, 1961.

T. Heyward Friday was born January 12, 1880, and went to Texas as a railroad man and live in Temple. There he married and 41 years later his wife died. There were no children; he was alone and asked to come back to South Carolina and live with John and Ellen Fridy. He came in 1955 and lived with them until January 1, 1967.

Andrew Cauthen Fridy married Charlotte Stephenson of Kershaw County. They had three children. Their son, Cauthen, Jr., married Betty Johnson, daughter of the Leon Johnsons of Winnsboro, on December 2, 1949. They made their home in Columbia.

Lloyd Douglas Fridy

Lloyd Douglass Fridy was born April 22, 1876, in Cedar Creek, son of Thomas Washington and Georgiana Douglass Fridy. He married on April 18, 1907, Martha Jane Leitner, who was born January 30, 1880, in the Bethel Community. She was the twin daughter of John Daniel and Susannah Jane Leitner. Ancestors of Lloyd and Martha Fridy are given elsewhere in this history. This couple had four children. They are:

Mary Ann Friday, born February 24, 1908; attended Bethel School and graduated from Mt. Zion and Lander College. She taught in Brown School in Hickory Ridge, then went to Ehrhardt to teach and married Robbie Carter. They have one son.

Hattie Elizabeth Fridy, born May 26, 1910, lives in the Bethel Community; graduated at Jenkinsville High.

John Leitner Fridy, born April 30, 1912, in Bethel. Graduated from Jenkinsville High and was a farmer. Served in World War II for 36 months in U.S. Army. He married on February 15, 1948, Ellen Atkinson of Gresham, S.C. Ellen had come to Fairfield earlier as home demonstration agent, having graduated from Winthrop College. To this union were born twin daughters, Martha Helen and Barbara Ellen, on May 15, 1949. These girls were reared in the Bethel Community, attended Greenbrier Grammar School and graduated from Winnsboro High School in May of 1967. There were six sets of twins in this class! The Fridy twins graduated from Greenville General Hospital in September, 1970, as registered nurses.

Barbara married on October 10, 1970, Frank Winton Martin, born April 13, 1946, son of W.K. (Pepper) and

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Frances Bevins Martin of Winnsboro. They live in the Bethel Community and have one son, John Heath, born August 18, 1975.

Martha was married to James Erwin Renwick on January 23, 1971. He was born February 19, 1946, a son of Harold McGill and Elizabeth Whittle Renwick of Winnsboro. They live in Winnsboro and have three children: Alison Paige, born 5-19-73; Matt McGill, born 8-10-76; and Joseph Douglass Renwick, born 10-25-78.

The Franklin Family

George Harold Franklin and his wife, Anita Howle Franklin, came to the Greenbrier Community of Fairfield County in 1974, after having built a retirement cottage on Mossy Dale Road. George Franklin was born in Bradford, Pennsylvania, August 28, 1916, the second son of Horace George and Fern Jewell Franklin. He was reared on a farm in Warren County, Pennsylvania, and entered military service when the National Guard was federalized in 1941. He was sent to Europe in October of 1943 (three months after his marriage), where he fought in Africa, Italy and France. He again entered combat in Korea in 1952. After twenty years of service he retired as a Lieutenant Colonel and became involved in real estate and insurance sales in Columbia. He again retired when he sold his insurance and real estate agency and took up

gardening in Fairfield County.

Anita Franklin, the second daughter of William McIlwain Howie and Gladys Bouknight Howie, was born March 25, 1923, and reared in Columbia. After moving to Fairfield County she became a legal secretary in the Town of Winnsboro. She and her husband are the parents of a daughter, Nancy Franklin Mancill, and a son, George Harold (Binks) Franklin, Jr.

Nancy Mancill is the mother of two daughters, Elizabeth Buxton Mancill and Caroline Anita Mancill.

Binks Franklin and his wife, Marsha Jackson Franklin, are the parents of two daughters, Heather Rhea Franklin and Abby Louise Franklin, and three sons, George Harold (Tracy) Franklin, III, Benjamin Scott Franklin and Matthew Elias Franklin.

Gladneys in America

More than two hundred years ago the colonial government of South Carolina made an investment in settlers to colonize its territories inland from the coast. The Settlement Act of 1761, passed July 25, by the General Assembly of the colony, under consent of His Majesty, George III, awarded prospective settlers land for homesteading and as bounty, upkeep for a year.

It was this Act under which the first members of the Gladney Family entered the port of Charleston, South Carolina. It is doubtful that they were concerned with little except difficulties of the present. They were, nevertheless, committing themselves and their descendants to the Great Adventure of settling and exploring a continent, and of building a new nation.

On the morning of January 12, 1768, the Clerk of the Assembly reported to the Council, as recorded in the Council Journal, No. 34, p-24-33, "In pursuance of His Excellency the Governor's directive, I have this day been on board the snow (a type of ship). James and Mary, John Moore, Master, out of Larne, and administered oaths to such of the poor Protestants as were of age who had lately arrived in her into this Province on en-

couragement of Bounty given in the Act of the General Assembly of the Province, passed July 25, 1761--"

The clerk submitted the names of those to whom he had administered the oath, and the number of acres of land to which each was entitled. On this list, page 100, is the name of Samuel Gladney, (spelled Glegney), 30 years old; Mary Gladney, 28; and Joseph Gladney, 21. A diligent search of historical documents in the South Carolina Archives Library did not produce the name of the ship on which Jane Wilson Gladney, widow, and her two sons, Richard and Thomas, came to the colony. It is possible that these three members of the family came much earlier than Samuel and Joseph, preempted their land, and waited for survey as was customary.

Official survey of the land granted to Sameul was made "pursuant to a precept directed by the Honorable E.M. Leigh, Esq., Surveyor General, dated 12th day of January, 1768" and duly certified March 5, 1786. His land, 150 acres, was bounded on all sides by "vacant land", rectangular in shape, and was situated on a small branch of Jackson's Creek, Craven County, now Fairfield. Later Samuel received another grant of 100 acres in the same vicinity. Richard and Thomas Gladney held

Jane Wilson Gladney

Jane Wilson Gladney, a widow, emigrated to Charleston in the 1760's with four sons. She and her sons received land grants in Fairfield County, South Carolina. They had come from County Antrim, Northern Ireland. The father in this family, Richard Gladney II, had died in Ireland in 1754. The four sons were: Samuel, who married Agnes McCreight; Joseph, no record of marriage; Richard III, who married Jane Strong; and Thomas, who married Agnes Martin.

Jane Gladney and her four sons built homes, and developed their land grants in Fairfield County. Upon their deaths they were buried in the Gladney Cemetery located on their own land south of Lebanon Presbyterian Church. The cemetery has been restored by present family members and is well preserved considering it's early beginning.

Grandsons and granddaughters of Jane Wilson Gladney, along with many other families, moved westward, to other states, most receiving land grants, which may have induced them to move.

Like many early settlers the Gladneys and their descendants are to be found in many states. Mildred Gladney Arnold, author of the book, "Gladneys in America", is of the opinion that there is no other Gladney family living in this country other than the one originating in Fairfield County.

The movie, "Blossoms In The Dust", starring Greer Garson and Walter Pidgeon, was based on Mrs. Sam Gladney's dedication to children and her efforts to have "illegitimate" removed from birth records which most states have now adopted.

A national association of the Descendants of Richard II and Jane Gladney is incorporated in South Carolina, and a reunion is held once a year, the last weekend of July, in Winnsboro.

Gladney Coat of Arms

Gladney (also Gledney). Or three eagles displayed sable. No motto. This is the original, paternal grant of arms to the distinguished old family of Gladney, prominent in history for many generations. The arms was granted and recorded in the old College of Arms in London prior to the seventeenth century. It is simple in design because of its antiquity and bears no motto as these had not come into use generally at that time, and none was added later as some families did. The eagle was called the 'king of birds' and as such was a much-favored charge or blazon on the arms. The eagle was the symbol of great strength, watchfulness and courage. The term 'displayed' means pictured with wings wide spread and facing the front.

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grants of 100 acres each. The survey plats for which were completed and certified in 1771. Joseph's land was surveyed in 1772. Jane Wilson Gladney, widow, received her survey plat in 1773.

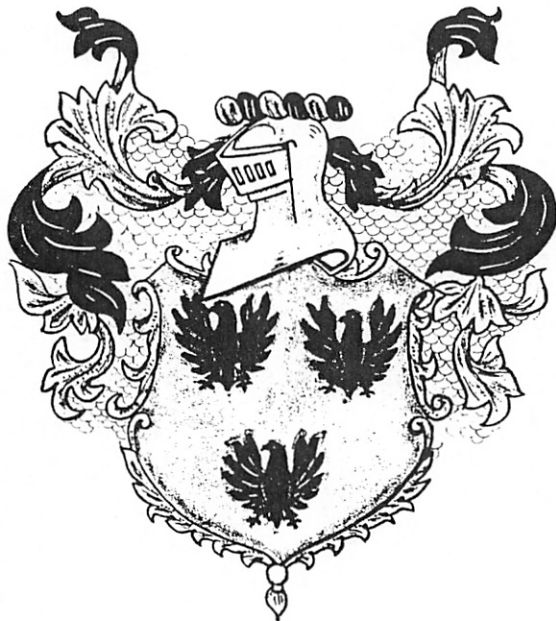
Joseph Gladney was a surveyor. Fitzhugh McMaster, in his history of Fairfield County, S.C., Chapter II, p. 16, wrote, "John Phillips, who during the Revolution was a Colonel in the British Army, had 2050 acres in land grants from 1761 to 1774. All of these were not in Fairfield County. John Winn and Joseph Gladney were surveyors for some of these."

Joseph's land located on a small branch of Jackson's Creek and the waters of Little River, adjoined the grants of Jane McBride, Archibald Paul, Ann Martin, Robert Martin, John Phillips, for whom he had been surveying, and Thomas Gladney. Thomas Gladney's 100 acres were situated on Reedy Branch of Jackson's Creek, bounded by land of John Phillips, Bartholomew Austin, and vacant land. The survey was made by Richard Winn, and certified February 10, 1771. Richard Gladney's tract was laid out in the shape of a square. Corner posts were indicated as "pine, post oak, red oak and old post oak". His neighbor on the northwest was Hugh McDaniel. Jane Wilson's land grant was irregular in shape, due, no doubt to the small branch of Jackson's Creek which rose on the northeast side of the property, and continued to the southeast corner. Drury Osten's land and Conally's grant bordered Jane Gladney's on the south and east. The survey was certified February 1, 1773 by Alexander Turner, Deputy Surveyor. The document given to Jane Gladney to certify her land grant, bearing the official seal of the Government, also bore the word "Bounty" transcribed across it. She was the only member of the Gladney immigrants whose grant was thus marked. There is no tradition in the family concerning the degree or conditions of her needs at the time she entered this country.

The journey from Charleston to the "Up-Country" required about three weeks.

The story of the "Widow Gladney" and her sons who became a part of the history of this country some 200 years ago is told here in deep appreciation for those generations now reaching across the continent. No effort has been made to trace the Gladney origin overseas. The tentative genealogy, in Northern Ireland, was contributed by Henry Grady Gladney, of Kansas City, Missouri. Tradition in all branches of the family maintains that early in the seventeenth century some members of the family emigrated from Scotland to County Antrim, Northern Ireland. Early researchers, working before records in Ireland were burned, confirmed these claims, without documentation. The coat of arms, used as a frontispiece, is treasured by earlier researchers including the late Mrs. Jane Gladney Butler, member of the Insitute of American Genealogy.

The colors also had a meaning, as follows: Or (gold) showed stainless honor and elevation of mind. Sable (black) denoted dignity and sobriety. The leaves around the shield are used for decoration only and have no special meaning.



Gladney

Glass Family

On December 24, 1884, in York County, John Simpson Glass (5-5-1862)-(6-29-1947) married Julia Matilda Steele (11-27-1862)-(6-21-1948). They have thirteen children: Margaret Lee Glass (3-10-1886)-(12-24-1975), Jessie Jane Glass (7-10-1887)-(3-7-1888), Cedic Glass (4-1-1889)-(10-24-1901), John Alexander Glass (1-11-1891)-(7-14-1976), Janie Arena Glass (10-7-1892)-(5-12-1894), Addie Enoree Glass (3-17-1895), Sallie Estelle Glass (2-4-1897), Mary Steele Glass (12-18-1898), Ruth Rodney Glass (12-22-1900)-(7-5-1940), Anna Elizabeth Glass (9-4-1902)-(1-15-1973), Josephine Miller Glass (1-10-1904), Julia Isabelle Glass (10-23-1906), and James Barry Glass (9-28-1909)-(10-17-1979), all born in York County, except Julia Isabelle and James Barry.

In December 1905, John Simpson and Julia Matilda Glass moved, with their eight living children, to the Mitford community of Fairfield County, where Julia Isabelle and James Barry were born. Margaret Lee married Barbara Ferguson Ford and moved to Great Falls. John Alexander never married and lived at the old home place near Mitford until his death. Addie Enoree married

Daniel Albert Oakes and moved to Florence. Sallie Estelle married William Brown Lumpkin and moved to Neal Shoals. Mary Steele married Joseph Gordon Cloyde and moved to Columbia. Ruth Rodney never married and lived at the old home place until her death. Anna Elizabeth married Robert Lee Moore and moved to Austin, Texas. Josephine Miller married Robert Childs Sharpe and moved to Columbia. Julia Isabelle married James Edgar Wrenn and moved to Great Falls. James Barry married Frances Clotielde Whitley and made their home in the Mitford community, until they moved to the old Stewart place in the Mossy Dale community of Fairfield County in January 1940.

James Barry and Frances Clotielde had three children: James Richard Glass (10-16-1932), John Preston Glass (9-10-1936), and Frances Rebecca Glass (6-10-1940). All three children attended Greenbrier High School. James Richard married Theresa Joan Plyler of Winnsboro on December 23, 1953, and after twenty years in the U.S. Air Force returned to S.C. and settled in Sumter. They had three children: Patti June Glass (4-8-1956), James Richard Glass, Jr. (1-17-1958), and Anna Ruth Glass (5-9-1970). John Preston Glass married Alice June Plyler (twin sister of Theresa Joan Plyler) of Winnsboro, on October 13, 1956, and after twenty-three years in the U.S. Navy, settled in the Mossy Dale community of Fairfield County. They had two children: John Preston Glass, Jr. (9-22-1957) and George Barry Glass (7-4-1960). Frances Rebecca Glass married Ronnie Eugene Price of Fairfield County, on August 23, 1958, and they live in the Mossy Dale community of Fairfield County. They had two children: Ronnie Eugene Price, Jr. (6-27-1966) and Aimee Clotielde Price (12-14-1970).

Goudelock Family

James Russell Goudelock and Nancy Ferguson Goudelock, along with their children Betty, age 7, Ella V., age 5, Bill, age 3½ and Steve, age 3 months, moved to Winnsboro in June of 1932 from Whitmire. Mr. Goudelock was in the mercantile business. He later worked for the Public Service Commission and then bought out F.M. Roddey Mercantile (grocery business). The original store burned and a new one was built and known as Nu Way Super Market in South Winnsboro. Mr. Goudelock also operated a dairy during these years, and a cattle farm. Mr. Goudelock died in 1964.

Elizabeth (Betty) Ferguson Goudelock finished Mt. Zion Institute and Winthrop College. She married William Gordon Cooper from Charleston in 1947 and moved to Charleston. They had one son. Betty died in 1964 from cancer.

Ella Virginia also finished Mt. Zion Institute and Winthrop College. She married Reese E. Griffin from Macon, Georgia, in December 1947. Reese is a Methodist

minister. They have three sons and now reside in New Milford, Connecticut.

William (Bill) Ferguson Goudelock was born in Rock Hill in 1929, and was 3½ yrs. old when he moved to Winnsboro with his family. He finished Mt. Zion Institute, attended Wofford College and graduated from the University of S.C. Bill served in the U.S. Marine Corps and was in the Korean conflict. He obtained the rank of captain before being honorably discharged in August 1961. Bill worked with an oil company in Texas as a geologist for about two years after his stint in the service. He returned in 1957 to Winnsboro and went into the insurance business. He was owner of Goudelock Insurance Agency on Congress Street. He married in July 1959 the former Nancy Stewart from Greenville. They made their home in Rockton, where Bill's mother and father lived. The home was originally built around 1880. In October 1960, James Russell Goudelock, II was born. Rusty graduated from Winnsboro High School and finished The Citadel in May 1982. While in high school in Winnsboro, Rusty was named to Who's Who Among American High School Students, acquired his pilot's license, his third-class Radiotelephone Operation's license with Broadcast Endorsement and worked at WCKM Radio in Winnsboro. While attending The Citadel, Rusty won many honors. He was Second Battalion Commander; a member of the Round Table, a member of the 1982 Summerall Guards and other accomplishments.

In May 1962, William (Bill) Ferguson Goudelock, Jr., was born. He graduated from Richard Winn Academy and is attending Clemson University in the field of architecture. Bill was active in sports and the town theater during his school years in Winnsboro.

In November 1965, another son was born, Stewart Chandler Goudelock. Stewart attends Richard Winn Academy.

David Vandiver Goudelock was born in August 1970 and attends Richard Winn Academy.

The family of Bill Goudelock (sr.) are members of the First United Methodist Church. Bill served on the Fairfield County Council and was a past member of the Winnsboro Town Council, past president of the Fairfield Chamber of Commerce (1971) and at the time of his death was an honorary member of the board of directors of that organization. He held membership in the Winnsboro Rotary Club, the American Legion, and was a director of the Carolina Association of Mutual Insurance Agents. Mr. Goudelock was also active in civic organizations, having served on the board of directors of the Fairfield County United Fund, and as institutional representative for the Methodist Church in the Fairfield District, Boy Scouts of America. Bill died from cancer in July 1972.

Bill's wife, Nancy, and the boys still reside in Winnsboro in the Rockton Community and Nancy continues to operate the insurance agency on Congress Street. The

family was honored with the District title of Family of the Year in 1979.

The last child of James Russell and Nancy Ferguson, Daniel Stevenson (Steve) Goudelock was only 3 months old when the family moved to Winnsboro. He finished Mt. Zion Institute in 1950 and graduated from Wofford College in 1954. He served in the U.S. Army and was commissioned First Lieutenant. After the armed service, he taught math at Winnsboro High School before entering medical school at the Medical College of S.C. in 1964. He married the former Sedamola Altman of Charleston in August 1961. He furthered his study in Adolescent Psychiatry in Ann Arbor, Michigan and returned to Columbia in 1971, where he set up private practice as an adolescent psychiatrist and also was associated with Hall Institute. They have three sons and now reside in Knoxville, Tennessee, where Steve is associated with Peninsula Psychiatric Hospital, having moved there in 1979.

Mrs. Nancy Ferguson Goudelock moved to Maryville, Tennessee to live at Asbury Acres in 1980, and still resides there.

Isaiah Haire

Isaiah Haire (b. June 30, 1906, Winnsboro, South Carolina) married Ella Weldon (b. May 26, 1909, Winnsboro) now deceased. They resided in Winnsboro all their life. To this union ten children were born. Lizzie Bell, born February 5, 1927; Izetta, born May 8, 1929; Joseph, born October 24, 1930; Rebecca, born April 9, 1933; Weldon, born October 9, 1935; Melvin, born April 26, 1938; Ophelia, born February 10, 1941; Fay, born July 20, 1943, now deceased; Margaret, born December 9, 1945; and David, born November 9, 1950.

He has twenty-nine grandchildren and twenty-two great-grandchildren.

He is a lifelong member of Shady Grove African Methodist Episcopal Church.

Daniel Hall

Daniel Hall (1803-1887), a prosperous planter, married in 1827 to Mary McCullough (1810-1856), daughter of Thomas and Elizabeth McCullough. Their children were: John Job (1837-1855) died at Wofford College; William married Eva Holmes, Thomas married Alice Hardin; and Mary married 1st Col. David Provence, 2nd marriage to

Samuel McCormick. Mary and her son, Samuel McCormick, were members at the organization of Longtown Presbyterian Church on Dec. 9, 1882.

In 1858 Daniel married Sara Jane Hicklin (1835-1913), daughter of Jason Isbel and Isabella Ferguson Hicklin. Their children were: Mary Isabella died 1863; James Lee died 1864; both died young; Daniel (1859-1936) married Frances Elizabeth Mobley (1860-1925), 2nd marriage to Mamie McDonald; Susie Irene (1866-1919) married a Rev. Robinson and 2nd to William McCrorey; Jason Hicklin (1873-1952) unmarried.

Daniel Hall (1859-1936) married Frances Elizabeth Mobley, (1860-1925), daughter of Edward Dixon and Mary Roxana Dixon Mobley, in 1879. Their children: Bessie (1880-1965) married Joseph Sprott; James Leland (1885-1956) married Mary Woodward; Sara Hicklin (1887-1967) married Robert E. Arnette; Daniel, born 1889, married Faye Sweetley; Susan Hemphill, born 1891, married Daniel Beasley Davis; Jason Hicklin (1894-1947) married 1st Bessie Wallace, 2nd Rae Stevenson; John Bratton (1899-1962) married Cleora Clowney; J. Maxwell, born 1901, married Elizabeth Hood; and James Carlisle, born 1903, married 1st Nora Broome, 2nd to Mary Willie Thurmond.

Submitted by:
Sarah W. Arnette

John Hall

Traditionally John Hall (1765-1834) and his widowed mother, Cybella "Sibbie", accompanied her brothers, John and Moses Hollis, from Virginia to Fairfield County before the Revolutionary War. John Hollis was a distinguished soldier and came out with the rank of Captain. John Hall was in a military camp at the close of the war.

John Hall married Martha Gladden (1765-1842), daughter of William and Agnes Agnew Gladden. Their children were: Darling (1785) moved to Mississippi; Mansel (1788) married Delphia Porter, moved to Alabama and had 2 children killed by Creek Indians; Thomas (1790-1847) a local Methodist Minister for 25 years, married 1st Kesiah Gladden (1792-1842), 2nd to Louisa Kennedy Arledge, a widow; John (1791-1831) married 1st Mary Barber, daughter of John Barber, 2nd to Dorcas Gladden; Laban (1796) 1st wife died shortly after their marriage, 2nd to Jane Hunter, 3rd to a widow Parker, married 4th in Mississippi where he moved in 1845; Martha "Patsy" (1790) married Samuel Stokes, a Methodist Minister, moved to south Mississippi; William (1801-1864) M.D. married Dorcas Jones in 1831; Daniel (1803-1887) married Mary McCullough (1810-1856), 2nd marriage to Sara Jane Hicklin (1835-1913); Sarah (1806-1822); Reuban (1807) married Eliza Smith, after his 2nd marriage moved to Mississippi; and Sibbie died young and

is buried with other family members in John Hall Family Cemetery on Horse Branch.

Submitted by:
Sarah W. Arnette

James Hannah

James Hannah came from Ireland on the ship "Nancy" in 1767 to Charleston, S.C. at the age of 18 years. With him came Robert Hannah, age 40, Mary Hannah, age 41, Sophia, age 13, Elias, age 12, and Richard, age 11. It is believed that Robert and Mary were his parents, but not proven.

James Hannah settled in Fairfield County and had the following children: Susan, Mary J., Samuel, Robert, James-Born 27 January 1784, Andrew, and Thomas.

It is not known at the present who James Hannah married. He arrived in South Carolina a single man, but was married by 1769. The above children were probably born between 1771 and 1785. In exactly what order is not known. We have the following information.

Susan-One married a Carty and the other daughter, Mary J., married a Bradshaw.

Samuel-Born CA 1774, married Sarah (probably Young).

They had the following children: Andrew Y. Hannah-Born 13 September 1799; James Hannah-Born 22 March 1802; William Hannah-Born 22 January 1805; Samuel Hannah, Jr.-Born 12 July 1809; Robert Young Hannah-Born 15 October 1811; Sarah Hannah-Born 15 October 1814; Jane Hannah-Born 21 July 1818; and Archibald Hannah.

Samuel Hannah died 26 July 1846.

Robert Hannah, Born CA 1771, Died 1811 in Fairfield. His will names his wife, Margaret, and three children. The children were: Samuel, Robert-(Died young), and James.

James Hannah, Born 1784, married Jane Scott of Fairfield County, daughter of John and Mary Scott. Their children were: Rebecca-Born 1809, married James W. Hannah, a son of Samuel and her first cousin; Susan-married James Askins; Mary-married John Scott; William Scott-married Mary V. Olives; James Scott-married Martha Cole; Sarah-died in infancy; Nancy-married James Taylor; Martha-married James Alfred Moore.

James Hannah died 27 September 1842.

Andrew Hannah had these children: James Hannah and Robert Hannah.

Thomas Hannah had these children: Thomas Hannah, Jr.; and Andrew W. Hannah-Born 7 May 1807, Fairfield County, South Carolina.

Andrew W. Hannah married Elizabeth R. Woodward in Fairfield County on 16 December 1828. Their children were:

Rebecca Cecilia Jane-Born 16 September 1829, Married John Quarles.

Nathaniel Thomas-Born 16 July 1831, Married Angeline Barrineau.

George James-Born 19 December 1833, Married 1st Martha Ann Teat, 2nd Margaret Ann Sanders.

Elizabeth Martha, Born 15 March 1836, Married Berry Marcus Black.

Narcissa Emaline-Born 15 February 1839, Married Milton L. Black.

Andrew W.-Born 21 May 1843. Died 21 May 1843.

Andrew W. Hannah, 7-2, died at the age of 35 years on 15 May 1843.

This James Hannah family is not to be confused with the James Hanna family of York County, South Carolina. The original grant of land to James Hannah in Fairfield was in 1773. In the will of Robert Hannah, he requests to be buried in the family cemetery on his father James' plantation, the plantation being 386 acres located on the waters of Little River.

James Hannah, it's said, was born on the Plantation of Down and Antrim in Northern Ireland. This was supposedly taken from an old family Bible.

James Hannah served with General Marion in the Revolutionary War. His record has not been completely researched. He died in 1829 in South Carolina.

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John Harrison

John Perrin Harrison, born July 26, 1925, in Greenwood, S.C., and his wife, Joan Johnston Harrison, born December 22, 1929, in Brooklyn, N.Y., have lived in Fairfield County since 1953, when Mr. Harrison came to Winnsboro with Uniroyal, Inc.

They have two daughters: 1) Joanne Elizabeth Harrison Alexander, born August 12, 1953, in Suffern, N.Y. and married to Aubry Gene Alexander II, on April 12, 1980. Joanne is a psychologist and she and her husband live in Charleston.

2) Sarah Tarrant Harrison, born August 28, 1960; a graduate of Western Carolina University (1981), and now a biologist living in Durham, N.C., where she is employed by Duke Medical Center.

Havis Family

John Havis was born ca. 1732, birthplace unknown. The Havis people originated in Europe. The name was found in France. Mr. Havis, a planter, settled in Fairfield County, S. Carolina, where he died in March, 1807. His wife was Susannah, maiden name unknown.

Their sons were: Jefse, born 1764, died at Winnsboro. John B., born ca. 1775, married Catherine Pickett; removed to Leon County, Florida, died in Louisiana in 1843; Thomas, born 1782, married Sarah ?, N. Carolina, removed to Mississippi.

The Havis daughters: Elizabeth, married James Austen; Mary, married John Yarborough and Lydia married a Knighton.

Granddaughters of deceased Havis daughters; Charlotte O'Neal, Elizabeth and Mary Martin.

During the Revolution, John Havis supplied rations for 46 men and forage for 46 horses, delivered to Captain Frost, under the command of Colonel John Winn, March 1781. He delivered a sheep to Captain Thomas Shelby, June 5, 1781. He is listed as a D.A.R. Patriot.

The grave of John Havis has not been located, but the man was known to the early settlers in Fairfield County.

Supplied by a direct descendant, Evelyn Havis Luebbert, Fort Worth, Texas.

Col. Jefse Havis

Col. Jefse Havis departed this life on the 7th September, 1827, in the 63rd year of his life. A youth of 16, he entered the service of his country near the close of the Revolutionary contest, and obtained for his zeal the reputation of exemplary bravery. In later life he was distinguished for his patriotism, charity and perfect integrity in his intercourse with the world. This epitaph is seen on his grave tablet in the A.R.P. Cemetery in Winnsboro at the David R. Evans plot; however Jefse (Jesse) Havis was buried at his request on his plantation on Peays Ferry Road (Great Falls Hwy).

Jesse, the oldest son of John Havis, married Mary Willingham. Their sons were: Minor W., married Martha Judge; Jesse D., married Sophia Winn; Jonathan, married Ann Jackson; Obed, married Ellen Fletcher and James C. who died in the War with Mexico. His wife was Elizabeth.

The Havis daughters were: Elizabeth, wife of Joseph Evans; Martha, married John Graham; Jane married a McKinney and Clarissa, married Robert H. Stewart in Alabama.

Col. Jesse Havis served under Generals Sumpter and Henderson in the Revolution and his militia papers were signed by Gen. Richard Winn. Jesse was one of the founders of the Methodist Church in Winnsboro. He contributed to the Presbyterian Church and the Mt. Zion Society. He was appointed coroner twice of Fairfield County. He served in the South Carolina legislature from 1824-1826. Submitted by gr. gr. granddaughter, Evelyn Havis Luebbert, Fort Worth, Texas.

Willie James Heath

Willie James (W.J.) Heath (b. September 7, 1926 in Winnsboro) the son of John L. and Sarah Mitchell Heath, married Mildred Vernese Turner (b. April 19, 1927 in Winnsboro) the daughter of Mrs. Lillie Grier Alexander. The Heaths have one son, James Kelvin, born August 25, 1963, in Columbia.

Mr. and Mrs. Heath both worked as teachers in the public schools of Fairfield County for 30 years or more. Mr. Heath is engaged in politics, also. He was the first Black to be elected to the Winnsboro Town Council, 1969, where he served for approximately 20 months. Later, he was elected to the County Council in 1972 and is serving in that capacity at the present time.

In 1973 Mr. Heath was appointed Director of ESAA (Federal Project) with the school system and in 1975 he was employed as County Supervisor of School Bus Transportation and Attendance. He worked in this capacity for 6 years or more.

The family are members of Bethesda A.M.E. Zion Church of Winnsboro, where Mrs. Heath is a member of the choir and president of the Missionary Society. Mr. Heath is a trustee, class leader and has been church clerk for the past 15 years or more.

The Hinnants

John Hinnant, a French Huguenot, came from Alsace-Lorraine, France before 1726 to Chowan County, N.C. Records of land deeds and grants between 1726 and 1761 confirm that JOHN HENARD, JOHN HENNARD AND JOHN HINNANT are one and the same. The third John Hinnant, born 1778, of record moved to Fairfield County before 1810 and settled in the Bethel Community and had 3 sons and one daughter. One son, Josiah, born 1810, married Margaret Susannah whose children were John A. 1833, William George 1841, Jane 1844, Albert 1845 and Sara Delilah 1847.

The occupations were planters, merchant and soldier. The Hinnants strongly supported the colonies in the Revolutionary War, furnishing sons and materials. The records show that 94 Hinnants fought in the Confederate Army from North and South Carolina. Noteworthy is John A. who lost a leg in the Battle of Gettysburg, was captured, swapped; continued fighting and was with General Lee at Appomattox, Descendants have served their country in World War I, World War II, Korea, Vietnam- some now on active duty.

Since John Hinnant arrived in this country about 1720, over 250 years ago, one would expect the woods to be full of them. Not so! There are less than 500 Hinnant families living in 27 states, about 60 in South Carolina.

Carl Randolph Hinnant of Ridgeway, son of William George and grandson of Josiah died at age 94. Many of

the great, great-grandchildren reside in the Fairfield/Richland County area.

Submitted by
Robert E. Hinnant

Henry Jeffares

Henry, son of ? and Elizabeth Rainey Jeffares, was born Sept. 15, 1835, and died Feb. 20, 1914. He came to Fairfield County before the Civil War and married Elitia (Elisha), daughter of Wylie (Screw) and Salli Rainey Coleman, born Aug. 20, 1837, died Jan. 21, 1914. Their children were:

Elizabeth, born Sept. 15, 1860, died March 14, 1931. She married Sam Wright and they had three sons, Brown, Henry and Richard.

Robet Rainey married Elizabeth Hogan and they had five children: Coleman, born July 2, 1902, m. Bonnie Lydia in 1943; Virginia, born Jan. 30, 1893; Hazel, who died young; Francis, d. Aug. 28, 1981, married Robert Creech. (Their daughter Margaret m. Wm. DuBard and they had four sons and one daughter.) The other child was John Henry Bennette, b. June 12, 1865, d. July 12, 1932. Margarete, died in infancy. Martha Savilla married Edward (Ned) Taylor; nine children. John never married. Samuel married Fannie Lipsford.



Mattie Jeffares Taylor



Henry and Elitia Jeffares



Branham Family

This picture was taken about 1915, and includes the following: (seated) Adolphus Jerome Branham, Amelia Newman Branham, and from left to right, standing, Lucy Branham Price, Nannie Branham

Sims, Roxie Branham Rhymer Douglas, Lillian Branham Baker, Belle Branham Johns Bartlett. Center: Dollie Branham Atkinson and Edna B. Craft Watson Rabon.

Johns-Branham

Elijah Johns (born May 12, 1900, died April 18, 1952) was born in Lanett, Alabama. He was the son of Love Johns and Lena Rutledge.

He came to Winnsboro and Fairfield County in 1920. He was employed by a constructing company that was painting then the new Uniroyal II Mill. At that time the mill was also know as Lockwood Green Mill.

Amelia LaBelle (Belle) Branham was born in the Bloomingdale-Centerville area of Fairfield County on May 26, 1905. Amelia's parents were Amelia Mary Ann Newman (born September 24, 1871 died November 25, 1953) and Adolphus Jerome Branham (born April 27, 1877 died July 21, 1935).

The family moved to Winnsboro in 1917. Elijah Johns and Amelia LaBelle (Belle) Branham were married on July 4, 1921. Amelia married James Franklin Bartlett, Sr., on July 29, 1974.

The descendants of Amelia LaBelle and Elijah Johns are:

Homer Floyd Johns (born February 3, 1923) married Erma Pylant (May 25, 1948).

Their children: Frankie Phillip Johns (born July 10, 1952) married Sandra (Sandy) King on December 1979). Patti Gail Johns Smith Hollis (born December 12, 1958), married Larry Blease Smith (December 17, 1972), divorced. Carman Leslie Smith (born February 28, 1976). Patti married Elie Woodrow Hollis, Jr. (December 26, 1980). Tanya Renee Johns (born July 23, 1964), Anthony Scott Johns (born July 23, 1964).

Clyde Vernon Johns (born May 10, 1932) married Shirley Josephine Denton (November 25, 1953).

Their Children: Joe Verna Johns (born August 28, 1957 died April 17, 1963) Amelia Louise Johns (born June 24,

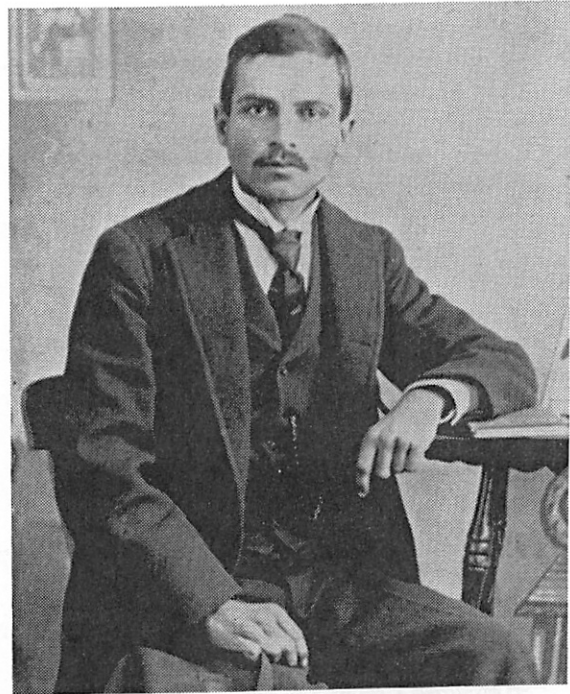
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1961).

Phyllis Belle Johns (born October 28, 1934) married Leroy H. Robertson (December, 1953). Their child Linda: Jane Robertson (born August 30, 1955 (married James David Robinson (September 18, 1969). Their children: Laura Darnell Robinson (born February 26, 1970), and James David Robinson, Jr. (born October 30, 1972).

Melvin Adolphus Johns (born December 7, 1939) married Patsy Elizabeth Kling (February 2, 1963). Their children: Dee Ann Johns (born March 22, 1964) Dean Allen Johns (born October 9, 1966).

Janice Patricia Johns (born January 11, 1945) married Dannie Mack Childers (April 7, 1964). Their child: Dannie Todd Childers (born April 27, 1969).



Adolphus Jerome Branham, 1897



Branham Family, 1921

Seated are Henry Branham, Amanda Sims Branham, Adolphus Jerome Branham, Amelia Mary Ann Newman Branham (child in lap, Ethel Rhymer Welch), Amelia LaBell (Bell) Branham Johns Bartlett, Edna Ruth Branham Craft Watson Rabon and Dollie Branham Atkin-

son. Standing: John Marion Sims, Nannie Branham Sims; Lucy Branham Price, Elijah Johns, Henry S. Branham, William K. Rhymer, Roxie Branham Rhymer Douglas (Myrtle Rhymer Morelli, child in arms).

Johnson Family

Cecil Eugene and Faye Jones Johnson, along with daughter Gail, moved to Fairfield County from Chester in 1963, when Cecil became freight agent here for Southern Railway.

Cecil, born April 16, 1937, in Denmark, S.C., is a former Jaycee and a former president of the Winnsboro Lions Club. He is a member of the presidency of the Winnsboro Branch of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, and is treasurer for the Lebanon Volunteer Fire Department.

Faye, born July 30, 1938, in Henderson, N.C., was editor of The News and Herald, and is currently general manager of The Herald-Independent. She has been active in a number of civic organizations, is a past president of the Winnsboro B&PW Club, is a former member of the boards of the Fairfield Chamber of Commerce, the American Cancer Society and the Friends of the Library. In 1980, she was named "Citizen of the Year" by the Winnsboro Civitan Club.

Carolyn Gail Johnson Heiner, born December 16, 1957, in Columbia, S.C., attended Brigham Young University, Provo, Utah, and is a graduate of the LDS Business College in Salt Lake. She is married to Steven Heiner and they have one son, Steven, Jr., born February 7, 1980, in Salt Lake. Steve works for the Post Office.

Lynn Durham Johnson was born September 11, 1967, in Fairfield County. She is a student at Richard Winn Academy and the Millie Lewis Modeling Studios.

The Johnsons were married August 23, 1956.

Johnston Family

James Johnston, son of David and Sarah (Meek) and grandson of David and Mary (Boyd) Johnson of Co. Londonderry, Ireland, settled in Chester Co. shortly before and Fairfield shortly after, the Revolution. James was captain and adjutant under Col. Lacy in the war. He married Mary, daughter of his uncle Matthew Johnston of Chester who was killed in action in the same unit at Fishing Creek. Her mother was Jane, daughter of John Gaston of Ireland.

In 1787 four of James' brothers (John, William, Samuel, and Robert) came from Ireland to Fairfield with their mother. John, who moved to Newberry, had a large family including Newberry's Chancellor Job and Samuel Jr. a state senator in Fairfield. William served as Captain of a Fairfield company in the War of 1812 and later moved near Sparta, Ga. Samuel Sr., who had a large plantation north of Winnsboro, was thrice married with many children, including Dr. Burr of Alabama. Robert moved to Kentucky.

James, a planter and constable, lived near Wateree Presbyterian Church. His early death left Mary (who then returned to Chester and survived him over 50 years) with 7 children: Sarah, Matthew, Jane (later Mrs. H. Sullivan), David, Ellen (Mrs. John McDaniel), John Gaston, and James Jr. Matthew, one of several of the family to serve as elder of Wateree Church, married Ellen Keenan and had John Knox who moved to Tennessee. David, later of Alabama, John G. of Chester, and James Jr. all served under their uncle in the War of 1812. James, a planter on Wateree Creek, married 1st Jane, daughter of James and Eleanor Harvey, and 2nd Eliza, daughter of John and Nancy (Aiken) Wiley. He served as captain of the Winnsboro Republican Artillery and county ordinary (probate judge). By his first wife he had Eleanor Eliza (Mrs. John Nichols), James Gaston, David Harvey, Mary Jemima (Mrs. Jefferson Hemphill), William John, Margaret Rosannah, Samuel Robert, Sarah Rebecca (Mrs. John Wylie McDowell), and Jane Catherine (Mrs. William Thomas Rowe).

James G. married Clara Barkley and had James Barkley (father of Claire and Louise of Liberty Hill), Samuel Robert, and John Gaston. David Harvey, who moved to Louisiana and married Elizabeth Peay, had many children including Thomas Lott who returned to Fairfield and became State Representative. Married to his cousin Jemima Rowe, he had William Thomas, Mary Jane, Sarah Elizabeth, and Bessie (Mrs. James H. Patrick.)

Son William married Hannah Cureton and had Thomas L. and Mrs. Carolyn Day, now of Great Falls. James' and Jane's 4th son Samuel Robert followed his father as planter at Wateree, militia captain before the Civil War, and later probate judge. Also in the Ambulance Corps, 6th Regiment S.C. Infantry CSA, he married 1st Martha Cornelia daughter of Daniel Tillman and Rachel R (Wiley) Gibson and 2nd Martha Jane McDowell. By his first wife he had James Henry, Mary Isabel, Thomas Erwin, and Rachel Jane (all died early) and Jemima Elizabeth, Clara Barkley (Mrs. Robert Henry Phillips), Nannie Marion (Mrs. James L. Weathersby), and Samuel Cornelia (Neely). Neely married Mattie Wallace and had Robert Wallace and S.C. Jr., both without survivors, plus Frances (Mrs. Edward P. Jordan) and Elizabeth (Mrs. E. Wilton Stewart now living in Fayetteville, N.C.)

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J. Fred Eggleston, Jr.,
Alexandria, Va.

Elijah Harrison Jones

Elijah Harrison Jones, b. 1813/14 in Fairfield County was married in 1846 to Martha Elizabeth Durham, b. 1825 to Robert Winfield Durham and Mollsie (Molly) Eliza Ross. E.H. was a planter, with plantation adjacent to that of his father. Martha d. 1857 of typhoid. Elijah d. Aug. 21, 1865 shortly after reading Emancipation Proclamation to family slaves.

To five children of E.H.J. and wife Martha were: Mary Eliza (1847-1872), d. DeSoto Parish, La.; Sarah Elizabeth (1849-1930), d. McAlester, Okla.; Robert Winfield, who m. Luella Custer, a niece of Gen. Custer. They had 12 children. William Ross (1856-58). Emma Canty (1854-1926), d. Los Angeles, bur. McAlester, Okla.

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Emma Canty Jones

Emma Canty Jones, b. 1854, fourth child of Elijah Harrison Jones and Martha Elizabeth Durham, was forced to leave Fairfield County at age 12, after Sherman destroyed family heirlooms and food, but she never forgot her S.C. family and friends. She, her sisters Mary and Sarah, and brother, Robert left in 1865 to live with grandmother, formerly of Fairfield, Sarah Meredith Jones who d. in Cedar Key, Fla. in 1867. Next they lived with their other grandmother, also formerly of Fairfield Mollsie Ross Durham, in DeSoto Parish, La. In 1882, Emma m. Rev. James Monroe Porter, who became a pioneer Methodist minister in Indian Territory. They had three children, Reginald Showalter, Mary Jane, and Banks, who d. young, and foster daughter, Emma Banks Porter Cummins.

Emma had 9 grandchildren, seven of whom survive in 1981 including: Eleanor Jean Porter Riordan, Mrs. James, San Mateo, CA., Virginia Lee Porter Fiser, Mrs. Van E., Wichita, Ks.; Frances Marie Porter Power, Mrs. Robert E., Larkspur, CA; Thomas Jordan Porter, Cherryvale, KS; Richard Winfield Porter, Phoenix, Az; Robert Harrison Porter, Moore, Okla; James Monroe Porter, Martinez, CA. Foster daughter Emma Porter Cummins, Mrs. P.M. lives in Junction City, KS.

Emma d. 1926 in Los Angeles, CA., while visiting her daughter Mary Jane Porter Walkley, and son Wellman. She is buried in McAlester, OK., beside her husband, son, and sister, Sarah Elizabeth Jones who never married, but lived her entire adult life in home of her sister, Emma. To

their dying day both spoke of Fairfield County as if they had been forced to leave only yesterday.

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Earle Jones

Earle Phillip Jones (b. May 20, 1888-d. Jan. 27, 1938) (son of William and Mattie Jones)-married Margaret Estelle Roberts (b. May 23, 1895-d. Feb. 3, 1971) (daughter of Bob and Maggie Roberts) on Nov. 18, 1914 at Douglas, S.C. Both were born in Fairfield County and lived their entire married life in the Bethel Community in the old Jones Homplace. Both are buried in the Bethel Methodist Church Cemetery.

There were 6 children born of this union-Margaret Gertrude (b. Jan. 31, 1916-d. Aug. 22, 1980) Mattie Ruth (b. Mar. 17, 1918) Dorothy Lorene (b. July 1, 1921) Sara Helen (b. Nov. 2, 1924) Earle, Jr. and Earlene (twins b. 1932-d. in infancy).

Margaret Gertrude married Clarence Thomas Davis (b. March 25, 1911-d. May 17, 1979) on Dec. 21, 1940. There were 3 children from this union. William Earle Davis (b. Sept. 8, 1942) (married Elaine Goodwin); Clarence Thomas (b. Dec. 11, 1945) (married to Marilyn Benson); and Margaret Harriet (b. March 23, 1951) (Married to Joe Albert). Both buried in Winnsboro Mills Cemetery. (Royal Pines).

Mattie Ruth was twice married. Earl Isenhower (b. Dec. 5, 1914-d. May 19, 1965) on Feb. 9, 1937 (Earl is buried at Cooleme, N.C.); Rev. James Hicks (b. Oct. 23, 1913-d. Feb. 17, 1977) on March 29, 1975. (Buried in Wilmington N.C.) There were no children from either union. Ruth now lives in Salisbury, N.C.

Dorothy Lorine married Franklin Ernest Sparks (b. Feb. 1918) in 1937. There were two children from this union: Frances Lorine (b. May 1, 1938) (Married first to Harold Marshall-Presently married to Bob Dearman); and Franklin Ernest Sparks, Jr. (b. April 14, 1940) (married first to Mary Ann Williamson-presently married to Elizabeth Ward). Dorothy now lives in Douglas, Ga.

Sara Helen married James Henry Holmes (b. March 8, 1921) Oct. 30, 1943. There were two children from this union: Helen Louise (b. Oct. 8, 1944) (married to James Carlton) and Margaret Josie (b. Jan. 5, 1946). Sara now lives in Charlotte, N.C.

Ralph Jones

Ralph Jones came to America from Ireland where he lived with his parents after they moved from Wales. He landed in Charleston, before the Revolutionary War. He headed for the interior to a place where he had heard that people never died. Upon his arrival to the Wateree

area, near Ridgeway, S.C., the first house where he stopped he found a corpse; this converted him to religion! He joined the Baptist Church. In 1770 he built or had one built, on a lot given by William Roden on Wateree Creek. It came to be known as Jones Meeting House and it was with this church that Rev. Ralph Jones spent his life.

He received land grants in 1752; 1761; 1769. The 1790 Census lists him as a Planter with eight in the family and ten slaves.

Ralph Jones married Mary, last name not known. Their children were:

Ralph (1779-1820) married Mary Oates (1783-1831).

Elijah married Mary . They had two children.

Elisha (d. 1844) married Judith ?. Descendants lived in the Rocky Mount section, others moved to Florida and Louisiana.

William (1782-1855) married Sarah Meredith (1785-1867). They had six children. Mary married a Willingham.

Phoebe married Nathan McGraw and moved to Mississippi.

Catherine married a Meredith.

Sarah married a Pearson.

Ralph Jones died in Fairfield County ca 1816-17 and was buried in the family graveyard on his plantation near Ridgeway.

William Jones

WILLIAM JONES, Fairfield Dist. planter was b. Sept. 8, 1782, the third son of Baptist minister, Rev. Ralph Jones and his wife Mary, who had owned land here as early as 1852. William was married in early 1800's to Sarah Meredith, b. 1785, daughter of Thomas and Abigail Meredith of Fairfield District. William's plantation was six miles from Winnsboro, five miles from Ridgeway, and 25 yards from Columbia & Charlotte Railroad in which he owned stock. Wm. died Aug. 25, 1855, is buried Hall-Davis Cemetery, Simpson. Sarah moved to Fla. after his death, and died in Cedar Key, Fla. in 1867. The home they built is now know as the VAUGHN house.

Their six children included: CYNTHIA, b. 1806-d. 1860-1870, who m. William Kennedy, b. ca 1784, d. 1860, bur. Fla. He was son of Alexander (1743-1826) and Agnes (1754-1824) (Fears) Kennedy of Ridgeway, S.C. They had no children. William Kennedy's 1st marriage to Jane Rosborough produced: Alexander George Kennedy who m. Mary Ellen Craig; Mary Elizabeth (Ford); William R. Kennedy who m. Eliza Boulware; Mary E. Kennedy; Nancy Ann Kennedy who m. Robert W. Kennedy. NANCY, b. ca. 1807, m. Osmund M. Kennedy; b. ca. 1803. He was son of Henry and Mary (Polly) Nelson Kennedy of Fairfield County, and the nephew of William Kennedy, husband of

her sister, Cynthia. Their children were Mary Polly Mickle Kennedy b. ca 1838; George Kennedy, b. ca 1840; Joanna Kennedy, b. ca 1842; Sarah Kennedy b. ca 1845. LUCRETIA, b. Aug. 14, 1809, d. July 5, 1860, m. Joseph Alexander Wylie on Feb. 2, 1832. He was b. June 30, 1809, d. Oct. 27, 1869, the son of Samuel and Sarah Aiken Wylie of Fairfield County. Their children were Rebecca, A.E., Osmond A. and S.M. Wylie. MAHALA, b. Oct. 1, 1811, d. Sept. 6, 1854, m. Wiley J. Davis in 1846. He was son of Jacob and ——— (Hinds) Davis of Ridgeway, and he d. Aug. 21, 1865. They had two children Fostina and BB Davis.

ELIJAH HARRISON, b. 1814, d. Aug. 21, 1865, bur. Fairfield Dist. He m. Martha Elizabeth Durham, ca 1846, who was b. 1825, d. Oct. 4, 1857, bur. Fairfield Dist. She was daughter of Robert Winfield Durham and Mollie (Molly Eliza Ross Durham) of Fairfield Dist. Their five children were: Mary Eliza Jones, b. May 10, 1847, d. 1872, DeSoto Parish, La.; Sarah Elizabeth Jones, b. Aug. 29, 1849, d. Nov. 30, 1930, bur. McAlester, Okla.

ROBERT WINFIELD JONES, b. Jan. 1852, m. Luella Custer, niece of Gen. Custer. They had 12 children. He d. Feb. 1920. Emma Canty Jones, b. Sept. 19, 1854, d. Oct. 7, 1926, bur. McAlester, Okla. She m. Rev. James Monroe Porter, in Mansfield, LA. They had three children: Reginald Showalter Porter, b. Sept. 27, 1886, m. Myrtle Viola Hall Aug 24, 1918, he d. Sept. 20, 1939; Mary Jane, b. July 27, 1890, d. 1973, m. Emory E. Walkley; James Banks Porter, b. 26 Jan., 1883; d. Mar. 18, 1884. OSMOND STROTHER, b. 1824, d. Sept. 13, 1880, m. Catherine Shedd, b. 1825, d. 1897. Both are bur. Hall-Davis Cemetery, Simpson, SC. Their children include: Harriet Mary Amanda, Reeves Harrison Jones, all bur. Hall-Davis Cem. Simpson.

Hilliard Judge

Hilliard Judge, born March 6, 1787, Halifax County, N. Carolina, died March 4, 1820. He was admitted to the Methodist ministry in 1806. He married Isabella, daughter of John and Mary Means. Their sons were: John Means, James Lawrence and Hilliard. Martha and Jonathan J. Judge, sister and brother of Hilliard, lived in his home. Rev. Judge was a neighbor of Jefse Havis. The Havis son, Minor married Martha Judge.

Hilliard Judge was chosen chaplain of the S. Carolina legislature November 19, 1811. He was a delegate to the S. Carolina Methodist Conference in 1812 and 1816.

He suffered many hardships in his circuit riding ministry; in one instance falling from a ferry into icy water. He died with tuberculosis. He was a preacher of no ordinary talent, pleasant in his manners, equally at home in a palace or a hut. He died in his faith and his body rests near the site of the old Methodist Church in Winnsboro.

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His son, John Means Judge, rests near his father. He died March 27, 1828, age 11 years, 1 month.

After Rev. Judge's death, his widow married Dr. William Bratton, whose deceased wife, Christina, was the

daughter of Gen. Richard Winn.

Submitted by great-granddaughter of Martha Judge Havis, sister of Hilliard Judge. Evelyn Havis Luebbert, Fort Worth, Texas.

Kincaid-Anderson

We first hear of the Kincaid family in 1238, when they acquired a great deal of land. The state records of Edinburgh state that the family was founded by Sir William Kincaid, first cousin of Robert Bruce, and a descendant of the first king of Scotland.

The Southern branch of the Kincaid family came directly from Ireland to Craven County (now Fairfield). James Kincaid proceeded at once to the McMorries, former friends and neighbors of his father's in Ireland.

Col. John Kincaid, Stirlingshire, Scotland (1722-1766) married Rebecca Argyll (1730-1809) They had six children.

James Kincaid, Belfast, Ireland (1754-1801) Buried in Scots Presbyterian Church Cemetery, Charleston. Married in 1774 to Mary McMorries (1756-1828).

Mary acquired 250 acres by a grant as a marriage dower. Their first house was of logs. James later owned 4,000 acres, began building Kincaid Manor, with its terraced gardens, before the Revolution. Captain Kincaid fought under Francis Marion and Sumter, served in the State Legislature many years, was the first purchaser of cotton in the upcountry. They had seven children.

William Kincaid (1782-1832) Buried in Scots Presbyterian Church Cemetery, Charleston. Married Elizabeth Calmes (1791-1859) in Newberry. They had eleven children. William, a large planter, had tutors for his boys, sent the girls to Columbia Female Academy and Madame Talvande's School in Charleston.

Elizabeth Armstrong Kincaid (1811-1884) Married Edward Kirkpatrick Anderson (1803-1849) in 1837. Buried in Scots Presbyterian Church Cemetery, Charleston.

Edward came to Charleston to go in business with an uncle. He and Elizabeth lived there until his death. They had five children; only two lived to maturity. John was killed in the War. Thomas moved and lived with his mother in Kincaid Manor.

Thomas Kincaid Anderson (1843-1903) Married in 1868 to Emma Eugenia Williams (1851-1882).

Thomas was educated at The Citadel in engineering. Eugenia attended Monticello Academy. Thomas continued farming his ancestral land, later became manager of Columbia Canal Company, moving to Columbia.

Their children were: 1. Cornelia (1870-1919) Married Thomas Douglas Ruff (1875-1930) Children: (a) Eugenia (1898) Married Marion Killingsworth. (b) Thomas Kin-

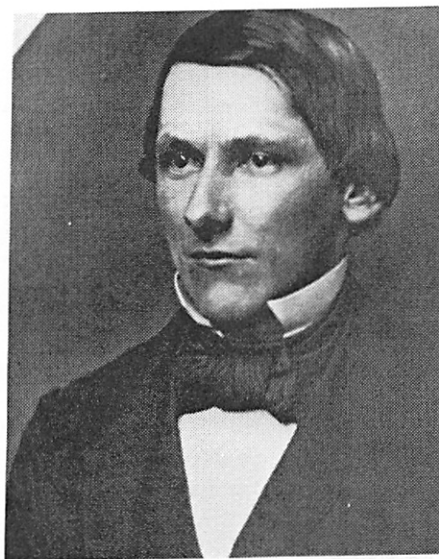
caid (1900-1960) Married Nancy Robinson (c) Silas Douglas (1903-1978) Married Alma Kendricks (d) Sara (1905) Married James Miller Bigham (e) Cornelia (1909) Married Jesse G. Ball.

Thomas Lyles (1872-1973)

III. Edward Kirkpatrick (1875-1936) Married Rhea Noss Laird (1874-1952) Their children: (a) Eugenia (1902) Married George Richards (b) Edward (1903-1968) Married Alice Ruth Schaffer (c) Laird-Married Alice Benedict in 1933.

IV. Emma Eugenia (1879-1943) In 1903 married George Buchanan McMaster(1869-1932) Children: (a) Eugenia Kincaid (1905) (b) George Hunter (1907-1908) (c) Anne Elizabeth (1909-1947) Married in June 1932 to James Tindal Quattlebaum (M.D.) Their children were: (1) James Tindal Quattlebaum, Jr. (M.D.) (1933-) Married Judith Piatt Hogentogler (1935) (2) George McMaster (1936-1936) (d)Edward Anderson (1915-1975) Married in 1952 Lucille Bryant (1907-1973).

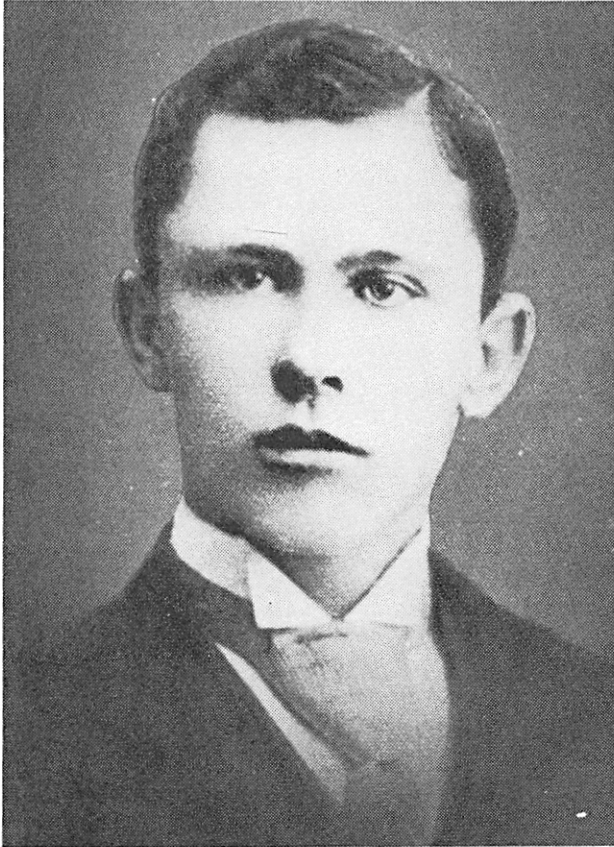
Second wife of Thomas Kincaid Anderson was Agnes Morgan Macfie (1857-1934) Their children were: 1. Agnes (1887-1966) Married Grady Gambrell II. James Macfie (1909-1966) Married Ruth Kerr in 1922 (1898-1980) Their children: (a) Ruth (1924) Married Otis Johnston, Jr. (b)



George Hunter McMaster
(1828-1903)

Mary Frances (1926) Married Robertson Hadley Wendt (c) James Macfie, Jr. (1930) Married Sara Maxyck III. Mary Macfie (1893) married Seward Learley IV. Gordon Kincaid (1898) Married Harry Sloan Caldwell. Their children are: (a) John Thomas (1929) Married Ann Camlin

(b) twins Elizabeth Kincaid and William Henry (1937) (c) Twins Mary Agnes and Macfie Anderson (1933) Mary Agnes married John Youchoff. Macfie married Susanne Keenan.



George Buchanan McMaster
(1867-1932)



Eugenia Anderson McMaster
(1879-1943)

The Lauderdale Family

William Lauderdale, son of Thomas Lauderdale, born April, 1762 in County Down, Ireland; died Sept. 11, 1835, married Jane Milling, born 1771, died Aug. 20, 1827. This couple with their four children: Thomas, William, David and Mary Ann, sailed from Belfast Sept. 17, 1817, and landed at Charleston, Nov. 1, 1817. From there they came to Fairfield County. (1) Thomas was born Jan. 20, 1793, died 1881. He married Mary McMullen who died June 30, 1866. He was a farmer. They lived on Possum Branch. No children. (2) Mary Ann, born Dec. 3, 1801, died 1893. She married James Lemmon, Sr., born 1797. Their two sons and three daughters were: John Montgomery Lemmon, James Thomas Lemmon, Mary Ann Lemmon Owings, Elizabeth Lemmon Turner and Jane Lemmon Youngue. (3) David was born Dec. 16, 1805. He died in Winnsboro,

Aug. 21, 1879. He practiced medicine in Alabama and possibly in Mississippi, and then up to his death in Winnsboro. On June 8, 1852, he married Jane Russell Lemmon, widow of Montgomery Lemmon and mother of Mary Ann Lemmon Boag, born Jan. 1844, died May 5, 1934; James M. Lemmon, born Oct. 30, 1846, died Nov. 19, 1882; and Margaret Lemmon Bolick, born Mar. 5, 1849, died Jan. 18, 1909. (4) William, born Jan. 20, 1808. He went to Texas. Died near Prairieville, Tex., Aug. 1869.

The children of Dr. David Lauderdale and Jane Russell Lemmon Lauderdale were: an infant son; Thomas William; George Russell; Jane Milling; Rachel Euphemia; and Emma Isabella.

(1) Infant son born Sept, 1853, died Oct. 1853.

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(2) Thomas William born May 8, 1855, died May 13, 1929. He was a merchant, broker, president of the Savings and Loan Company in Winnsboro, Director and Vice-President of the Winnsboro Bank and the first President of the Fairfield Cotton Mill and was largely instrumental in organizing it. He married Carrie Vosburg of Brooklyn, N.Y., where he spent the last 25 years of his life. No children.

(3) George Russell born Dec. 14, 1857, died Jan. 2, 1918. On Jan. 12, 1887 married to Sarah (Sallie) Edith Coleman. She was born Nov. 29, 1858 and died Oct. 15, 1917. Two children were born to them: George Russell Lauderdale and David Thomas Lauderdale.

(1) George Russell Lauderdale, son of George Russell Lauderdale and Sallie Edith Coleman, was born Dec. 11, 1887, died Apr. 7, 1959. He married Ona Katherine Wylie on Oct. 22, 1919. She was born Apr. 23, 1890. George R. Lauderdale served on the Winnsboro town council and as Winnsboro mayor. One child was born to this marriage: George Russell Lauderdale.

George Russell Lauderdale was born Jan. 22, 1924. He married Pauline Bell on June 15, 1951. She was born June 20, 1928. George became Fairfield County Treasurer July 1, 1975. No children.

2. David Thomas Lauderdale, son of George Russell Lauderdale and Sallie Edith Coleman, was born May 30, 1889, died Nov. 22, 1976. He was ordained as a minister in the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church, May 5, 1915. He served his entire ministry in Rockbridge County, Va. The A.R.P. Church in Lexington, Va. is named Lauderdale Church in his honor. On Feb. 12, 1917 he was married to Sallie Ann Chapman. She was born Sept. 18, 1896 and died Feb. 9, 1981. Six children were born to them:

a. Sally Anne born Feb. 21, 1918. Married Edward F. Franze. Two children: Edward F. who married Lois Cohen; and Sally Bruce who married Gregory Jordan.

b. David Thomas, Jr., born July 6, 1921, died Nov. 4, 1978. Married Mary Sheahan. One daughter, Deborah Jane was born of this union. Married Margaret Mizell Dean.

c. Mary Orr Boag born Feb. 24, 1923. Married John Henry Sorrells. Four children: Sally Irma who married David E. Dyal; Mary Ellen who married Donald Higgins; John Henry who married Bonnie Hartless; and David Jefferson.

d. Wilbur Chapman born Aug. 29, 1924. Married Barbara Hobson. Two children: Rebecca Norris and James Russell.

e. George Seebert born Apr. 6, 1929. Married Sally Burke. Three children: Lois Ann who married Craig Hopson; George S.; and David Burke who married Sybil Coghill.

f. Martha Erskine born Oct. 10, 1931. Married Jack Farnum Heninsohn. Five children: Martha Patrick who

married Anthony Weir, Whitney Blackmon, and Tom Cusick; Walter Lee married Sue Miller; Amy Louise married Rollo Cocuzzi; Jack Farnum; and Eric Andrew.

(4) Jane Milling born Feb. 26, 1860, died Oct. 10, 1894. Married Thomas Porter Bryson on Dec. 14, 1880. One child; David Lauderdale Bryson who married Dora Black.

(5) Rachel Euphemia born Jan. 6, 1862, died Dec. 26, 1928. Married William T. Blakely on Dec. 4, 1883. Five children:

1. George Hunter Married Brucie Owings. One child; Brucie Lauderdale Blakely.

2. Emma Euphemia married Rev. R.A. Young.

3. Margaret married Frank Dorrah.

4. Jane Lauderdale married Belmont Collette.

5. Isabel married A.C. Gaddy.

(6) Emma Isabella born Oct. 31, 1866, died June 26, 1905. Married James Lafayette Bryson. One child: James Lauderdale Bryson who married Agnes Curlee Fayssoux.

THE LEE FAMILY

Col. Richard Lee was born in England and came to Virginia about 1642. His son, Charles Lee, married Elizabeth Pritchard.

Charles Lee, Jr., son of Charles and Elizabeth Pritchard Lee, married his cousin Mary Lee, daughter of Richard and Judith Stytoe Lee.

Charles Lee III, son of Charles Lee, Jr. and Mary Lee, married Sarah Hull. Their son, John Lee, came to Liberty Hill from Fairfax, Virginia, and married Mary Elizabeth Dixon.

Susannah Lee, daughter of John and Mary Elizabeth Dixon Lee, married Samuel Dixon. Their son, Tillman Lee Dixon (1808-1851), married Elizabeth (Eliza) Emma Barnes (1818-1851), daughter of Col. John and Frances Wrenn Barnes.

Tillman Lee Dixon, Jr. (1846-1887), son of Tillman Lee and Elizabeth Emma Barnes Dixon, married Mary Estelle Mobley (1847-1928), daughter of David Mabry Mobley and Catherine Dixon Mobley. Their daughter, Alma Gertrude Dixon (1887-1975), married Thomas Marion Center (1885-1972). Their children were: (1) Marion Dixon, (2) Tallu Connor, (3) Mary Lee, (4) Alma Gertrude (5) Thomas Marion, Jr., (6) Miriam Louise, and (7) Frances Katherine.

Submitted by:
Miriam Sprott

Henry Otis LeGrand



LeGrand Family

Henry Otis LeGrand was born the 11-Nov.-1900 in Killian, Richland County, the son of Wesley Calvin LeGrand and Janie Maybelle Cornelious. He moved with his family to Winnsboro and lived here where he grew up to marry a local girl, Jessie Myrtle Collins, the oldest daughter and child of Owen Rockwell Collins and Katie Della Wilson. He was employed at Winnsboro Mill plant for years and later as a mechanic. He was the father of 8 children. He had 2 sisters, Mrs. John (Irene) Hartin, Mrs. Gordon (Mamie) Welch, both of Winnsboro. His children are as follows: Gladys Louise (b. 20 July, 1926) (m. Thomas Luther Carl Miller 21, Jan. 1943). Ruby Maybelle (b. 10 Aug. 1928) (m. Clarence William Poole 10 Feb. 1951). James Otis (b. 22 Dec. 1931) (m. Charlotte Keith Slater 24 June 1960 Died 30 Aug. 1969). Martha Mae (b. 7 June 1934) (m. James Howard Lewis 2 May 1956). Grady Henry (b. 31 Oct. 1936) (m. Donna Kay Sanders 29 Dec. 1970). Nellie Jeanette (b. 18 Feb. 1939) (m. Jimmy Idus Edwards 28 June 1959). Gloria Cornelious (b. 28 May 1941, Died 19 Jan. 1942. Charles Edward (b. 14 Jan. 1943) (m. Elizabeth Marie Lucas 22 Dec. 1961).

Henry Otis LeGrand m. Jessie Myrtle Collins 7 June 1924; died 7 June 1960.

Charles LeGrand was the 1st from Fairfield County to receive a kidney transplant, the 5th in the state of South Carolina. He and the donor, sister Mae Lewis, are members of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints. Nell is also a member of the LDS Church.



Henry Otis LeGrand Family

Thomas Walter Lewis Family

The first Lewis antecedent of Thomas Walter Lewis in Winnsboro of which there is a definite record was William Blivings Lewis. An English sea captain, William B. Lewis' ship plied between Charleston and Boston.

Coming inland from Charleston in 1796 "to explore," Capt. Lewis met the fair Mary Quirrell (Quarles) and married her. Mary's father, Joseph Quirrell (Quarles), was an upstanding citizen of the relatively new town. He owned property that had been deeded to him by John Winn as a town founder, shortly after Winnsboro was laid out and surveyed.

William B. Lewis died two years later, in his early twenties, and was buried in Winnsboro. His son, William, Jr., was born shortly after his death. Young William was a co-inheritor from his grandfather Joseph of Lot No. 41 on Congress (or Main) St. in Winnsboro, next to the lot on which the Bank of Fairfield now stands. Lot 42, on the corner of Congress and Washington, where the bank now is, had been left vacant on the town's plat and set aside for a church.

As a youth of 19, after his mother had remarried and was living in Chester County, William was apprenticed a Winnsboro shoemaker. William B. Lewis, afterward also moving to Chester County, was the progenitor of numerous Lewises, including his son, James Carroll Lewis, and grandson, Thomas Walter Lewis.

James C. Lewis served with the Confederate Army with the 7th Florida Infantry, Co. D. (Alachua Rebels) and fought with the Western Army and in the Battle of Atlanta. Moving to Fairfield County a few years after the death of his wife, Mary Jane Weir Lewis, and settling in the Greenbrier Community, James Lewis in 1912 opened the first of a succession of Lewis stores that passed down through the generations, ending with the death of his grandson, Luncford Blaydes Lewis, in 1964. James Lewis also operated a store at the site of the home of another son, William "Wade" Hampton Lewis, dying at his son's house January 14, 1925.

Thomas Walter Lewis was the third son of James and Mary Jane Lewis. He had come to Fairfield as a young man, bringing with him his wife, Mary Ellen "Mollie" Street Lewis, whom he had married in Burlison, Tenn., and their two sons, Burr, born in Tennessee, and Luncford, born at Woodward.

"Tom" Lewis participated fully in Fairfield life. He was especially interested in the legal profession and politics. He served as magistrate for the Greenbrier Magisterial District for a period of eighteen years. One of the county's most successful planters, he was at one time co-owner of the 1,080-acre Robertson Place (sometimes called the Doty Place), on the Winnsboro-Columbia Road. A great believer in higher education for young people, he sent his sons Walter and Van "Brick" Lewis, and

daughter, Julia, to the University of S.C. as daily commuters in the days when commuting between Winnsboro and Columbia was unheard of. Thomas Walter Lewis died in Winnsboro April 18, 1952; his wife Mollie preceding him in death, also at their home in Winnsboro, Feb. 12, 1945.

Walter Woodward Lewis, a son of "Tom" Lewis, was elected Fairfield Clerk of Court at age 23, and served a tenure of 32 years, including the duties of Register of Mesne Conveyance and Master. Later, he was appointed to the S.C. Tax Commission by Gov. Donald Russell and when the A.B.C. Commission was formed, Gov. Robert McNair named him Commissioner.

E.V. "Brick" Lewis, fourth son of Tom and Mollie Lewis, was a pioneer in Rural Electrification in Fairfield, afterward moving to Newberry to manage the electrical cooperative there. He died in Columbia in 1976 while manager of Central Electric Cooperative (a group of 15 statewide cooperatives). He was deemed "one of the nation's foremost authorities on rural electrification and transmission of electric power." He was an organizer and founding vice-president of Cooperative Finance Corporation (CFC), Washington, D.C.

Crosby Lewis, son of "Brick" Lewis, who now lives with his family at Fairfield (the old Kincaid-Anderson Place), became a Richland County member of the State House of Representatives in his twenties, serving two terms.

Children of Thomas and Mary Ellen Lewis, all of whom grew up in Fairfield County, and their spouses were: E. Burr Lewis, who married Rebecca Smith Starnes; Luncford B. Lewis m. Margaret Ashford of the Bethel Community and after her death, Marjorie Perry Robinson of Greenbrier; Julia Anne Lewis m. Calvin W. Robinson, Greenwood County; Walter W. Lewis m. Florrie Jane Bethea of Dillon; E.V. "Brick" Lewis m. Nell Crosby Brooks of the Bethel Community; and Mary Kathleen Lewis m. Eugene Blakely Sloan of Columbia and Clinton.

Children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren of Thomas Walter and Mary Ellen Lewis now living in Fairfield County are: Mr. and Mrs. E. Burr Lewis and their daughter, Nancy Lewis Frazier, who married Locke Frazier, all of Winnsboro; Mr. and Mrs. Walter W. Lewis, Winnsboro; Mrs. Marjorie P. Lewis, of Greenbrier; Gladys Lewis Bass, her husband, Gary Bass, Jr., and their sons and wives, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Franklin Bass III, and Lt. Luncford Lewis Bass, now on active duty with the U.S. Navy at Jacksonville, and Mrs. Bass, all of Winnsboro; and E. Crosby Lewis, his wife Cleo Brooks Lewis, and their sons, Ernest Crosby "Brickie" Lewis and Gage Lewis, of Fairfield, near Jenkinsville.



Thomas W. and Mary Ellen Lewis

Walter W. Lewis

Walter Woodward Lewis was a member of the fifth generation of Lewises in Fairfield County. The son of Thomas Walter Lewis and Mary Ellen Street Lewis of Burlison, Tenn., he was one of six children. His brothers were Edward Burr, Lunceford Blaydes and Ernest Van; the sisters were Julia Ann and Mary Kathleen.

On June 19, 1935, Walter married Florrie Jane Bethea, daughter of Archie McKay Bethea and Mary Lutie Bethea of Dillon. Three children were born of this union; Jane Bethea, Thomas Woodward and Ellen Street. Jane married John McNair Turner and they have two children, Jane Bethea and John McNair, Jr. Ellen is married to Richard Phillip Fletcher of McColl, and they have two children, Walter Richard and Thomas Shields. Thomas Woodward Lewis (deceased) never married.

Walter W. Lewis was born May 10, 1909, on a farm between Winnsboro and Rockton. He grew up on farms in the Greenbrier Community of Fairfield County; attended and graduated from Greenbrier High School and the University of South Carolina (1931), where he was a member of the Beta Gamma Chapter of the International Fraternity of Delta Sigma Pi. After graduation, he offered for the office of clerk of court of Fairfield and on November 4, 1932, was elected to that office as youngest clerk of court in the state. He assumed the duties of that office on January 3, 1933, and served continuously for 31 years and 11 months until he was appointed by Gov. Donald Russell to the State Tax Commission. Mr. Lewis had been elected without opposition for eight terms to the clerk's office and held it longer than any other person.

Mr. Lewis served on the Tax Commission until June of 1967, when he was appointed by Gov. Robert McNair as a commissioner of the newly created S.C. Alcoholic

Beverage Control Commission. He served on that commission six years, part of that time as chairman, until June 1973. He then joined McTeer Real Estate in Columbia; on December of 1975, he retired to his farm home at Adgers in Fairfield.

Walter Lewis was one of the organizers of the Fairfield County Historical Society, serving as its second president. In 1969, he organized Mid-County Rural Water System, to which he donated land for a tank and well site. He was the president for seven years. He was a member and officer of the Mount Zion Society and served as president of the S.C. Association of Clerks of Court, and Registers of Mesne Conveyances. He was chairman of the Fairfield Democratic Executive Committee from 1956 to 1967, and was a delegate to the national convention in Philadelphia in 1936. He held membership in the Columbia Rotary Club and Winnsboro Rotary Club. A life-long member of Greenbrier Methodist Church, he worshipped for the last fifty years of his life at First Methodist Church in Winnsboro, near his home, and taught men's Bible class. He was a lifetime member of the American Bible Society and was a Mason and Past Master of Winnsboro Masonic Lodge No. 11 of Ancient Free Masons. He was listed in Who's Who in American Politics in its first edition for 1967-68; and in Marquis' Who's Who in the South and Southwest for the years 1967-1974.

Mr. Lewis died suddenly on May 29, 1982.

Wade Hampton Lewis

The Lewis family came from Wales to Virginia around 1775. Wade Hampton Lewis, one of eight children of James Carol and Mary Jane Weir Lewis, was born in Chester County, South Carolina on June 20, 1876. After army duty in the Spanish American War, Hampton went to Tennessee to visit relatives. While there he married Lucy Ella Smith, daughter of Louis Monroe and Anthony Decatur Bledsoe Smith of Covington, Tennessee.

Returning to South Carolina, Hampton and Ella Lewis settled in Greenbrier Community in Fairfield County where he was a successful farmer, sawmill owner, and store merchant. They had three children—James Wilburn, Claude Elmore, and Decatur (Katie) Jane Lewis.

WILBURN married Martha Josephine Coleman of Ridgeway, and they had three daughters—Lucy Josephine, Betty Elaine, and Helen Jane. Wilburn is now deceased.

Lucy was first married to Richard Henry Thomas of Columbia and had two sons—Richard Henry, Jr. (Ricky) and James Myer (Jimmy). Jimmy lost his life in 1964 in the Vietnam War. Ricky married Carlie Ann Lyles of Greenbrier Community and three children were born to

them—Laura Ann, Lenoia Dawn, and James Quay Thomas. Lucy is now Mrs. Quay W. McMaster of Winnsboro.

Betty married Thomas Hamilton Davis, Jr. (T.H.) of Columbia (now of Sumter, S.C.) and they have two children—Martha Elaine and Thomas Hamilton Davis, III (Tee). Elaine married William Charles Harrington of Florence and they have a son, Coke Hamilton Harrington. Tee is married to Dianne Josephine Drakeford of Sumter and they have a son and daughter—Thomas Hamilton Davis, IV and Lauren Sutler Davis.

Helen married James Francis Wilkes of Lebanon Community, Winnsboro, and they have four children: Helen Diane who is married to Ronnie Goebel of Columbia and has two children—Ashley Wilkes and Kacy Diane Goebel; Barbara Ellen Wilkes, James Francis Wilkes, Jr., and Janet Kaye Wilkes.

CLAUDE married Frances Brooks of Bethel Community, Winnsboro and they had three children: Francis Elmore, James William (Jimmy), and Joseph Monroe (Joe). Jimmy and his parents died in a tragic automobile accident in December 1946.

Francis married Vivian Hilton of Jacksonville, Florida and two children were born to them—Sandra Michelle and Steven. Sandra is married to Bob Weaver of Weaverville, North Carolina and they have three children—Rob, Russ, and Lindsay Weaver. Steven Lewis died in March 1981.

Joe married Susan Kahn of Newport News, Virginia, and their two children are Melissa Woodington Lewis and Trapp Hampton Reid Lewis.

KATIE was married twice—first to Charles Henry Miller of Columbia, (deceased) and then to George Henry Summer of Peak, S.C. She and George had a son, George Wayne. George is now deceased. For forty-two years Katie owned and operated the same grocery store her father had originally started. Summer's Store is a county landmark, located in Greenbrier Community, and is still in operation although under new management. After retiring, Katie and Wayne moved first to Texas and then to Palm Bay, Florida where they now live.

Submitted by:
Josephine C. Lewis



Wade Hampton and Lucy Ella Smith Lewis
(Wedding picture)

The Lyles Family

The Lyles brothers, Ephraim, John, and Williamson came from Brunswick, Virginia, and settled on the Broad River. Ephraim came first, probably as early as 1734. He was killed by Indians or enemies, leaving a wife and seven or eight children. They were Aromanus, James, William, Ephraim Jr., Henry, and John. All were soldiers in the Revolution.

Aromanus (1748-1817) the oldest, married Rebecca Valentine. They had six sons and one daughter. They were Ephraim, John, James, William Valentine, Aromanus, Thomas, and Mary Rebecca. He had no children by other marriages.

James (1782-1852), third son of Aromanus, married his cousin, Drucilla Lyles Goree (1788-1838) daughter of Little Ephraim. Three children survived, Drucilla Valentine, Ephraim Francis, and John Rogers.

John Rogers Lyles (1823-1874) married Charlotte Edrington and Mary Ann Dawkins (1830-1906). Mary Ann was the daughter of Col. John Dawkins of Revolutionary War fame. Children of John Rogers and



John Rogers Lyles, son of James and
and Grandson of Aromanus. Captain in
Civil War

Mary Ann were Mary Ann, Martha Lovedy, Rebecca Victoria, James Pheland Davis, John Franklin, and William Clark. John Rogers Lyles spent some years in Mississippi but returned with his family to Fairfield County. He was a captain in the Confederate Army.

John Franklin Lyles, son of John Rogers, was born January 13, 1860, and died June 29, 1913. He married Faustina Jones, Lula Elkin, and Anna Rose Lever. John Franklin and Lula Elkin had two sons, Edwin Franklin and Baylis Earl. Children of John Franklin and Anna

Rose Lever are presently living in the Ocala, Fla. area.

Baylis Earl Lyles (1886-1956) married Roberta Camak, daughter of Thomas Charles Camak and Lou Meadows. They had four surviving children. Baylis English, Edwin Franklin, and Mary Alice are presently living in Winnsboro. Another son, Thomas Camak, lives in Columbia.

Submitted by:
Patricia W. Lyles

The McCants Family

David McCants (b. app. 1694, d. 1742) of County Antrim, Ireland, with his brother, John, his wife, Elizabeth, and his son, James (b. 1712, d. 1770) sailed for America and arrived in Charleston in 1730. They were of Scottish descent. The name McCants was said to have been originally "MacCansh" of the Scottish MacInnes branch of the Clan Donald. David McCants took title to a plantation of 1,250 acres near Kingstree, as well as one at St. James, Goose Creek near Charleston. His son, James, was a justice of the King's Peace for Craven County which included much of the Up Country and all of what became Camden District. His grandson, Robert McCants, lived in Camden District, which at that time included what is now Fairfield, Chester, York, Lancaster and Kershaw counties. His descendant, James McCants, and his wife, Mary Ann Turnipseed, were the parents of James B. McCants who was born in Fairfield District on August 9, 1814.

After his death on March 28, 1880, the News and Herald says this "son of worthy and respectable parents was graduated from S.C. College in 1841, admitted to the Bar that year, and served as Commissioner in Equity from 1843 to 1851. He was a member of Mount Zion Society for 32 years and served as its President the last

ten years of his life."

He served with distinction in the South Carolina General Assembly from 1858 to 1866, as representative from Fairfield District. James B. McCants married Laura Glenn, daughter of Dr. James Glenn of Union, and Sara Milling, daughter of Captain Hugh Milling of Revolutionary fame. They had four children:

(1) George B., (b. 7-16-1845, d. 8-22-1888), in Confederate Army, died unmarried.

(2) Sallie, (b. 2-22-1848, d. 9-20-1901) married A.S. Douglas, Esquire, of Winnsboro. Their son, James McCants Douglas (Mac), b. 7-14-1889, died in World War I, 10-12-1918, leaving no children. Daughter Isabel, married Dr. Reid Morrison. Daughter, Laura Glenn Douglas, was an artist of some note and her paintings grace Winnsboro homes today. She lived most of her life in Europe and in Washington, but is buried in the Presbyterian Cemetery in Winnsboro, d. 12-28-1962. This family lived in the house which is now the Fairfield Country Club.

(3) James Glenn, (b. 1850, d. 1918) (see account of his family).

(4) Laura Glenn, (b. 1862-d. 1923), married in 1884 to Robert B. Miller of Shelby, N.C.

James Glenn McCants

James Glenn McCants was born in Winnsboro on April 4, 1850, and died there March 7, 1918. He was graduated from S.C. College in 1869 and studied law at the University of Virginia and Yale. He was admitted to the Bar in 1874 and practiced law with his father and A.S. Douglas in Winnsboro. He was a member of the General Assembly from 1905 to 1906 and an elder and choir member of Sion Presbyterian Church. James Glenn McCants was a man of scholarly attainments and owned a sizeable private library. He married Nancy Thornwell Wardlaw, daughter of Dr. Joseph James Wardlaw and Mary Ann Witherpoon Wardlaw of Abbeville, S.C. She was a graduate of Yorkville Female Academy.

The James Glenn McCants Family lived in a home on the corner of Congress and Moultrie streets in Winnsboro. This home, built in the early 1800s and thought to have been designed by Robert Mills, has been moved farther down on Moultrie Street. Confederate General P.T.G. Beauregard and North Carolina Governor Butler were entertained here during the Confederate era. U.S. Cavalry General Kilpatrick made the house his headquarters when Winnsboro was occupied in 1865. The house is now minus its lovely boxwood gardens and badly needs renovation to its former charm.

Eleven children were born to this marriage:

(1) James Bartholomew, b. 3-16-1875, d. 9-17-1880 of diphtheria.

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(2) Joseph Wardlaw, b. 12-25-1876, d. 7-26-1877 of whooping cough.

(3) James Glenn, b. 5-13-1879, d. 12-5-1881.

(4) Laura Glenn, b. 1-10-1881, d. 10-5-1881.

(5) George Bailey, b. 4-19-1882, d. 4-2-1912, unmarried.

(6) Marie Witherspoon, b. 11-13-1883, d. 8-22-1968, unmarried.

(7) Clarke Wardlaw, b. 10-26-1885, d. 2-4-1950 (see ac-

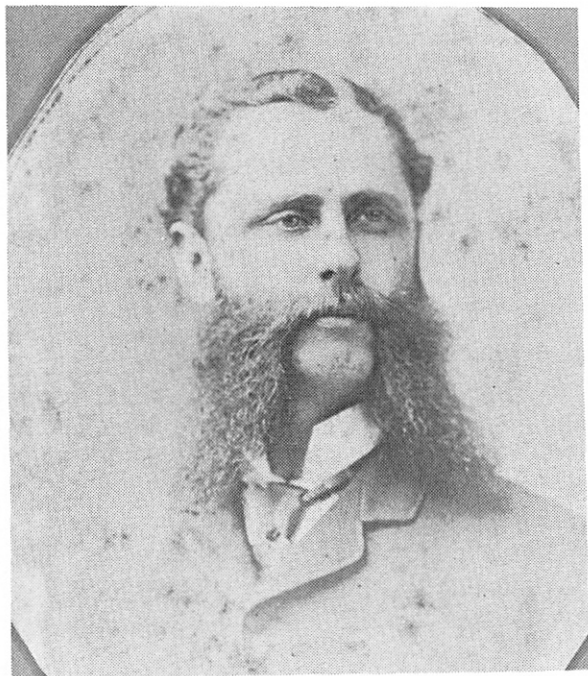
count of his family)

(8) Donnom Witherspoon, b. 12-8-1887, d. 11-1-1954, unmarried.

(9) Charles Spencer b. 1-14-1890 (see account of his family).

(10) Robert Miller b. 7-18-1891, d. 4-3-1903.

(11) Lewis Alfred Wardlaw, b. 9-1-1893, d. 11-12-1979 (see account of his family).



James Glenn McCants



Nancy Wardlaw McCants

Clarke Wardlaw McCants

Clarke Wardlaw McCants was born in Winnsboro on October 26, 1885. He graduated from the University of South Carolina and studied law in his father's office. He was admitted to the Bar in December, 1907, and practiced with his father in Winnsboro. He was a member of the General Assembly from Fairfield County 1916-17. He served on the Judiciary Committee in the House of Representatives. He moved to Columbia in 1917, and was a member of the firm of Barron, McKay, Frierson and McCants.

He was married on December 27, 1919 to Ethel, daughter of Charles G. Watson and Katherine Spigener Watson of Danville, Virginia. She was born at Chatham, Virginia and educated at Chatham Hall. She graduated from the College for Women at Danville, Virginia and did post-graduate studies at the University of Virginia and Columbia University. Clarke Wardlaw McCants was a deacon and elder in the First Presbyterian Church, Columbia, where he and his wife were active in church and civic affairs in Columbia for many years.

He died February 4, 1950. The following appeared in

"The State" at his death: "A man of sterling qualities who practiced in his profession the high principles he set for himself in private life. Mr. McCants was one of Columbia's highly respected men. He was recognized as a lawyer of ability and sound judgement. Quiet, unassuming, he never sought the public eye, but his friends were many and his death is widely regretted." Ethel Watson McCants now lives at the Presbyterian Home, Clinton. Children (all living in Columbia:)

(1) Clarke Wardlaw McCants, Jr., (b. February 20, 1921), Senior partner in law firm of McCants, Nelson, Green and Lafaye, married Marjorie Anne Lucius of Greenville, S.C. Children;

1. Claire Smith, (b. July 10, 1956), Associate Director of Admissions, National Paralegal Center, Atlanta, Ga.

2. Clarke Wardlaw, III, (b. June 20, 1959), student at U.S.C.

3. John Lucius, (b. May 16, 1962), student at Washington & Lee.

4. Nancy Wardlaw, (b. June 1, 1963), student at Brenau College.

(2) Katherine Watson McCants DuBose, (b. September 26, 1924) married to Dr. Hugh Hammond DuBose, Internist. Children:

1. Hugh Hammond DuBose, Jr. (b. December 15, 1951) works with Pinehurst Corporation in Asheboro, North Carolina, married to Carol Redding of Asheboro, N.C.

2. Clarke Wardlaw DuBose, (b. April 5, 1954), Attorney-at-law, Columbia, South Carolina, married to Amy Miller of Chapel Hill N.C.

3. Theodore Bratton DuBose, (b. January 11, 1958),

student at U.S.C. Law School.

4. Katherine McCants DuBose, (b. May 10, 1961) student at U.N.C.

(3) Ethel Wardlaw McCants Lowder, (b. July 26, 1926), teacher at Claude A. Taylor Elementary School, West Columbia, South Carolina. Children:

1. Carl E. Lowder, Jr., (b. April 12, 1958), student at Medical University of South Carolina, Charleston, S.C.

2. Katherine Watson Lowder, (b. December 16, 1954), student at U.S.C. Law School.

Charles Spencer McCants



Spencer McCants Family

Pictured from left to right are: back row, Jane Tucker Dana, Hank Surrency, Eleanor Surrency, John Smith III, Nelle Smith, Lolly Dana, Frank Dana, Isobel Yates and Frank Dana III. Standing, 1st row, are

Spencer McCants Smith and Gettys Smith. Seated are: Ora Elliott Smith, Isobel McCants, Spencer McCants and Nancy Dana.

Spencer McCants was born in Winnsboro on Jan. 14, 1890. Graduated in 1912 from Davidson College, where, despite his small size, he played on baseball and football teams. Worked in Bank of Hartsville for two years before entering Medical College of Virginia, graduating first in his class in 1918. After internship, he returned home to

Winnsboro and has practiced medicine here continuously for sixty-two years. His first car was a Model T. Ford, purchased in 1919, and it was often stuck on the muddy roads of Fairfield County. He has delivered more than 3,500 babies in Fairfield County, and has seen

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medicine change from house calls, home deliveries and "Central" knowing where he was, to the hospitals and diagnostic marvels we have today.

He is a member of Amer. Medical Assoc., S.C Medical Assoc., former Pres. of Tri-State Medical Assoc., and Fairfield Medical Assoc., a fellow in Medical Assoc. of Family Practice, a member of Board of Fairfield Memorial Hospital, and was its hospital Administrator during an interim period.

He is an elder of Sion Presbyterian Church, a founder and former president of Community Savings and Loan, charter member and former president of Winnsboro Rotary Club, former president of Mt. Zion Society, received Distinguished Service to Mankind Award from Winnsboro Sertoma Club in 1975, and is an honorary member of St. Andrews Society. He is a member of the Fairfield Country Club and has thoroughly enjoyed its golf course.

He married Mary Isabel Gooding, b. 9-12-89, daughter of Ella Elliott and Robert Carpenter Gooding, also of Winnsboro, on Sept. 4, 1918. Isabel McCants taught school at Mt. Zion Institute, Sunday School at Sion Presbyterian, and was a member of Round Dozen, Music Club and Garden Club. They have four daughters:

1. Eleanor Gooding, b. 6-17-19, married to Herbert Traub Surrency, retired banker, living in Huntsville, Ala.

2. Laura Glenn, b. 4-3-21, married to Frank Johnstone

Dana, Jr., Pres. of Dana Insurance Agency, living in Columbia, S.C. Children: Frank Johnstone Dana, III, b. 6-8-50, Attorney, living in Greenville, S.C.; Jane Tucker Dana b. 1-25-53, Attorney, living in Washington, D.C., and Nancy Wardlaw Dana, b. 11-11-56, Asst. Management Consultant, married to William Harrison Theus, candidate for M.B.A. Degree at U. Va., living in Charlottesville, Va.

3. Isabel Elliott, b. 10-1-24, married to Eugene Wilson Yates, Jr., also of Winnsboro. Wilson is Vice-Pres. and Legal Counsel of Kentucky Central Life Ins. Co., Isabel was 1981 Kentucky Mother of the Year and they live in Lexington, Ky. Children: Eugene Wilson Yates, III, b. 8-6-49, Attorney, living in Columbia, S.C., married to Martha Windham of Columbia, one son, Elliott Wilson Yates; Isabel Elliott Yates, b. 12-15-52, Lab Assistant, married to Dr. Karl Hempel of Tallahassee, Fla., two daughters, Anne Yates Hempel and Joy Elizabeth Hempel; Carolyn West Yates, b. 2-4-60, Accountant with firm of Cooper and Lybrand, Lexington, Ky. and Elliott Glenn Yates b. 6-9-65, high school student in Lexington.

4. Nell Elliott b. 12-15-31, owner of Nell's Harbor Shop, married to John Gettys Smith, president of John Gettys Smith Associates, living on Hilton Head Island. Children: John Gettys Smith III, b. 12-28-56, recipient of M.A. Degree Univ. of Arizona; Spencer McCants Smith b. 1-7-59, student at U.S.C. Law School, and Ora Elliott Smith, b. 2-7-61, student at U.S.C.

Wardlaw McCants

Wardlaw McCants was born in Winnsboro on Sept. 1, 1893. He attended schools of the town and Presbyterian College. He joined the Army at the beginning of World War I, was trained in Pennsylvania and served in the Ambulance Unit of the front in France. He returned to Winnsboro after the war and worked for the remainder of his life for the U.S. Postal Service. He was a lifelong member of Sion Presbyterian Church, a member of the American Legion and Winnsboro Masonic Lodge II. He was married on June 29, 1927, to Irene Carpenter, daughter of H.J.A. Carpenter and Beatrice Scism Carpenter of Cherryville, N.C. Wardlaw McCants died on Nov. 12, 1979, and is buried in the Presbyterian Cemetery in Winnsboro. Irene Carpenter McCants lives in Winnsboro at their home on Moultrie St. They have two children:

(1) James Glenn McCants, born 6-9-28, graduate of Clemson College, worked for U.S. Rubber Co. in Winnsboro and Shelby, N.C. He is now with Roanoke Mills and lives in Roanoke, Ala. Glenn married Faye Watson, also

of Winnsboro, and they have four children:

a. James Glenn, Jr., b. 1-27-55, works with J.P. Stevens, living in Rockingham, N.C.

b. Laura Faye, b. 6-10-56, married to Conway Carter, lives in Shelby, N.C. and her husband is with Chevrolet Co.

c. Charles Wardlaw, b. 11-8-58, lives and works in Shelby, N.C.

d. Irene Marie, b. 8-23-62, student at Winthrop College.

(2) Helen Wardlaw McCants, b. 2-22-31, graduate of Univ. of S.C., married John T. Blair, insurance executive of Knoxville, Tenn. He died there July 12, 1981. Helen works in the Clerk of Court's Office in Knoxville, Tenn. They have three children:

a. Thomas Michael Blair, b. 3-15-57, works at T.V.A.

b. Dorothy Jeanette Blair, b. 9-29-60, student at Tenn. State Univ.

c. Laura Irene Blair, b. 2-27-67, high school student in Knoxville, Tenn.



Wardlaw McCants' Family

Pictured from left to right are: Faye Watson McCants, James Glenn McCants, Irene McCants, Wardlaw McCants, Helen McCants Blair and

John T. Blair.

Nina Stevenson McClintock

Nina Earleen Stevenson born March 16, 1897-youngest of five children born to Anna Jane Turner and David Lee Stevenson. Nina attended Erskine College, Due West, S.C., where she met James Aiken McClintock, also a student. They were married on October 15, 1919.

James Aiken McClintock was born August 21, 1895-honor graduate of Due West High School. Attended Erskine College where he was the recipient of the Declamation Medal. He was employed by Southern Railway Company, Greenville, prior to moving to Winstboro July 1920.

Their marriage was blessed with five children; Margie Elizabeth, b. October 3, 1920, James Aiken, Jr., b. June 26, 1922, Nina Lucille, b. July 27, 1924, Anne Estelle, b. April 7, 1927, Ruth Lee Ola, b. June 18, 1929.

1. Margie Elizabeth McClintock married Maxie Holland Shealy. They had one son: James Maxie, b. December 6, 1954. Maxie Holland Shealy died June 28, 1978.

2. James Aiken McClintock, Jr., killed in service September 24, 1944, Luxenburg-World War II, Member of the 628th Tank destroyer Battalion.

3. Nina Lucille (Tilly) McClintock-married John Elbert Roberts, II. Their children are: John Elbert, III, b. April 19, 1948, and Janis Carol, b. August 20, 1949. John Elbert Roberts, III, married Tracy Hamrick, September, 1978. Her children are Meredith Anne Hamrick and Ed Hamrick. Janis Carol Roberts married Edward Peoples Hammond June 17, 1972; their children are Raymond McClintock (Clint) May 12, 1978, and John Edward, October 23, 1980.

4. Anne Estelle McClintock-married Robert Douglas Fritz, D.D. June 8, 1952; their children are Robert Douglas, Jr., b. June 9, 1954, and David Allan, b. February 12, 1956.

Ruth Lee Ola McClintock-married Harold Joyce Price, December 15, 1951. Their Children: Harold Joyce, Jr. b.

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January 12, 1954, Marvin McClintock, b. October 22, 1959, Esther Ruth, b. May 25, 1962. Harold Joyce Jr., Married Peggy Ann Landes, September 2, 1979; Their children are Lindsay Anne-May 22, 1981, Marvin McClintock married Wendy Leigh Dennis, October 25, 1980.

James Aiken McClintock, Sr. died August 21, 1965.
Nina S. McClintock-married Paul E. Watson, Sr., May 22, 1967.
Paul E. Watson, Sr., died January 1, 1974.

McCrackan Family

Rev. William A. McCrackan, Baptist Preacher, b. Oct. 30, 1846 in Charleston, S.C., d. July 11, 1920. Married Frances Jane Boone, b. Dec. 15, 1851 in Edgefield, S.C. d. Dec. 1946 in Aiken County, S.C.

Children: Hubert, Pamela, Robert, Dave, Lillie, Carrie, Llewellyn Boone, Manly Broadus.

William David Harris, Contractor, b. July 9, 1861, Harrisburg, N.C., d. June 2, 1928. Married Mary Eugenia Wade of Salisbury, N.C., on Nov. 27, 1882, b. Aug. 7, 1861, d. April 21, 1950 in Concord, N.C.

Children: Lena May, Ada Estell, Edward G., Jessie R., Roy D., Vaude S., James Marshall.

Llewellyn Boone McCrackan, Postal employee, b. June 13, 1884, Langley, S.C., d. Dec. 27, 1936. Married Lena May Harris a Methodist home missionary, (b. Oct. 12, 1884 in Harrisburg, N.C., d. June 28, 1964) Sept. 1, 1915.

Children: Nina May, b. Nov. 25, 1916 in Aiken, S.C., David Harris, b. Nov. 5, 1920, Aiken, S.C., d. June 23, 1977.

The McCrackan Family, of Scottish ancestry, moved from Aiken to Columbia, S.C. in 1922, then to Winnsboro, in 1924. Llewellyn was an Insurance Agent for The Life Insurance Company of Virginia, and later for The Life and Casualty Insurance Co. He also was an employee of The Fuller Brush Company.

Mrs. McCrackan, a seamstress, was very active in the First Baptist Church.

Both children graduated from Mt. Zion Institute. Nina finished a business course and Harris trained to be a Rose's Store manager.

Davis H. McCrackan

David Harris McCrackan, of Scottish descent, b. Nov. 5, 1920 in Aiken, S.C., d. June 23, 1977. Married Marjorie Hight Barnes, (b. Oct. 17, 1922, d. April 19, 1974) Sept. 3, 1943.

Children: Frances Carol, b. June 6, 1944, David Harris, Jr. b. Oct. 1, 1947, Lena Marsha b. Oct. 8, 1956, Robert Eugene b. Dec. 23, 1957. Frances Carol married Daniel J. Bliley in August 1970. Their children: Daniel J. Jr. b. March 1971, Caroline b. 1972, Kathleen b. 1974. Lena Marsha married John Whitt, Nov. 1979. Robert Eugene married Carey Anne McGinnity of Raleigh, N.C., June 27, 1981. David Harris, Jr. married Gloria Hoover, Feb. 14, 1969. Children: Stephanie, b. July 5, 1978, Jacqueline b. March 1980.

David Harris McCrackan, Sr. moved with his parents

and sister to Winnsboro in 1924. They lived one year in the home of Mrs. J.A. Williford. Then they moved to 110 E. College Street. He graduated from Mt. Zion Institute in 1938, and trained for a Rose's Store Manager in the Winnsboro Store and the Mt. Airy, N.C. store. He worked a short time in Rose's home office in Henderson, N.C. and managed stores in Lake City, S.C., Norfolk, Va., Leaksville, N.C., Greenville, S.C. and Rutherfordton, N.C., worked several years for Family Dollar Stores, Graham, N.C., member of First Baptist Church, Graham, N.C. the Ancient Free and Accepted Masons, a past President of the Rutherfordton, N.C. Lion's Club and a past President of the Rutherfordton Merchants' Association.

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McCreight Family

William McCreight emigrated from County Antrim, Ireland, taking ship from Belfast after the birth of his first son Robert (1762), and before the birth of his second son John (1765), landing at Charleston, S.C. He settled on the south fork of Jackson's Creek about three miles west of Winnsboro, and was given a grant to 400 acres there the 23rd of June 1774, by His Majesty, George III. In 1774 he built the house on Vanderhorst St., which is now owned by the city of Winnsboro. Being a cabinet maker (a cotton gin maker by trade) he made most of the furniture used in the house. William McCreight was married to a widow, Mrs. Agnes Gladney, and they had four sons and two daughters.

Their youngest son, William, apparently inherited the house on Vanderhorst Street after his mother's death. He married a Nancy Austin from Ireland and they had nine children (3 boys and 6 girls), the youngest was Rachel Lucinda McCreight. He served in the War of 1812 and in 1814 commanded the "Winnsboro Light Infantry." Resigning command of this company, he was elected Colonel of the 25th Regiment of the S.C. Militia. Col. McCreight was the first Intendant (Mayor) of Winnsboro, retaining the office for 15 years and finally declining a re-election. He labored constantly for the Mount Zion College being elected President of the Mount Zion Society twice.

Col. McCreight was elected an Elder in the O.S. Presbyterian Church when it was organized in Winnsboro and was a working and consistant member for upwards of fifty years. A newspaper account of several years ago told of his efforts in securing the town clock,

the works for which had been ordered from England. When they arrived in Charleston it took 10 wagons to bring them up to Winnsboro. According to an item in the Winnsboro Register dated the 8th November 1859 (the day after his death) he had been an outstanding and highly respected member of the community, working tirelessly for the betterment of the town. After his death, the house on Vanderhorst St., apparently came into the hands of his nephew, Daniel Baker McCreight, son of his brother James. Daniel B. McCreight was the father of Mrs. Kate Leslie McCreight Smith, who lived in the house until her death in 1949, and is still remembered by some of the older members of the community.

Col. Wm. McCreight's youngest daughter, Rachel Lucinda McCreight, was the second wife of Samuel Andrew Jackson and was the mother of eight children. Emma Louise Jackson married A.E. Powell, who owned a large farm below Winnsboro which is still owned by her grandchildren. The youngest daughter, Inez McCreight Jackson, married Robert R. Camak a brother of Thomas C. Camak of "Mossydale" fame.

As one young member of the "McCreight Clan" said when he came to Winnsboro to recuperate from a wound during the Civil War: "I soon felt like I must be kin to just about everybody in Winnsboro". This must even now express the feelings of a great many people living in Fairfield County today as the genealogy of the McCreight family alone would fill a large volume.

McDill Family

James McDill (d. 1847) married Mary Boyd (1775-1856) on February 10, 1803. Their children were: Nathaniel Boyd McDill (1805-1832); Ann McDill (1807-1895); Margaret McDill (b. 1810) married George Brown (d. 1888) on April 8, 1838; Robert McDill (1813-1870) married Nancy McCreight on December 14, 1837, and moved to Portersville, Tennessee; Patrick Brown McDill (1815-1816); and Mary Elizabeth McDill (1822-1887).

James McDill bought a portion of his father-in-law's land and resided there. There is no record of his parents, but he was related to the McDonald family of Blackstock.

Robert McDill and Nancy moved to Tennessee and reared seven children. 1. George Washington (b. 1838) moved to Lyndon, Kansas after the war. 2. William John (b. 1840) died at the battle of Chickamauga on September 13, 1863. 3. Wynfield Scott (b. 1842) also died in the War Between the States. 4. Mary Andrea (b. 1845) married in Tennessee. 5. Margaret Ann (b. 1847) married in Tennessee. 6. Robert Shannon (b. 1850) moved to Lyndon, Kansas with brother, George. 7. Harriet (b. 1852) married Bob ? in Tennessee.

This concludes the McDill name in Fairfield, except for the line of Margaret McDill, which continues under the George Brown family.

McDonald Family

The McDonalds of Winnsboro are but one of a number of McDonald families who trace their ancestry to Scotch-Irish patriarchs who came from Scotland and Ireland and settled in Georgia and the Carolinas in the mid to late 1700's. It is believed that the family ancestor came to North Carolina from Scotland in 1760 or thereabouts. We find records of land transactions by a John W. McDonald, Sr. in Richmond County, Georgia, as early as 1779 and continuing in both Richmond and Elbert Counties through 1793. He and his wife, Nancy, had a large family, one of the sons being John McDonald, Jr.

John McDonald Jr., married Margaret McCurry, believed to be the daughter of Laughlin McCurry, around 1795 and they had nine children, among them a son, John Laughlin McDonald. The family lived near the Savannah River in Elbert County but attended the Generostee ARP Church some 10 to 12 miles across the river in Anderson County. The father died in 1823 and his widow in 1845.

John Laughlin McDonald, born in 1810, attended an academy near Due West and graduated from Miami University in Ohio in 1836. From 1840 to 1870 he held pastorates at Union ARP at Richburg and also at Tirzah and Neeley's Creek. His last pastorate was at New Hope ARP Church in Fairfield County near Woodward and it was there that he was buried in 1874. It is said that Laughlin McDonald was a man of grand manner and commanding presence and a pulpit orator of rare ability. His first wife was Margaret Brice of the New Hope congregation by whom he had a daughter who later married James A. Brice. After his wife's death in 1842 Reverend McDonald married Mellissa Stinson, daughter of Daniel Green Stinson of Chester County. Three of their eight children survived to adulthood, James Edwin McDonald, who became Solicitor of the Sixth Judicial Circuit; Reverend Charles E. McDonald, one of whose pastorates was at Bethel ARP in Winnsboro; and William L. McDonald, who not only practiced law in Winnsboro for a time but also became Editor of the Yorkville Inquirer.

James Edwin McDonald married Lillie Elliott in 1882 and they made their home in the impressive house on Bratton Street now occupied by Mary (Mrs. T.K.) McDonald. Their marriage joined two family lines whose roots were deep in Piedmont soil, particularly in the Richburg and Fishing Creek area of Chester County. Lillie Elliott's great-grandfather, Daniel Elliott, settled on Fishing Creek during the Revolution. Her grandfather, James Elliott, was the Fairfield County Clerk of Court during the mid 1800's and was a well-known silversmith at well. Her father, Henry Laurens Elliott, was married first to Mary McMaster and after her death to Tirzah Ketchin, and it was of this latter union that Lillie

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was born.

It is said that when Laughlin McDonald preached at Union church in Richburg he used as a manse for a period the Elliott house which was built during the Revolution by Daniel Elliott. Strangely enough the two families came together again with the marriage of Laughlin's son, James Edwin, and Daniel's great-granddaughter, Lillie.

Judge (as he was called) and Mrs. McDonald had six children. Helen, the oldest daughter, married Stoney English Lyles and their son, Donald, lives in Greenwood. James Edwin McDonald, Jr., the oldest son, married Lucy Pride Heyward of Columbia and practiced law in Winnsboro with his father and then in Chester. Their daughters, Lucy Pride McDonald Shand and Elizabeth Heyward McDonald Wells, live in Columbia as do their sons, James Edwin (Ned) McDonald, a retired Army officer, and Heyward Elliott McDonald, a lawyer who represents a district including Fairfield in the State Senate. Moffatt Grier McDonald, the next son, married Rachel Boyce and made his home in Greenwood. His son, James Elliott McDonald, followed his father into the law and practices in Greenwood. Judge McDonald's third son, Marion, died at age 5. The next daughter is Lucy Gaston (Mrs. John Hugh) Boulware whose home is on Bratton Street near that of her father. Her three daughters are Lil (Mrs. Leonard) Jordan of Columbia, Mary (Mrs. John) Martin, wife of Senator John Martin of Winnsboro, and Lucy Ann (Mrs. Joseph L.) Steele of Winnsboro. The youngest son of Judge and Mrs. McDonald was Thomas Ketchin McDonald, a Winnsboro lawyer, whose widow, Mary Davis McDonald, is a former Chairman of the Board of the South Carolina Department of Social Services. Their daughter, Camilla, lives with her mother while her son, Thomas Ketchin McDonald, Jr., lives in Columbia and practices law in Winnsboro. Her son, William D. (Bill), is a writer of note with the State newspaper, and her son, Moffatt Laughlin, is an attorney in Atlanta.

The second son of Reverend and Mrs. Laughlin McDonald, Reverend Charles Edgar McDonald, married Margaret Harris. His eldest son, Robert Harris McDonald, was employed by Uniroyal for many years and Harris' widow, Mary Carlisle Elliott McDonald, lives in the Elliott home at the foot of Bratton Street. (1) See note. His youngest son, Charles E. Jr. (Mickey), married Ramona Dietzel and is a retired naval officer residing in Winnsboro. (2) See note. Reverend McDonald's daughter, Lois Josephine, became a teacher and writer and is living at Still Hopes in Columbia.

The third son of Reverend and Mrs. Laughlin McDonald was William Laughlin McDonald who married Jessie Bell. They had four children, one of whom, Van, died at age nineteen. William Laughlin (Lynn) McDonald married Alice Moffatt; Isabel McDonald married Lovelace Eave; and Lucille McDonald married Claude

Sloan.

Tracing their heritage through the McDonald, Elliott, and Ketchin families, and other well-known Fairfield families as well, it is safe to say that the progress of the McDonalds of Winnsboro and Fairfield County has been intertwined for almost two centuries with the settlement and growth of this section of Piedmont South Carolina. Like many of the Scotch-Irish of the upper half of the state they have been nurtured primarily in the Associated Reformed Presbyterian Church. Theirs has been a significant contribution over the years to the civic and professional life of Winnsboro.

James E. McDonald

James Edwin McDonald married Lillie Elliott, daughter of Henry Laurens and Tirzah Christine Elliott, and they had the following children: Helen, who married Stoney Lyles; Edwin married Lucy Heyward; Moffatt married Rachel Boyce; Marion, a son died at age 5; Lucy married John Hugh Boulware; Thomas Ketchin married Mary Davis.

Double Cousins

(1) Mary Carlisle Elliott is a daughter of William Robert Elliott, brother of Lillie Elliott. This marriage thus created double first cousins in these branches of the Elliott-McDonald families. Robert Harris and Mary Carlisle had one daughter, Mary Carlisle, who married Meredith W. Chappell.

(2) Their daughter Martha Louise McDonald married Arthur Herbert Lachicotte of Pawleys Island, S.C. The son of Charles E. and Ramona McDonald, Charles E. McDonald III followed the path of many others of this McDonald branch into the profession of law and currently practices in Greenville, S.C. He is married to the former Patricia Jackson.

McKenzie Family

Floyd Ray McKenzie (b. Jan. 30, 1926, Soperton, Ga.) moved to Winnsboro in Dec., 1946, married Mildred Marie Plyler (b. Jan. 19, 1923 Gastonia, N.C.) on Nov. 20, 1948.

They have two children: (1) Sara Virginia (Ginny) born Aug. 27, 1949 in Columbia, S.C., married Benjamin Stone Driggers (b. Mar. 5, 1946) on Jan. 27, 1971. Their children are Heather Marie (b. Dec. 5, 1973 Columbia, S.C.) and Hayley Renee (b. Dec. 10, 1977 Columbia, S.C.)

(2) Vollie Ray was born Aug. 28, 1950 in Columbia, S.C.

James McClurkin's Will

James McLurkin (now spelled McClurkin) left a will in Chester County, dated December 9, 1794, and it is so interesting, it is quoted here:

"In the Name of God, Amen. I James McClurkin of Chester County and the State of South Carolina, being well and enjoying a common state of health and sound in mind and memory, calling to mind the mortality of my body and that it is appointed for all men one time to die, I in the first place give my soul to God who gave it, not doubting at the General Resurrection to receive the same again, leaving my body to the buried in decent Burial Order at the discretion of my executors, and as touching such worldly estate it pleased God to bless me with, I dispose and Bequeath in the following way and manner, viz:

"In the first place, I give and bequeath unto my well beloved son Thomas McClurkin all my body clothes of every kind. Secondly, I give and bequeath unto my well beloved daughter Eleander (Eleanor?) and my well beloved daughter Jean (Jane McClurkin) and my well beloved son Samuel and my well beloved daughter Cathrine and my well beloved daughter Genet and my son James' children and my daughter Lilley's children one Dollar a piece or four shillings and eight pence sterling. Thirdly, I give and bequeath unto my two well beloved grandsons, sons of my son Jno. sons Andrew and James McClurkin all my lands to be equally divided quantity and quality, also twenty three pounds ten shillings and six pence sterling of debts due me by their father to be equally divided between them, my said two grandsons, but in case one of them should die without issue the survivor shall enjoy the whole him or them their heirs freely to be possessed and enjoyed forever, but in case they both are removed before death before they have lawful issue, in such case my lands shall be sold at publick auction and the amount with the aforesaid debt...should be equally divided between my son Saml's son and James Boyd my daughter Cathrine's son and James Weir my daughter Jean's son and James McClurkin my daughter Genet's son and Mary Young my daughter Eleander's daughter, the remainder of my property whatsoever it may be it is my will that it be equally divided amongst these my before mentioned Grand Children, viz: James McClurkin, James Boyd, James Weir, James McClurkin, and Mary Young. Mary Young.

"In the last place I Constitute, Ordain and Appoint Jno. Mebin & David Weir me well beloved sons-in-law, executors of my last will and testament. I do hereunto utterly disallow, revoke and disanull all and every other former testament, will, legacies, bequeaths and executors by me in any ways before named, ratifying and confirming this and none other to be my Last Will and

Testament in Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal...

"The will was signed by 'his mark,' James McClurkin. Witnesses were Stafford Currey, James Brown, and James Strong. Proved September 21, 1794. (Chester County Wills, Vol. A, Page 216).

David Weir's Will

David Weir, Sr's. Will was filed in Book B, Pages 165, 166, Fairfield County and was recorded October 20, 1797.

"It states: "In the Name of God, Amen. The Sixteenth of June in the year of our Lord, one thousand seven hundred and ninety seven, and in the twenty second year of the Independence of the United States of America, I, David Weir Senr. of the State of South Carolina and County of Fairfield, being very sick and weak in body, but of perfect mind and memory thanks be given unto God for the same...

"I give, devise and dispose of (wordly goods) in the manner and form following (that is to say) In the first place I constitute and appoint my son George Weir of Chester County my executor together with David Weir my son and Andr. McDowell which three persons I constitute and appoint to act and dispose of my estate in the manner and form following (that is to say) I leave me beloved son David Weir Junior one copper still together with one gray mare and one sorrell mare, also all my other furniture, goods and chattels whatsoever, excepting one young sorrell mare together with my saddle and bridle and bit which I leave to young David Weir, son of James Weir. But I do further allow that there shall be given out of my estate by my executors one dollar to George Weir's son David and six dollars to Thomas Gillaspie's son David. I also leave my son James Weir my streat bodyed coat and my smallest Bible, any more than I leave and allow James Weir to give to his son David Weir the whole sum of money which he now stands indebted to me, which sum of money is eighteen dollars. I also except from what I have already given my best corduroy breeches and coat which I leave to George Weir, all other implements, household stuff or ready money or any rights or credits to me belonging I leave all to me beloved David Weir Junior, and I also do utterly disallow, renounce and disanull all and every other former testament...Signed: David Weir (seal); witnesses, Jno. McElveen, Junr. and Hugh Smith."

As stated, James Weir was the son of David Weir and Jane McClurkin Weir. (Jane McClurkin, born in 1749, died in 1853, being 103).

James McClurkin Weir (born 1779, married 7-9-1838, died 1838 was the husband of Mary Williams Weir, born 1791, died July 26, 1870. The marriage date of 1838 is an obvious error in family records.

The son, John W. (Williams?) Weir (1-1-1816/6-9-1861) married Mary W. Robertson or Robertson 10-21-1821/12-

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29-1910 . It is not known if he served briefly in the Civil War, as by then he was 45 years old.

Mary "Polly" Weir and John W. Weir are buried at Concord Presbyterian Church, Woodward, S.C., as are James and Mary Weir.

Also buried there is 1st Lt. J.T. Weir, Co. F, 23rd Reg. SCV, born in 1835, died December 10, 1862, at Battle of Goldsboro. He married Charlotte Cockrell Lewis, sister of James Carroll Lewis (daughter of William B. Lewis II and Catherine Wells Lewis). Whether he was a son of John W. Weir and Mary "Polly" Weir is unknown. It is known that the Weirs had only two daughters, Mary Jane Weir and Sallie.

Mary Jane Weir married James Carroll Lewis, father of Thomas Walter Lewis. (Mary Jane Weir 7-30-1846/12-22-1910). (James Carroll Lewis 9-8-1837/1-14-1925). She was buried December 23, 1910, according to Aunt Mamie McKeown. Both she and her husband are buried at Bethlehem Methodist Church Cemetery, Chester County, near Blackstock.

Mary Jane Weir Lewis' sister, Sallie, married Bess Roberts and lived in Tennessee, near Burlison or Covington. She returned to South Carolina and at one

time, lived with Thomas and Mollie Lewis just before her death. Her husband is buried in Tennessee; she, dying September 9, 1909, is buried at Concord Presbyterian Church Cemetery. Mrs. Roberts was born February 22, 1842.

Thomas Walter Lewis (9-28-1874/4-18-1952), son of James Carroll Lewis and Mary Jane Weir Lewis, married Mary Ellen "Mollie" Street of Burlison, Tenn.

(See the Lewis Family History for names of children of Thomas and Mollie Lewis; and James and Mary Jane Lewis).

Marriages

James McClurkin m. Sally ? (unknown)

Jane McClurkin m. David Weir (born in England.)

James McClurkin Weir m. Mary Williams

John W. Weir m. Mary W. "Polly" Robinson or Robertson.

Mary Jane Weir m. James Carroll Lewis.

Thomas Walter Lewis m. Mary Ellen "Mollie" Street.

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The McMaster Family

John McMaster came as a child to Winnsboro with his mother, Margaret Killock McMaster, widow of Hugh McMaster. John was born at Drumrayer, County Antrim, Northern Ireland, June 9, 1787. He served in the army in the War of 1812. Postmaster of Winnsboro for 40 years, he was also a merchant and innkeeper. He married Rachel Buchanan, (August 21, 1793-June 9, 1883), daughter of Creighton and Mary Milliken Buchanan. John McMaster died September 2, 1864.

Children of John and Rachel Buchanan McMaster: I. John Creighton, died at 18, II. Hugh Buchanan, attended South Carolina College, was merchant and planter, married Elizabeth Boatwright Fleming, of Columbia. III. James Riley, M.D., married Harriet Mobley. IV. Mary Milliken married Henry Laurens Elliott. V. Fitz William, Colonel in Confederate Army, an attorney in Columbia, served as Mayor of Columbia, married Mary Jane Macfie. VI. George Hunter, head of South Carolina Home for Soldiers in Richmond during War Between the States, Representative from Fairfield in Legislature, married (1) Mary Elizabeth Flenniken, (2) Louisa Penn Gregg. VII. Richard Nott, served in Hampton's Legion in War Between the States, a planter, married Sarah Agnes Boulware. VIII. Margaret Crow married Osmund Thompson.

Hugh Buchanan McMaster (Feb. 20, 1820-April 8, 1873) married Elizabeth Boatwright Fleming (April 24, 1825-May 12, 1897). Their children were: James Fleming, John

Creighton, Hugh Buchanan (M.D.) of Waynesboro, Ga., married Rosa Moore, George Riley, Sally Fleming married Donald John Macauley of Chester, Mark Brown married Vernie Mercer, David Edwin (M.D.) of Tennille, Ga., married (1) Eula Chaulder and (2) Pauline Chaudler, Rachel Buchanan married James A. Chapman of Spartanburg, Malvina Donald was a trained nurse.

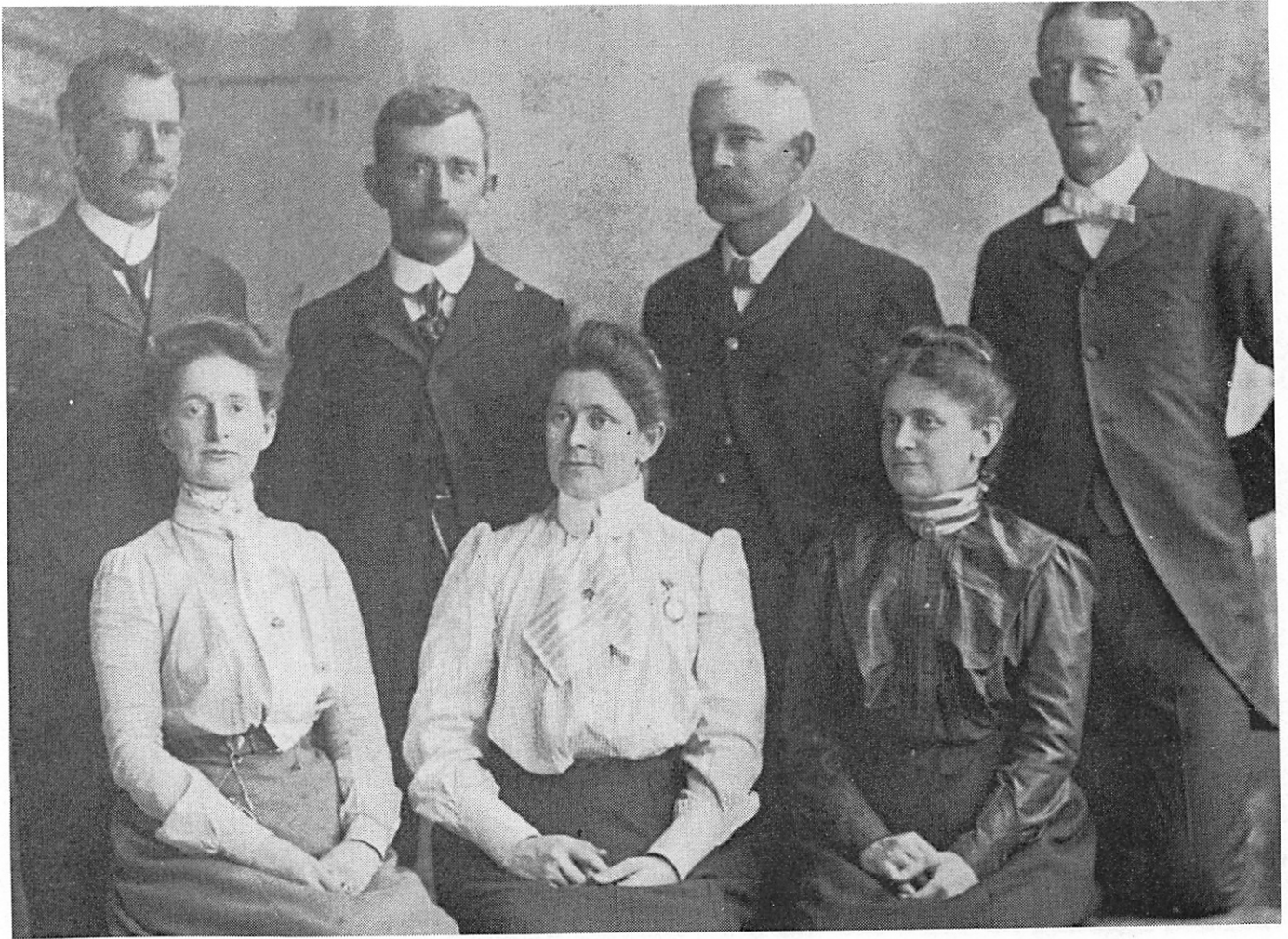
James Fleming McMaster (Feb. 7, 1852-July 27, 1903) attended Wofford College, was a merchant and planter, married (1) Kitty Rion (Sept. 14, 1858-Aug. 29, 1883), daughter of Colonel James H. and Mary Catherine Weir Rion. Their child was Kitt Rion McMaster.

James Fleming McMaster's second wife was Mary Rice, of Union. Their children were: Elizabeth, married John D. Harrison (M.D.) of Greenwood, James Fleming, Jr., married Christine Gooding, Spencer Rice, married Mary Frances Williford, Hugh Buchanan married Elizabeth Moore, John Creighton married Jane Brooks.

Kitt Rion McMaster (Aug. 29, 1883-March 25, 1958) graduate of The Citadel, planter and merchant, married Nell Elliott (b. Jan. 5, 1892), daughter of Thomas K. and Carrie Aiken Elliott. Children: (1) Nell Elliott, (1917), married William Thomas Sprott, sons William Thomas, Jr., Richard McMaster who married Miriam Center--their daughter is Marion Center Sprott. (2) Kitt Rion McMaster, Jr., (1918-1970) married Frances Simpson, children Kitt Rion III, M.D., Ellen Simpson married John V. Nicholson, (D.D.S.), children: Elliott McMaster, John

Palmer. (3) Jane Marshall, (1920), married Donald Roehrs, daughter Pamela Elliott. (4) Caroline Aiken, (1924), married William Sloan Lyles, (M.D.) children Evelyn McMaster, married Wade H. Macfie III, Frances

Nell, Joseph Sloan, Rachel Rion, married Basil Lempesis. (5) Rachel Donald, Ph.D., (1925-1981), married Jerome Sidney Kaye, Ph.D (6) Henrietta Laurens, (1937), married George Livings, son Jack Rion.



Children of H.B. McMaster

Pictured are the children of Hugh Buchanan McMaster and Elizabeth Boatwright Fleming McMaster. From left to right, back row, are: Hugh Buchanan McMaster, Mark Brown McMaster, James

Fleming McMaster, David Edwin McMaster. Front Row: Malvina Donald McMaster, Rachel Buchanan McMaster Chapman, Sallie Fleming McMaster Macauley.

Dr. James Riley McMaster

Hugh McMaster married Margaret Killock; their son, John McMaster, married Rachel Buchanan; their son Dr. James Riley McMaster (1822-1894) married Harriet Mobley. Their children were: Hattie married William W. Ketchin; Mary married Benjamin James Boulware; James Riley; Margaret Eliza; Beulah Buchanan; Laura; Sarah Tirzah; John Hugh; Thomas Madden; Marion married James E. Coan; George Todd; Lizzie Killock; Rachel.

The children of Hattie and William W. Ketchin were: Tirzah McMaster married Samuel Cathcart; Mary Ella; Harriet Rebecca; Jo Cummings married Laurie McAlpine; Laura Elliott; William Witherspoon.

The children of John Hugh and Marion Mellichamp McMaster: John Hugh married Norvelle Atkinson; James Riley married Mary Lou Haynes, Catherine Cuttino married Marshall Robinson; Mary Mellichamp married Joseph Moore.

George Hunter McMaster

George Hunter McMaster was the grandson of Margaret Killock and Hugh McMaster. He was the son of John McMaster (1787-1862) and Rachel Buchanan (1793-1883). John was brought to America as an infant of two years by his mother after his father's return to Ireland and his subsequent death. She settled in Long Cain, Abbeville County, where his father had owned property after the Revolution. She then settled in Fairfield. John served in the War of 1812. Postmaster for forty years he was also a merchant.

George Hunter McMaster (1828-1903), graduated University of South Carolina, studied in Europe, conducted and established hospitals in Richmond, Va. for the wounded during the War Between the States, refusing higher appointments, Mayor and Representative in the Legislature from Fairfield, President of Winnsboro National Bank, Deacon, ARP Church.

In 1855 he married Elizabeth Flenniken (1833-1874). Their children were: 1. Annie Hearst (1856-1918), married William Beaty. Children: (a) Sarah Thorne (1879) (b) Lizzie (1881) (c) William (1884) (d) Ella (1887), II. Fitz Hugh (1867-1950) married Elizabeth Waring, graduate of University of South Carolina, SEA Fraternity, Phi Beta Kappa, Editor, Writer, Insurance Commissioner of S.C. III. George Buchanan McMaster, IV. Mary Flenniken (1873-1963), educated at College For Women and Johns Hopkins. Married Thomas Hoge Ketchin. Children: (a) George Hunter McMaster (1907-1977), (b) Thomas Hoge, Jr. (1910-1956) (c) Fitz Hugh (1912-1913).

George Hunter McMaster's second wife was Louisa Penn Gregg (1850-1930). Children: 1. Bessie Gregg (1877-1965), Converse College, Owner of Tea Shop in Columbia. II. John Gregg (M.D.) (1879-1960), Medical College of Charleston, Deacon, Presbyterian Church, Kingstree, married Eleanor Gourdin. Their children: (a) John Gregg (1914) (b) Eleanor (1916-) (c) Hugh Buchanan (1918). III. Rachel Buchanan (M.D.) (1880-1975), Female Medical College, Philadelphia, Pa., married the Rev. Samuel H. Hay. Children: (a) Rachel (1916) (b) Louisa (1917), (c) John Richards (1919) died in World War II. IV. Louise McIver, graduate of Winthrop College, organizer of S.C. Libraries, V. Flora McIver (1887-1971) VI. Winnie Davis (1890-1980), College For Women, married Clarence W. Legerton of Charleston Children: (a) Clarence, Jr. (1922) (b) Clifford (1923) (c) Fitz Hugh (1926).

Fitz William McMaster

Hugh McMaster married Margaret Killock, their son John McMaster married Rachel Buchanan, their son Col. Fitz William McMaster (1826-1899) married Mary Jane

Macfie. Their children were: Mary Elliott, Katherine McGregor married James Hamilton Woodrow, Rachel Buchanan married Douglas McKay, Fitz William, Helen Graham, James Macfie, John, Thornwell, Agnes Rice, Virginia Lee married Joseph R. Foard, Col. George Hunter, Benjamin Palmer, Samuel Buchanan married Elizabeth McLeod Alford,, Edward Porter Alexander.

Richard Nott McMaster

Hugh McMaster married Margaret Killock, their son, John McMaster, married Rachel Buchanan, their son, Richard Nott McMaster (1831-1914) married Sarah Agnes Boulware, their children were: Rachel Buchanan married James Law Kennerly; Riley James married Blanche Estelle Reid; Eliza; Mary Eliza married Charles Archibald Stevenson; Colonel Richard Hugh married Elizabeth Keith Ross; Chalmers; Alice Gertrude married Ormsby P. Bourke. Bourke.

Children of Mary Eliza McMaster and Charles Archibald Stevenson: Charles Archibald, Agnes Richmond, Rachel Cummings, Richard Buchanan McMaster.

Children of Colonel Richard Hugh and Elizabeth Keith Ross McMaster: Richard Keith, Fitzhugh, Barbara, Don Buchanan, Hal Creighton.

Margaret Crow McMaster

Hugh McMaster married Margaret Killock; their son John McMaster married Rachel Buchanan; their daughter Margaret E. Crow McMaster (1834-1886) married Osmond R. Thompson.

Their children were: John; Osmond R.; Fitz William; George Riley; Rachel Buchanan Thompson married William Oscar Brice. Their children were: Palmer Matthews Brice married Elizabeth Sloan; General William Oscar Brice married Rebecca Jennings; Margaret Osmond Brice.

George Buchanan McMaster

George Buchanan McMaster (1887-1932), in 1903 married Emma Eugenia Anderson (1879-1943) daughter of Thomas Anderson and a descendant of James Kincaid of Revolutionary War Service. Born in Kincaid Manor, educated at Erskine Female College.

George Buchanan, graduated in 1891 from University of South Carolina in Pharmacy, Sigma Alpha Epsilon Fraternity, Mason, Druggist, Postmaster during administration of President Woodrow Wilson, Salesman, Deacon ARP Church. Children: (a) Eugenia Kincaid (1905), Winthrop College graduate, teacher in Statesville, N.C. 43 years. (b) George Hunter (1907-1908) (c) Anne Elizabeth (1910-1947), Winthrop College honor graduate,

married James Tindal Quattlebaum, (M.D.) June 25, 1932. Their children: (1) James Tindal Quattlebaum, Jr. (M.D.) born July 26, 1933, graduate of USC, Phi Beta Kappa, Medical College of Charleston, Columbia University Medical College, Psychiatrist, Mental Health Consultant, Washington, D.C. and Rockville, Md., married Judith Piatt Hogentogler. (2) George McMaster (1936-1936) IV. Edward Anderson (1915-1975) married Lucille Bryant (1907-1973) of Grantville, Ga. She was dean of LaGrange College and a writer. Edward Anderson, graduate of Clemson College, First Lieutenant Pacific Theatre in World War II, with Uniroyal Hogansville, Ga., Winstboro, and Luxembourg, Member of Fiber Society, Committee D13, St. Andrews Society, Lions Club, Deacon ARP Church.

Spencer R. McMaster

Spencer Rice McMaster (Oct. 1, 1893-Dec. 23, 1980), graduate of Randolph Macon College, Ashland, Virginia (1914), business entrepreneur, married Mary Frances Williford (b. May 5, 1898- d. May 16, 1974), daughter of Quay Dunavant Williford and Addie Robinson.

Children: (1) Spencer Rice McMaster, (1922), married (1) Constance Thomas (1916-1972), daughter, Gay McMaster, who married Jerry Brown, daughter of Lindsay Leigh, (2) married Winifred Fowler.

(II) Addie Jeanne McMaster (1925), who married (1) Lawrence Brown, children: Mary Frances Brown, married Robert Curlee, daughters Elizabeth Jeanne and Emily Willifred, (2) married Lucas Ford, children: Spencer McMaster Ford (b. 1951-d. 1964) (3) married William Haigh.

(III) Quay Williford McMaster, (b. 1927), who married Lucy Lewis Thomas.

(IV) Fitz-John Creighton McMaster (1929), who married Anne Ashe Edmunds. Children: Sally Anne Edmunds McMaster (1956), William Spencer McMaster (b. 1958), and Esther Ashe McMaster (b. 1969).

Mann Family

I. James Mann came from Ireland to Charleston, on the Ship "Pennsylvania" on January 6, 1773. He was around the age of 16. At this time being unable to pay for the property, he was given a royal grant of 200 acres on Crooked Run Creek, in the present day Fairfield County. We have no record of who he married or the exact number of children he had. The S.C. Dept. of Archives and History have records which lead us to believe that he was probably married twice, but have no names of his wives; there are six children listed: James Mann, Thomas Mann, and Thomas Mann, Nathaniel Mann, Elizabeth Mann (McWright) and Jane Mann (Frazier.)

James Mann died in 1818. A copy of his will is filed in the S.C. Dept of Archives and History. It is interesting to note, by his will, how he distributed his property; 50 acres of land and three negroes, and so on to each of them. The last Daughter was willed \$40.00. His will was executed in 1818 and he died in 1818. Also according to the records in the Archives, he participated in the American Revolution. The plat for James Mann is marked Irish. (Source-Royal Plat in plat book in S.C. Archives).

From S.C. Historical Magazine, V. 2: James Mann enlisted Sept. 18, 1775 at the age of 18, and he was 5 ft. 6 inches tall.

From DAR Patriot Index, P.435: James Mann died 8/7/1818; M.? Cav. S.C. James Mann is a proven Revolutionary Ancestor, and copies of application papers already filed in his name are available from: Treasurer-General NSDAR, 1776 D. St., NW, Washington, DC 20006.

1790 Census-Fairfield County: James Mann-2 white males 16-2 white males under 16, and 4 females.

II. Nathaniel Mann was married to Margaret Richardson (1790-July 3, 1878) on Dec. 7, 1809. They had seven children: Capt. James Mann, Sept. 6, 1811 to May 20, 1899; Elizabeth Mann, April 24, 1813 to no date; Nancy Mann, Nov. 25, 1817 to no date; Thomas Mann, ? 1820 to Jan. 17, 1893; Mary Mann, Dec. 12, 1821 to no date; Ester Mann, Jan. 9, 1824 to Jan. 8, 1870.

Capt. James Mann was married to Mary Anne Fridy (Aug. 8, 1823-Feb. 18, 1899) on July 3, 1845. They had three children: Thomas Franklin Mann, Jan. 27, 1848 to Oct. 10, 1893; David Nathaniel Mann, May 25, 1846 to Jan. 25, 1911; Samuel Lawrence Mann, Sept. 2, 1855 to June 10, 1927.

IV. Thomas Franklin Mann was married to Rebecca Carolina Watt (July 11, 1856-Jan. 9, 1918) on Dec. 5, 1874. Their home was built for them by his father (Capt. James Mann) when they were married. This house is still standing and in good shape, considering how old it is. (It now belongs to his great grandson, David Harold Mann, son of Herbert Porter Mann) When originally built, the kitchen, dining room and pantry were in the basement. Cooking was done over open fire, the fireplace had an arm that swung over the fire holding the iron pot. They also had all the odd iron skillets with little legs to sit over hot coals, which they used in cooking. Later the kitchen and dining room were moved upstairs.

During the American Revolution, Lord Cornwallis with his troops camped above the old home, about a fourth of a mile. After they broke camp and left, Grandfather was walking around where they had camped and found a big crock pitcher, iron brick with a hoop on the end of it (which was used to tie a horse to) and a big iron cannonball, which he took home with him. These items have been handed down the generations and still remain in the family.

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Children of Thomas Franklin and Rebecca Carolina Watt Mann: Franklin Kennedy Mann, Dec. 1, 1875 to Nov. 3, 1918; Thomas Watt Mann, May 20, 1877 to Feb. 19, 1944; Mary James Mann, May 27, 1879 to Sept. 23, 1882; Luther H. Mann, April 20, 1881 to Nov. 8, 1882; Morse Leroy Mann, May 7, 1883 to June 9, 1944; Robert McCain Mann, June 15, 1886 to Feb. 5, 1941; Herbert Porter Mann, June 15, 1886 to Feb. 4, 1954; John Watt Mann, Jan. 20, 1889 to March 4, 1952; Edwin Willingham Mann, March 10, 1893 to March 10, 1893.

Carolina Watt Mann must have had a hard life. She lost two children in 1882, a little son and her only daughter. Then in 1893 she lost her husband and a son. She raised six sons by herself.

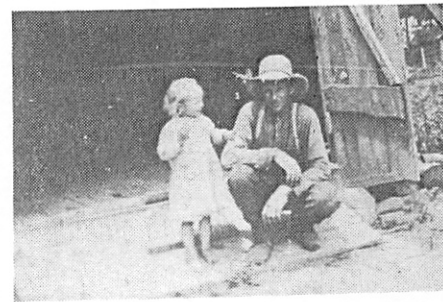
V. Herbert Porter Mann was married to Ella Bessie Ballentine (Dec. 4, 1891-July 16, 1979) on Oct. 20, 1915. They had five children: James Herbert Mann, Jan. 26, 1917 to Sept. 14, 1974; Doris Mae Mann (Hobgood), July 1, 1921; Horace Porter Mann, Feb. 28, 1923; William Roland Mann, March 14, 1930; David Harold Mann, Nov. 12, 1932.



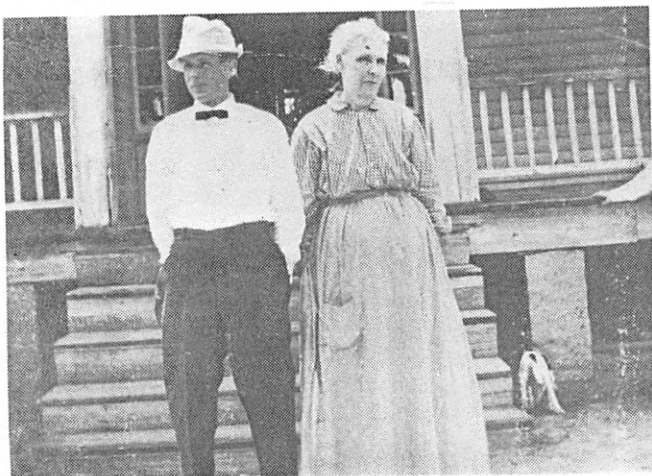
Thomas F. & Rebecca Caroline Watt Mann



Home of Thomas Franklin & Caroline Mann



Herbert Porter Mann, Elizabeth Mann (Carnes)



Caroline W. Mann, Herbert P. Mann



Mann

mann coat of arms

Arms: Per Fesse, embattled, counter embattled, arg and agure, three goats pass and counter changed, attired or this arms predates both crests and mottoes and there is no record of a Virginia branch using any, however, some branches in England added both, the most common crest was a dragon's head or a demi or half dragon.

Predicator: Burke's Genery Armory; Edmondson's General Body of Heraldry, 1780 Crozier, Va. Heraldica, Bolton's American Armory; William and Mary Quarterly, April 1894.

Jurisdiction: Herald's College of Arms, London, England. Lord Lyon King of Arms, Scotland. Genealogical Office, Dublin Castle Ireland.

John Mason

John Mason was born ca 1768 in Virginia. His family was connected with George Mason, writer of Bill of Rights and John Young Mason, Secretary of Navy under President Tyler.

In 1786 John Mason, a member of Virginia Methodist Conference, was sent to do Mission Work on Broad River Circuit, an area now encompassing seven counties.

In Fairfield District he bought 400 acres of land and established a home at the crossing of Monticello and Glenn's bridge roads. His church, Bethel, was four miles away on Little River. Due mainly to malaria and mosquitoes, he gave ten acres of land to rebuild the church on its second site. It was spoken of as Mason's Old Bethel and Meeting House. He was buried there in the graveyard after his death on 27 January 1803.

John Mason and his wife, Mary (), were parents of ten children:

Benjamin married Cynthia () and lived in Autauga County, Alabama.

Turner married Dorcas Hill and moved to Sumter County, Alabama.

Reuben, Methodist preacher, married Nancy Watson and lived in Winston County, Mississippi. He was left the family Bible in his Mother's Will.

Washington married Rebecca Wyrick. Their children were Adam Whitfield; Catherine, wife of Rev. James Kilgo and mother of Bishop James Carlisle Kilgo, President of Trinity (now Duke University) College; Washington Nicholas married Sara Kate Andrews, daughter of Captain Edward and Martha (Taylor) Andrews, Jr. The oldest of their five children, Rev. Edward Whitfield Mason, was the grandfather of Ruth M. Stevenson and Sara M. Bolick of this county.

Peter married Jane Frazer and lived in Mississippi and Arkansas.

Sarah Ann married Phillip Pullig.

Jane married Thomas Harrison.

Susannah married John G. Carlisle, uncle of Dr. James H. Carlisle. They were the parents of a Methodist minister.

Martha married a Johnston.

Elizabeth died young, unmarried.

One descendant was heard to say there had been at least one minister of the Gospel in every generation of Masons. Indeed, research has proven it so!

Meng Family

Bernard Boyd Meng was born in Union County on August 25, 1879, the son of John Wallace and Mary Leonard Johnson Meng. He was educated in the public schools of Union County and completed a course from the International School in steam, electricity, and refrigeration.

He was married on June 6, 1905 to Minnie Lancaster, born September 10, 1879, in Union County, daughter of Christopher C. and Ida Smith Lancaster.

Their children are:

Ethel Wright Meng, born March 3, 1906 in Union, S.C. Died in Winnsboro, S.C. November 24, 1979. Married Donald Wesley Greer of Perris, California. He died on November 17, 1962. One son-Donald Wesley Greer Jr., born May 9, 1940. Married Karen Ragsdale of Blair, S.C.

Bernard Boyd Meng Jr., born June 13, 1908 in Union, S.C. Died in Winnsboro, S.C. on June 21, 1967. Married Era Ann Collins of Metter, Georgia, September 24, 1932. One son, one daughter: Mary Ann Meng, born June 11, 1934. Married Robert Ashley Garwood of Cordele, Georgia August 19, 1953; Bernard Boyd Meng III, born May 21, 1938. Married Beverly Jean Truesdale, of Columbia, S.C. on March 12, 1966.

Cammela Nell Meng, born August 6, 1910 in Union, S.C.; Married Charles Elbert Turner Sr., of Winnsboro, S.C. on December 25, 1933. One son: Charles Elbert Turner Jr., born December 13, 1939. Married Sandra C. Coleman of Winnsboro, S.C. on August 4, 1962.

Herbert Smith (Billy) Meng, born November 23, 1919 in Winnsboro, S.C. Married Margie Gayden Wylie of Winnsboro, S.C. on April 17, 1946. Three daughters: Lillian Gayden Meng, born May 15, 1948, married Weldon Calbert Bonds of Winnsboro, S.C. July 18, 1970; Melinda Meng, born May 9, 1955, married Russell David Brown of Winnsboro, S.C. on November 4, 1978; Martha Wylie Meng, born January 23, 1957, married John Culbreth Robinson Jr., of Monticello, S.C. on August 24, 1975.

Before coming to Winnsboro in 1918, Mr. Meng was Chief Engineer and later Assistant Superintendent of the lights and water plant in Union. He served as Superintendent of the Board of Public Works in Winnsboro until he retired in 1949. He was succeeded by his son B.B. Meng, Jr.

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During his long tenure of service to Winnsboro he did much to develop and enlarge the municipal utility systems. Also, during this period he gave freely of his time and talents in the expansion and development of other municipal services, including the modernization and equipping of Winnsboro Fire Department.

Mrs. Meng, a woman of many fine traits was a member of the U.D.C. and an active member of the Woman's Society of her church. She and her husband were pillars of the First Baptist Church of Winnsboro contributing generously of their time, talents and finances.

In 1921, Mr. and Mrs. Meng purchased their attractive and hospitable home on West Washington Street in Winnsboro. In 1927 it was completely remodeled and restored, retaining its old charm and elegance.

Mrs. Meng died January 7, 1933 but this house remained the Meng Home until his death April 1, 1971. Both are buried in the Grace Methodist Church Cemetery in Union, S.C.

Submitted by:
Cammela M. Turner.



B.B. Meng, Sr., 1905

Thomas Meredith

Thomas Meredith, Senior filed a will in Fairfield County, S.C. on Sept. 15, 1808. In it he mentions his wife, Abigail Meredith. Sons—John Meredith, Thomas Meredith, James Meredith. Daughters—Mary Meredith Randals, Sarah Meredith Jones, Cathren Meredith.

Sarah Meredith Jones, b. 1785, m. William Jones in early 1800s, d. 1867 in Cedar Key, Fla.

Submitted By:
Virginia Porter Fiser
Mrs. Van E.
1139 N. Ridgewood
Wichita, Ks. 67208



Mrs. B.B. Meng, Sr., 1903

Jack Allen Meyer

Born 13 November 1934 in Sugar Camp, Oneida Co., WI, son of John Charles Meyer (b. 8 Dec. 1884, Chicago, IL, d. 22 Jan. 1947, Chicago, son of John Christian Meyer, b. 25 July 1849, Prussia, d. 6 Feb. 1936, Chicago, and Louise Reiff, b. 11 Sept. 1860, d. 5 Jan. 1937, Chicago) and his second wife, Loretta Bertha Basch (b. 2 Sep. 1911, Appleton, WI, dau. of Frank Frederick Badger Basch, b. 26 May 1872, Calumet Co., WI, d. 8 Oct. 1947, Sugar Camp, a grandson of Ira Jesse Shepard Holmes, who served in the 14th Wisconsin Inf. Regt. and 3rd Wisconsin Cav. during the Civil War, and of Louisa S. Eastman, who was descended from Timothy Eastman, a private in Capt. James Sheppard's Co., Col. Wyman's Regt., New Hampshire Inf., during the Revolution, and

from Rev. James Fitch, Hartford, CT, 1638, and Rev. Henry Whitfield, Guilford, CT 1639), married 18 December 1970 at Fayetteville, NC, to Martha Elise Robinson (b. 29 June 1935, BA, Elementary Educ., Un. of South Carolina, taught in Okinawa, Turkey and Germany, see James Leroy Robinson), enlisted in the U.S. Air Force on 29 January 1953, served in Newfoundland, Germany, Libya, Vietnam, and Great Britain, retired 30 June 1976 as a Chief Master Sergeant (Bronze Star, Meritorious Service Medal, two AF Commendation Medals) BA, Summa Cum Laude, Un. of Maryland, MA, History, Un. of South Carolina, Chairman, Fairfield Co. Aeronautics Comm. 1978-80, President, Fairfield Co. Historical Soc. 1979-80, President, Caro-winn's, SPEBSQSA, 1980-81, Treasurer, Friends of the SC State Museum 1981. Presently residing with his wife on the family farm, Aeolia, in the Greenbrier section of Fairfield County.

Mickle Family

Joseph Mickle received a 50 acre grant on the Wateree in 1753, and established (1778) a ferry at his plantation on the Wateree, Parish of Saint Mark, the road to be kept in repair from Rafton Creek to the State Line. He is possibly the father of John (died 1832-Fairfield); of Thomas (died 1795-Fairfield, father of the Kershaw Mickles); and of Joseph.

John Mickle, born ca. 1754, had a ferry established on the Wateree, 1792, and re-established, 1823. (Statutes at Large of S.C.) (Mill's Atlas) His grant of 1793 was on both sides of Cook's Branch and his neighbor was Darling Jones. In 1795 he purchased land of William Twadell on the other side of the Wateree for his ferry landing. He was a vice-president, Auxiliary Bible Society, of Fairfield District. (Howe: History of the Presbyterian Church, U.S.)

John Mickle married first Jane —, and his known child by that marriage was Anne, who married Samuel Carr Starke (Fairfield). He married second Elizabeth Starke (1743-1835), the widow of George Peay, and the daughter of Thomas and Jane Starke (Camden District). From his second marriage he had Mary Ann, who married Roland Rugely (Fairfield) and John Joseph Mickle, (1796-ca. 1854), who married Rebecca Ballard Martin. John J. Mickle was Adjutant General, State of S.C. In 1833, he gave property for the Methodist Church, Longtown. In 1834 he sold his 140-acre Mickle Ferry property to David Harrison, and 427 acres in Kershaw to Austin Peay. He removed to Lowndes Co. Ala. ca. 1837. His children, born in S.C., were Belton Mickle, Elizabeth Starke Mickle, Rebecca Ballard Mickle, Cornelia Mickle, and Mary Ann Mickle.

See Rugely and Starke.

Elizabeth McRae Hamrick (Mrs. David)
7303 18th Ave. N.W.
Bradenton, Fla. 33529

Kelly Miller

Kelly Miller was born in Winnsboro, S.C., on July 18, 1863, a son of Kelly Miller and Elizabeth Roberts Miller. His father was a free man from Virginia and his mother a slave woman only one generation removed from Africa. Kelly Miller, Sr., served in the Confederate Army as a conscript, then after the war the Miller family set out to make a new life for themselves. The family, which numbered ten children of whom Kelly, Jr., was the sixth, were tenant farmers.

The Kelly children were taught to read, write and "cipher" in public schools and were taught by northern teachers.

The youngster Kelly was bright and the Rev. Willard Richardson took notice of his mathematical gifts and saw to it that he was admitted in 1878 to Fairfield Institute, a secondary school founded by the Northern Presbyterian Church. Two years later, Kelly Miller competed for and won a scholarship to Howard University. His ten dollars traveling money, train ticket and scholarship were provided by the New England Missionary Society. He was an outstanding pupil and in two years had graduated to the collegiate department. He worked in the U.S. Pension Office to support himself. Amazingly, he was able to save enough money to buy a farm, which he presented to his parents upon receiving his BA in 1886.

While at Howard, Miller wrote twice to Johns Hopkins University for information about graduate studies. Although the idea of a black man entering this all-white university was unheard of, the Quaker-founded institution accepted Miller. Miller also had the sponsorship of Simon Newcomb, a Hopkins professor.

Although the student body was coolly civil to the lone black student, Miller was lonely, being the only member of his race at the school. He pursued studies in geometry, quaternions, spherical and practical astronomy, celestial mechanics and other aspects of mathematics.

After two years at Hopkins, Miller was forced to leave when sagging finances at the University caused tuition costs to rise.

From there, he went to a Washington high school as a math teacher; after six months he left to take an instructorship in mathematics at Howard University, where he remained for the rest of his academic career.

At Howard, Miller was an outstanding educator, one who encouraged members of his race to strive for more and better education. In 1919, he became professor of sociology; earlier in 1900, so outstanding was the quality of his sociological studies that he was asked by the U.S. Commissioner of Education to contribute a chapter on "The Education of the Negro" to his annual report.

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Through the years, he authored many papers and dissertations, and he was an outstanding influence among the black community.

On July 17, 1884, Kelly Miller married Annie May Butler, a teacher like himself. They had five children: Kelly, Newton, May, Irene and Paul, called by their father Scrump, Pike, Tom, Sill and Monk. He entertained his children with tales of his South Carolina childhood; he also taught them geography, astronomy and Greek mythology. He loved them so much that he was unable to whip them; Annie May said he "whipped the boys with a morning glory vine".

The Miller children took bachelors degrees at Howard and went on to professional careers.

For many years, Kelly Miller wrote a weekly letter to the editor which appeared in more than 100 newspapers, and he contributed articles to many publications.

There are still Millers—descendants of Kelly Miller, Sr.—in Fairfield County, and one elementary school bears the name of the noted black educator.

Mobley Family

William Mobley was the first Mobley to America. He was the son of Sir Edward Mobley of Cheshire, England. He married Phoebe Lovejoy, a Quaker who came to America with William Penn.

Edward Mobley (1700-1787), son of William Mobley and Phoebe Lovejoy Mobley, was born in Virginia and died in Camden, South Carolina. He married Susannah DeRuel (1702-1751).

Samuel Mobley (1739-1809), son of Edward Mobley and Susannah DeRuel Mobley, married Mary Wagner (1743-1812), daughter of Hans Wagner and Marie DeLasmette Wagner.

Edward Mobley (1770-1839), son of Samuel Mobley and Mary Wagner Mobley, married Mary Mabry (1774-1848).

David Mabry Mobley (1810-1866), son of Edward Mobley and Mary Mabry Mobley, married Catherine Dixon (1813-1857).

Mary Estelle Mobley (1847-1928), daughter of David Mabry and Catherine Dixon Mobley, married Tillman Lee Dixon (1846-1887), son of Tillman Lee and Eliza Emma Barnes Dixon of Liberty Hill.

Alma Gertrude Dixon (1887-1975), daughter of Tillman Lee and Mary Mobley Dixon, married Thomas Marion Center (1885-1972), son of James Nathan and Lula Connor Center.

Children of Thomas Marion and Alma Gertrude Dixon Center: Marion Dixon, Tallu Connor, Mary Lee, Alma Gertrude, Thomas Marion, Miriam Louise, and Frances Katherine.

Miriam Sprott

Moseley Family

Ivey Rochell Moseley (4 February 1893-12 April 1973) in Lyon, Georgia. He married Ora Boyd (3 February 1898-8 April 1962). The marriage took place on 21 December 1914 in Stillmore, Georgia, Ora Boyd's birthplace. Their bodies are buried in the family plot at the cemetery in Winnsboro.

Ivey Rochell Moseley worked in the twister room at Uniroyal around forty years before retiring. He was a member of the Masons. He and his wife were members of Stephen Greene Baptist Church. Ivey Rochell was better known as "Ira" to his relatives and friends. Later on in years he was called "Pop" by all.

Ora Boyd was a fine Christian lady. Her life was devoted to her family and friends. She worked at Uniroyal about thirty years before retiring, due to illness.

The offspring were:

Claud W. Moseley

Claud Wilson Moseley (14 April 1916-26 April 1917). He was the first child of Ivey Rochell Moseley and Ora Boyd, and his body is buried at Cool Spring Baptist Church in Stillmore, Georgia.

Hugh Dorsey Moseley

Hugh Dorsey Moseley (14 October 1917-29 December 1969), the second child of Ivey Rochell Moseley and Ora Boyd; married 26 November 1943 to Ruby Margaret Adams (20 January 1924) of Lancaster, S.C. He was educated in the public schools of Fairfield County and served in the U.S. Army during World War II. He was employed by Uniroyal for a number of years, leaving to join the American Federation of Labor (A.F.L.). In 1956 he was appointed as a conciliator for the S.C. Department of Labor by Governor "Fritz" Hollings. He was a member of Stephen Greene Baptist Church. His body is buried in the family plot, next to his father and mother in Winnsboro. They have two children:

Rusha Darlene Moseley (5 February 1945), married 14 August 1965 at Stephen Greene Baptist Church to Donald Olin Martin (17 July 1944). Rusha attended the public schools of South Carolina graduating from Winnsboro High School in 1963 and from the Columbia Hospital Radiology School. She is Senior Director of Medicare Claims at Blue Cross/Blue Shield of S.C. Donald attended the public schools of Horry County and graduated from Conway High School in 1962. He is Director of Radiological Services at the S.C. Baptist Medical Center in Columbia. They had three children: Gregg Adam Martin (15 April 1968). He is a student at E.L. Wright Middle School. There he is a member of the Junior Viking Band;

Dana Lynn Martin (16 April 1971-18 April 1971). Her body is buried at Greenlawn Memorial Cemetery at Columbia; Michael Julian Martin (24 April 1972). Michael is a student at Windsor Elementary School in Columbia.

Hugh Dorsey Moseley, Jr. (17 February 1948). He attended public schools in Winnsboro and graduated from the University of S.C. with a B.S. degree in Marketing. He is now a real estate broker with Citizen's Trust Company in Greenwood. He married Katherine McKellar Beaudrot (4 August 1947) on 11 November 1972 in Greenwood. She is a graduate of the University of S.C. and is presently employed by Piedmont Technical College as registrar. They have one daughter. Jennifer Katherine Moseley (25 June 1977).

Dovey Rea Moseley

Dovey Rea Moseley (15 September 1919-21 September 1920), the third child of Ivey R. Moseley and Ora Boyd. She is buried at Cool Sprng Baptist Church in Stillmore, Georgia, next to her brother.

Vennie Lee Moseley

Vennie Lee Moseley (20 April 1921), the fourth child of Ivey R. Moseley and Ora Boyd. She attended public schools in Fairfield County. She is presently employed at Clearwater Finishing Plant, a division of United Merchants, secretary/bookkeeper. First married to Walling Wylie Haigler (27 July 1916) of Orangeburg County, on 27 July 1940. He was an insurance salesman with Liberty Life Insurance Company until he enlisted in the U.S. Army. He was killed in action, in Italy 18 October 1944, during World War II. His body is buried in Memorial Park Cemetery, Orangeburg. Of this union there is one son:

Lewis Ivey (Buddy) Haigler (10 December 1942) born in Lancaster. He graduated from Mount Zion in 1960 and the University of S.C. in 1964 with a B.S. degree in Marketing; and is now employed by AM International in the Multigraphics division as an Executive Salesman. On 31 August 1963 he married Joyce Viola Lemmon (2 November 1943), daughter of Robert Lauderdale Lemmon and Essie Mae Hooker, of Fairfield County. She graduated from Winnsboro High School in 1961 and attended the S.C. Baptist Hospital School of Nursing. They have one child:

Donna Marie Haigler (2 June 1964). She graduated from Spring Valley High School, 1981, and is now a student at Columbia College.

Vennie Lee Moseley was married the second time on 10 February 1957 to Clyde Franklin Stom (9 March 1925) of Edgefield, S.C. He was elected to the S.C. House of Representatives from Aiken County in 1968. After serving a term, he was appointed by Governor Robert McNair in 1970 as a conciliator for the S.C. Department of Labor.

Ivey Rochell Moseley

Ivey Rochell Moseley, Jr. (27 March 1923-18 October 1938, of diabetes). His body is buried in the family plot in Stillmore, Georgia, beside his brother and sister.

Nathan Paul Moseley

Nathan Paul Moseley (3 October 1925-15 October 1926). He was the sixth child of Ivey R. Moseley and Ora Boyd. He died in Winnsboro and is buried at Cool Spring Baptist Church in Georgia.

Laura Willett Moseley

Laura Willett Moseley (22 October 1927) third daughter of Ivey Rochell Moseley and Ora Boyd. Graduated from Mount Zion in 1947. She is currently employed by Friedman's Jewelry Store in Aiken, S.C. Married Marion A. Haigler (20 August 1924), son of Eugene Haigler of Ridgeway, S.C., on 20 September 1947. Marion has just celebrated his 30th year with the Savannah River Plant (DuPont). They have two daughters: Leigh Ann Haigler (10 January 1957) Leigh Ann graduated from Aiken High School in 1975 and Georgia Southern in Statesboro, Georgia, in 1980. She is presently working in the library at Georgia Southern; Wanda Jeannine Haigler (27 April 1962) Married 7 September 1979 to Henry Thomas Jenkins (13 October 1960) in Aiken. Jeannine is a bookkeeper for Michelin Tires in Aiken, and Tommy is a Manager with Serv-Pro.

Wilma Veneria Moseley

Wilma Veneria Moseley (20 November 1930). She attended Everett Elementary School and graduated from Mount Zion in 1950. She is now employed at Forest Hills Nursing Center in Columbia, S.C. as Director of Admissions. She married William Thomas Lail (9 February 1928) on 25 October 1950 in Ridgeway. "Bill", as William Lail is known, entered the U.S. Army an enlisted man and served his country in Okinawa. Bill is now an overseer for Gramby Plant, a division of Columbia Pacific Mills. They are the parents of four children.

Wilma Rachel Lail (18 June 1953). She graduated from Spring Valley High School in 1971 and attended the University of S.C. On 15 March 1972, she married Steven Wayne Childers (31 January 1951). He graduated from Columbia High School in 1970 and also attended the University of S.C. He is associated with Beldo Pollution Control as an Engineering Consultant. They have two sons: Brian Edward Childers (25 October 1974), born in Columbia, S.C. Brian is a second grade student; Mark Lee Childers (30 August 1977) at Ogallala Community Hospital in Ogallala, Nebraska.

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Willette Renee Lail (17 January 1957). Graduated from Spring Valley High School in 1975 and attended the University of S.C. for two years where she received her Associates Degree in Criminal Justice. She is now teaching kindergarden at Ashbury Methodist Church in Columbia, S.C. for the three year olds. Married to Henry Herbert (Skip) Graham, III, (18 October 1953) on 29 September 1979 at Jackson Creek Baptist Church in Dentsville. He graduated from Irmo High School in 1971 and attended the University of S.C. and Oglethorpe University. He is now associated with S&G, Inc. of West Columbia. They have one son: Henry Herbert (Scotty) Graham, IV (25 October 1980).

William Thomas (Toby) Lail, Jr. (2 July 1959) in Columbia, S.C. He graduated from Spring Valley High School in 1977 and attended Midland Technical College for a year. "Toby" is now employed by Dictograph Security Systems as Service Manager. He married Julia Marie Strickland (8 August 1958) on 26 May 1979. Marie is secretary to the President at Republic National Bank in Columbia.

Ivey Keith Lail (26 March 1962). Graduated from Spring Valley High School in 1980. He attends the University of S.C. where he just completed his freshman year, being on the Dean's List.

Baby Boy Moseley

Baby Boy Moseley (8 December 1938-8 December 1938). He was born in Winnsboro, S.C. His body is buried in Stillmore, Georgia, along with other members of his family.

Submitted by:
Joyce Lemmon Haigler

Nicholson Family

Sometime around the year 1800, Angus Nicholson; his wife ? Rose Nicholson and two sons, Angus Rose (1795-1879) and William came to America from the vicinity of Aberdeen, Scotland. Mrs. Nicholson died on the trip and was buried at sea. After arriving Angus remarried and the second wife had the two boys apprenticed to a tailor. It is assumed that they were tailors around Charlotte, N.C. or Chester, S.C. During the time they had the future president, Andrew Johnson apprenticed to them.

Angus Rose Nicholson (1795-1879) married Sara Wylie (1793-1835). Their children were: John, William, Elizabeth, Sara, Samuel Wylie, and Peter Clough. Peter and Samuel attended Furman while that school was located near Winnsboro. They both became Baptist Ministers.

Peter C. Nicholson (1824-1872) married Emma Henrietta Vinson. Their children were: Anne, John Vinson, Samuel Wylie, Mary Grace and Angus Rose. Peter served as chaplain in the Confederate Army.

Angus Rose Nicholson (1856-1934) married Nancy Barrett Woodward (1855-1931). Their children were: Nancy Marshall, Angus Rose (1885-1956), Emma Vinson (1888-1967), Sara Moore (1891-1962), William Woodward (1893-?), Lila Pickett (1895-1977), and Samuel Wylie (1897-1970). Angus Rose lived at Woodward, S.C. where at one time he was in the merchantile business with his Uncle Wade Brice as Brice & Co. He was the only one of the family to marry.

Angus Rose Nicholson (1885-1956) married Eva B. Graham (1887-1971). Their children were Eva Graham and John Vinson. Angus was a teacher most of his life and taught at Ridgeway schools for twenty-seven years.

John Vinson Nicholson (1913-) married Mary Rebecca Palmer and their children are Sara Rose and John Vinson.

John Vinson Nicholson (1945-) married Ellen McMaster and their children are: Elliott McMaster and John Palmer. John is a dentist, practicing in Winnsboro, S.C.

Submitted By:
John Nicholson

Palmer Family

Thomas Pamor with his wife, Sarah Saunders arrived in S.C. in 1665 probably by way of Virginia and settled in Goose Creek, French Santee. Children: Sarah and John.

John Palmer (1715-1785) m. Marianne Gendron. He stated in his will that the name would hereafter be spelled Palmer rather than Pamor. Children: John, Peter and Thomas.

Thomas Palmer () m. Amelia Jerman. They had one son, Edward Gendron.

Edward Gendron Palmer I (1800-1867) m. Catherine J. Davis (1803-1872). Children: Edward Gendron (1823-1891), Catherine Davis (1828-1908), Harriet Amelia (1831-1889), George Davis (1837-1859), John Ramsey Davis (1833-1901), James Davis (1825-1827).

John Ramsey Davis Palmer, M.D. (1833-1901) m. Harriet Malinda Woodward (1837-1893). Children: Gertrude Matilda (1856-1936) m. Dr. W.T. Edmunds, Kate (1859-1863), Edward Gendron (1861-1929), Joseph, John Davis (1869-1933), Louise Woodward (1864-1930) m. Richard A. Meares, Norman Woodward (1872-1940), Halbert Noble (1876-1930).

Edward Gendron Palmer III (1861-1929) m. Musidora C. Kirk (1868-1952). Children: Harriet Woodward (1893-1962), Sisie Singleton (1895-) m. Daniel Walter Ruff, Edward Gendron (1897-1970), Lucien Kirk (1899-1964), Minerva Yongue (1904-) m. James Gordon Bradley (1895-1951), Berkeley Marion (1909-1965).

John Davis Palmer (1869-1933) m. Eunice Logan Black (1875-1953). Children: Harriet Maria (1904-), George Gendron (1907-), John Woodward (1909-19 ?), Richard Logan (1913-19 ?), and his twin Hasell Peay (1913-19 ?).

George Gendron m. Lillie M. Werts.

Norman Woodward Palmer (1872-1940) m. Harriet Hart Pagan (1871-1940) Children: Norman Hart (1894-1954), John Davis (1897-1964), Sara McCollough (1896-1971), Irvine Fayssoux (1899-1940), Harriet Louise (1901-), Fayssoux Pagan (1904-), Joseph Woodward (1906-), Orrin Judd (1909-1976), Beverly Yongue (1912-) m. Martha McAdams, Mary Rebecca (1915-) m. John V. Nicholson (1913-).

Norman Hart Palmer (1894-1954) m. Esther M. Cooper (1895-1976). Children: Norman Hart (1921-), Harriette Esther (1921-) m. Van Peay, Nancy Kendrick (1927-) m. Charles Weir (1st) and Joe Milling (2nd.)

John Davis Palmer (1897-1964) m. Helen Simmons. Children: Joel, John Davis.

Fayssoux Pagan Palmer (1904-) m. Eleanor Plowden. Children: Fayssoux Pagan (1946- ?), Davis McCollough (19-?)

Edward Gendron Palmer IV (1897-1970) m. Elizabeth Jones (?) Children: Marie Elizabeth (1935-) m. Julian Branham, Susan Kirk (1937-) m. Joel Townsend, Edward Gendron (1939-).

Berkeley Marion Palmer (1909-1965) m. Margaret H. Owens (1915-). Children: Berkeley Marion (1946-).

Norman Hart Palmer (1921-) m. Anne Doty (?). Children: Susan Kirk (?), Elizabeth Anne Doty (?)—

Fayssoux Pagan Palmer (1946-) m. Joán (?).

Davis McCollough Palmer (?).

Edward Gendron Palmer V (1939-) m. Patricia Cole (1943) Children: Edward Gendron (?), Patricia (?).

Berkeley Marion Palmer (1946-) m. Martha Patricia Hatch.

Patrick's in Fairfield

T.G. Patrick was the first of this clan to settle in Fairfield. He came to this county in 1872. He came as depot agent for Southern Railway and postmaster for White Oak. He had just finished a course in business administration in an Atlanta business college. He was all business and he meant to make good. He was ambitious and he had complete confidence in his ability to succeed. But he had no capital. To get capital to open a business he formed a partnership with his older brother, R.A. They opened T.G. Patrick and Company and began a mercantile company that was to have remarkable success.

Soon he had his father, John Robert Patrick, come down from the Sharon Bullocks Creek area of York County to look the situation over. He was impressed and decided to sell some of his holdings in York County and invest in lands near White Oak.

This was just six or seven years after the end of the Civil War. Fairfield had been dominated by slave holders and they were having a very difficult time managing their business which was mostly farming with free labor. Actually, the owners had never worked themselves. They had lost everything during the war. They were broke. To farm at all they were required to mortgage their property; to try, under very difficult circumstances to make a living by the only means they knew, farming. Actually they were not well equipped at all to do this as they had always depended upon overseers to do this for them, and

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Mr. and Mrs. K.H. Patrick

Killough Henry Patrick and Ivor Brown Patrick. Mr. Patrick was editor of "The Killough Henry Patrick Family News" for over fifteen years. The news consisted of several pages gleaned from countless letters, oral reports, and family gossip. Mimeographed and typed by him, it was a fascinating hobby for his non-paying subscribers scattered abroad in many states and foreign countries. It began when he had a son in Korea and a daughter in Europe.

the outcome was disastrous.

The Patricks had been brought up to work themselves and from a very meager start accumulated quite a sizeable acreage in Fairfield.

John Robert Patrick was a son of Thomas C. Patrick, who came to this country from Ireland in the early 1800s. J.R. soon realized that he could not support and educate his family on the poor land alone. He invested in portable machinery, being mechanically inclined, and did most of the threshing and ginning in his section of York County.

He had five sons, Robert Alexander, Thomas Gilfilling, John Blair, Samuel Ross and William Minter. His daughters were Eliza Jane and Sarah (Sally).

From R.A., as he was known, there were one son and one daughter, Robert Erskine and Mrs. Hannahan Wylie, and several grandchildren: Robert E., Jr., R.A. II, Johnston T., David M. and William Wylie, still living in the county. There are also two great-grandchildren, Amelia and Johnny, son and daughter of Johnson T. Patrick.

Three of T.G.'s grandchildren still reside in Fairfield; they are Thomas Patrick Matthews and his wife Mary Clair Ivey; and twins, Hannah and Ivor. Hannah is Mrs. H.G. Phillips, Jr. and Ivor is Mrs. James W. Stephenson.

W.M. Patrick had two sons who made their homes in Fairfield. Williams Banks died just recently, and Michael T. lives at the homeplace at Woodward. William Banks' son, Harmon, is in a medical practice in Winnsboro, and lives at White Oak.

Garden Pauling

Garden Pauling (b. August 8, 1924, Winnsboro, South Carolina) married Lizzie Haire (b. February 5, 1927, Winnsboro South Carolina) on January 31, 1947. They have been residents of Fairfield County since birth.

The Paulings had ten children. They are John David, Born December 25, 1947; Gordon Autry, born December 12, 1949; Clarence Henry, now deceased, born March 13, 1952; Lethia Lavern, born July 17, 1953; Sharon Elizabeth, now deceased, Born March 10, 1955; Miriam Janette, born April 11, 1957; Reginold Antonia, now deceased, born September 27, 1958; Llewellyn Orrinaa, born June 24, 1960; Joe Erica Monique, born November 27, 1963; and Douglas Warren, born August 8, 1965. All of their children were born in Winnsboro, South Carolina.

John David married Addell Kay Thomas (b. September 15, 1946 in Smithfield, Virginia) on June 9, 1973, in the Hill Street Baptist Church in Smithfield, Virginia. Gordon Autry married Harriet O'Lethia O'Neal (b. August 15, 1952 in Jenkinsville, South Carolina) on December 18, 1971 in Saint Barnabas Episcopal Church in Jenkinsville. They have two children, Miashamika Sharisse, born December 30, 1972 and Marlo Fabrian, born March 1, 1978. Charence Henry married Gavle Baten (b. April 3,

1955 in Jenkinsville) on August 12, 1972 in White Hall African Methodist Epsicopal Church, Jenkinsville. To this union one son was born, Clarence Henry, Jr. born June 26, 1973. Lethia Lavern married James Caldwell, Jr. (b. July 14, 1951, Winnsboro) on December 24, 1970 at the home of Judge Thomas B. Barrineau, Jr., Winnsboro. They have three children, Tangshe Lavern, born September 19, 1971; Kyle Antonio, born September 12, 1972; and Mandina Denise, born September 18, 1974.

The family are members of Shady Grove African Methodist Episcopal Church.



R.M. Blair's Store, Blair



Ruin of Old Stone church (Lebanon PCA)

H.G. Phillips Family

The Herman Grady Phillips family moved from Elberton, Georgia, to Winnsboro, South Carolina in May of 1933. Herman was part owner and developed the Dawn Grey and Sunset Pink granite quarries in Elbert County, Elberton, Georgia.

Herman was the eldest of a family of eleven children, six boys and five girls, one girl died in infancy. His grandparents were the Reverend Solomon Phillips, born November 8th, 1836, died April 1st, 1908. His wife, Cynthia Bradshaw Phillips, was born Jan. 7th, 1839, died March 11th, 1911. They lived in Buena Vista, Marion County, Georgia.

His parents were James William Phillips, born September 1st, 1866, died December 21st, 1941. His wife, Helen Celestia Watwood Phillips, born August 6th, 1873, died January 18th, 1966. They lived near Butler, Taylor County, Georgia.

At the age of seventeen Herman graduated with honors from the Bagwell Business College in Atlanta, Georgia. For several years he worked as a bookkeeper and stenographer for a general store in Douglasville, Georgia, as a bank clerk in Westwood, New Jersey and at the Bank of Etowah in Canton, Georgia. He entered World War I as a soldier in the A.A.F. holding the rank of Sergeant.

On July 30, 1923, he married Lucile Coker, daughter of the late Dr. and Mrs. Newton Jasper Coker. She was graduated from the Canton Georgia High School in 1918. Four years later she received her A.B. degree and a certificate in Physical Education from Shorter College, Rome, Georgia. She taught in the high school at Georgiana, Alabama. She is secretary-treasurer of Phillips Granite Company and is very active in the community and church affairs. She was a member of Fairfield Garden Club and served as secretary-treasurer for the Town of Winnsboro when they planned and landscaped Fortune Springs Gardens. She taught in the Primary Department of Sunday School at The First Baptist Church, was active in the Woman's Missionary Union, serving several years as general treasurer. Served as Chairman of Trustees one term. She served on the Board of Trustees at the Bethea Baptist Home for the Aging in Darlington, S.C. for ten years. In 1980 she was presented a plaque at the First Baptist Church in appreciation for her services on the Board at Bethea.

In 1933, Herman opened a wholesale granite manufacturing plant at Rion, South Carolina. Although the company was started during the depths of the depression, Phillips Granite Company now sells to retail dealers in every state of the United States, to Canada and Hawaii offering the best in workmanship and design. Since 1965, Phillips Granite Company has owned and operated their office and plant facilities on Columbia Road, two miles

South of Winnsboro.

In addition to his duties at Phillips Granite Company, Herman served as president of the Bank of Fairfield, Winnsboro, South Carolina; president of the Charleston Supply Company, Charleston, South Carolina, president of Mill and Contractors Supply Company, Wilmington, North Carolina. Also was a director of Columbia Supply Company in Columbia, South Carolina. Augusta Mill Supply Company, Augusta, Georgia, Matthews-Morse Sales Company, Charlotte, North Carolina, Southeastern Steel Company, Charleston, South Carolina, American Monument Association, Olean, New York and Commercial Realty Company, Rion, South Carolina. His church and civic affiliations included deacon of the First Baptist Church, Winnsboro, served as Sunday School Superintendent, Church Treasurer, Church Clerk, Chairman of the Board of Deacons, chairman of the building Committee for the education building and pastorium.

Was president of Fairfield County Chamber of Commerce and Fairfield Citizens' Council. A charter member of the Rotary Club, a Mason, and Shriner.

During these busy years three children were added to the Phillips family.

1. Betty Jo Phillips, born January 8, 1926, married Samuel William Washington, Jr. Children of this marriage; Lucile Coker Washington married Stanley Daniel Coleman and Anne Moore Washington.

2. Herman Grady Phillips, Jr., born March 8, 1928, married Hannah Brown Patrick. Children of this marriage, Herman Grady Phillips, III married to Mitzi Dora Brown; Jane Patrick Phillips married Steven Davis Taylor; Helen Coker Phillips and Hannah Cunningham Phillips.

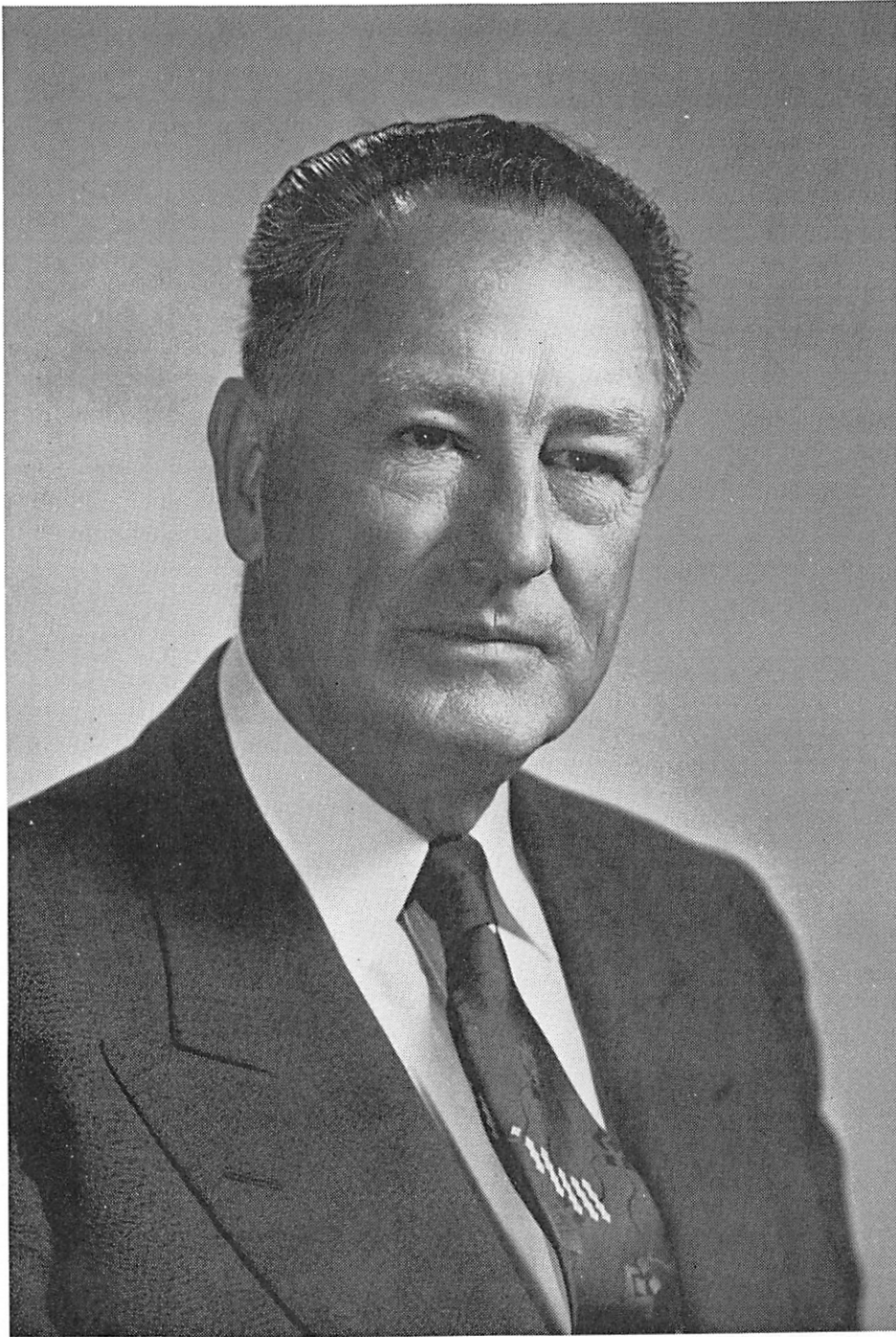
3. Anne Trammell Phillips born May 23, 1932, married Robert Marion Hamilton. Children of this marriage Robert Polk Hamilton, married Julianne Martin Robinson, parents of Holly Anne Hamilton, Julian Martin Hamilton; and Robert Polk Hamilton, Jr.; Mary Emily Hamilton, David Phillips Hamilton, Paul Framptom Hamilton and Mark Bonner Hamilton.

When the Baptist Church held their Centennial Celebration, October 2nd, 1960, the Centennial History was dedicated to him in these words: "His Christian faith, integrity, generosity and loyalty to the church, his family and community have been a source of inspiration to many others who have worked with him to make the dream of this church a reality."

He died December 13th, 1960, after an extended illness.

A landscaped court was given to Bethea Baptist Home, Darlington, South Carolina, by Lucile Coker Phillips, April 23, 1962, to the memory of her beloved companion, Herman Grady Phillips.

To The Memory of Herman Grady Phillips



Born Delta, Alabama April 23, 1893
Died Winnsboro, S.C. December 13, 1960

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Pickett and Lumpkin

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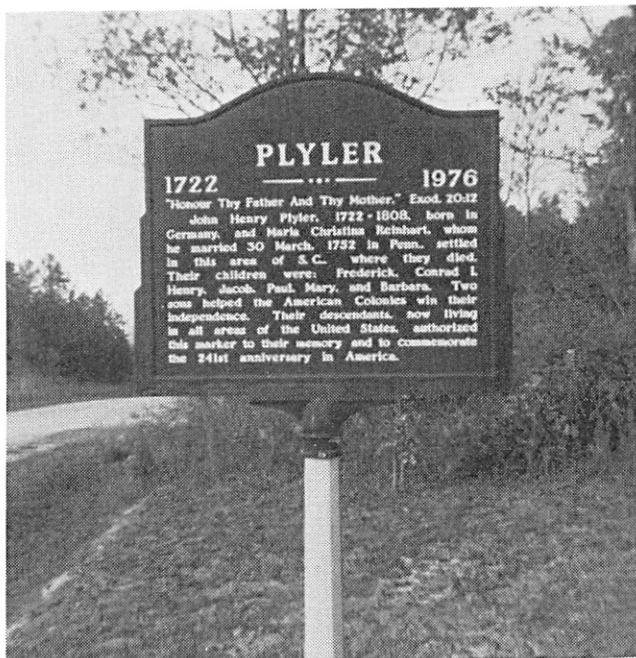
Squire Thomas Lumpkin (1770-1844) married Miriam Ferguson. He came from Virginia. Their son, Abram Ferguson Lumpkin (1820-1875) married Patience Partridge (1820-1892), the daughter of Reubin (1785-1825) and Mary Ann Lewis Pickett (1792-1852).

Miriam Lumpkin (1840-1900), daughter of Abram Ferguson and Patience Partridge Lumpkin, married Rev. Jacob Slyvanus Connor (1830-1891), member of the South Carolina Methodist Conference and located in Winstboro in 1874. Their children were: (1) Mary Tallulah, (2) Rosa, (3) Eunice, (4) Claud, (5) Julian, (6) Albert.

Mary Tallulah (1860-1937) married James Nathan Center (1854-1935), son of Dr. Thomas R. and Hester Boyd Center. Their children were: (1) Jacob Slyvanus, (2) Thomas Marion, (3) Miriam Center (Peay).

Thomas Marion Center (1885-1972) married Alma Gertrude Dixon (1887-1975), daughter of Tillman Lee and Mary Estelle Mobley Dixon. Their children were: (1) Marion Dixon, (2) Tallu Connor, (3) Mary Lee, (4) Alma Gertrude, (5) Thomas Marion, (6) Miriam Louise, and (7) Frances Katherine.

Submitted by:
Miriam Sprott



Plyler Family

The original ancestor, one Henry Plyler (who was born in 1722), came from Germany or Switzerland to America in 1735 (at the age of 13), settling in Pennsylvania.

Early records show that Plylers were in S.C. as early as 1775. A genealogist who has made a thorough study of the Plyler census from 1790 to 1880 states that 99 percent of the Plylers in the U.S. are descendants of the clan which settled in the Lancaster district of S.C.

George Whitefield Plyler was born Sept. 2, 1851, died Dec. 21, 1929. He married Therrisa Jane Plyler, who was born July 9, 1852, died Nov. 26, 1937. George and Therrisa were married Jan. 2, 1873 and lived in Buford Township, Lancaster, S.C.

Their nine children were as follows: 1. Almetta Plyler (b. 1873-d. 1958); 2. Harriet " (b. 1875-1953); 3. Emanuel " (b. 1876-d. 1876); 4. Bundy " (b. 1880-d. 1966); 5. Minnie " (b. 1883-d. 1975); 6. Georgia " (b. 1885-d. 1973); 7. Simeon " (b. 1888-d. 1957); 8. Pleasant M. " (b. 1893-d. 1973); 9. Ruby " (b. 1895-d. 1981).

Simeon Harrison Plyler was a descendant in the 6th generation of Henry Plyler (b. 1722) the original ancestor. Simeon was a graduate of Wofford College, Spartanburg, S.C. (1910) and was one of the earlier school teachers in Lancaster County, S.C. He was married, July 22, 1917 to Naomi Estelle McLendon (b. 1898-d. 1980) daughter of Silas Holloman and Alice Smith McLendon. In June, 1918, Simeon sailed for France to serve in the U.S. Armed forces during World War I. After the war, Simeon worked in North Carolina until 1931 when he returned to Lancaster County to farm for four (4) years.

In January, 1936, Simeon and Naomi moved to Winstboro, S.C. Their descendants are:

1. Lois Harriet Plyler (b. 1918), married to Harold William Berzley, one son, Harold William Berzley, Jr. ("Bill"), married to Anne Elizabeth Hunnicutt.

2. George Holloman Plyler (b. 1920), married to Bernice Brazzell, children as follows: 1. Betty Jo, married first to Ralph Thomas Denton (deceased), then to James McGarrigle, two children, Carol Denise and Pamela Ann Denton. 2. George Holloman Plyler, Jr. (died in infancy). 3. Harriet Lou, married to Claude Lawrence (Larry) Hodge, two children, Lawrence and Elizabeth. 4. Sharon Rebecca, married to Alvie Tanner, two children, Stacy and Rebecca. 5. Janet Ruth, married to Thomas Edison Davis, two children, Shannon Naomi and Thomas, Jr.

3. Mildred Marie Plyler (b. 1923), married to Floyd Ray McKenzie, two children, (1) Sara Virginia, married to Benjamin S. Driggers, two children, Heather and Hayley. (2) Vollie Ray McKenzie.

4. Sara Mae Plyler (b. 1925), married to Lewis H. Gay three children-(1) Lewis Mark, married to Gayle Glisson, three children, Adam, Lewis Mark, Jr. (died in infancy)

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and Mary Catherine. (2) John Floyd Gay, (3) Mary Ellen Gay.

5. Betty Lou Plyler (b. 1928), first married to Albert Wallace McKeown (deceased), then to Boyd Ashe-four children: (1) Dorothy Marie McKeown married to Everette Burnette. (2) Albert Wallace McKeown, Jr. married to Gay Griffith, one child, Albert Wallace McKeown, III. (3) Simmy Plyler McKeown, married to Emile Rice, two children, Amy and Simmy P. McKeown, Jr. (4) James Edgar McKeown, married to Suzanne Waldrep, one child, Jason.

6. Simeon Harrison Plyler, Jr. (b. 1931), married to Jacqueline Hirst, five children: (1) Simeon H. Plyler, III, married to Lori Ruther. (2) Daniel Edward Plyler. (3) Jay Hirst Plyler. (4) Patrick William Plyler. (5) Paul Downs Plyler.

7. Theresa Joan Plyler (b. 1935), married to James Richard Glass, three children: (1) Patti June, married to Tony James Rogers, two children, Tony, Jr. and Martha Theresa. (2) James Richard Glass, Jr., married to Sherrie Lynn McCaskill, one child, James Richard, III. (3) Anna Ruth Glass.

8. Alice June Plyler (b. 1935), married to John Preston Glass, two children: (1) John Preston Glass, Jr. (2) George Berry Glass.

9. Marshall Wayne Plyler (b. 1940-d. 1982), married first Kaye Waddell, then to Irene Daniels Robinson-three children: (1) Deborah Dawnne Robinson. (2) Bonnie Melissa Robinson. (3) Samuel Ross Robinson.

Marshall was the only one the Simeon's and Naomi's children to be born in Winnsboro.

Alice and Theresa were twins and married brothers.

Lois, George, Mildred, and Alice still reside in Winnsboro.



Powell Place

The building of this home in lower Fairfield was begun circa 1837, by Aaron and Francis Walker Powell. After his death in 1845, she continued work upon it but was never able to complete the inside. The ceiling of two bedrooms and the upper hall were done by later generations. The original inside and outside were done in heart pine. The sills and heavy timbers were hand hewn and mortised as was the custom of the day. The original heart pine flooring in the main two-story section remains to this day, with the exception of the main center hall which was replaced in the 1950s.

The extended columns and the granite exterior were added in the early 1950s. This home with surrounding acreage has been continuously inhabited by Powell families since circa 1838, and presently by the children of the late Warren Floyd and Marie B. Powell. Much progeny has descended from this old house and into many walks of life and into many sections of the country, all with the admonition to never defame the name nor deface the work of the builders.

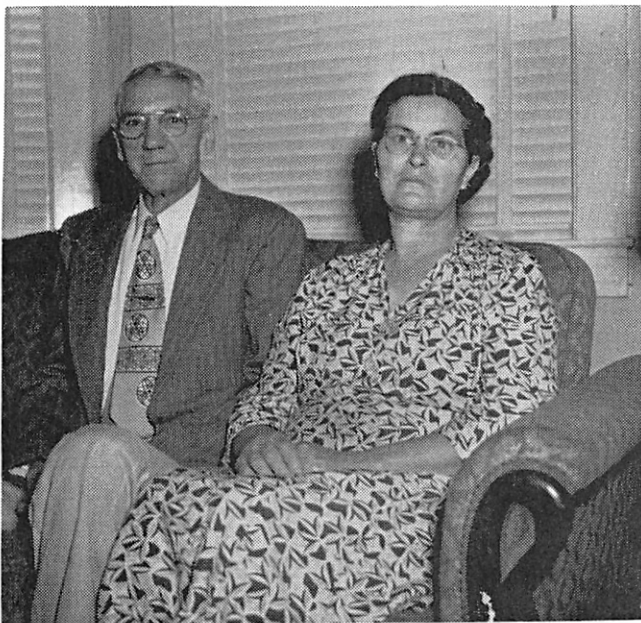
Powell Family

The family name Powell is Welsh in origin, having originally been Ap Howell, and somewhere down the line it was broken into two other branches, Powell and Howell. It is of the Powell branch of Fairfield County, State of South Carolina that these records are given for the benefit of those of the family living in A.D. 1982 and those who are to follow.

It is not known from what area of England the three Powell brothers came (two who remained here and one who returned to England) and it is not known to where they first came in America. The first known record of Powell in this area is that of John and William Powell on the Broad River, and Caleb Powell on Little Cedar Creek in the years 1740-1765.

It is of Caleb Powell, Sr. and his wife Dorcas, that this record is given. It is not known if he was one of the original three brothers-more than likely not, and if not, certainly a descendant.

Their children were: sons, Caleb, Jr., John, Jacob, and Aaron; daughters, Rebecca P. Stanton, Dorcas Tabitha, wife of Charles Broom, Jane P. Mitchell, and Mary, wife



Simeon and Naomi Plyler

of Benjamin Miles.

Especially is this a record of their son Aaron, who was born in 1791 and died in 1845. He married Frances Walker in 1819 (b. 1799 d. 1872), (her father was Henry Walker, her mother was Mary Hendrix Walker).

Their children were: Mary Ann Powell 1820-1820; and Henry Walker Powell 1821-1865. Henry married Eliza Jane Gladden. He attended Furman Institution when it was located near Winnsboro and was one of the first school teachers in S.C. Dr. John W. Powell, 1823-1878; married Lucy Elizabeth Blanding and prior to 1861 was a surgeon in Columbia, S.C. After the war he moved to Hernando, Miss. where he died of Yellow Fever.

Frances Tabitha Powell 1825-1851; married Daniel W. Gladden.

Jemima Rebecca Powell 1829-1888; married Samuel Beard.

Nancy Powell 1832-1902 (No record).

Harriet Caroline Powell 1835-1914, Spinster.

Susanna Adelaide Powell 1837-1872; married Chappell O. Trapp.

Cynthia Victoria Powell 1840-1910; married Laban H. Trapp.

Aaron Edgar Powell 1842-1885; married Emma Louise Jackson of Winnsboro, whose parents were Samuel and Lucinda Jackson. Lucinda Jackson's parents were William and Nancy Agnes Austin McCreight.

Lucy Ellen Blanding Powell 1845-1923; married Capt. William George Hinnant.

Children of Aaron Edgar and Emma Louise 1849-1926 Jackson Powell; Lula Estelle Powell 1869-1909; married John C. Chappell. Henry Ellwood Powell 1871-1926; married Daisy McNinch. Frances Adelaide Powell 1872-1946; married George Yarborough Langford. Emma Louise Powell 1874-1875. Alva Edgar Powell 1876-1901; married Bertha Ligon. Warren Floyd Powell 1878-1929; married Marie Lenora Broom. Bessie Inez Powell 1879-1937; Spinster. Samuel Edward Powell 1881-1947; married Katie S. McNinch, and Emma Leslie Powell 1883-1960; married John J. Tuten.

Children of Warren Floyd and Marie Lenora Broom Powell 1891-1973, whose father was Dargan Strother Broom and whose mother was Lenora Wooten Broom: Warren Clyde Powell (1911-) married 1st Gertrude Harrell, one daughter-Lyda Mary. Children: Warren Clyde Powell, Jr., married 2nd, Mary Ellen Burton, Ellen Kay Powell, Charles Michael Powell, Laura Susanne Powell, Roy O'Dell Powell 1912-1918, Floyd Reid Powell 1914-1930, Lewis Strother Powell 1916-married Marilla Rosemond, one daughter-Vivian Lyn Powell, Palmer Edward Powell 1919-married Lillian Grey Drummond. Children: Palmer Edward Powell, Jr., Richard Justin Powell. Ruth Powell 1921-married John Smythe Rich, Jr. Children: Dianne Marie Rich, John Smythe Rich III, Robin Gail Rich. Grace Powell 1923-married Herman Floyd Hunt. Warren Floyd Powell 1925-married Ruth

Saville Cathcart. Children: Warren Floyd Powell III, Don Cathcart Powell, Thomas Glen Powell, Kenneth Alan Powell. Frank Powell 1927-married LaVonne Smith. One daughter-Candice Leigh Powell.

Caleb Powell

Caleb Powell Jr., was the son of Caleb Powell Sr. and Dorcas (see article on Caleb Powell Sr.). He owned 258 acres in 1822. From the 1850 census, we know Caleb Jr. was born 1795, married Sarah who was born 1810, and had three children: Thomas (born 1831) Louisa (born 1833), and Amelia (born 1836).

Thomas Lewis Powell (born 1831) married Margaret E. Swats (born 1848). They died after 1880 and are buried across from Greenbrier Meth. Cem. They had about 11 children: Edward George (born 1868), Tom Lewis Jr. (born 1870), Sally V. (born 1872), married G.H. Steadman, John S. (born 1873), Samuel A. (born 1874), Margaret A. (born 1879), Mary, Harry, Dick L. (who married Lola Brockington), Fannie (who married an Erwin & lives in Charlotte), and Annie (who married C.L. Newman).

Edward George Powell (born 1868) married Sallie Pat Melton (the daughter of Levi Henry Melton and Margaret Cooper). They had 12 children: Ed, Lonnie, Louise (who married Lonnie Mann), Feriba (who married a Demitchi), Durward, Belton, Vermelle (who married Charles Stewart), Erwin, Mary (who married Willie Franklin Mann), Lewis, Lila (who married Clifton Nelson), and Levi.

Louise Powell and Lonnie Mann had two children: Charles and Marion (who married Rufus Castles Jr.).

Submitted by:
James W. Green III

Ramsey Family

John Ramsey came to Fairfield County from County Antrim, Ireland. He met and married Nancy Sarah Letitia Weldon (born March 24, 1857) from the White Oak community. They were farmers in the Jackson Creek, Lebanon Community. They had three children: Eliza, born April 30, 1885; John Weldon born May 10, 1887; and Robert Andrew born Sept. 29, 1890.

Eliza became a school teacher and married and lived in Bethune. John W. married Martha Phillips. They had seven children: Jean, James B. (Pat), Mary E. (Peggy), Robert, Louise, Elizabeth and John Jr. (Jack). John W. was a policeman in Winnsboro until his death. His children still live in Winnsboro. Jean worked at Uniroyal, Pat works with the S.C. Highway. Robert is a carpenter. Louise works at Uniroyal, as did Peggy. Jack works with the Forestry Commission. They are member of Lebanon

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Presbyterian Church.

Robert Andrew married Ethel Collins and they had one girl. He lived in Winnsboro until his death.

William H. Rexrode

William Herbert Rexrode (b. February 18, 1919, Pendleton County, West Virginia) is one of the six children of John William and Ella Ruth Rexroad Rexrode. His great-great-grandfather, Zachariah Rexroad, migrated from Germany to the Valley of Virginia in 1762, and is listed as a pioneer of West Virginia in Oren F. Morton's "A History of Pendleton County West Virginia," (1910 Edition).

William Herbert enlisted in the U.S. Army in August 1940. He trained in Fort Jackson, S.C., Fort Leonard Wood, Mo., Camp Forrest, Tenn., and Yuma, Arizona; and served with the 8th Division in the European theater during World War II. After his discharge from the army on September 25, 1945, he worked in Washington, D.C.

On August 27, 1946, he married Mary Grey Timms (b. October 31, 1920, Fairfield County, daughter of Charles Samuel and Lillie McAlpine Brown Timms of Fairfield) in Union Memorial Presbyterian Church, Route 1, Winnsboro. After a few months' stay in Washington, they moved to Fairfield on December 24, 1946.

They have seven children. They are: Frances Catherine (b. June 17, 1947), William Herbert Jr., and Hellen Grey (twins b. December 25, 1948), Lillian Ruth (b. April 26, 1953), Charles Timms (b. June 14, 1954), John Todd (b. November 9, 1956), and Carolyn McDill (b. January 27, 1958).

Frances Catherine Rexrode married Robert Kennerly Hooker (b. May 6, 1946, in Lexington, S.C., son of Cecil Clay and Sadie Catherine Brabham Hooker) on July 9, 1972, in Union Memorial Presbyterian Church, Route 1, Winnsboro. They have one daughter, Amanda Catherine (b. April 8, 1975 in Lexington County, S.C.)

William Herbert Rexrode, Jr. married Gloria June Watson (b. June 15, 1952, Fairfield County, daughter of John Tidwell and Mary Juanita Wyndam Watson) in Rockton Baptist Church, Winnsboro on June 3, 1973. They have one son, William Herbert Rexrode, III (b. October 23, 1980).

Lillian Ruth Rexrode married Stephen Kay DeBruhl (b. August 6, 1948, in Camden, S.C., son of Curtis and Violet DeBruhl) on April 21, 1974, in Union Memorial Presbyterian Church, Route 1 Winnsboro.

The Rexrode family live on Route one Winnsboro in the old Brown ancestral home built by George Brown, which has been the home to five generations of the family. They attend Union Memorial Presbyterian Church where William Herbert, Sr. and William Herbert, Jr. serve as elders.

Rion Family

James Henry Rion was born in Montreal, Canada, April 17, 1828. He was the son of Henry and Margaret Hunter Rion of England. His mother was housekeeper for John C. Calhoun and was Matron of Midway hospital at Charlottesville, Va. during the War Between the States, where she died January, 1863. James Henry Rion was 1st honor graduate of Class of 1850, South Carolina College, Attorney in Winnsboro, Colonel 25th Militia in Confederate Army. He died December 12, 1886.

James Henry Rion married Mary Catherine Weir (b. March 16, 1829, d. July 1, 1901). She was a musician and writer. Author of "The Southern Woman Florist". Her father was Samuel Weir, editor of the Southern Chronicle, Columbia Newspaper. Children of Col. Rion and Mary Catherine Weir Rion were: Margaret, librarian at S.C. College; Floride Calhoun, who married Jacob Barron of Columbia; Preston married Sallie Hoffman; Kitty married James Fleming McMaster; William married Lucille Brooks; Holbrook married Helen Berry; Lucy married Mr. Williams and then Robert Clark; Hanna married Professor Abell of the South Carolina College, Verbeck, and Dr. Hervey. She was a composer and writer. She wrote several books and magazine articles on various subjects.

Kitty Rion (Sept. 14, 1858-Aug. 29, 1883) married James Fleming McMaster. Their son was Kitt Rion McMaster who married Nell Elliott.

Robertson Family

From earliest records we find one John Robertson born in Scotland in 1710, came with his family to America. They first settled in Pennsylvania, later moved to Virginia where John married the widow Elizabeth Simpson Woodward, mother of Thomas Woodward, The Regulator. In 1778, John and Elizabeth Robertson and their three sons, William, John, and Henry, moved to what is now Fairfield County.

The Robertsons were of Presbyterian faith. Howe's "History of the Presbyterian Church" records the first worship service of that faith was held in the home of John Robertson. Later the family was active in building and supporting the Old Stone Church which was one of, if not, the oldest Presbyterian churches in the Up Country.

It is through John Robertson's son Henry that the present Fairfield Robertsons and their connections are descended. And quite a few of the family answered the call of adventure and moved on. So there are now descendants of the early Robertson settlers in nearly every state in the Union. Many from different states have traced their line to Henry in order to become members of the NSDAR. The DAR Patriot Index lists Henry Rober

1972). He died 2 April 1944.

Robinson, James Leonard. Son of James "Wash" Robinson, born 30 July 1866, died 25 September 1930, buried at Bethel Cemetery, married three times, first to Agnes Jennings on 16 January 1889 (b. 7 Feb. 1868, d. 26 March 1892, no children), second to Meta G. Sligh (b. 16 July 1870, d. 19 Oct. 1895, dau. of W.H. Sligh) one child, Maude (b. 29 Sep. 1894, d. 18 June 1966, m. Frank Elliott Jordan), third to Martha Delleney (b. 28 Sept. 1874, d. 12 July 1951, dau. of Jesse R. Delleney, b. 20 July 1832, d. 3 Feb. 1907, and Rebecca J. Dawkins, b. 24 Feb. 1836, d. 25 Jan. 1896, dau. of Col. John and Martha N. Dawkins) one child, James Leroy (q.v.). A prominent farmer affectionately called "Old Man Lint" by his hands. Lived in the Cornwallis House in Winnsboro.

Robinson, James Leroy (J. Roy). Son of J. Leonard, born 19 July 1905, married on 30 April 1932 in the Lace House in Columbia, SC to Lucy Hannah Atkinson, born 15 January 1905, daughter of Christopher and Eleanora DeTreville Atkinson (q.v.). Three children, Lucy Ann (b. 10 Oct. 1933, m. 26 May 1956 in Winnsboro to Paul Hemphill, b. 27 Nov. 1930 in Chester; three children Paul, b. 9 April 1957, Lucy Hannah, b. 18 Jan. 1959, and Roy Robinson, b. 20 Sep. 1965), Martha Elise (b. 29 June 1935, m. 18 Dec. 1970 in Fayetteville, NC, to Jack Allen Meyer (q.v.), and Norvelle (b. 5 Nov. 1940, m. 16 Aug. 1969 in Winnsboro to Robert Sutton, b. 9 Dec. 1941; two children, Martha Delaney, b. 29 Jan. 1971, and Robert O., b. 5 June 1973). Graduated from Wofford College. Prominent cattle farmer. Lived in the Cornwallis House in Winnsboro, reputed to have been the headquarters of Lord Cornwallis when his troops occupied Winnsboro during the winter of 1780-81.

Mr. Robinson died 2 October 1981, in Winnsboro, buried in Greenbrier Methodist Cemetery near the fields he loved so well.

Alexander Robinson

Alexander Robinson lived on the south side of Jackson Creek in Fairfield County. He got his first land on Jackson Creek before 1772, for in that year he got a grant of 100 acres adjoining his current holdings. Perhaps that earlier tract was what one Alexander Robinson was granted in 1763. This tract of 1763 contained 100 acres also, and was laid out in the middle of vacant land. The tract of 1772 however, was surrounded by land already laid out. His neighbors were Richard Winn, Wm. Willison, and Wm. Hamilton. When Alexander Robinson made his will in 1796, he made David Hamilton one of the executors and from the 1790 census, one can see the executors were close neighbors, at least to each other.

The tract of 1772 was surveyed by R. Ellison who was no doubt the Robert Ellison who was a captain of a com-

pany during the Revolution. Alexander Robinson and others elected him as their captain in Sept. 1775. One Alexander Robinson also provided Col. Winn's Regt. with 500 lbs. of flour on March 20, 1780, for which he was paid after the war.

In 1778 Alexander Robinson was put on the list from which petit jurors were to be drawn for the part of Camden District between the Broad and Catawba Rivers.

On Jan. 25, 1796, Alexander made his will and he died shortly before April 16, 1796 (when his will was probated). He died fairly young for most of his 8 children were still at home. One of his executors—Simon Cameron—became guardian of three of his children—Margaret Agnes, his youngest daughter, and John and Alex. However, Alexander's youngest sons were Joseph and Simon, Simon being the youngest. Only two daughters were married: Jane who married a Moore and Juliana who had evidently married a Caldwell. While the estate was active (from 1796 until at least Feb. 1802 or Sept. 1803) several marriages occurred. Alexander's widow—Margaret—married a McEwen between Jan. 26, 1799 and Nov. 24, 1800. By Apr. 15, Juliana had remarried to a Caldwell and by Jan. 17, 1799, Elizabeth had married a Banks. From a Bible, we know Elizabeth married Samuel Banks Nov. 6, 1797. Also from a Bible we know she was born Sept. 20, 1776). For further information on Elizabeth, see an article on Samuel Banks in this book.

Alexander's real property consisted of his homeplace (being 2 land grants of 100 acres), a 100 acre tract he had bought from Andrew Cameron, and a tract of probably close to 300 acres that he had bought from a McClelland.

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John Ragsdale

John Ragsdale came to America from England and settled in Virginia. He married Mary Harrison of Virginia and in 1770, they moved to South Carolina and settled in Fairfield County. One of their children was Samuel Ragsdale, who was born in Fairfield County. He married Hannah Estes, daughter of William Estes, and they were the parents of a son whom they named Elisha Robert. When he was only a small child, his mother died and his father married again, moving to Alabama. Elisha Robert remained in Fairfield under the care of the Rev. Joseph Holmes, a Methodist minister.

Elisha R. Ragsdale

Elisha Robert Ragsdale was born in Fairfield on April 12, 1825, son of John and Mary Harrison Ragsdale. He died November 7, 1862. He married Nancy Angeline (Nannie) Stanton, born Oct. 29, 1834, died Nov. 25, 1922. They lived for a time in Richland County, where their first child, Edward Bernard Ragsdale was born. Soon, they bought a plantation in Fairfield, "above and below the confluence of Little River and Jackson Creek". It was on this plantation that the other two children, Glenn Walker Ragsdale and John Knox Ragsdale, were born.

South Carolina seceded. Elisha Robert Ragsdale, who had a wife and three small sons, volunteered (3rd. Battalion, S.C. Volunteers). He died of pneumonia in a Confederate hospital in Richmond, Va. and was buried in Hollywood Cemetery in that city. When her husband went off to the war, Nannie Stanton Ragsdale, with her sons, moved into the home of her father, John D. Stanton, who was a widower living alone on a large plantation. By all accounts, he was a man of high ideals and exemplary character. He was a highly respected citizen and up until the end of the war was a relatively wealthy man.

Glenn W. Ragsdale, a small boy at the time, watched Sherman's soldiers set fire to the plantation buildings and destroy more than a hundred bales of cotton stored in the gin house and other buildings.

After the army moved on, little was left other than the scorched earth. He applied Ben Hill's quotation to his grandfather, "He stood neck deep in the ashes of his own poverty."

The early lives of these three boys, Edward B., Glenn W. and John K. Ragsdale were like those of other farm boys following the war. They attended Shiloh Academy, worked on the farm and each in turn attended Furman College.

Edward Ragsdale

Edward B. Ragsdale, after leaving Furman, taught school for two years. He studied law under Col. Rion and Judge Melton. After being admitted to the bar, he opened an office in Winnsboro. He was joined by his brother, Glenn, who had followed in his footsteps. Glenn had earlier taught school for two years, also studying under Rion and Melton. The firm was called "Ragsdale and Ragsdale". John K. Ragsdale became a farmer, then later entered the mercantile business at Blair, S.C.

The lawyer brothers proved to be a good team, with Glenn preparing the cases and Ed as the advocate and orator. Until Ed's death, he and his brother were so closely associated in their personal relations, their profession, business ventures and activities, that it is

next to impossible to mention one without the other.

In 1896, Ed was elected to the S.C. House of Representatives and at the same time Glenn was elected to the S.C. Senate. Ed served two terms of two years each and was elected to a third term, but died before taking office. Glenn served two terms of four years each, then refused to stand for election again. He later served again, in the 1920's.

Glenn Ragsdale wrote, sponsored and against great opposition, drove through an act of far-reaching importance. It revolutionized court pleading and procedure by abolishing the complicated and antiquated system of court pleadings required at that time.

Glenn was a member of the constitutional convention of 1895.

Edward Bernard Ragsdale, b. 3-16-1856, d. 9-18-1901, never married. Glenn Walker Ragsdale, b. 6-3-1858, d. 9-11-1931, m. Inez Eppes McMeekin, b. 11-1-1866, d. 3-10-1932. John Knox Ragsdale, b. 2-21-1860, d. 1-8-1915, m. Minnie Calhoun McMeekin, b. 9-30-1861, d. 1-20-1952.

Glenn Ragsdale

Glenn Walker Ragsdale and his wife, Inez Eppes McMeekin, were the parents of five children.

(1) Ethel Louise Ragsdale, b. 4-16-1889, m. John Hugh McLaurin, b. 3-29-1883, d. 1-3-1950. Five children: Ethel Craig, John Hugh, Jr., Inez, Sara and Glenn Duncan.

(2) Inez Beatrice Ragsdale, b. 7-27-1881, m. Grover Gordon McLaurin, b. 1-30-1887. Five children: Grover Gordon, Jr., Nancy Della, Inez Glenn, Ethel Louise and Marianne.

(3) William Glenn Ragsdale, b. 12-20-1894, d. 6-29-1981, m. Ella Little Smith, b. 5-15-1905, d. 2-29-1976. William Glenn Ragsdale was a graduate of Clemson College and a World War I veteran. He was a rural mail carrier, a lawyer, a business man. He had charm, personality and magnetism. He and Ella were parents of two children, Virginia Little Ragsdale and Elinor (Bob) Glenn Ragsdale.

(a) Virginia Little Ragsdale, b. 11-20-1923, m. Jacob Coleman Stevenson, b. 2-26-1923, d. 1-17-1981. Three children: Jacob Coleman, Jr. b. 12-23-1946; William Glenn b. 2-20-1949 m. Betsy Jane Chapman b. 12-6-1951. Two children, Kensey Glenn b. 10-10-1975 and Martha Elizabeth b. 6-26-1979. Virginia Ragsdale Stevenson b. 11-16-1951, m. Carl Edward Startzman b. 11-12-1952, parents of Virginia Glenn b. 1-23-1978.

(b) Elinor Glenn (Bob) Ragsdale, b. 2-17-1926, m. William Lindsay Wylie, b. 4-26-1926. Two children. Dr. William Lindsay Wylie, Jr., b. 5-20-1951, m. Harriett Jones, b. 11-10-1950, one son, William Lindsay III, b. 10-12-1975. Elinor Ragsdale Wylie, b. 1-29-1953, m. Ripley Westmoreland Clarkson, b. 7-21-1953.

Rugely Family

Rowland Rugely is shown on the 1820 Fairfield Census with three sons under 10 years of age, and a wife. He was the son of Henry and Elizabeth Rugely, also of Fairfield. Henry's will dated 16 June, 1796, and proved 17 April 1797, shows that he had sons Rowland, Henry and John, and daughters, Mary Ann and Caroline. He willed son Rowland, not yet 21, a 250-acre plantation on the Wateree adjoining Jonathan Belton. "The Statutes at Large of S.C." shows that Henry had a ferry on the Wateree, established in 1795.

Rowland Rugely married Mary Ann Mickle, daughter of John and Elizabeth Starke Mickle (the widow of George Peay). Mary Ann was born ca. 1794, and she and her husband had the following children: Henry Robertson Rugely, William Cook Rugely, Alonzo M. Rugely, Mary Ann Caroline (who married William O. Baldwin), Sarah Robertson Rugely, Elizabeth Ann Rugely, and Rebecca Mickle Rugely. The family moved to Lowndes Co. Ala. ca. 1825, and were large land and slave owners there. Rowland Rugely died at Mulberry Grove, Lowndes Co. Ala. in 1843.

See Mickle and Starke.

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Joseph Gladney Shedd

Children of Joseph Gladney Shedd and Ida Rabb Shedd and their spouses:

James Earle Shedd married Emma M. McMeekin of Jenkinsville, S.C.; Robert Rabb Shedd married Lucile Dobbs of Atlanta, Ga.; T. Willoughby Shedd married Mary McGill of Monticello, S.C.; Jonathan R. Shedd married Ada Sapp of Lancaster, S.C.; Jenny Louise Shedd married Robery K. Pope of the Lebanon Community, Fairfield County; Joseph Gladney Shedd married Annie Lee Wooten of Chattanooga, Tn.; Olin Crowder married Irene Woodward of Cedartown, Ga.

The Shedd Family

The first Shedd in America settled in the New England States, coming from Suffolk County, England. The name Shedd appeared in the subsidy tax roll of Edward Stone in Suffolk County, England, in 1327, and again in 1523.

This narrative will try to trace the family of James Shedd of Virginia. The Shedd who lived during the time of the early American frontier reflect the growth and development of America. In the early days they were farmers living in the frontier and participating in the taking up of new lands as it was opened up for white settlement. They were part of the westward expansion of the nation. With the disappearance of the frontier and the transition from agriculture to industrialization the Shedd have typified this change in American life by gradually leaving the farm and taking up urban occupations. Positions held by Shedd cover the full spectrum of American life from common laborer to the learned professions.

The Shedd belong to that ethnic group known as old American stock. They are the people who built America from the wilderness and gave it such distinctive American characteristics as self-reliance, independence, enterprise, thrift, hard work and the puritan ethic. Our branch of the Shedd family has a southern cultural heritage. It has been established that James Shedd of Loudoun County, VA. had three sons named Thompson, George and William, who left Virginia and settled in South Carolina shortly before the American revolution. The earliest record of a Shedd in South Carolina upcountry consists of grants to George Shedd of land in what is now Fairfield County, in 1772.

In pioneer days when people moved into new territory that had been recently opened up for white settlers, it was customary for them to move in groups headed by a leader. Richard Winn had leadership qualities and lived in "Difficult Run" with the Shedd in Virginia. It is thought the three Shedd families went to Fairfield County in 1771 in a group headed by Richard Winn, who later became a general in the army.

Descendants of George Shedd (1751-1846) and his wife Martha were William, John, Elizabeth, Mary, George, Urban, Joel and Sara.

The children of George and Mary Shedd according to the 1850 census were Mary, b. 1831; James P., b. 1833; William H., b. 1840. Joseph Gladney Shedd was born in 1843, and his wife Ida Rabb in 1850.

The 1880 census shows the children of Joseph and Ida Shedd as: Georgia, m. Tom Douglas; and Thomas Willoughby, married Alice Burley

Jonathan Rabb Shedd married Jennie Crowder. Their children were Earl, b. 1892, d. 1948; Robert, b. 1895, d. 1950; Willoughby; Jonathon, b. 1900, d. 1957; Louise, m. Bob Pope; Joseph Gladney; and Olin Crowder.

Other close relatives and descendants of James Shedd are now living in Georgia, Arkansas, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana, Texas, Florida, Kentucky and

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Virginia. Army records of Shedd's in the Revolutionary, Civil, and world wars show them to be patriotic, brave and courageous.

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(From Shedd Family History)

Shull Family

Daniel Nathaniel Shull, Lexington County Farmer, b. Oct. 7, 1834, d. Jan. 19, 1909. 1st wife, Margaret Catherine Roof, d. July 16, 1873. Seven children: George E., William D., Caroline Ada, Edward Walter, Ida Ann, Wade Lee, Lizzie T., 2nd wife, Elizabeth Roof, d. Oct. 11, 1901. One child, G. Calvin.

John Valentine Gable, Lexington County farmer, b. 1824, d. Jan. 26, 1893. Married Mary Matilda Williams, b. 1837, d. Sept. 14, 1910. Children: Sallie, Mary, Laura, Benjamin, Adelaide Antoinette Amanda, Andrew Jackson, Wade Lee, Rosa Ella Adran, son (died in infancy).

Edward Walter, school teacher and postmaster, New Brookland, S.C. (now West Columbia) b. Oct. 2, 1866, d. April 15, 1939. Married Adelaide Antoinette Amanda Gable, b. April 1, 1880, d. March 4, 1962.

Children: Edward Walter, Jr. b. Nov. 25, 1898, d. Oct. 3, 1900, Daniel Sandel, b. Oct. 1, 1902, d. May 20, 1973, Edwin Leroy, b. June 19, 1904, Rosalie Antoinette, b. May 27, 1909.

First Lt. Edwin Leroy Shull, USC graduate with B.A. and C.E. degrees, married Nina May McCrackan of Winnsboro, Nov. 22, 1940. He had just been mobilized with the S.C. National Guard into Federal Service.

He worked five years as CC Camp Engineer prior to going in Service. He has worked for Shand Engineering Co., the Soil Conservation Service and the Army Corps of Engineers. He taught school in Greenville, S.C. and served as Fairfield County Veterans Service Officer. His army service covers a period of 32 years and he was separated as a Major General in 1964. His decorations include the Bronze Star Medal, Purple Heart Medal, Combat Infantryman's Badge, European-African-Middle East Medal with four battle stars, Army Occupation Medal, WWII Victory Medal, Armed Forces Reserve Medal, American Defense Medal and S.C. Service Medal.

Children: Norman Wayne, b. Sept. 1, 1943, San Antonio, Texas, Dr. David Walter, Ph.D. B. Nov. 3, 1946 in Winnsboro.

Norman Wayne married Diana Mercedes Meister of Boston, Mass. Apr. 12, 1969. They have two children: Jonathan Edwin, b. Dec. 19, 1972 and Meredith Amelia, b. Sept. 21, 1977. They live in Milpitas, California. David

Walter married Janet Marie Kramer of Pittsburgh, Pa., June 10, 1978 and they live in Tonawanda, N.Y.

Submitted by:
Nina Shull

Smith Family

David Smith (1765-1848) came to Fairfield County with his parents and two sisters in 1786. At that time his father, Hugh (1737-1822), purchased 545 acres of land for twelve pounds and 14 shillings.

In 1796 David married Nancy Agnes Gunning (1781-1856). Their children were: Jane married Robert Laverder; Sarah married Robert McGrady; Mary Ann married William Martin; Eliza (1811-1900) married David Weir (1796-1854); Hugh Adair (1801-1840) married Janie Martin (1806-1855) and Robert Barber (1814-1885) married Cynthia Caroline ? (1823-1881).

David Smith Weir (1832-1862), son of Eliza and David Weir, married Sarah Jane Campbell (1841-1915), daughter of David and Nancy Pogue Campbell. He served in 6th Regt. S.C.V. and died 11 Aug. 1962 in S.C. Hospital, Petersburg, Va. leaving his widow and three small children: Margaret Isabel (1859-1900) married Hilliard Gayden Wylie (1854-1924), son of William and Matilda Wylie; William Smith (1861-1928) married Mary Elizabeth Wylie (1871-1919), daughter of John and Caroline Smith Wylie; Nancy married John F. Gladden in 1879.

Caroline Smith (1832-1904), daughter of Hugh and Janie Martin Smith, married John Wylie (1814-1888), son of John and Nancy Aiken Wylie. Their children were: Janie Martin (1857-1923) was second wife of Hilliard Wylie; John Moore (1859-1878); Anna married J.W. Hood in 1880; Hugh Smith (1866-1943) married Mary Agnes Rawls (1868-1935); Caroline (1869-1937) married Robert Hood (1857-1914); Mary Elizabeth married William Weir (cousins); and Mozelle (1875-1958) married William Douglas (1863-1936).

The present senior generation includes Nancy Caroline Wylie, daughter of Hilliard and Margaret W. Wylie; Nancy Caroline Wylie and Mary Jane "Macie" Peterson, daughters of Hugh and Mary A. Rawls Wylie; and A. Wylie Douglas, son of Mozelle and William Douglas.

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The Sprott Family

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William Thomas Sprott, son of Joseph and Bessie Hall Sprott, was born in Winnsboro, September 24, 1907, at the home of his grandfather, Daniel Hall, Jr., (1859-1936), who was Fairfield County Treasurer for many years. Daniel Hall's wife was Frances Elizabeth Mobley (1860-1925), daughter of Edward Dixon (1831-1901) and Roxanna Dixon Mobley (1837-1921).

The Mobleys were among the early settlers of Fairfield County. They were descendants of Sir Edward Mobley of Cheshire, England, and his son, William Mobley, who came to America and married a Quaker named Phoebe Lovejoy, in Pennsylvania. Their son, Edward Mobley, came to South Carolina. His wife was Susanah De Ruel. Edward and his six sons and two sons-in-law served in the Revolutionary War. Samuel, son of Edward and Susanah Mobley, married Mary Wagner. Their son, Edward, married Mary Mabry. Their son, David, married Catherine Dixon. And their son, Edward Dixon Mobley, was the great-grandfather of William Thomas Sprott.

Daniel Hall, Jr.'s parents were Daniel Hall, Sr. (1803-1887) and Sarah Jane Hicklin Hall (1835-1913). Daniel Hall, Jr.'s grandparents were John Hall (1765-1834) and Martha Gladden Hall (1765-1842) and Jason Hicklin (1804-1828) and Isabella Ferguson Hicklin (b. 1810). Zachariah Hicklin (b. 1774) and Sarah Cloud Hicklin (b. 1784) were the great-grandparents of Daniel Hall, Jr.

William Thomas Sprott spent his early years at Jordan, Clarendon County, S.C. He was named for his grandfather, who was a planter. William Thomas Sprott I (1852-1916) was the son of Joseph and Harriet Annie

Lesesne Sprott. Joseph (1813-1895) was a native of Lincoln County, N.C. Harriet Annie Lesesne was a descendant of Isaac Lesesne (1674-1736), one of the early Huguenot settlers of South Carolina, having come to Charles Town in 1688. William Thomas Sprott I's wife was Mary Louisa Horton 1856-1924), whose parents were John Webb Horton and Binkey E. Lesesne (1820-1885), who was also a descendant of Isaac Lesesne of Charleston.

Joseph Sprott (1877-1947) married Bessie Belle Hall (1880-1965) on December 17, 1902. Their children are: Sarah Elizabeth (b. 1903) married Norman Benbow Davis, of Summerton; Mary Louise (b. 1905) married Rev. Stephen Thomas Harvin, D.D. of Jacksonville, Fla.; William Thomas (1907-1978) married Nelle Elliott McMaster, of Winnsboro; Mae Martin (b. 1910) married Herbert Malone M. Black, M.D., of Columbia; Dan Hall (1913) married Marjorie Gray Peterson, of Spartanburg; Catherine Mobley (b. 1916) married Col. John Edward Riley, of Columbia; Jo (b. 1917) married John Roland Griffin, of Lynchburg.

William Thomas Sprott was employed by United States Rubber Company for 44 years. He was an elder in Bethel A.R.P. Church. He died April 22, 1978. He married Nelle Elliott McMaster, daughter of Kitt Rion and Nell Elliott McMaster. They have two sons: William Thomas, Jr. (b. 1945), a Winnsboro attorney, and Richard McMaster (b. 1947), a pulpwood dealer. Richard married Miriam Lane Center, daughter of Thomas Marion, Jr. and Laverne Geddings Center, and they have a daughter, Marion Center Sprott (b. August 23, 1979).

The Starke Family

The six sons of Thomas (d. 1784 Camden District) and Jane Williams Starke were all S.C. Revolutionary Soldiers. They were Williams, Thomas and John W. of Fairfield and Douglas and Turner of Kershaw, and Reuben of Kershaw and Abbeyville.

William (ca. 1745-1798) married Mrs. Mary Howell. Their sons were: Thomas, Reuben, and Samuel Carr Starke. Samuel C. Starke (1777-1859) married Anne Mickle, daughter of John and Jane Mickle. Their children were: Mary Ann, Abram B., Thomas, William, Samuel Carr Jr., and Sarah Ann Howell Starke. Mary Ann married first Dr. Hector McKay and they had one daughter, Flora Ann who married Angus McLean McRae, and second, John Campbell Martin of Abbeyville, their children being Luther, Mary, John, Thomas, Sarah, Samuel, Junius, J. Campbell, and William. Abram B. Starke married Frances Jackson and Mary A. —. His known children were Belton, Oscar, and Lulu. Samuel C.

Starke Jr. married Mary A. Brewer and they had Mary, Sarah (whose husband was Gov. Benjamin R. Tillman of S.C.) Edmund B. and Mary Adeline Starke. Sarah Howell Stark married Guilford Cade. Samuel C. Starke Sr. removed to Elbert C. Ga. in 1827 after selling his lands in the Dutchman Creek area. His father, Williams had a ferry on the Wateree which was later vested in Thomas Starke and Austin F. Peay.

Thomas Starke, brother of Williams, owned lands on Little River. He married first Elizabeth Madison. Their daughter Mary married Benjamin Perry, Jr. and through them came Madison Starke Perry, Governor of Florida (1857-61). Thomas married second Sarah Street. His will (1806) lists his children as Elizabeth King, Mary Starke, Fanny Quinney and Thomas.

John W. Starke, brother of Williams, d. 1828 and had one son, John Malone Starke. The sisters of these

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Revolutionary soldiers were Fanny, who married Col. Henry Hunter, Jean married possibly Josiah Scott or John Boykin, and Elizabeth who married first, George Peay and second John Mickle.

See Mickle and Rugely.

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The Stevenson Family



Descendants of James and Eleanor Weir Stevenson

James Stevenson (b. Dec. 1786, Antrim, Ireland, d. Nov. 1861 Fairfield County), m. Eleanor Weir (b. 1794, at Camden District, S.C., d. Oct. 10, 1836). They were married in 1812 and their son, James Weir (b. Jan. 15, 1817, d. April 25, 1888), m. Sara Brown (b. May 17, 1830, d. Aug. 7, 1902). They had eight children. They are William Samuel, Robert Clarence, John Beauregard, James Brown, David Lee, Ellen, Laura, and Jeanette. All married and settled in Fairfield County, except Laura and Ellen who settled in Chester County. Jeanette died at an early age.

A son, David Lee (b. March 16, 1863, d. March 15, 1936), m. Anna Jane Turner (b. Dec. 11, 1865, d. Dec. 1, 1931). They lived in the Jackson Creek section of Fairfield County (now known as Lebanon). Anna Jane's father, Dr. William Kennedy Turner, was a medical doc-

tor, and her mother was Elizabeth Lemmon. Anna Jane's mother, Elizabeth, was given the beautiful mansion that at one time belonged to the Winn family in the early 1800's, as a wedding present by her father, James Lemmon. Anna Jane had two sisters, Emma and Minnie, and two brothers, William Kennedy, Jr. and John Young. David Lee (Dave) and Anna had five children. They had Edward Lee, William James, Leonard O'Rion, Annie Elizabeth, and Nina Earline. All married and four settled in Lebanon and one settled in the Greenbrier community (Annie).

Dave acquired much land in the Jackson Creek section and was a good business man. He dealt in the buying and selling of cotton and fertilizer. He owned the land where the present post office and Fairfield Motor Parts are now located in Winnsboro. He was elected Superin-

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tendent of Education in Fairfield County and served for 15 years. He personally contributed financially to the higher education of some of the citizens of the county. He was very active in the Lebanon Presbyterian Church and furnished a manse to the church for a period of time. Anna opened her home to the teachers and one of the teachers became her daughter-in-law. Anna was post

mistress of the Stevenson Post Office located in her home. She was a devout Christian and instilled in her children and grandchildren many Biblical quotes from memory as well as her daily life.

Submitted by:
Lola S. Dove

David Edward Lee Stevenson

David Edward Lee Stevenson, b. 11-15-1887, d. 1-2-1973, was married to Annie Amanda Stone, b. 12-28-1890, d. 4-19-50. He was a farmer, merchant and was Fairfield County supervisor for twenty-two years. He built, owned and operated a community recreational center (Ed's Pond) for family and friends to enjoy swimming, dancing, cooking and camping out. He was the father of eight children and twenty-two grandchildren.

Children of David Edward Lee and Annie Amanda Stevenson are:

(1) Minnie Lee Stevenson, b. 4-17-1912, married Samuel Leroy Montgomery, b. 3-31-1911. Leroy was in law enforcement work for thirty-four years, serving with the Winoosboro Police Department twenty-two years and as Fairfield County sheriff twelve years. The Montgomerys had two children: Mary Ellen, b. 10-16-1938, m. Marvin Rudolph Hall, b. 10-18-1933; and Irvin Leroy Montgomery, b. 5-22-1942, m. Judith Marie Spires, b. 2-26-1946, parents of Irvin Leroy Montgomery, Jr., 4-4-1974 and William Lee Montgomery, b. 8-13-1977. (At the time this book was published, Irvin Leroy was serving his first term as sheriff of Fairfield County.)

(2) Marion Stone Stevenson, b. 10-24-1914, married Mildred Durham of Chester County, b. 8-19-1916, d. 7-27-1978. Two children: Thomas Marion Stevenson, b. 10-24-1941, m. Pauline Marie Melvin, b. 10-14-1942; parents of Thomas Marion, Jr., b. 10-2-1968 in Greenville, Richard Hunter, b. 8-19-1970, in Greenville, Mildred Marie, b. 11-8-74 in Greenville, and Mary Elizabeth, b. 7-7-1976 in Greenville. Jayne Durham Stevenson, b. 2-29-1946, m. Michael Cudd, b. 7-20-1944; two children, Michael Cudd, Jr., b. 4-4-1970, and Jason Scott Cudd, b. 8-4-1972.

(3) Edward Lee Stevenson, b. 2-12-1916, married Mittie Lee Cannon, b. 12-25-1917; two children: Diana Lee Stevenson b. 12-22-1947, m. Terol Braska Hegler, b. 4-2-1945-children: Terol Braska Hegler, Jr. b. 5-21-1973, and Diana Lee Hegler b. 2-3-1975. Lonnie Edward Stevenson was born 8-7-1953.

(4) Annie Marie Stevenson, b. 3-15-1918, married Marion Heyward Burley, b. 8-10-1917, d. 10-5-1961; three children. Marguerite (Rita), b. 10-28-1941, m. Joseph Kenneth Harper, b. 7-24-1939, parents of Kenneth, b. 10-19-1965, Elizabeth (Beth), b. 4-15-1968 and Rebecca Jo, b. 7-7-1976. Joe is in business in Dallas, Texas. Mary Jo, b. 9-26-1943, m. John Lindsay Leviner, M.D.; parents of

Marion David b. 7-18-1967, Kimberly Ann b. 11-3-1970. Dr. Leviner is a practicing cardiologist in Charleston, Henry Heyward Burley, b. 2-3-1945, m. Nancy Nunn, b. 3-21-1946, parents of Marion Heyward (Rion) b. 3-28-1971, and Ann Marie, b. 2-24-1973. Heyward is a game warden located in Fairfield County.

(5) Ellen Marguerite Stevenson, b. 3-15-1918, m. John Patrick Kelly, Lt. Col. ret., USAF, b. 9-13-1915 in New York City. Parents of five children. Dr. John Edward Kelly, b. 12-30-1946 at Hagerstown, Md., m. Lucretia Starr Schoyver, b. 9-19-1947, Polo, Ill., parents of John Martin b. 3-28-1974, Robert James b. 7-13-1977, and Amanda Starr b. Dec. 4, 1980. John and Lucretia are profession archeologists. Capt. Walter Thomas Kelly, b. 11-2-1949, Ft. Sam Houston, Tx., m. Elizabeth Maloy Clifford, b. 1-19-1952, Savannah, Ga. Parents of Marguerite Elizabeth b. 6-27-1975, Katherine Maloy, b. 9-27-1977, and Patricia Grace, b. 3-9-1980. Walter is an Air Force career officer. David Michael Kelly, b. 2-26-1953 in Columbia, S.C., m. Robin, b. 5-15-1953 in Alexandria, Va., parents of Neil David. David Michael is a general contractor in Fairfax, Va. Richard Stone Kelly, b. 4-8-1954 in Waco, Texas, is a construction foreman in Harrisonburg, Va. Lt. William Patrick Kelly, b. 3-20-1958 at Maxwell AFB, Alabama, m. Patricia Lynn Norris, b. 8-7-1959, Pittston, Pa. William is a civil engineer in the Air Force.

(6) Jacob Coleman Stevenson, b. 2-26-1923, d. 1-17-1981, m. Virginia Little Ragsdale, b. 11-20-1923, parents of three children. Jacob Coleman Stevenson, Jr. b. 12-23-46; William Glenn Stevenson, b. 2-20-1949, m. Betsy Jane Chapman, b. 12-6-1951, parents of Kensay Glenn Stevenson b. 10-10-75 and Martha Elizabeth Stevenson, b. 6-26-1979. Virginia Ragsdale Stevenson, b. 11-16-51, m. Carl Edward Startzman, b. 11-12-1952, one daughter, Virginia Glenn Startzman, b. 1-25-1978.

(7) Erleen May Stevenson, b. 4-6-1926, m. William James Bankhead, b. 9-3-1923.

(8) Martha Ann Stevenson, b. 10-15-1930, m. Woodrow Rion Dixon, b. 10-12-23, parents of Woodrow Rion Dixon, Jr. b. 7-27-53, m. Connie Flowers, Heath Phillips Dixon, b. 4-12-1955, Osmund Bailey Dixon, b. 10-9-57, and Julia Ann Dixon, b. 11-10-1961, m. Stephen Boatwright. Rion and Ann Dixon served as medical missionaries to Morelia, Mexico and Haiti.

Minnie Lee Montgomery

William James Stevenson

William James Stevenson (b. Jan. 21, 1890, d. May 8, 1977), m. Beulah Jeanette Foxworth (b. Mar. 25, 1893, d. Dec. 15, 1978), on Feb. 4, 1912, at her home in Centenary. She was a teacher in the school at Lebanon and was active in many phases of the Lebanon Presbyterian Church work. She was a member of the choir, a Sunday School teacher, and was instrumental in the beautification of the church grounds and cemetery. "Will" did construction work for many years. He owned and operated Stevenson's Builders Supply in Winnsboro. During World War II Will and Beulah lived in Bishopville, S.C. where Will worked with his son, David. Will was known for his patience, his humor, and his love for his fellowman. He served as an elder in Lebanon Presbyterian Church for 59 years. They had five children. They are David Lee, Wesley Foxworth, Anna Leola (Lola), William James, Jr. (Buddy), and Larry Brown.

David Lee (b. Oct. 17, 1914, d. Feb. 16, 1946), m. Ruth Martin Stuckey (b. Nov. 6, 1914, d. Feb. 4, 1976) on April 9, 1939 in Bishopville, S.C. They had three children. They are David Lee, Jr. (b. Sept. 13, 1943), Ruth (b. Aug. 15, 1944), and Joseph Stuckey (b. May 18, 1946). David attended Clemson College. He owned and operated a machine shop for constructing equipment for the U.S. Army during World War II. He was drowned while on a fishing trip on the Santee Cooper River. Ruth Martin worked with Woodham & Stuckey Insurance Co. David Lee, Jr. served in the U.S. Army in Vietnam. After returning to the states he continued his education at the University of South Carolina where he received a B.S. degree. Lee is manager of Parr Gas Services in Aiken, S.C. Joseph Stuckey served in the U.S. Marines in Vietnam. He graduated from The Citadel in 1969. He is married and they have one child, Tiffany. Ruth graduated from Palmer Business College and worked at the University of South Carolina Law School. She married Charles Bowman from New Jersey and they have one daughter, Rachel (b. 1973). They live in Aiken.

Wesley Foxworth (b. Oct. 26, 1916), m. Louise Walker Baskin (b. Jan. 12, 1917) on Jan. 21, 1947 in Sumter, S.C. Wesley attended Clemson College and served in World War II four and one half years. He was stationed in Sicily, Italy, and Africa. When he returned to the states he was a building contractor and farmer. Louise finished Winthrop College and taught at Monticello School. She later worked at the Fairfield Electric Co-Op until she retired (23 years). They have three children. Mary Louise (b. Nov. 10, 1949) graduated from the University of Nevada and m. Robb Heady (b. March 8, 1950). Mary works with the Bureau of Land Management and Robb is an accountant in Reno, Nevada. Wesley Foxworth, Jr. (b. Aug. 25, 1951) attended Spartanburg Junior College and finished Midland Technical College. He is presently em-

ployed at Standard Products, Winnsboro. Andrew Baskin (b. March 12, 1954) finished Winnsboro High School and has been employed by Winn-Dixie Stores and A&P Tea Co. He lives with his parents.

Anna Leola (Lola) (b. Oct. 24, 1918), m. Herbert Paul Dove (b. Sept. 19, 1915) on Dec. 19, 1942, at Lebanon Presbyterian Church. Paul was born in the Avon community in Fairfield County. Lola finished Lander College, Greenwood, S.C. and did graduate work at the University of South Carolina, Winthrop, and the University of North Carolina. She received a Masters Degree from the University of South Carolina. She taught school in McCormick and Fairfield County. She was Reading Director of the Fairfield County Schools for nine years and retired in 1978 after working in the public school system for thirty-three years. Paul served in the Army during World War II. He worked at Uniroyal. He later operated a filling station. He worked as a postal clerk in the Winnsboro Post Office until he retired in 1978. He is an ardent cattleman and is interested in landscaping as a hobby. Paul and Lola are members of Bethel A.R.P. Church and both teach Sunday School. Paul is a charter member of the Rescue Squad and the Lebanon Volunteer Fire Department. They have two children, Herbert Paul, Jr. and Elizabeth Jeanette. Paul, Jr. (b. April 14, 1944) m. Sally Martin (b. Jan. 7, 1946) on Aug. 7, 1965 in Winnsboro. Paul, Jr. received an A.B. Degree from Erskine College, a Masters Degree in French from the University of South Carolina, and a Masters Degree in Library Science from the University of North Carolina. He served as Librarian at Erskine College, Coastal Carolina College, and is presently Acquisition Librarian at Francis Marion College, Florence, S.C. Sally worked as secretary for the dean of Erskine College, as an assistant teacher in kindergarten at Due West, as a secretary for a federal school program in Marion, S.C., and is now employed in Marion, S.C. They have two children. They are Shannon Rebecca (b. Jan. 1, 1973), and Kevin Paul (b. March 8, 1979). They live in Marion S.C.

Elizabeth Jeanette Dove (b. Oct. 30, 1945), m. Jim Aldon Knight (b. Jan. 27, 1942), Ware Shoals, S.C., on Aug. 27, 1966 in the Bethel Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church, Winnsboro. Jeannie received an A.B. degree from Erskine College, Due West. Jeannie is on the Due West Town Council. Jim graduated from Erskine College with a B.S. degree. He received a doctoral degree in chemistry from the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, N.C. and attended Harvard University Institute for Educational Management during the summer of 1980. He is Vice-President of Erskine College, Due West. They have two children: David Aldon (b. March 16, 1968) and Kevin Hunter (b. Feb. 9, 1970).

William James, Jr. (b. Jan. 30, 1921), m. Irene Kamer

from Brooklyn, New York. William James, Jr. (Buddy) and Irene moved to Miami, Florida. He is in the construction business. They have five children: Christopher Scott, Timothy, Dennis, Regina, and William James, III. Christopher is married and they have two sons. He is in construction work. Dennis is in the U.S. Navy. Regina attends the University of Florida. William James, III attends high school and Timothy is with professional bowling and also works with a bowling entertainment center in Miami.

Larry Brown (b. April 16, 1929) m. Dorothy (Cissy) Roberts (b. ?, d. Feb. 21, 1973), Halsellville section of Chester County. Larry attended the University of South Carolina. He served in the U.S. Navy in Japan and the Philippines for two years. "Cissy" worked in the bank in Chester where they lived for a year. They moved to Winnsboro where Larry works as a building contractor. He specializes in remodeling historical homes. The most recent is the restoration of the Williford House. They have four children: Patricia Gail, Larry Brown, Jr., Cheryl Ann, and Amy. Patricia Gail (b. Aug. 18, 1955) finished Midland Technical College and is employed by the State Technical Colleges. She married Jamie Lyles from the Greenbrier section of Fairfield County. Jamie finished the University of South Carolina and is working as an electrical engineer in Columbia. Larry Brown, Jr.

(b. Dec. 15, 1956) attends Midland Technical College. Cheryl Ann (b. July 27, 1962) attends Winthrop College. Amy (b. June 12, 1964) attends Winnsboro High School.

Submitted by:
Lola S. Dove



William J. and Beulah Stevenson

Leonard O'Rion Stevenson

Leonard O'Rion Stevenson, son of David Lee and Anna Jane Turner Stevenson, born Dec. 1, 1894-died 26, 1969. He married Lula Lee Chappell on Dec. 16, 1917; she was born Oct. 17, 1899, a daughter of John Christopher and Lula Estelle Powell Chappell.

Leonard was a former, carpenter, dairyman and assisted local farmers for many years with their sick livestock before a veterinarian came to practice in the area, thus he was given the nickname, "Doc".

Four children: Emma Louise (Emmy Lou), born Aug. 22, 1918; Leonard O'Rion Jr., born Sept. 28, 1923; Donald Vernon, born May 2, 1926; and Miriam Jacqueline, born Jan. 4, 1933. All were born at the home in the Lebanon Community.

I. Emmy Lou married Levi Quincey Fellers (son of Ida Welch and John Bruce Fellers of Newberry) on March 8, 1942, Charlotte, N.C. First Presbyterian Church. At this time during WWII 2nd Lt. Fellers was stationed at Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, Tx. In 1945 he received a medical discharge with the rank of 1st Lt., and for a short time they lived in Newberry, where Levi manufactured furniture. After a brief move to Lancaster they moved to the Lebanon Community in 1950.

Emmy Lou attended Lander College and Draughon's Business College and worked in Charlotte, N.C. prior to her marriage. When the family returned to Fairfield

County she became associated with the local weekly newspaper, The News & Herald, from 1951 to 1979; at this time, she along with two partners, organized Fairfield Publishers, Inc. and began publishing The Fairfield Independent, a weekly in Winnsboro.

Levi graduated from Clemson College with a B.S. degree in 1940.

The Fellers have two daughters: Marilyn Pamela, born Aug. 18, 1943, in Sherman, Texas; and Janet Blaine, born March 16, 1946, in Newberry, S.C.

A. Marilyn Pamela married Gunnar Lloyd Rambo, Jr. (born Feb. 10, 1938 Pottstown, Pa.) on Oct. 11, 1963, in Lebanon Presbyterian Church, Winnsboro. Both graduated from Erskine College (Gunnar AB 1964, Pam AB 1965). Gunnar graduated from Embry Riddle Aeronautical Institute August 1966. They lived in Colombia, South America from 1970 to 1976 where they served with Mission de Cristo, Gunnar as pilot and aircraft mechanic and Pam as teacher and clinic assistant. Returned to Lebanon Community 1976, Gunnar is with the Post Office.

Their children are: Peter Gunnar Rambo, b. 5-19-1967, Atlanta, Ga.; Jonathan Hayes Rambo, b. 1-11-1969, Miami, Fl.; Philip Quincy Rambo, b. 4-18-1970, Miami,

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Fl.; Matthew Lovelle Rambo, b. 11-9-1971 at LaCochoa, Florencia, Caqueta, Colombia, S. America; Hannah Elizabeth Rambo, b. 12-22-1972, Miami, FL; Priscilla Louise Rambo, b. 2-6-1975, LaCochoa, Florencia, Caqueta, Colombia, S. America.

B. Janet Blaine married Richard Garison Taylor, Jr. (born Nov. 27, 1946, Rock Hill) on June 20, 1970, in Lebanon Presbyterian Church, Winnsboro. Both graduated from Erskine College, Due West (Richard BS 1969, Janet AB 1968). Richard graduated from the Medical University of South Carolina, Charleston, interned in Jackson, Miss., did his residency in Greenville, where he began his practice as an orthopedic surgeon. Janet taught in Greenville and Charleston.

Their children are: Emily O'Rion Taylor, b. 2-28-1973, Jackson, Miss.; Richard Garison Taylor, III, b. 10-22-1975, Greenville; Laura Wingate Taylor, b. 12-18-1977, Greenville.

II. Leonard O'Rion Stevenson, Jr. married Laura Tew Grant (b. 6-23-1926) in August 1946. They have two sons: Johnny O'Rion Stevenson b. 5-10-1948 in Columbia, and Jerry Grant Stevenson, b. 4-7-1954 in Jacksonville, N.C. Leonard is an automobile dealer in Jacksonville.

III. Donald Vernon Stevenson, twice married, to Betty Shea of New York, three daughters; and second to Doreen Gardner of Georgia, one son, Donald Vernon Stevenson, Jr. Lives in Lebanon Community and Florida.

IV. Miriam Jacqueline Stevenson, married Donald Niles Upton (b. New York City, N.Y. died Nov. 3, 1979) on Sept. 8, 1955. Miriam graduated from Lander College and in 1954 was crowned Miss Universe. Following her year's reign she hosted a local tv show over WIS. Lived in Columbia.

Their children are: Donald Niles Upton, Jr., b. 5-19-1959; Miriam Eileen, b. 12-5-1962.

Miriam S. Upton married Duncan Breckenridge, Jr. in Columbia on Jan. 16, 1981.



Leonard O. and Lula Stevenson

The Stone Family

Peter Feaster, first known as Phister, and his son Andrew, left Burks County, Pennsylvania in 1780 to settle in South Carolina. Andrew Feaster, a widower with one daughter, married Margaret Fay Cooper, a widow with a son, Adam, and a daughter, Eve. Eve Cooper Feaster married Jacob Stone, son of William and Ruth Lyles Stone, who came from Virginia and settled in Fairfield County, South Carolina. Jacob and Eve Stone had a son, Jacob Feaster Stone who married Margaret Cockrell, granddaughter of Andrew and Margaret Cooper Feaster.

Jacob Feaster and Margaret Cockrell Stone had ten children, one of whom was Moses Cockrell Stone (b. 5/8/1836 d. 3/13/1920). Moses was a farmer in Chester County and married Amanda Tims (b. 3/3/1842 d. 9/20/1924). He enlisted in the War Between the States (11/1/1861) Company F. 23 Regiment, Elliot's Brigade.

He first did duty around Charleston, S.C. and was in many battles in Virginia, North Carolina and Mississippi. "As 1st Lieutenant he was much liked by his men" (Obituary).

Moses and Amanda Stone had eight children, one of which was Jacob Cockrell Stone (b. 3/27/1860 d. 1/2/1926). Jacob Cockrell Stone was a carpenter and farmer in the Lebanon Community. He married Mary Ellen (Minnie) Pope (b. 5/19/1862 d. 3/11/1950), daughter of John Nicholas and Mary Ann Colvin Pope.

Jacob (Jake) and Mary Ellen (Minnie) had five children: Joseph Colvin, Annie Amanda, (who married Edward Lee Stevenson-See Stevenson History) John Moses, Erleen Wise and Jacob Wilbur Stone. Wilbur Stone was also a carpenter and farmer in the Lebanon Community. (b. 1/27/1898 d. 10/11/1973). He married Pickens Gregory, a

school teacher of Chester, S.C. (b. 1/16/1910). They have two children: a daughter, Betty Anne (b. 7/20/1943) who married Robert W. Dilworth of Walhalla, S.C. They have one adopted daughter, Angela Paige (b. 4/22/71), and reside in Columbia, S.C.; and, a son, Jake Wilbur Stone, Jr., (b. 3/1/1946). Jake married Jennifer Brinkley Jones of Barnwell, S.C. and they have three children, a son, Jake Wilbur Stone, III (b. 3/26/1978), and two daughters, Brinkley Carlisle (b. 11/29/80) and Jennifer Dawn (b.

5/5/1982). Jake is a Realtor and operates Fairfield Properties Real Estate Service in Winnsboro.

Jacob Cockrell and Minnie Pope Stone moved to the "Old Rock House" in 1902. The house was originally built by Captain Hugh Milling as his residence. It was later used as the Manse for the Old Jackson Creek Presbyterian Church and as a school. The house is still owned by the Stone Family.

The Strange Family

Charles Edward Strange, Sr. moved to Fairfield County in 1906 from Sumter County. He purchased in 1906 the Robertson place from William R. Rabb who had inherited it from his mother. It was originally called Sweet Brier but is now known as Hunstanton. The move from Sumter County was necessitated by Mr. Strange's wife's (Louise Holloman Sweet) health. They moved to the house on Garden Street in 1922 and rented out Sweet Brier. After World War II, C.E. Strange, Jr. moved back into Hunstanton and began restoration.

C.E. Strange, Sr. (b. March 1855, Clarendon Co.; d. 1928, Fairfield County) had two children by his first wife who died in the late 1890's. They were Riley Mood Strange (b. 1872, Clarendon Co.; d. 1938, Chester Co.) and Bertha Strange Haynesworth (b. 1876, Clarendon Co., d. 1952, buried Sumter Co.). In 1902, C.E. Strange, Sr. remarried Louise Holloman Sweet (b. April 7, 1872, Williamsburg Co.; died 1957, Fairfield Co.) in Williamsburg County. Louise Holloman Sweet had two daughters by her first husband. They were Bertha Louise Sweet (b. July 2, 1894, Williamsburg Co.) who married Frances Marion Cain, Sr. in 1922 in Fairfield County and lives in Sumter, S.C. and Eddie Townsend Sweet (b. October 6, 1896, Williamsburg County) who married Dr. D.O. Winter in 1922 in Fairfield County and also now lives in Sumter.

C.E. Strange, Sr. and Louise Holloman Sweet had three boys. They were Henry Grady Strange (b. March 10, 1905, Sumter Co.; d. 1961 Fairfield Co.), George Washington Strange (b. Feb. 22, 1903, Sumter Co., d. 1943 Fairfield Co.) And Charles Edward Strange, Jr. (Bill), (b. Aug. 19, 1911, Fairfield Co.). C.E. Strange, Jr. was born exactly one hundred years after his grandfather. Thus they had three Strange boys and two Sweet girls.

George Washington Strange married Olive Jones (b. 1907, Orangeburg Co.; died 1967, Sumter Co.). They had two children, a girl in 1937 and a boy in 1941, neither of

which survived more than a few days after birth.

Henry Grady Strange married Reba Kathleen Sandifer (b. Oct. 17, 1913) of Winnsboro on Nov. 12, 1938 in Winnsboro, SC. Reba resides at the home on Garden Street. They had four children: Bertha Louise (b. Feb. 1, 1940), Henry Grady (b. Nov. 28, 1941), Eddie Georgiana (b. Sept. 23, 1943), and Reba Sandifer (b. Dec. 19, 1945).

Bertha Louise Strange married Bobby R. Cogdill in Winnsboro at the First United Methodist Church in 1961. They have two children: Michael (b. Nov. 22, 1966) and Debra Suzanne (b. June 6, 1972) and live in Union, SC.

Henry Grady Strange married Sandra Watkins from Bishopville, and has two children: Michael (b. Feb. 14, 1971) and Lisa Christine (b. June 15, 1973). They live in Lexington, SC.

Eddie Georgiana Strange married Dr. Terrell Puckett from Fitzgerald, Ga. They live in Orlando, Florida.

Reba Sandifer Strange married Benjamin Brice Clowney of Winnsboro on June 29, 1968, at the First United Methodist Church in Winnsboro, S.C. They have four children, including a set of twin girls: Benjamin Brice (b. Nov. 19, 1971), Gregory Stanley (b. Oct. 13, 1975), Karen Strange and Katherine Strange (b. Sept. 16, 1977).

Charles Edward Strange, Jr. married Doris Stallings (b. Feb. 2, 1911) of Columbia, on March 31, 1942, at the Ebenezer Lutheran Church in Columbia. They have two children: Rebecca Suzanne (b. June 19, 1947 and Cathy Allston (b. July 31, 1948).

Rebecca Suzanne Strange married Harold Minch Coombs, Jr. (b. Nov. 14, 1946) of Scotch Plains, NJ and Winnsboro, at Hunstanton on Nov. 25, 1978. Harold's mother is Margaret Macfie Coombs of Winnsboro.

Cathy Allston Strange married William Durrett Lipscomb (b. June 1947) of Newberry on May 7, 1976 at Hunstanton in Winnsboro. They have one daughter, Scott Allston (b. Jan. 5, 1979) in Columbia, S.C. and reside in Newberry, S.C.

Taylor Family

Edward Taylor of the "Dark Corner" of Fairfield County was honored by his fellow citizens to every office he asked for, captain, major, colonel and general of the State Militia (from Wm. Edrington's "History of Fairfield County").

He married Nancy Chapman and they were parents of the following children:

1) Edward married Charlotte Poole. Their children were: Edward Tapley b. Jan. 13, 1870, d. 6, 1935, married Mattie Jeffares; Isabelle, b. Oct. 1, 1872; Vardamone, died young; Polley; Mamie married William Barnwell; Samuel Addolphus, married Jessie Tidwell.

2) William, died young.

3) John married Mary Ann Levister.

4) Sybil (Sibbie) married Raleigh Wood, moved to Columbia.

5) Lucy married Jim McKeown.

6) Polley married Jim Edge, moved to Alabama.

7) Sallie married Bill Mabry, moved to Mississippi.

By a second marriage:

1) Wade married Anna Anderson.

2) Thomas married Francis (Fannie) Davis; they had four children, Davis, Vivian, Mamie and Mack.

Bun Thompson

According to available records, Bun Thompson Sr. was born in 1867, died in 1950. His wife, Nancy Sims Thompson was born in 1869, died in 1938.

Bun and Nancy were very ambitious, diligent, and with stamina, perservance and determination, started out with nothing to make a happy and fruitful life together.

They lived on Mr. J.B. Frazier Sr.'s place as share croppers. In a few years they bought the place formerly owned by a Mr. Jim Lyles from Mr. Frazier (who had acquired it) in 1904, which consisted of the house and 260 acres of land.

The house is around 130 years old. He owned this place 60 years before his death-it was 40 years old when he bought it and he has been dead 30 years. He was one of the first blacks to buy land in Fairfield County.

In 1910 he bought another place known as the Osborne place, consisting of 265 acres, from a Mr. Smith. This tract was sold to the government during the depression in the 1930's.

To this union twelve children were born: Willie Thompson, Tommie Lee Thompson, Robert Thompson, Brice Thompson, Mary Thompson, Bleach Thompson, Ella Thompson Camack, Alice Thompson, Bun Thompson Jr., Alberta Thompson Morgan, Clara Thompson Young and Ruth "Jackie" Thompson. Robert, Mary and Alice died in infancy. The others lived to adulthood, married and had families. All of the children were born in this house

except the first two.

All of his children and grandchildren have had successful businesses and careers, bought land in addition to what he gave them and built more modern homes.

For each of his children he built homes as they got married and set them up with farming equipment.

Bun and Nancy farmed their entire life and raised all their food except sugar, coffee, etc.

He gave all of the lumber from his pine trees to the Gethsemane Baptist Church when the new church was built of stone. Mr. A.F. Blair sawed the lumber. He was a deacon of this church.

Nancy was a mid-wife who served both black and white. Many babies were named for her, both black and white.

She did much volunteer work with black organizations and much for the sick other than delivering babies. She would go to their aid day or night.

They didn't have a formal education, but their wisdom, understanding and compassion were uncanny.

Their influence lives on, and still guides, us to do our best in an honest upright way.

As Helen Steiner Rice puts it "To the ones who gave so much to others."

Clara Thompson Young and Ruth "Jackie" Thompson are the only survivors of the immediate family.

Submitted by:

Ruth "Jackie" Thompson

Tommie Lee Thompson

Tommie Lee Thompson was born in Blair on December 7, 1892, one of thirteen children of Bun and Nancy Sims Thompson. He was married to Eunice Shelton, one of ten children born to Anthony (Tone) and Ida Hopkins Shelton of Shelton, S.C.

Tommie Lee and Eunice were blessed with nine children; Romeo Cleophus, Anthony (A.T.), Earl Frank, Clyde Frederick, Tommy Lee, Jr., Ray Alexander, Thad-dus, Nancy Lee and Willie Maude.

Tommie Lee Sr., attended Voorhees and Benedict College. He was a farmer, having always owned his land where he had sharecroppers and wage hands. He furnished them from his general store, for many years the only black owned store in the area. He was an insurance agent for North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company, a licensed embalmer with Russell Funeral Home in Winnsboro, a cord wood dealer, and the first black bonded new and used car salesman in South Carolina, working with Fairfield Motor Company. He was also the first to receive a pulpwood dealership, which he passed on to J.B. Frazier, Jr., because he was engaged in so many other activities. He later became a pulpwood dealer and provided work for a number of people for many years.

He was active in many civic and social groups and organizations. He was a trustee of Gethsemane School and a trustee of Gethsemane Baptist Church. He died October 12, 1962, at the age of 69.

Eunice Thompson attended Emanuel Training School, Aiken, and Benedict College. She taught in the Fairfield County schools for 35 years, having stopped teaching after her marriage to rear a family, and then starting back when the last child was school age.

After her retirement in 1954, and the death of her husband, she carried on the store until her health failed in 1975. She belonged to many civic and social organizations, was an avid church and community worker, and superintendent of Sunday School at Gethsemane Baptist Church for more than 20 years. She conceived the idea of an educational building for the church and began raising money to realize her dream. She raised money to purchase a pulpit set, communion table and chairs, and a new Bible for the church. Upon completion of the educational building, it was dedicated in her name on October 8, 1972.

Eunice Thompson died December 17, 1980, at the age of 93, leaving five surviving children: Romeo, A.T., Clyde, Tommy Lee, Jr., and Nancy Lee. There are also twenty-three grandchildren and twenty-nine great-grandchildren.

Submitted by
Nancy T. Young

Timms Family

First mention of the name Timms in the records of Fairfield County states that one Leighton Timms and his wife, Sara Minton Timms, came to Fairfield from Kershaw. We have no record of any children of this couple except one son, Charles, born January 10, 1810 and died August 14, 1887.

He spent his life in Fairfield where he was a large land owner and successful farmer in the Hickory Ridge Community. He married Sarah Young, daughter of Andrew Young and his wife, Anne Tweed Young. They emigrated to America from County Antrim, Ireland in 1835.

The Youngs were of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian faith and evidently the Timms were Baptist. Sarah and Charles and several of their children are buried in the A.R.P. Cemetery in Winnsboro.

They were the parents of fourteen children; three girls and eleven boys—David, Andrew Matthew, Sarah Neil, James Tweed, John, Ann Tweed, Thomas Leslie, Charles, William, Samuel, George, Hannah, Sallie, Archie Hugh and David Young. The oldest son David was killed in the Seven Days Battle around Richmond in June 1862. Three of the children, Sarah Neil, John, and Archie Hugh, died before reaching maturity. Charles died in his early thirties.

It is unusual two boys and two girls in the family had the same name. Sarah Neil died very young and a number of years later a sister was named Sallie. The oldest son, David, was killed in battle and nine years later the baby of the family was born and named David Young.

The nine children of Charles and Sarah Young Timms who lived to maturity all remained in Fairfield, married and reared families. One son, Andrew and his family remained in the church of their mother's faith. All the others were loyal supporters of Fairfield Baptist Church. Of course, the grandchildren and great-grands are now of several different denominations.

George Langford, a grandson of James Tweed Timms and his wife, Catherine Robertson Timms, has compiled a detailed record of that family and paid a beautiful tribute of respect and appreciation to the older members of the family he was privileged to know; especially his Aunt Florence Timms Jones, truly a noble woman. His memory of the old ancestral home is rich in reminiscence of a way of life now gone forever. A copy of his pamphlet entitled "The Family of James Tweed and Catherine Robertson Timms" is in the Fairfield Museum.

And the descendants of each of the other families should get together this data to preserve their family's record.

Charles Timms

Charles Timms and Sarah Matthews were married February 16, 1841; Charles died August 11, 1887, at the age of 77, and Sarah died February 5, 1890. Their fourteen children were:

- 1) David Timms, b. Feb. 21, 1842, d. June 1, 1862 from wounds received in the Seventh Day's battle around Richmond, Va. He was a member of Co. G. Boyce Guards, 6th Reg., S.C.V.
- 2) Andrew Matthew Timms, b. March 31, 1843, d. July 28, 1889.
- 3) Sarah Neil Timms, b. March 13, 1845, d. May 11, 1858.
- 4) James Tweed Timms, b. Sept. 1, 1846, d. March 1, 1926.
- 5) John Timms, b. July 24, 1848, d. July 1, 1869.
- 6) Ann Tweed Timms, b. March 18, 1850, d. Dec. 29, 1912.
- 7) Thomas Leslie Timms, b. Dec. 5, 1851, d. June 17, 1940.
- 8) Charles Timms, Jr., b. Aug. 17, 1853, d. Dec. 8, 1886.
- 9) William Timms, b. Aug. 6, 1856, d. July 11, 1901.
- 10) Samuel Timms, b. Oct. 15, 1858, d. July 25, 1935.
- 11) George Hannah Timms, b. Dec. 1, 1860.
- 12) Sallie Timms, b. Jan. 20, 1863, d. Sept. 30, 1934.
- 13) Archie Hughie Timms, b. Nov. 11, 1864, d. May 2, 1879.

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14) David Young Timms, b. Sept. 3, 1871, d. Aug. 7, 1926.

David Young Timms

David Young Timms, son of Charles and Sara Matthews Timms, b. 9-3-1871, d. 8-7-1926, m. Susan Ida McCants, b. 8-16-1881. They had four sons:

- 1) Thomas Walter Timms, b. Dec. 19, 1911.
- 2) David Young Timms, Jr., b. Jan. 31, 1915, married Adelia Halter, b. Aug. 17, 1918; three sons, David Walter, b. Sept. 14, 1938 (one daughter, Theresa Marie, b. Sept. 11, 1978); Daniel Frederick, b. Dec. 10, 1941, married Polly Jannings, b. Sept. 27, 1942 (Steven Randall, b. Jan. 9, 1969, and Shellie Sue, b. Jan. 21, 1975).
- 3) Daniel DeVinney Timms, b. May 25, 1919, married Maude Frick, b. Dec. 7, 1919; three children: A. Daniel DeVinney Timms, Jr., b. Mar. 23, 1949, m. Catherine Burley Martin, b. April 26, 1953 (two children, Daniel DeVinney Timms, III, b. May 25, 1977, and Martin Thomas Timms, b. July 8, 1980. B. John Rufus Timms, b. Jan. 27, 1953, married Susan Morse, b. Nov. 16, 1954 (one child, Donald Jared Timms, b. June 30, 1980); and C. Deborah Ann Timms, b. Dec. 8, 1956, married Stephen Wayne Gantt, b. August 23, 1957.
- 4) Joseph Edmunds Timms, b. Jan. 22, 1921, married Mary Louise Porter, b. Oct. 22, 1925, three children; A. John Patrick Timms, b. June 9, 1947, married Ruth, born March 25, 1947 (parents of Sara Louise Timms b. Dec. 6, 1969, and Sherry Lynn Timms, b. Dec. 8, 1972) B. Kittie Sue Timms, b. Dec. 10, 1951, married Daniel Clay (parents of Daniel Clay, Jr., b. June 20, 1979); and C. Joseph Edmunds, Jr., b. Nov. 1, 1954, married Mary Deborah.

Turner Family

The ancestor of the Turners of Fairfield County was John Turner, who came to this country before the Revolutionary War. In historical records are the following statements:

"The Hon. John Turner of Scotch parents migrated from Northern Ireland to Charleston, S.C. In the Revolutionary War, he took an active part and distinguished himself as a valiant soldier, a true patriot of his adopted country. He was a devout Presbyterian. The people of Capt. John Turner's district elected him to a seat in the state legislature for fourteen consecutive years."

John Turner was born in 1750 and married Margaret Adger, born in 1755. They were married in 1773, when Margaret was eighteen years old. They are buried in Mt. Olivet Cemetery. They had one son, William Alexander, who married a Waugh. To this union was born two sons, James and John Turner. James and John married sisters, Elizabeth and Nancy of the Lebanon section of

Fairfield County. Before the War Between the States, John and Nancy Kennedy Turner moved to Granada County, Mississippi, near the town of Holcomb.

James and Elizabeth Turner settled in the Lebanon community where all the Turners resided. They had four sons, Dr. William Kennedy Turner, Alexander Yongue, James Butler and John Middleton Turner, who died in early manhood.

Dr. William Kennedy Turner married Elizabeth Lemmon; Alexander Y. Turner married Henrietta Martin. He fought in the War Between the States. James Butler Turner married Sarah Young. John Middleton Turner married Margaret Brice.

Compiled by Ruth Dorman Turner
and Mary Turner Blair

Vandiford

Clark Lineage

John Colvin and Hannah Price (John Colvin's will probated September 24, 1793, Chester County)
Nicholas Colvin b. 1839 and Susan Elam
Nicholas Colvin Jr., (1803-1884) and Nancy Stone (1811-1887).
Martha Alice Colvin (b. 1829) and John S. Clark (b. 1817).
Talton E. Clark (1858-1925) and Maggie Robinson (1861-1911).
Mary Colvin Clark (1889-1921) and Robert Duke Vandiford (1883-1958).

(From "Colvin and Allied Family History" copy in Fairfield County Library)

Elliott Lineage

Daniel Elliott (b. 1732 (?) and Elizabeth Ferguson (b. 1734).
Daniel Elliott Jr., (b. 1767) and Mary McCullough (b. 1765).
Jane Elliott (b. 1797) and Robert Robinson (b. 1798).
John Elliott Robinson (b. 1824) and Mary C. Horton (b. 1821).
Margaret (Maggie) Robinson (1861-1911) and Talton E. Clark (1858-1925).
Mary Colvin Clark (1889-1921) and Robert Duke Vandiford (1883-1958).

(From "Elliott Family Records" belonging to Mrs. K.R. McMaster, Sr.)

Mary Colvin Clark (1889-1921), of "upper Fairfield County," and the Halsellville section of Chester County, wrote an article for a Baptist publication.

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Robert Duke Vandiford (1883-1958), of Rocky Mount, N.C., happened to read it. He wrote the lady to tell her how much he enjoyed it. After much correspondence, he was invited to the Clark home to meet her in person. While there, he asked of her father her hand in marriage.

Elaborate plans were subsequently made for a home wedding. When the minister checked the license, he found that it had been issued in Chester County, and he hesitated to perform the ceremony in a Fairfield County residence. The undaunted bride led her wedding party outside, they stepped across the county line which ran just below the house, were married and returned to the home for the reception. According to the groom (as later told to his daughter) thus began a marriage which was "made in Heaven."

To this union were born three children: Robert Doughtie (1914) and Dorothy Evelyn (1917) in Norfolk, Virginia, and Ethel LaVerne (1920) in Greenville, S.C.

Following her mother's death one year later, victim of pneumonia, Dorothy was given a home with her Gran-

ddaddy who had moved to Ridgeway, S.C. when he married his second wife. Sara B. ("Miss Sallie") Hartin (1868-1950) was the daughter of the late Reverend Hilliard Hartin and Frances Rhine Hartin who was an invalid at the time of the marriage.

The Colvin and Clark families were prominent in the Halesellville community and in the Beaver Creek Baptist Church. Dorothy's grandmother was one of the first organists there; she and the family members are buried in the adjoining cemetery.

Robert Duke Vandiford was the youngest of five children of the late Stephen Gray and Nancy Smith Vandiford, all of Rocky Mount. (A detailed family history is being published at this time.)

Dorothy finished school in Ridgeway, then moved to Winnsboro where she has been affiliated with Home Demonstration and AAA offices, later as Materials Accounting Clerk with Uniroyal, and currently as bookkeeper at Winn Auto Parts. She is a member of First Baptist Church.



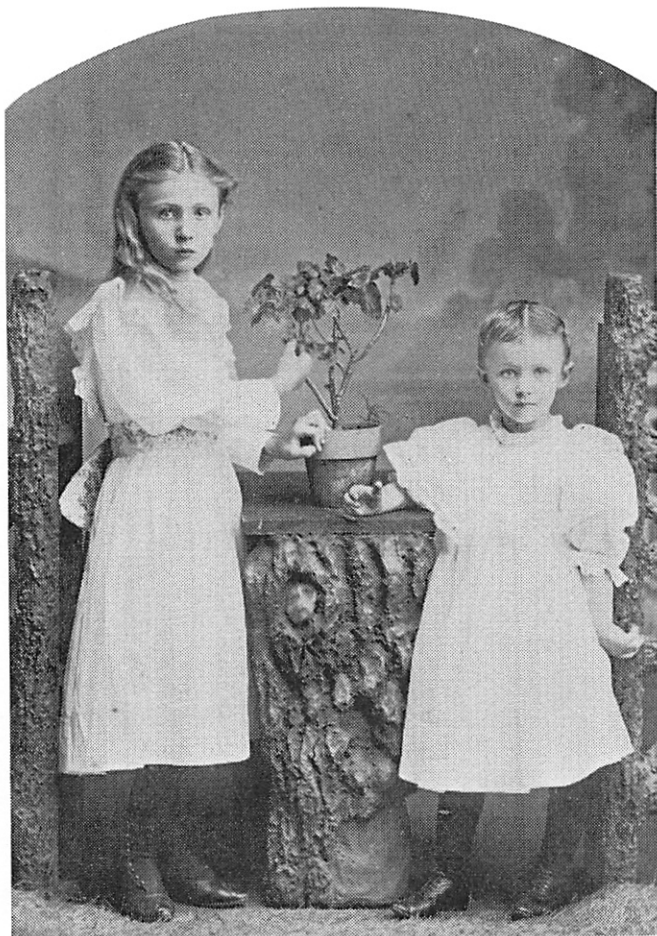
Thomas F. and Leter Clark



Sara B. Hartin Clark



Mr. & Mrs. Robert D. Vandiford



Mary and Martha Clark

Weir Family

The Weir Family is believed to have originated in England, and the antecedent of the present-day Lewises was James Weir, born in England c. 1720. He is said to have married there, later moving with his family to Northern Ireland, or Ulster, as the section was referred to.

A Weir Family paper states that it was from Ulster that his sons, "David, William and George, emigrated to America on the ship Don Luce in 1772."

According to official records, four Weirs came to South Carolina, two by the name of Thomas (one single, one married), David, and John. They arrived in Charleston aboard the "Lord Dunluce" and their ship was one of the five shiploads of settlers which the Rev. William Martin brought from Ireland to S.C., they settling in Fairfield and Chester counties mainly. The "Lord Dunluce" sailed from Larne 10/4/1772, arriving in Charleston 12/20/1772. 12/20/1772.

The Lewis family is concerned with David Weir, one of the 1772 arrivals.

According to Land Plats (from S.C. Dept. of Archives and History), David Weir on January 6, 1773, received 100 acres in Craven County "southwest side Durbans Creek on small branch; b'd (bordered) James McLurkam (McLurkin) senr., Thomas Weir, sur (surveyed) 8 Feb. 1773."

David Weir is listed in the 1790 census of Chester County as being head of the household that consisted of himself, four "males under 16," and five females, "all ages," one of whom was his wife, Jane McLurkin, or McClurkin (as it is spelled later in the Weir Family).

David Weir's marriage to Jane McLurkin was the result of the ship voyage they shared to South Carolina, as her father, James McLurkin, and his family, were also aboard the "Lord Dunluce".

David and Jane McLurkin Weir, according to one source, "settled on Fishing Creek, through a land grant of King George II." David Weir's land grant of 100 acres (previously mentioned) was the usual "Royal Grant" of that era: 100 acres to an adult male or female; 150 to a married man, plus an additional 50 acres for each additional dependent in his household. (David Weir's grant is recorded in Vol. 21, page 379).

There is also a Royal Grant to Jane McLurkin (McLurkin) for 100 acres in Craven County, waters Raeburn Creek, surveyed April 13, 1773 (Plat folder 1169).

Family tradition holds that Jane McLurkin was a heroine during the American Revolution...that she carried a secret message, hidden in the long plaits of her hair, from Colonel Davie in Mecklenburg District (N.C.) to General Thomas Sumter's camp, east of the Catawba River. In so doing, she rode horseback through wilder-

ness infested with British Troops and American Tories.

According to one source, it is believed that David Weir was a member of Captain McClure's band of Patriots who fought so gallantly at Hanging Rock (perhaps with General Sumter) and in North Carolina.

George Weir, brother of David, also served in the American Revolution on the Patriot side. According to the late Rob Stevenson, Weir descendant, "his career (George's) was the most colorful of all, and, judging from what has been written about him, his personality bears close resemblance to that of the Weirs today. He was a follower of 'Gamecock' Sumter in all of his campaigns prior to August 18, 1780, when he, together with many of Sumter's Army was captured at the Battle of Fishing Creek when they were caught 'napping' and were sent to the British Fort at Camden. Here he renewed acquaintance with Lord Rawdon." Lord Rawdon ordered that he be hanged "for old time's sake." However, George Weir escaped.

The Weir men as youths in England were said to have been playmates of Lord Rawdon.

From the originals in the National Archives (David Weir, R. 11286), Mrs. Jane Weir, 98 years old, applied for a pension March 16, 1849, in Fairfield County (to which it is presumed she had moved from Chester County) as the widow of David Weir, who served as a private during the Revolutionary War under Captain Williams...in the Snow Campaign (Francis Marion), at Savannah (Count Pulaski), and on the Indian frontier. He was "living in the Laurens District" when he entered the war and moved to the Chester District after the war. David Weir died March 10, 1796, in the Chester District. (David Weir died in 1797 not in March as she stated).

Mrs. Jane Weir stated that she and David Weir were married in 1775 in Laurens District. She died January 17, 1853, in Fairfield District.

Matthew Weir

Information in the official file shows that Matthew Weir obtained a power of attorney as the son of David and Jane Weir March 8, 1853, in Chester County; also, David Weir obtained a power of attorney as the son of David and Jane Weir March 26, 1853, in McMinn County, Tennessee. (Perhaps David Weir had received bounty land in Tennessee for service in the war).

Other sons of David and Jane McLurkin Weir were Thomas Weir, John Weir, and James (Jame) Weir. (There is no mention of daughters in his will, nor his wife).

Woodward Family

This Woodward family has a long history in connection with Fairfield County. Exactly when the first members arrived or where they came from is not known at this time. However, there is evidence to show that members of the family have been living in the County at least since the 1820's, a period of four generations.

It appears that by the late 1860's, Adam Woodward, a former slave and the oldest known member of the family, along with his wife Rina, had settled on a farm near the old Simonton Place, not far from where Sweet Prospect AME Zion Church is presently located. The union of Adam and Rina produced a large family of twelve children. Their names were Warren, Lucy, Alex, John, James, Robert, Haram, Noah, Mary, Martha, Charlie, and Walter. Although the records on the first generation of this family are somewhat sketchy, there is evidence to suggest that Adam and his wife were very religious individuals. They worked hard to survive and maintain the cohesiveness of the family unit.

Their fourth child, John W. Woodward, was born about 1870. In 1890 he married Hannah Jackson (Patterson). To the union of John and Hannah, nine children were born: John Fred, Bassie, Alberta, Lucy, Irene, Nettie, Leonary, Frank, and Martha. For a while John worked on a farm for a Mr. Watts Simonton for \$6.00 per month. However, he was able to save part of that small amount and by the turn of the century, he had purchased his own farm of 100 acres of land near the area where he had been born and reared. Not satisfied with his income as a farmer, he decided to establish a small business to supplement the family needs.

At first, he purchased a sawmill and went into the lumber business. Later he established a cornmill which proved to be a great service to the community. On Saturdays the neighbors would come to his mill and have their corn converted into cereal and other food substances. Although John had very little formal education, he worked hard and taught himself how to read and write, and he was determined that he was going to succeed regardless of what the odds were.

Sometime during the 1890's he purchased a book entitled, "The Business Guide: Or Safe Methods of Business," by J.L. Nichols. This book came to be his "Bible" in guiding him toward business success. A few of the statements underlined by him in the book are the following: "Never be afraid to say no." "Every successful man must have the backbone to assert his rights." "Be not ashamed to work, for it is one of the conditions of our existence." "Seest thou a man diligent in his business? He shall stand before kings." (pp. 1-6)

In December of 1917, John purchased from a Mrs. Mary and Mattie Brice 184 acres of land which included a large 10-room house. After moving into this home,

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located about a mile south of where he had been living, he sold the 100 acre farm to his son, John Fred Woodward, the author's father.

John Fred Woodward

John Fred Woodward was born December 6, 1893. On April 19, 1925, he was united into wedlock with Amanda Gaston, the daughter of James and Katie Gaston, whose ancestors' heritage was also deeply rooted in the County's history. From this union eight children were born: Mossalee, John, Lee Alexander, Katie Albaree, Carter, Ruby, Esther, and Helen. All of these are listed on the family photo submitted with this article.

The decades following World War I, especially the 1920's and the 1930's, proved to be difficult times for the family. Although the family slaved twelve hours per day, it was constantly oppressed by debts and hard luck. Sometimes it was even difficult to obtain the basic necessities of life.

For example, a few days before Christmas in 1932, my parents had a total amount of cash of only 75 cents! This was a cold winter and one of the children was in great need for a pair of shoes which would take all of the money. Mother and Dad had to decide whether to sacrifice the few items that the children were expecting sacrifice the needed shoes. They ended up getting the shoes and prayed that somehow God would provide some means by which the family could have a few apples and oranges to celebrate the birth of Christ. It turned out that their prayer was answered when a few relatives, unaware of the situation, gave the family some candy, apples, oranges, and a few toys. How thankful the family was to know that the "Lord had made a way out of no way!"

Sometimes due to unfavorable weather conditions, the crops did not produce well. To make ends meet, Dad was compelled to work away from home, especially during the winter season, to supplement the family income. For years he worked at Bethlehem Steel Company in Maryland; he also worked on the railroads in Virginia and else where. However, he would always come home on a regular basis to look after the family.

By 1948 Dad had decided to give up farming and go into business. He purchased several trucks and went into the pulpwood business. Although he was very successful in the business, by the middle 1960's, most of the children had migrated to the North.

By 1965 he had purchased a lot and built a home on Fairfield St. in Winnsboro where he lived until his death in 1976. His widow, Amanda, still lives in the house located right near the old Fairfield County High School.

Although the Woodward family has had numerous difficulties and challenges to contend with throughout its history, it has always managed to survive. Perhaps one of the principal reasons why the family was able to survive and overcome what seemed to be insurmountable odds

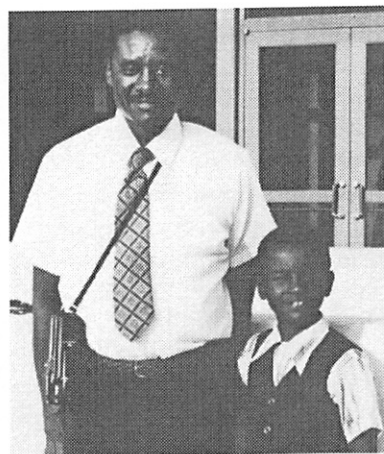
was its deep, abiding, and joyous religious faith. How often has the author heard his parents say, "If we love God and keep His commandments, everything will come out all right!"

Indeed, this strong religious faith was the glue or cement that held the family together for so many years. To be sure, the family has had its ups and downs; but it has also had its successes and accomplishments. It welcomes the opportunity to be included in the history of Fairfield families.

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Carter Woodward



Home of John and Amanda Woodward



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The Woodward Family

This picture of the family of John and Amanda Woodward was taken at the family home in Winnsboro on April 19, 1974, the fiftieth anniversary of the Woodwards. From top left to right are: Lee Alexander, John Jr., Mossalee, Katie Albaree, Esther and Helen. Bottom, Carter, John and Amanda, and Ruby.

Woodward Family

Thomas Woodward, The Regulator, was born in Fairfax County, Virginia, around 1729. His parents were Thomas and Elizabeth Simpson Woodward. He served with George Washington in the French and Indian War and came to Fairfield County prior to 1760. Thomas Woodward was a leader of the Regulation Movement which brought about the establishment of courts in the South Carolina Up Country in 1767. He was organizer of one of the first companies in South Carolina to resist the British, the Eighth Company of Rangers, commanded by Colonel William Thomson of the Continental Army in the Revolutionary War. He was killed by British and Tories on May 12, 1779, at Dutchman's Creek. His home was near Rockton and he had a race track near Simpson, which he named for his mother, whose second husband was a Robertson. Thomas Woodward was an original member of the Mount Zion Society which founded the first school in the Up Country in 1777.

Thomas Woodward's first wife was Jemima Collins of Virginia. Their children were: John, who married Esther McDonald; William married Nancy Elizabeth Barrette; Margaret married James Nelson; Nancy married Robert Rabb; Rebecca married Philip Raiford; and a daughter who married James Andrews. His second wife was Elizabeth Stokes May, who was part Indian and French. Their children were: Thomas Simpson married Mary Howard; Richard; Burbage; Elizabeth married William McMorries, Jr.; Lucy married William J. Augustine; and a daughter who married a Riley or a Freeman.

Thomas Simpson Woodward's son, Thomas Sylvester,

became a Brigadier General and was with General Andrew Jackson at the Battle of New Orleans in 1814. He was the author of a book, Reminiscences of the Creek and Muscogee Indians, in which he records much history of Georgia, Alabama, and Mississippi.

Members of the Woodward family came originally to England with William the Conqueror in 1066. They had their Norman name, DuBoisgarde, anglicized to Wode Warde (or Woodward). A Knight and Armiger of the name in the Garde Du Corps of William the Conqueror fought in the Battle of Hastings and were chartered under Royal seal of the Conqueror to manors in Lancaster County, England. Their names, Guilliamme and Richard DuBoisgarde, were enrolled among 648 Knights whose names were preserved on the tapestry which was hung by William the Conqueror in the Battle Abbey, which he built to commemorate the Battle of Hastings.

In the Domesday Book, the name was spelled Wodeward and Wodward, the literal significance of the name being Warden of the Woods, or the Royal Forests.

Richard Woodward distinguished himself for great tactical skill and vigor in the Battle of Agincourt (Oct. 25, 1415). King Henry V presented the gallant Knight with a shield of gold bearing the family Arms with the motto Suave Et Brave (Gentle and Brave).

Thomas Woodward the Regulator's Grandfather, was Abraham Woodward, who came to Maryland with George Calvert, Baron of Baltimore about 1634. The father of the Regulator, Thomas, was born near Annapolis, Maryland.

Many Fairfield County residents trace their ancestry to the patriot, Thomas Woodward, the Regulator.

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Nelle McM. Sprott

John Woodward

Thomas Woodward, the Regulator, married Jemima Collins; their son, John Woodward, married Esther McDonald; their son, Osmond, married Martha Williamson (the daughter of Ailsey Wyche and Roland Williamson); their daughter, Claudia Rebecca Woodward, married Dr. Robert Augustus Buchanan. Their son, Dr. John Creighton Buchanan, married Minnie Adger Yongue (daughter of Amanda Pickett and William Ellison Yongue). William Ellison Yongue's father was Colonel Alex William Yongue and his grandfather was Rev. (Parson) Samuel Whorter Yongue, pastor of Jackson Creek and Wateree Presbyterian Churches. Rev. Yongue was also a teacher at Mount Zion Institute, Clerk of Court of Fairfield County, and one of the first trustees of the South Carolina College, now the University of South Carolina.

The children of Dr. John Creighton and Minnie Adger Yongue Buchanan are: Henree Catherine (Mrs. George Coleman), Minnie (died at 10 years); Claudia Rebecca

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(Mrs. Frank Snowden); Ethel Yongue (Mrs. Frank Sanborn); twin boys (died in infancy); Dr. John Creighton, who married Mary Byers Douglas; William Yongue, who married Ellen Brice.

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John McDonald Woodward

Thomas Woodward, the Regulator, married Jemima Collins; their son, John Woodward, married Esther McDonald; their son, John McDonald Woodward, married Patsie Eloise Axham; their son, John Jefferson Woodward, married Rebecca Mary Pearson (daughter of Philip Edward and Rachel Yongue Pearson); their daughter, Patsie Eloise Woodward, married Dr. William Aiken; their daughter, Carrie Aiken, married Thomas Ketchin Elliott.

The children of Carrie Aiken and Thomas Ketchin Elliott were: Carrie Aiken; Eloise Woodward married Fayssoux S. DuPre'; Thomas Ketchin, Jr., married Cornelia Ligon (McGary); Charles Finch married Katherine Flenniken; William Aiken married Barbara Graf; Mary Ellen (Nell) married Kitt Rion McMaster; Henry Laurens married Ruth Guice.

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John Jefferson Woodward

Thomas Woodward, the Regulator, married Jemima Collins; their son John married Esther McDonald; their son John McDonald Woodward married Patsie Eloise Axham; their son John Jefferson Woodward married Rebecca Mary Pearson (daughter of Philip Edward and Rachel Yongue Pearson); their daughter Patsie Eloise Woodward married Dr. William Edward Aiken, their daughter Annie Eloise Aiken married John Franklin Davis; their daughter Patsie Woodward Aiken Davis married John Alton McLeod, Jr. Their children are: John Davis McLeod who married Virginia Martin Ingram; and Annie McLean McLeod who married Gordon Womble Jenkins.

John Franklin Davis (1877-1929) was the son of Amos Elathan Davis (1852-1915) and Martha Peay Lyles (1849-1938). Martha Peay Lyles was the daughter of Thomas Minter Lyles (1811-1902) and Eliza Roselyn Peay (1816-1897). Thomas Minter Lyles was the son of Thomas Minter Lyles (1787-1874) and Mary Ann Collins Woodward (1789-1855). Mary Ann Collins Woodward was the daughter of John Woodward and Esther McDonald. John Woodward was the son of Thomas Woodward, the Regulator, and his wife Jemima Collins.

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William Woodward

Thomas Woodward, the Regulator, married Jemima Collins; their son William (1763-1820) married Nancy Elizabeth Barrette; their son John Barrette Woodward married Mary Mobley; their son William Barrette Woodward married Eliza Boulware Pickett; their daughter Nancy Barrette Woodward married Angus Rose Nicholson; their children were: Nancy Nicholson; Angus Rose Nicholson who married Eva B. Graham; Emma Nicholson who married John Calvin Stewart; Sara Nicholson who married Albert W. Brice; William Nicholson who married Mary Agnes Graft; Lila Nicholson who married William Scott; Samuel Nicholson who married Lula Johnston.

The children of Angus Rose Nicholson and Eva B. Graham are: Eva Nicholson who married Joe Owens; and John Vinson Nicholson who married Mary Rebecca Palmer. The children of Mary Rebecca Palmer and John Vinson Nicholson are: Sara Rose Smith and John Vinson Nicholson, Jr., D.D.S., who married Ellen Simpson McMaster.

Mary Rebecca Palmer Nicholson is the daughter of Norman Woodward Palmer and Harriet Hart Pagan. Norman Woodward Palmer's parents were Harriet Malinda Woodward and John Ramsey Davis Palmer. Harriet Malinda Woodward's parents were Malinda Bones and Joseph Addison Woodward. The parents of Joseph Addison Woodward were Nancy Elizabeth Barrette and William Woodward (1763-1820). William Woodward's parents were Jemima Collins and Thomas Woodward, the Regulator.

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Richard Woodward

The first record we have of Richard Woodward in Fairfield County, S.C., is a deed dated 15 April 1777, for land on Bowers Mill Creek. The second record is a land grant dated 21 January 1785 on waters of Little River.

Richard Woodward's wife was Ann. It has been said it was Ann Randolph, but to this writer this has not been proven and research is continuing on this family.

Richard and Ann Woodward had the following children:

1. Richard Woodward, Jr.-Died after 1830.
2. Dr. John Woodward-Died 1829-Fairfield County, South Carolina.
3. George Woodward-Born 1779-Fairfield County-Died 26 September 1814-Fairfield County.
4. William Woodward-Died 24 December 1823 in Fairfield County.
5. Margaret Woodward, Died 1832-Fairfield County.

6. James Woodward, Died 16 May 1823, Fairfield County.

There were three other daughters in this family. Names unknown at the present time. Randolph Woodward could be a son in this family, but is not proven at this time.

Richard Woodward died in 1804 in Fairfield County. In his will he speaks of his wife, Ann, his daughter, Margaret, and his youngest son, James. James is to take care of "Father and Mother while they livest." He mentions my "several other children."

Richard Woodward served in the Revolutionary War in South Carolina.

The children of Richard and Ann Woodward all married in Fairfield County, and all their grandchildren were born in Fairfield County. The dates of birth are not known, with the exception of George Woodward, but their names are known and the names of part of their grandchildren which are as follows:

1. Richard Woodward, Jr. had Richard Woodward III and George Woodward.

I'm sure there were other children in this family, but the above two are proven by a "deed of gift" to the sons dated 21 March 1829.

2. Dr. John Woodward appears to have never married. At his death, he names in his will several nieces and nephews and his sister, Margaret. He died in Fairfield County, in 1829.

3. George Woodward was born in 1779 in Fairfield County. On 1 May 1800, he married Mary Elizabeth Smith, a daughter of Nathaniel Smith. To them were born the following children:

3-1. Nathaniel Woodward, Born 11 May 1801, married Mary McMillan.

3-2. Isaac Woodward, Born 26 January 1803, married Pamela Rust.

3-3. Margaret Woodward, born 14 February 1805, married Charnal James.

3-4. Jane Woodward, Born 21 April 1807, Married James Morgan.

3-5. Elizabeth R. Woodward, Born 2 April 1808, married Andrew W. Hannah, grandson of James Hannah of Fairfield County.

3-6. Nancy Woodward, Born 23 April 1810. She died single in 1832, Fairfield County.

3-7. George Woodward, Jr., Born 18 November 1813. Married a planter's daughter near New Orleans, Louisiana, and died there of yellow fever.

George Woodward died the 26 September 1814 at the age of 35 years. He is buried in an old Woodward Cemetery in northwest Fairfield County.

4. William Woodward married Levisa ?. He had the following children:

4-1. Richard C. Woodward, Born CA 1805. In 1850 this Richard C. Woodward was sheriff of Fairfield County.

4-2. Nancy Woodward-Married a McNeese.

4-3. Levisa Woodward married Burbage Woodward, Jr. A son of Burbage Woodward, Sr. and a grandson of John Woodward.

4-4. Letitia Woodward married Thomas Noland.

4-5. John C. Woodward.

4-6. George W. Woodward.

4-7. Eleanor S. Woodward married Robert T. Johnson.

5. Margaret Woodward died single in 1832 in Fairfield County.

6. James Woodward married Levisa Smith and they had the following children:

6-1. William Woodward

6-2. Richard P. Woodward-Died 1836 in Fairfield County.

6-3. Sarah Woodward.

6-4. Zachariah Woodward-Removed to Mississippi 1836

6-5. James Osborn Woodward.

6-6. Mary Woodward.

6-7. Nancy Woodward.

James Woodward died 16 May 1823 in Fairfield County. His wife Levisa removed to Mississippi about 1839 with part of her children.

The record of Randolph Woodward of Fairfield County is currently being researched. I will list three of his children. They were: Randolph Woodward, Jr.; Isaac Woodward, who died in Fairfield County 24 October 1831; and Joseph Woodward.

3-5. Elizabeth R. Woodward married Andrew W. Hannah and they removed to Alabama and then Mississippi about 1836. Their children were:

3-5-1. Rebecca Cecelia Jane Hanna, Born 16 September 1829, Fairfield County. Married John Quarles.

3-5-2. Nathaniel Thomas Hanna, Born 16 July 1831, Fairfield County. Married Angelina Barrineau.

3-5-3. George James Hannah, Born 19 December 1833, Fairfield County, married 1st Martha Ann Teat, 2nd Margaret Ann Sanders. He died 22 November 1885.

3-5-4. Elizabeth Martha Hannah, Born 15 March 1836, married Berry Marcus Black.

3-5-5. Narcissa Emaline Hannah, Born 15 February 1839 married Milton L. Black.

3-5-6. Andrew W. Hannah, Born 21 May 1843. Died 21 May 1843.

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Hilliard Wylie

Hilliard Gayden Wylie, b. 2 August 1854-d. 26 January 1924, married on 2 December 1884 to Margaret Isabel Weir b. 18 July 1859-d. 6 May 1900. He was the son of William and Matilda Gibson Wylie. She was the daughter of David Smith and Sarah Jane Campbell Weir.

Their children: Ida Lillian "Lack" b. 1 December 1885-d. 24 December 1949; David Campbell b. 24 December 1888-d. 14 Oct. 1958 married on 17 December 1913 to Lillie Mae Wessinger b. 1 September 1872 d. 12 December 1975; Twins-William Hanahan b. 28 October 1890-d. 6 December 1940 married to Agnes Patrick b. July 1896 and Margaret Isabel b. 28 October 1890-d. 14 March 1975 married 22 September 1914 to Dr. Eugene Luther Jager of Charleston, S.C.; Twins-Eliza Jane b. 7 March 1892-d. 3 February 1948 married to Dr. Samuel L. Lindsay and Nancy Caroline "Polly" b. 7 March 1892; Hilliard Gibson b. 1 November 1893-d. 7 July 1959 married to Lois Burley b. 11 August 1892-d. 3 June 1973 and James Ellison b. 9 July 1895-d. 19 January 1964 married on 19 February 1919 to Pearle Crawford, b. 19 August 1901-d. 15 September 1980.

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Sarah W. Arnette

Joseph Wylie

Joseph Wylie, born c 1755, married Mary Moore in Ireland. In 1787 he, his wife and two young sons emigrated to Fairfield County, settling approximately two miles from Winnsboro.

Their children to reach maturity were: John (1777-1850) married 1 January 1805 to Nancy Aiken (1784-1868); Samuel (1783-1853) married 30 January 1806 to Sarah Aiken (1785-1876); Joseph, died 15 May 1826, was married on 23 March 1820 to Catherine Aiken; Sarah born c 1790 married c 1816 to Hugh H. Gamble. The wives of these sons were daughters of William and Hannah Thompson Aiken of Fairfield County.

John and Nancy remained in Fairfield County and reared these children: Joseph M. b. 21 Nov. 1805; Sarah Ann b. 12 Jan. 1807 married William McCright; Gun b. 12 Jan. 1809; James b. 13, Dec. 1810; Jane born c 1811 married John McDowell; William born c 1812 married Matilda Gibson; John b. 19 March 1814 married Caroline Smith; Eliza b. 9 Dec. 1816 married James Johnston; Martha b. 21 Nov. 1819 married John Weldon and Rachel b. 11 Aug. 1822 married Tilman Gibson.

The children of William and Matilda Wylie were: John Tyler (1839-1922) married Martha McDowell; Tilman; Henry; James W. (1846-1897) married Maggie Smith; Mary Elizabeth (1849-1914) married Dr. T.B. McKinstry; William; Hilliard Gayden (1854-1924) married Margaret

Isabel Weir; Martha Pickett (1857-1927) married Hawley Robinson and Caroline married Joseph A. Yongue.

John and Caroline Wylie reared: Jane (1857-1923) second wife of Hilliard G. Wylie; John Moore (1859-1878); Anna Isabel married J.W. Hood; Hugh S. (1866-1943) married Mary Agnes Rawls; Caroline (1869-1937) married Robert H. Hood; Mary (1871-1919) married William Smith Weir; and Mozelle (1875-1958) married William Douglas.

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Eugene Wilson Yates

I. Eugene Wilson Yates (Born October 31, 1891, Charleston, South Carolina). Married Alice Lillian West (Born July 12, 1887, Newberry, South Carolina) in 1917 in Newberry. Eugene Wilson Yates moved to Winnsboro in 1917 where he taught school at Mount Zion Institute. Later he took a position as cashier at the Winnsboro Bank and following that, he worked for the U.S. Post Office. Mr. Yates died May 23, 1962, in Newberry; Mrs. Yates died April 25, 1971 in Lexington, Kentucky. Mr. and Mrs. Yates had two children:

A. Mary Elizabeth Anne, born April 8, 1921, married Dr. Rives Coleman Chalmers, psychiatrist in Atlanta, GA, May 2, 1944. They have five children:

1. Alice Gordon (Born April 10, 1945) Living in Sapelo Island, Georgia, Ph.D. in Marine Biology.

2. Rives Coleman (Born May 13, 1947) Married to Dorothy Ann Jernigan, November, 1970. Living in Los Gatos, California (After January, 1982). Orthopedic surgeon. Three children:

a. Alexander Rives Chalmers-March 1, 1972.

b. John Parker Jernigan Chalmers-May 3, 1976.

c. Jennifer Ann Chalmers-May 9, 1979.

3. Elizabeth Yates (Born August 31, 1948). Married to George Carlton Thornton June, 1970. Living in Mexico City, Mexico. Two children:

a. Darcey Carabel Thornton-February 19, 1971.

b. Benjamin Chalmers Thornton-May 29, 1979.

4. Dana Snow (Born April 22, 1951). Married to Larry Davidson Jamison, January, 1974. Living in Fort Valley, Georgia. Two children:

a. Laura Coleman Jamison-June 22, 1978.

b. Brett Davidson Jamison-December 9, 1980.

5. David Wilson (Born November 21, 1952). Married to Elise Marie Marshall April, 1978. Commercial Realtor. Living in Atlanta, Georgia. One child:

a. Marshall Martin Chalmers-May 8, 1981.

B. Eugene Wilson Yates, Jr. (Born August 23, 1923 in Newberry, South Carolina) Counsel and Vice President, Kentucky Central Life Insurance Company, living in Lexington, Kentucky. Married June 30, 1948 to Isabel Elliott McCants. They have four children:

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1. Eugene Wilson, III (Born August 16, 1949, Newberry, South Carolina). Attorney living in Columbia, South Carolina, married to Martha Wyndham. They have one child:

a. Elliott Wilson Yates, born January 27, 1980.

2. Isabel McCants (Mackie) (Born December 15, 1952, Rock Hill, South Carolina) living in Tallahassee, Florida, married to Dr. Karl Frederick Hempel. Two children:

a. Anne Yates Hempel (Born December 9, 1969).

b. Joy Elizabeth Hempel (Born March 14, 1976).

3. Carolyn West (Born February 4, 1960, Louisville, KY) Accountant, living in Lexington, Kentucky.

4. Elliott Glenn (Born June 9, 1965, Lexington, Kentucky). Junior at Tates Creek High School, Lexington, Kentucky.

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The Legend of Bonnie Mary McMorris

Over two hundred years ago when the McMorris family of Ireland boarded a ship bound for the new world little did they know the terror that awaited them on the deep blue sea.

On board the ship were rations for a certain number of days. If the winds had held, there would have been no problem, but unfortunately for this particular group of early pioneers the winds grew still and the journey came to a halt. Day after day the ship drifted and finally the food supply ran out. The situation was desperate.

According to legend, the travelers decided to eat one of their number and lots were cast to see who would be eaten. Young Mary McMorris' name was the one drawn, but none of her fellow travelers wanted to eat her. They decided to cast lots again. Once more, Mary's name was drawn. The travelers were distraught. As they were religious people, they began to pray. All night they prayed that they would not have to eat Mary or anyone else.

With the morning came the miracle for which they had prayed. Another ship was spotted on the horizon. It came abreast and enough food was transferred from it to the ship upon which Mary was a passenger to last until land could be reached.

Mary McMorris and her family settled in Fairfield County, and when she grew up she married James Kincaid (see Kincaid History), who was a captain in the American Revolution. Captain Kincaid built the lovely house now owned by the Crosby Lewises. The Kincaids

were members of the Old Brick Church, and Mary McMorris Kincaid is buried in the churchyard there. There is also a marker in honor of her husband, who died on a visit to Charleston and had to be buried there.

The Feasterville Community

Feasterville is an old and historic neighborhood of northeast Fairfield located on a grant of land from the King of England to Andrew Feaster, who with his father, Peter Feaster (Pfeister) from Switzerland came to Pennsylvania during the first immigration from the old countries to America.

After living in Philadelphia many years, Andrew Feaster with his family came South, locating and building a home in Fairfield, which then was a part of Craven County of Camden District. Peter (Pfeister) Feaster, 90-year-old father of Andrew, died on the six month's trip south and is buried somewhere in Virginia. Feasterville is named for Andrew Feaster, who was a fine man, an interested citizen, progressive pioneer and a Revolutionary soldier. He and his family accumulated much valuable property. He also furnished a horse and food for the American Army.

Feasterville soon became the home of many pioneers, who came south in the early life of the South Carolina Colony:

The Colemans in the community are descendants from the first Robert Coleman (b. prior to 1622 in Wales) who settled in Virginia, d. 1668. Our Robert Coleman was born about 1745, he came south to Halifax, N.C. and married Elizabeth Roe, in 1775. They along with other members of the Roe family, came to Craven County, Camden District and settled on Popular Ridge above Barney's Fork Branch, now Fairfield County. They built a log home, then a larger home and had 14 children. Both Robert and Elizabeth are buried in the first Coleman cemetery on his plantation. Their oldest son, Dave Roe Coleman, (called Daddy Dave) lived to be 90 years old and was thought of as the patriarch of the Colemans. He was a fine leader, great surveyor, counselor and benefactor. He was active in neighborhood, county and colony affairs. (Miss Julia Elizabeth Faucette, contributor of this history of Feasterville is the daughter of Mary Feaster Coleman, a lineal descendant of these pioneers.) Mary Feaster Coleman was the daughter of John Albert Feaster Coleman, who was one of the leading citizens in Feasterville and was a member of the first Agricultural Committee in Fairfield County.

The Waggoners, Mobleys, Feaster, and Beams were already here when the Colemans came. There was much intermarriage among these families with many fine descendants from the prosperous Coleman family.

South Carolina's noted Governor John Means' large plantation lands touched the lands of the Feasters and Colemans. These close neighbors were also good friends. Gov. Means was with the Feasters and Colemans when they formed the famous Buckhead Guards of Fairfield County.

Edward Mobley with his wife, Susannah DeRuel Mobley and family of six sons and six daughters located first on the east side of Beaver Creek, then moved 10 miles farther east and built homes far back in dense forest at the headwaters of Little River. They also built a big Mobley Meeting House (to be used by all denominations). This was where on May 29, 1781, a successful battle was fought by the local Patriots when the Tories surrounded and filled the Meeting House. Colonel Richard Winn, Major John Bratton and Captain John McClure rounded up a hundred Patriots and routed every Tory from the building. Edward Mobley, his six sons and five sons-in-law, were soldiers in the American Revolution; he and several others also took active part in the Colonial Wars.

The Mobleys are English and from W.W. Dixon's Mobley History it says that Sir Edward Mobley of England, through William Mobley and Phoebe Lovejoy, who came to America on one of William Penn's ships to Pennsylvania, married there and later moved to Maryland. Their son Edward and wife Susannah DeRuel and family are the ones coming to Fairfield.

Hans Waggoner, a Hollander, came early to Feasterville from North Carolina and lived on Beaver Creek. He built a home, a grist mill and one of the best, biggest and most substantial and best equipped forts in upper South Carolina, which was of great help during the Colonial Wars of the South Carolina Colony. Hans Waggoner married Marie DeLashmette, daughter of Jeane or John DeLashmette, a Frenchman.

The Beam family were Germans; they settled on the west side and near the head waters of Beaver Creek about two miles above Fort Waggoner. Albert Beam was a Revolutionary soldier and furnished food for American Army. He was a progressive farmer and a fine citizen.

Several Hill families and Meador families were pioneers in Feasterville, and there was much intermarriage among the families of this section of the county; also, the Lyles and Dawkins families.

Feasterville soon grew into a prosperous community of wonderful citizens with big families who were deeply interested in the religious, educational, economical and wholesome social life for their neighborhood, county and state. So as prosperity continued beautiful homes were built, plantations enlarged, churches built and small schoolrooms arranged sometimes in homes.

More families moved to Feasterville and married children of the families settled here. By 1882, John Feaster (son of Andrew Feaster), one of Fairfield's richest men had built Liberty Universalist Church about 1836, and Feasterville little schoolhouse before 1840 and

the "Pre Boarding House" in 1842, and the Feasterville Female and Male Academy was ready for Mrs. Catherine Stratton Ladd to move in as Principal and 25 girls came as boarding pupils. It was co-educational and pupils came in buggies, carts, wagons, carriages and on horseback for miles around, not just Feasterville, but from all adjoining communities, and some big boys and girls boarded with families near. It was considered one of the best up-to-date academies, with advanced course in all the arts; also noted for music, sewing, needlework and poetry.

Later the Crosbyville Institute was built by Mr. David P. Crosby, with Professor David B. Busby as Principal and Miss Elizabeth Faucette, music teacher. A great institution for learning was established with many pupils in attendance, some as boarders in the principal's home.

From 1881-1885, Dr. David B. Busby organized the Feasterville High School, which the parents of this writer, Charles W. Faucette and Mary Feaster Coleman, attended a few years before they were married in 1888. On and on, Feasterville continued in growth and development for good living—a Singing School one summer, a Dancing School another, an adult women's baseball groups playing each week, a cotton patch on the Boarding House land one year, a Community Fair one fall, and Feasterville was noted for its campaign picnics.

It was a meeting place for the Coleman Masonic Lodge, the Woodman of the World, the Home Demonstration Club, the Feasterville Club and the Coleman-Feaster-Mobley annual reunion on the 4th Sunday of July.

This is some of the history of Feasterville; however, the Mobley Meeting House Marker on Highway 18 gives more and the Feasterville Female and Male Academy markers on Highway 215 give history, too.

Fairfield is one of South Carolina's most historical counties.

Feasterville and her surrounding "border-line" communities with their early pioneers formed a big area, where other settlers kept locating and as pioneers' children married, they built houses on lands given by parents, which developed into a prosperous, progressive farming section, with large plantations and nice comfortable homes. There was Crosbyville and Halsellville on the north, Yonguesville later became Woodward on the east, Buckhead on the south with the Means, Lyles and Ford families. Then Shelton on the west with the Shelton family, railroad station and post office. A star route mail carrier in a horse drawn cart or buggy (sometimes horseback) delivered and collected mail at the following post offices: Feasterville, Halsellville, Crosbyville, and later Walling. Then came the Rural Free Delivery from Shelton. Buckhead and Lyles Ford were two of the first post offices, also Feasterville.

Andrew Jackson McConnell, Sr., and his wife Elizabeth Dawkins, with their family, lived at the edge of Feasterville on the west near Broad River. He was a very

rich man with thousands of acres of land, a big country store, and a three-story southern mansion with plenty of plantation workers. He was a thoughtful, generous man who soon became a part of Feasterville where his children attended the academy and his son Andrew Jackson McConnell, Jr. first married Sallie Coleman of the Henry Alexander and Chanie Feaster Coleman family, thus connecting the Faucette family again with the Coleman family.

In Feasterville, from pioneer times on and at the present there was always a very close feeling in kinship, friendship, fellowship, companionship and appreciation with deep Christian love for each other and their beloved community, county and state. They wanted and worked for the best things in life taking part in all worthwhile activities, as good, dedicated and consecrated citizens under God's guidance.

The question has often been asked why Feasterville is called an historic neighborhood. The reply is that Fort Waggoner was located there on Beaver Creek, built by a very early pioneer, Hans Waggoner. It was one of the best, biggest, most substantial and comfortable forts with a high palisade around it, where all neighboring settlers could come for security and safety during the Colonial Wars.

The Mobley Meeting House Battle at the headwaters of Little River was one of the small battles before the Battle of Kings Mountain. It was fought in May when a group of Tories surrounded and occupied the meeting house. A message was secretly sent by a messenger to Colonel Richard Winn and Major John Bratton of Winnsboro, and Captain John McClure of Chester. They at once rounded up over 100 Patriots, marched quietly through dense forest and completely routed every Tory from the meeting house. This was a great happening for the American Army.

The Feasterville Female and Male Academy built by John Feaster, a son of Andrew Feaster, was one of the noted higher institutions of learning in the up-county and was attended by hundreds of pupils. He was one of Fairfield County's richest men, who believed in the religious, educational, economic and wholesome social life of the community and county. A small schoolhouse was built first before 1840, then seeing the need, he built the Girls Boarding House in 1842, where Mrs. Catherine Stratton Ladd, a highly educated, experienced and efficient teacher was chosen principal. Her husband, George Williamson Ladd, was a teacher and portrait painter. There were many boarding girls at this fine academy, which ran from 1842 until 1852. Later it was used by Fairfield County as the Feasterville School.

Liberty Universalist Church also was built by John Feaster in 1832. These buildings are still standing and are under a trusteeship with three trustees and are preserved and kept up by the Coleman-Feaster-Mobley

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Family Association. An annual reunion is held here every July.

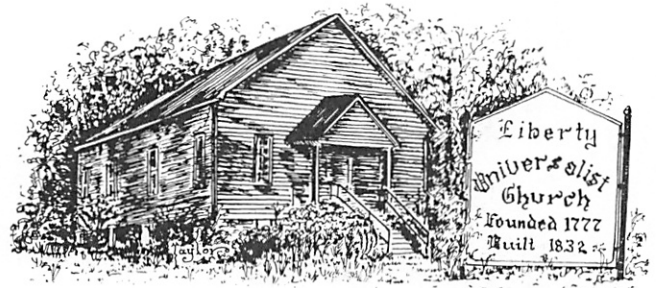
In conclusion, not boasting, but thankful, humble and proud, I feel that it is proper, correct, wise, right and just to say that in Feasterville's history there have been many prominent and distinguished people who in their chosen careers gave great service to their county, community and state in every way where ever they were. So many lawyers, doctors, preachers, dentists, judges, writers, a governor, legislators, teachers, office holders, bankers and leading businessmen and women in all walks of life and the great plantation holders and farmers, newspaper owners, historians and genealogists, all our heritage to cherish and keep.

The citizens of Feasterville were dedicated Christians under God's care and guidance, belonging to many denominations.

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Clanmore, Faucette Family Home, c. 1845



Drawing by William W. Taylor



Feasterville Academy (Old Boarding House)

Churches

Aimwell Presbyterian Church

Aimwell Presbyterian Church was organized in 1790, in the home of John and Ann Roseborough. The home was located on the site of the present Century House in the Town of Ridgeway. The first church building was erected about 1799 on land on Cedar Creek given by Francis Robinson. This was near the home of the late John Hood. The Reverend George Reed, or Reid, was the first pastor. There were thirty members.

The first church was burned in a grass fire. A second log church was built on a site near the present Bethlehem Church across the street from the Crumpton Home in Ridgeway, and was in use until 1833.

The third building was erected in 1833 on land given by Edward Gendron Palmer. This was located on the site of the present Aimwell Cemetery. It was a white frame, foursquare building with recessed porch and columns. There was a gallery for servants and a separate session house with a huge log fireplace.

Aimwell built a frame church in the town of Ridgeway about 1893. In recent years it has been brick veneered. The original pews are still in use. The present congregation numbers about 100.

Bethel A.R.P.

Bethel Church was organized by Scotch-Irish settlers in the 1820's. It was incorporated in 1823 by the South Carolina General Assembly.

The first meeting house (church building) was located on North Vanderhorst and Fairfield Streets, where the cemetery is. In 1873, a new brick and stucco building was erected across Fairfield Street. This building was more pretentious than the first wooden building and had a tower with a bell. In 1903, a large sanctuary was built on the corner of Washington and Zion Streets "only a block from the town square." This is the building which is being used by the congregation at the present time. The educational building was a gift of James Orr and Mary Lemmon Boag in 1937, and was the first such building in Winnsboro.

Since the organization of Bethel Church, almost 160 years ago, there have been only ten pastors to serve the congregation. The Reverend James Lyle, a native of Pennsylvania, was ordained and installed on May 4, 1825, as Bethel's first pastor. Reverend Thomas Ketchin, a Scotsman, was the second minister, serving from 1840 to 1852. The third pastor, Rev. Charles B. Betts, went to Virginia as a Confederate chaplain during the War Between the States.

Rev. John M. Todd, after seven years as Bethel's pastor, became a professor at Erskine College at Due West. Rev. John T. Chalmers, one of the most distinguished theologians of the Associated Reformed Presbyterian Church, began his ministry at Bethel in 1881.

Rev. Charles Edgar McDonald followed Dr. Chalmers and it was during his pastorate that Synod was held in Winnsboro in the new church building on the corner of Washington and Zion Streets.

Rev. Oliver Johnson, D.D., began a pastorate of almost 40 years in 1908 during which time he was a forceful leader in civic as well as religious activities of the town and county.

Rev. Russell M. Kerr served a short but fruitful ministry between the long pastorates of Dr. Johnson and Rev. Frank L. Shannon, who retired in 1978 after twenty-six years as Bethel's pastor.

The present pastor, Rev. Jerry R. Wolff, began his pastorate in 1979.

From the congregation of Bethel Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church, there have gone out several missionaries to Mexico. Mrs. Rachel Elliott Rosborough, a widow with two small daughters, married Rev. Neill Erskine Pressly, the pioneer missionary of the A.R.P. Church in Mexico. They located at Tampico in 1879. They returned to Winnsboro in 1917. Their son, Rev. Henry Pressly, was also a missionary in Mexico.

Dr. Rachel McMaster, Fairfield's first female medical doctor, went to Mexico in 1910 and served as a missionary until the political situation made it necessary for her to return home in 1913. She later married Rev. Samuel Hay. Bethel congregation supports three lay workers in Mexico now.

The second pastor, Rev. Thomas Ketchin, was one of the founders of Erskine College, the first denominational college in South Carolina. Rev. Jerry Wolff, the present pastor, is a trustee of Erskine College.

Bethel A.R.P. Church is a part of Catawba Presbytery of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church Synod and takes an active part in the spiritual life of Winnsboro and other parts of the world served by the A.R.P. Church.

Bethel United Methodist

Bethel United Methodist Church, Rt. 3, Winnsboro, had its beginning in the 18th Century. Under the leadership of John Nickleous Martin (a German emigrant and Lutheran ordained minister) in 1761 a church was erected on Crooked Run Creek and named Bethseda-Auf-Marven. This was a union meeting house, but in 1793 a strictly Methodist band gathered there. This is the first

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Methodist group ever to assemble in Fairfield County. In 1798 the county's first Methodist Church was erected on Brown's Bridge Road near Crooked Run Creek. This church was known by such names as Martin's Meeting House, Crooked Run Methodist Society, and Sarepta. A few years later another house of worship was built by another society of Methodist (Mason's) in adjoining community, Horeb. In 1840 these two societies were merged into the present Bethel which is located between the two above named churches. The thirteen acres now owned by the church were given by the McKinstry Family.

This church is the third to stand in this area: first in 1840, second in 1895, and the present structure in 1935 (requiring three years to build). The beams, subflooring, and framing came from the second church. The granite for the building was given by the J. Pope Brooks, Sr. family. Most of the labor was donated. The Reverend Foy F. Reid was pastor, and Mr. E.S. Clark (a contractor and member) supervised the work. The church has two stories: the upper floor is the sanctuary and the lower floor is divided into seven Sunday School classrooms, hall, and two rest rooms.

In the sanctuary is the pulpit, altar railing, and pine pews brought from second church. Other furnishing are memorials given at various times. The nine stained glass memorial windows were added in 1952. A coal furnace was the first heat and later space gas heaters. In 1970 central gas heat and air conditioning were installed.

The church front steps were very steep, so in 1954, Miss Agnes Ruff raised money for new granite steps with mid-way landing complete with wrought iron railing.

A granite wall has replaced mesh fence around cemetery; copings and old fences were removed.

In 1953, Pastor H.A. Whitten and a building committee planned a fellowship hall in keeping with the church architecture; most of the work was hired, with Sam Castles as head carpenter. This granite structure is well-equipped. The latest addition is a piano given by the Reverend and Mrs. Phil Thrailkill (present pastor and wife) in 1981. A covered breeze-way between church and fellowship hall coordinates these buildings.

November 4, 1980, a plywood fiberglass steeple was added to the church. Inside this steeple is Bethel School's old bell, which is electrically wired. This steeple completes the church as originally planned.

In 1957 a new brick charge parsonage replaced the old parsonage and is located north of the fellowship hall. Bethel Church was named Rural Church of the Year for South Carolina in 1958.

Sarah Brooks Shealy Day was celebrated in May 1978 to honor the organist who had served in the music department for fifty years.

From the membership of Bethel Church have gone: five ministers—John H. Chappell, Labon C. Chappell, English Camak, J. Marion Mason, and Edward R. Mason, one

missionary—Miss Agnes Ruff who spent ten years in Cuba but poor health brought her home, and a deaconess—Miss Agnes Brooks (3 years to Dulac Indians and then married a Methodist minister, Ross Pickett).

Bethel, "House of God," is filled with an atmosphere of worship. Many lives have been enriched with blessings from the Master in this place. May Bethel continue to be a guiding light to the present and future as it has been in the past.

Ebenezer A.R.P.

Prior to the Revolutionary War, a group of Scotch-Irish settlers built a meeting house of logs two miles west of the present Brick Church. Then in 1788 the members erected a meeting house of bricks which had been made by themselves, the mud having been trampled with their bare feet and then put into moulds, after which the bricks were baked in kilns. This is one of the first brick churches to be built in the Up-Country of South Carolina.

The Reverend James Rogers was ordained and installed as pastor in 1791 and continued as such until his death in 1830. Rev. James Boyce became pastor in 1832, and Rev. Thomas Ketchin served as pastor of Ebenezer, as well as Bethel in Winnsboro, from 1844 until 1852. Rev. Charles B. Betts, who was also Bethel's pastor, was pastor of Ebenezer from 1855 until 1869.

The War between the States brought much distress to the congregation. Many members were killed in the War; many lost their homes to Sherman's Army. The church building was used as quarters of the Federal Army and the floor was ripped up and used to replace the bridge over Little River which the Confederates had destroyed. The handwritten note of a Northern soldier remains on the wall of the church today, testifying to the abuse which the old building underwent.

The congregation prior to the war was large and flourishing, composed of many wealthy planters and their families. But soon afterward, the young people began moving West or moving to cities. The diminished congregation had Rev. A.G. Kirkpatrick for a few years in the 1890's, and Rev. Oliver Johnson, D.D., of Bethel in Winnsboro held services on Sabbath afternoons for many years, but the congregation had now passed out of existence.

The Old Brick Church is revered by Associate Reformed Presbyterians as the birthplace of the Synod of the Carolinas on May 9, 1803. This organization became the Synod of the South in 1822, the southern branch of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church which had been organized in Philadelphia in 1782. The Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church today is the descendant of the Synod of the Carolinas since in 1858 the Northern branch became the United Presbyterian Church.

Though the congregation has disappeared, the building stands as an eloquent reminder of the faith and fortitude of a group of hardy Scotch-Irish who helped to spread Christianity in the Up-Country of South Carolina. The church is still carried on the roll of Catawba Presbytery of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church which sponsors services at the church from time to time.

First United Methodist

The First United Methodist Church of Winnsboro had its beginnings in 1808, with the establishment of First Church, Winnsboro by James Jenkins, who had been admitted to the Methodist Conference on February 14, 1772 and was appointed to the Edisto Circuit, which included portions of Fairfield, Newberry, Chester and Union Counties.

From the beginning in 1808, there have been three churches. At the very first of his ministry, Jenkins preached every three weeks in the courthouse, once in the house of Capt. John Buchanan.

The first church was built in 1810 and cost \$1,345.86. It stood in the Methodist Cemetery, near the remains of Rev. Hilliard Judge and Rev. John Raidford Pickett.

Bishop Asbury visited Winnsboro on four occasions, and in December 26, 1809, noted a new church was being built. He preached to the Methodists in December, 1810 and again in December, 1812. Finally, he visited and preached in Winsboro on November 13, 1814.

Sixty years later, when the second church was erected, the floor boards on which Asbury stood were taken from the church and used in the new, frame building. Again, 34 years later, the same floor boards were taken up and placed in the present building.

The first service in the present church was held in 1908.

The Estey Pipe Organ was installed in the church by means of money raised by the Women of the Church and a gift of \$750 from the Carnegie Foundation. In 1968, the organ was completely rebuilt. Chimes were added to the organ in 1968.

The brick parsonage was built in 1956 and an Educational Building was added to the church in 1958.

Lebanon P.C.A.

There are two stories as to the formation of the present-day Lebanon Presbyterian Church.

One states that between the years of 1770 and 1780, the people gathered together and were united as a church and congregation. They became the Church of Lebanon under the following men: David McCreight;

John and Alexander Robinson; William Hamilton; James Grey and John Phillips, elders from Ireland. They Rev. John Logue came from Ireland, examined the people, installed the elders, and ordained the two or three who had been elected.

Another tradition states that the church was organized by John Simpson, of Fishing Creek. The first meeting for preaching was held in the home of John Robertson, one of the elders named, then from time to time they met in private homes. After a while, a log house for public worship was erected on land donated by John Robertson and used for purposes of worship until after his death. After a misunderstanding with his widow concerning church dues, this house was abandoned and another was erected on the land of Joseph Chapmon.

A church was built of stone in 1780, and served for many years. In 1893, a frame church was erected, and served until 1910, when it burned. In 1911, another frame church was built and served until 1933, when the present church was erected. The present church was dedicated on January 20, 1934. An educational building was built in 1970.

Monticello Methodist

(Ed. note The following account of Monticello Methodist Church was taken from a church history published in 1960.)

Prior to 1810, all records of Monticello refer to the Academy or School House. After Thomas Jefferson presented the school with a hundred dollars people thereabouts began to call the place Monticello, in honor of Jefferson's country place in Virginia.

The first fire of Methodism in Fairfield was kindled by Bishop Asbury, and the first Methodist society was organized in 1762 by Rev. John Nicolas Martin. Monticello Church, first called Campobello, was formed from the many societies that followed the first one; membership was drawn from Scotch, Irish and English settlers.

Monticello Church, organized about 1800, was a log structure built on a 14-acre tract of land given by Capt. Philip Pearson. The second structure was a frame building which was replaced by the present church.

Today's church was constructed before the Civil War by Jacob Bookman, architect; and Daniel B. Kirkland, Col. William Alton, Capt. J.K. Davis and J. James, building committee. To begin with, everyone had plenty and the church was built large to accommodate the crowd of a well-to-do community. After the war the debt was prolonged and assumed by Mr. Alston and paid for by his son, Col. Joseph Kirkland Alston, an officer in the Spanish American War. The church was dedicated April, 1861; Rev. A.J. Cauthen was pastor and Rev. R.J. Boyd was presiding elder.

In earlier days, preaching was held once a month or

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once every two months. When Monticello became a charge, it was given two services a month. Some of the older members didn't go along with this much preaching, finding it a "new fangled" idea.

The Mormon Church

It has not always been easy to be a member of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Days Saints (Mormon) in Fairfield County. When Mormon missionaries, or elders, first came into the county in the late 1890's, they were often met with both verbal and physical abuse. On occasion, mobs threatened their very lives.

Despite this violent opposition, the faith was established in Fairfield, and the hatred of those opposed to it now focused on the new members of the LDS church. Some were tarred and feathered, and beaten. Some merchants refused to trade with Mormons, forcing them to travel over rough dirt roads to Columbia for supplies.

Nonetheless, a branch of the church was organized on January 17, 1897, with Wyatt Wesley Collins as president. There were seventeen members of this Ridgeway branch. At the time the church was organized, a building in which to meet was completed; on July 3, 1897 it was burned by a mob, forcing members to meet in their homes. A second building was almost completed when it, too, was burned in February of 1899.

Due to growing membership, the branch began meeting in the old Centerville School building, and continued to do so until around 1920. Then a third church building was erected and used until struck by a tornado in 1927. From 1927-1941, members met in a fourth building constructed of stucco blocks. Then the present day building, which has subsequently been renovated and added to, was built.

Today, there are two Mormon church in Fairfield; the one at Centerville and one in Winnsboro. The Winnsboro branch moved into a beautiful new building in November of 1981.

(From information compiled by
Julie Joyner, 1980.)

New Hope A.R.P.

New Hope Church is situated in the northern part of Fairfield County, and is one of the oldest churches in Synod.

It was formally organized Sept. 19, 1796. Rev. John Hemphill was the first pastor.

The congregation has erected three buildings. The first about 1790, the second about 1830 and the present building in 1886.

This congregation has given to the church seven ministers and one missionary, Miss Macie Stevenson, who

served in Mexico for fifty years. She died in 1941 while home on furlough.

Following Rev. Hemphill were Rev. James Boyce who left to become president Erskine College in 1870. Rev. Laughlin McDonald, Rev. R.G. Miller, Rev. H.B. Blakely, Rev. A.G. Kirkpatrick, Rev. J.E. Johnston, Rev. B.G. Pressley, Rev. W.W. Parkinson, Rev. W.H. Stevenson, Rev. W.A. Kennedy, Rev. Donald Elliott and Rev. W.F. Blakely.

Services are held on second, third and fourth Sabbath mornings at 10 o'clock, with supply pastors serving the congregation.

Its membership greatly depleted, New Hope still stands proudly witnessing to the deep, abiding faith of those who have gone and to the faithful few who remain.

Marion E. Stevenson is the Ruling Elder and Paul Lewis the Deacon.

Salem P.C.A.

The present Salem Presbyterian Church is the third building to be erected on the same site, the land being a gift of the Means family.

The first Church, running parallel to the public road, was completed in 1813. It was a plain wooden structure with a large auditorium and gallery. Typical of that day the Session Room was a separate building, used at one time as a school house. The roll of this congregation claimed the following families: Douglas, McMillan, Yongue, Milling, McConnell, Marion, McDowell, Gladney, Means, Foote, and Hannah.

The earliest record of this religious society was in 1812, when they applied to Harmony Presbytery to be taken under its care. A charter was granted in 1813. Rev. Samuel W. Yongue was the first Supply Pastor.

The second Church, a larger wooden edifice which included a session room, high arched ceilings, and a tall steeple was built in 1893. Due to lightening this building was completely destroyed on August 30, 1927.

Following this destruction, the third Church, a more spacious structure of brick and stone with adequate space for Sunday School rooms was completed in 1928 and is still being used today.

The first manse which burned in 1942 had been built in 1896. Rev. W.W. Sadler was the only pastor to occupy this residence. In 1949 another building was put on the same site to be used as a Fellowship building until it was needed for a manse for Rev. and Mrs. Robert R. Wallace in 1954. A large modern Fellowship Building adjoining the Sanctuary, the latest building project, has been in use since 1979.

Though Salem is a comparatively small rural Church, she has always been self-sustaining and some outstanding ministers have filled her pulpit. For many years she

while as maintained Worship services and Sunday School each week.

Submitted by:
The Session of Salem Presbyterian Church

Sion Presbyterian

There is evidence that there was a close tie between the Mt. Zion Society, Mt. Zion College, and the Presbyterians.

In February 1787, a petition was drawn up and submitted to the President of the Senate of South Carolina. It was approved on March 27, 1787, for the purpose of incorporating the Mt. Zion Congregation of Winnsboro.

Since the college was founded in 1777, it is assumed the Presbyterians used the college and the courthouse for places of worship.

The petition was signed by D.R. Evans, Robert Ellison, Benjamin Street, Martyn Aiken, Richard Winn, Jacob Brown, D. Evans, John Milling, James Austin, William D. Murphy, John Winn, James Bowles, Joseph Kirkland, James Brown, and Joseph Quarrel.

In October 1799, the minutes of the South Carolina Presbytery noted the Winnsboro Church as Sion and titled it as a preaching or mission station, indicating that it was not an organized church at the time. In 1801 the Rev. John Foster from Salem (Broad River) came to Mt. Zion College as President and for two years supplied the pulpit of the church.

In 1803, the trustees of Mt. Zion Society needed a new president. Capt. Creighton Buchanan represented the Society and Samuel Johnson and James Barkley represented Sion congregation. The Rev. George Reid, of Yorkville, was selected and served in the dual position from 1805 to 1810.

During this time, the congregation was organized into a church taking the name Sion. The place of worship was the county courthouse. The Presbytery, known as the "First South Carolina" met in the Mt. Zion School.

The first record of the Session of Sion Church was March 25, 1806, with the Rev. George Reid, moderator and James Beaty and John Porter, elders.

In 1807, a few members of the congregation broke off and formed the Methodist congregation, building a brick church on the site of their present cemetery. This was the first church building in Winnsboro.

In 1809, the Presbyterians began work on their first church on Garden St., in the center of the present cemetery. The building was completed in 1811. One year after Rev. Reid left came Rev. B.R. Montgomery, who was the first to preach in the new building.

In 1813, after a dispute over the singing of Dr. Watt's version of the Psalms, a portion of the congregation broke away and formed another church, the beginning of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church in Winnsboro.

In 1920, the need for a new building became apparent. A new building was built on Washington St., next to the Manse. The congregation moved April 24, 1923.

After Rev. Mayes' retirement, Rev. Arthur Martin came and served 15 years. Rev. L.E. Brubaker, of the University of South Carolina served more than a year after Rev. Martin's departure. In 1954 he was succeeded by Rev. Robert E. Smith, who stayed until October 1980. He was succeeded by Dr. J. Norton Dendy, who served six months, then Rev. Cliff McLeod served as interim pastor.

In 1982, Rev. Robert C. Bankhead served as pastor.

Union Memorial P.C.A.

Union Memorial Presbyterian Church is a continuation of the old Horeb Presbyterian Church, located within three miles of the present structure. Horeb Church was one of the four original churches in Fairfield County.

The original structure was built as a Union Church, and Methodists and Baptists held services in it. In July, 1889, Rev. H.B. Garris, evangelist of Bethel Presbytery, who had preached for more than a year to the newly organized Young Men's Christian Association, organized the Union Presbyterian Church with 22 charter members, two deacons and two elders.

Rev. H.B. White, who afterward became a missionary to China, became the first pastor in 1890 and in two years the membership grew to sixty-nine members. Revs. D.A. Todd and James Russell served in succession as pastor, and after a vacancy of three years, Rev. R.F. Kirkpatrick accepted the pastorate, resigning in 1903 to become a home missionary to the "Indian Territory". The pastorate of Rev. J.R. Millard which ended in 1910 completes the era in which the church held services but once a month.

In 1910, Rev. J.M. Holladay, pastor of Winnsboro, became supply pastor and held services two Sunday afternoons each month. After his pastorate, Rev. F.D. Vaughan, pastor of Lebanon and Salem churches, served Union also, until he was given a leave of absence to serve as chaplain in the army. He died of pneumonia while in service, and Rev. W.H. Chatman supplied the church until 1921, when once again Union secured a pastor of the Winnsboro church to serve as pastor, Rev. Geo. G. Mayes. Dr. Mayes served Union 19 years, the last two years as full time pastor of Union, he having retired as pastor of Sion in Winnsboro, and services were held every Sunday. At the time of his retirement on the Ministers' Annuity Fund, in May 1940, the church reported 91 members, and through the will of Leighton W. Hawes, who died the January preceding, the congregation was planning for the erection of the present new and beautiful building. Rev. Arthur M. Martin, pastor of Sion, was secured to

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supply Union Church at that time with the summer assistance of student pastors Thos. W. Buchanan in 1940 and Jas. H. Skelton in 1941, when Vacation Bible Schools demonstrated the need of a fuller program for the children of the community.

Union Church received two bequests, one for \$1,000 from the widow of Elder J.B. Murray, and the other the

estate of Elder and Mrs. Leighton W. Hawes, valued at \$50,000 and providing for a new and larger church building and other benefactions. One of the terms of this will was that the name of the church be changed to that of the Union Memorial Presbyterian Church.

On April 12, 1942, the present structure for Union Memorial Presbyterian Church was dedicated.

Some of Fairfield's Beautiful Churches



Cool Branch Baptist Church



Fairfield Baptist Mission



Stephen Greene Baptist Church



St. Stephen's Episcopal Church

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Crooked Run Baptist Church (new bldg.)



Wayman AME Church



Concord Presbyterian Church



Lebanon Presbyterian (PCA) Church



Fairfield Baptist Church



Crooked Run Baptist Church (old Bldg.)



Sawney's Creek Baptist Church



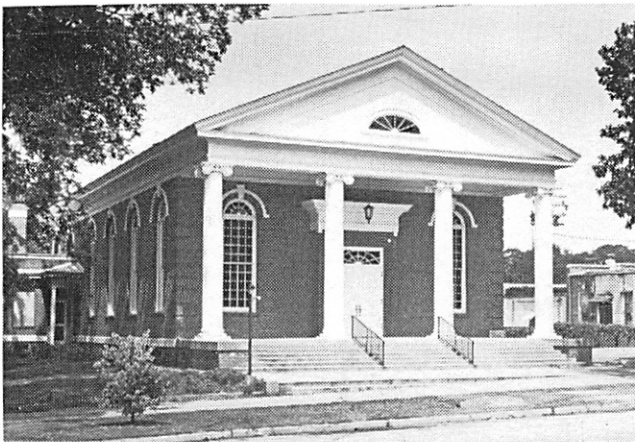
Calvary United Presbyterian Church



Sweet Prospect AME Zion Church



White Oak ARP Church



Sion Presbyterian Church



Salem Presbyterian (PCA) Church



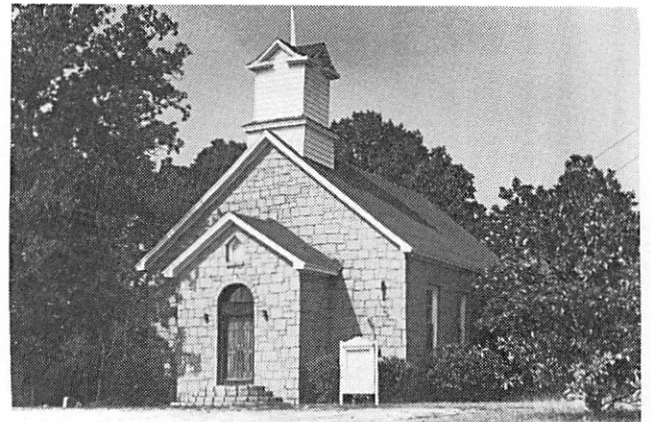
Shiloh United Presbyterian Church



Greenbrier United Methodist Church



Rockton Baptist Church



Fairfield Baptist Church



Mitford Baptist Church



First United Methodist Church



Ruff's Chapel



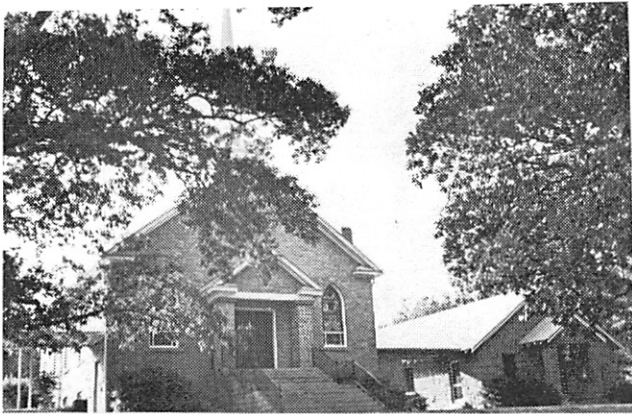
Zion Church, Hwy. 234



Lebanon United Presbyterian Church



Liberty Universalist Church



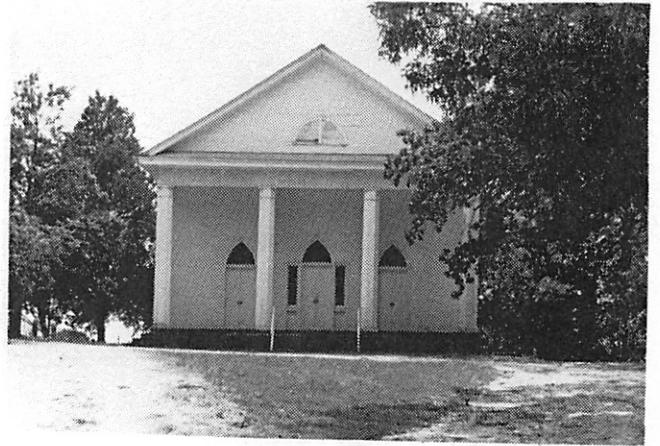
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Mt. Pilgrim Church



Little River Baptist Church



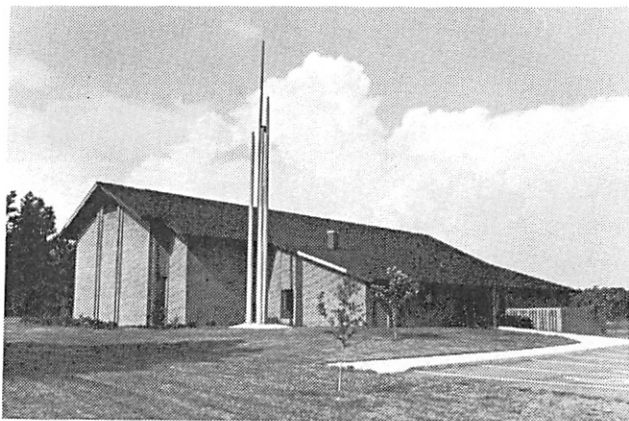
Monticello Methodist Church



Gordon Memorial United Methodist Church



Mt. Olivet (Wateree) Presbyterian Church



Latter Day Saints Church, Winnsboro



New Hope ARP Church



Longtown Presbyterian Church



Shady Grove A.M.E. Church



White Hall A.M.E. Zion



Aimwell Presbyterian Church



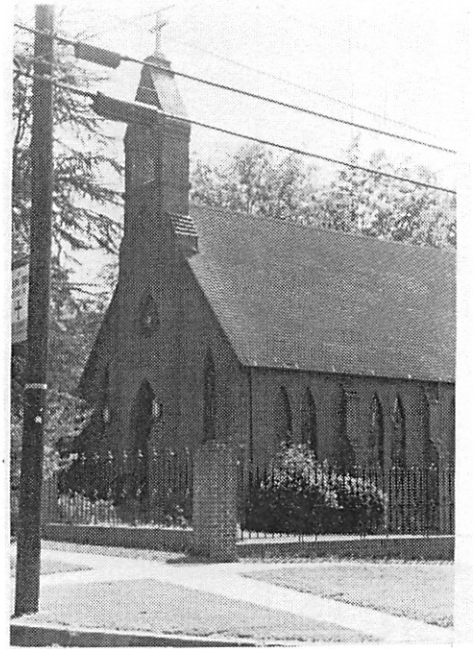
First Church of the Nazarene



First Baptist Church, Ridgeway



Latter Day Saints Church, Centerville



St. John's Episcopal Church



**The Old Manse
(Manse for Jackson Creek Pres. Church)**



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Bethel ARP Church

(Pictures this section by Michael V. Avery and Ginger Parker)



An Early Class at Mount Zion

Old Monticello Methodist Church





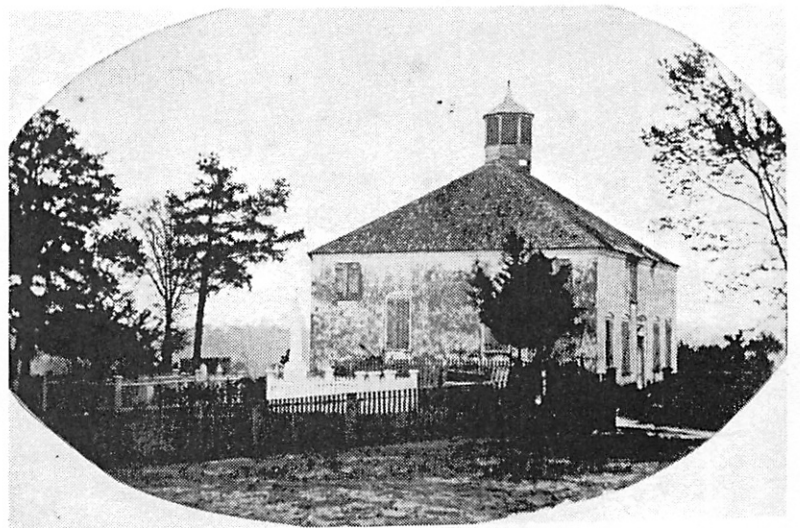
WILLIAM BELK

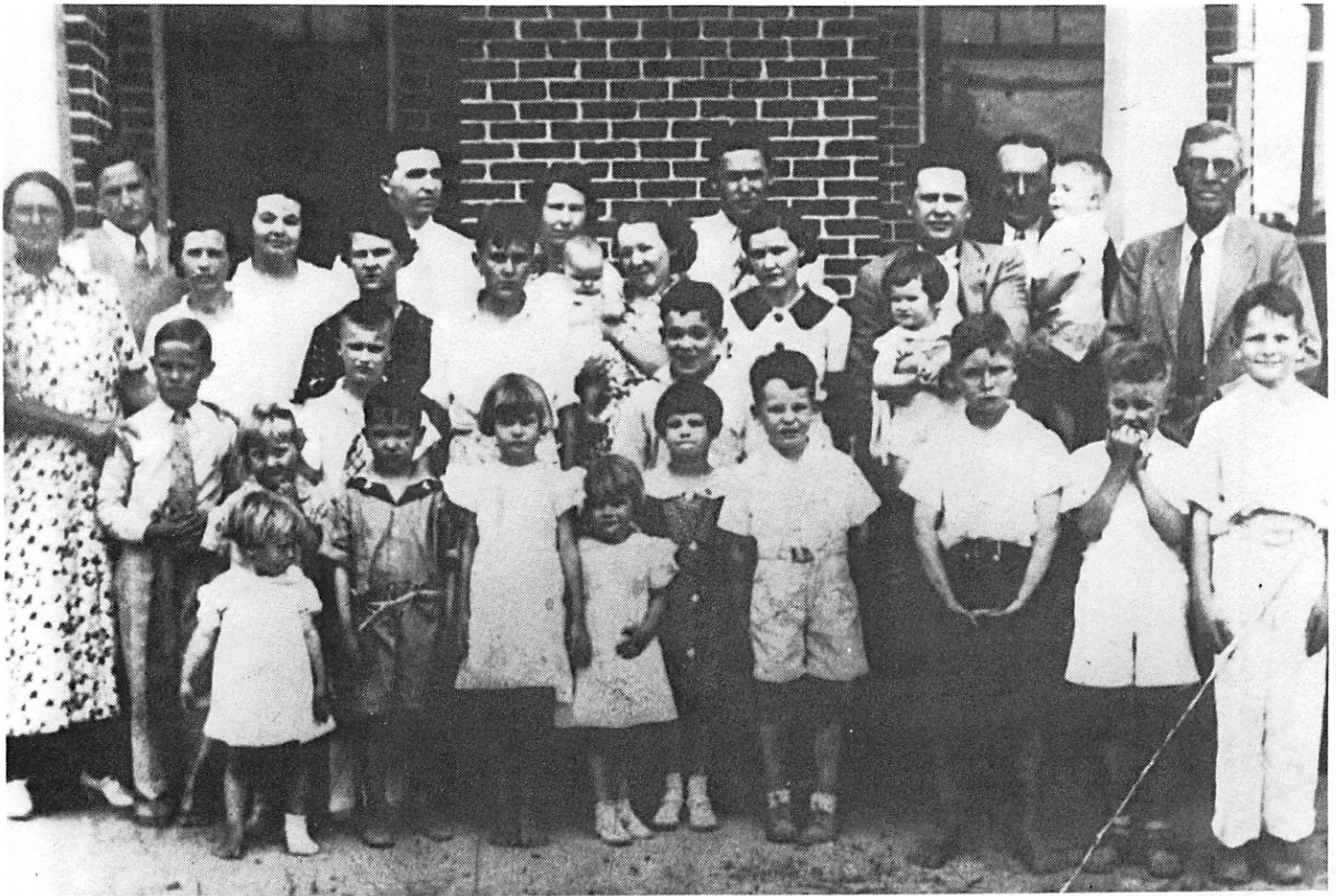
William Belk, one of the Americans held hostage in Iran for 444 days, spent his earlier years in Winnsboro, where he lived with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H.C. Belk.

In February of 1981, after the hostages were released on January 20, Winnsboro and Fairfield County welcomed back one of their own from captivity with a huge celebration, "William Belk Day". In the photo (right), Belk is shown planting one of fifty-two crepe myrtle trees planted on the Mount Zion campus in honor of the fifty-two hostages.

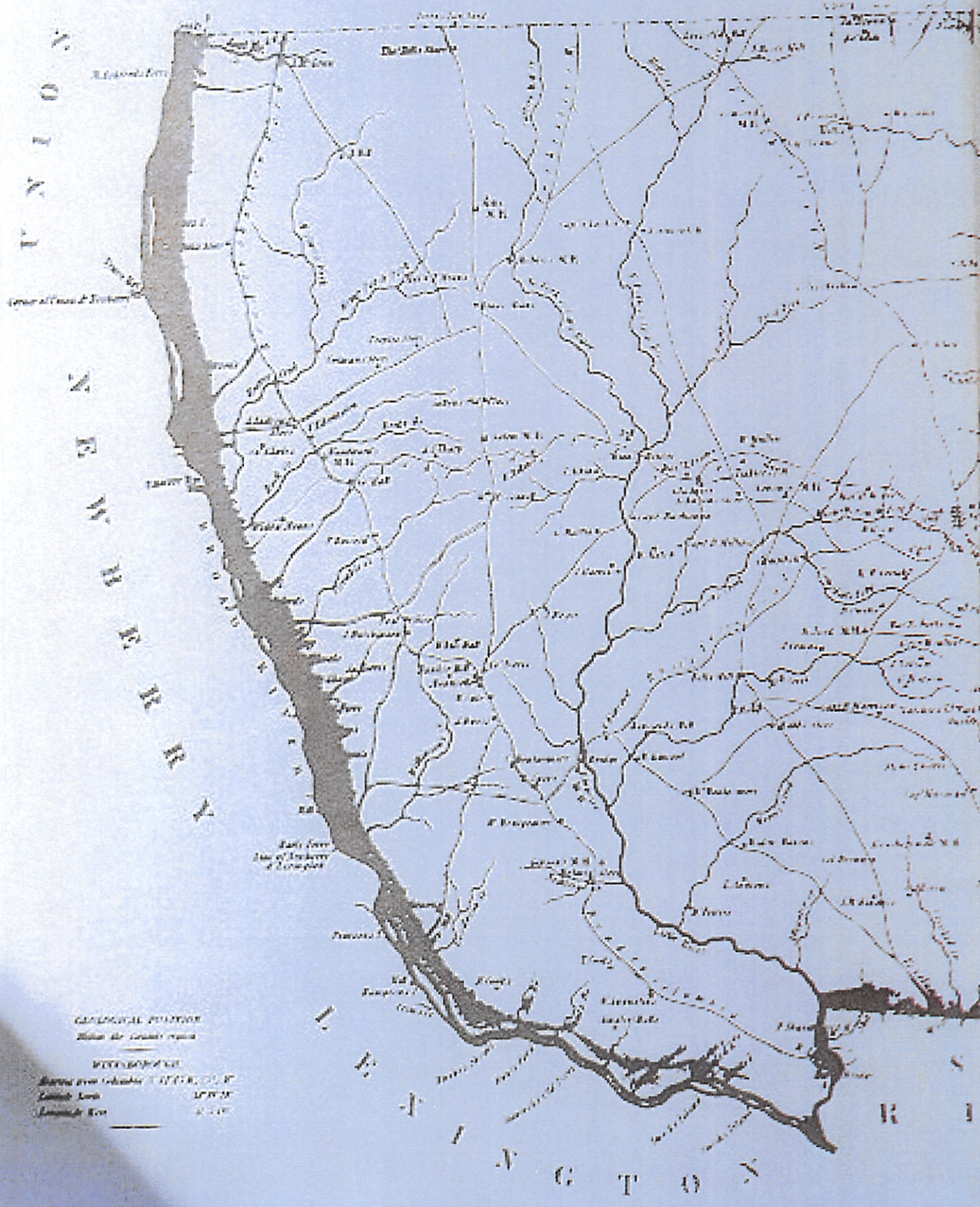
Belk, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Belk, and wife Angela are in Canberra, Australia at the time of this writing, where he is working with the American State Department.

An Earlier First Methodist Church in Winnsboro.





Family of Mary Maria and James A. Joyner



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