

# February Meeting

Wednesday, February 21, 1990

7:30

American Federal Building

Highway 123, Clemson, SC

Topic: Church Records - Anne Sheriff

Work Session-Need Folding Tables

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## PENDLETON NEWSLETTER

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### Welcome to New Members:

William N. Curry of 103 Davidson Drive, Terrell, TX 75160 who is researching the following families: Cargill, Dendy, Doyle, Humphreys, West, and Word.

Faye Hodges Robbins of Route 6, Box 2280, Cullman, AL 35055. She has several queries which we will publish over time.

Mr. & Mrs. Robert H. Mason, 2502 Six Mile Hwy., Central, SC 29630

Mr. William N. Curry, 103 Davidson Dr., Terrell, TX 75160

Ms. Faye Robbins, Route 6, Box 2280, Cullman, AL 35055

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## DUES NOTICE

Memberships for 1990 must be turned into the State Society.

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**Associate \$8.00**

Mail to Mr. Don Moore, 212 N "B" Street, Easley, SC 29640. Make checks payable to Old Pendleton Genealogical Society.

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## **Donations to the Faith Clayton Family Research Center**

*McJunkin: A Family of Memories* Written and donated by Ms. Martha McJunkin Rhyne, PO Box 634, Central, SC 29630.

*Whitmire Research Notebook*. Nancy Flesch, 2360 Elysium Avenue, Eugene, OR 97401. Cost \$25.00

Tate Family History (2 pages) and Merritt Family History (4 pages). Barbara Fisher Schlosser, 4054 Rogen Drive, Encino, CA 91436.

*Fayette County, GA Marriage Records 1823-1900; 1860 Census of Henry County, GA; 1860 Census of Fayette County, GA; 1860 Census of Pike County, GA; Harper Kennebrew....etc., Volume 1; Pike County, GA Marriage Records 1822-1872.* Donated by Jim Harper, PO Box 5743, Anderson, SC 29623

*Ancestors and Descendants of Smiths* by Linda G. Cheek, Route 8, Box 48, Easley, SC 29640

Lewis Family Group Record. Molly Stewart Lewis (b. 18 Oct 1811) married James Lewis (b. 26 July 1807). Donated by Lester Singleton, Route 2, Box 533, Micanopy, FL 32667-9414.

Mauldin Ancestor Chart by Era Davis, Cedar Rock Road, Pickens, SC 29671.

Manuscripts on William Cantrell and Joseph Looper given by Donald Tucker, Box 429, North Berwick, ME 03906.

*Nazareth Presbyterian Church Cemetery*. Given by Derek Bowen, 4125 Sheppard Road, Spartanburg, SC 29301

### **Florine Bartlett Collection.**

This Collection was presented to the Faith Clayton Room through the efforts of Ge Lee Corley Henrix. Family names include the following: Anderson, Armstrong, Amonett, Bradley, Buddin, Byrd, Cantey, Cassell, Chandler, Conyers, Davis-McDonald, Dibble, Dickey, DuBose, Duke, Eppts, Evans, Ervin, Frierson, Gamble, Gasque-Godbold, Gibbons, Goudy, Graham, Harrington, Johnson, Keels, Kinder, King, McIntosh, Mills-Smith, Montgomery, Mouzon, Nelson, Player, Reardon, Richardson, Rawlins-Rollins, Stewart, Way, Witherspoon.

## Queries

Researching Singleton, Armstrong, Lewis, Stewart and York Families in Pendleton District. Rev. Lester B. Singleton, Route 2, Box 533, Micanopy, FL 32667-9414.

Searching for information on Ezekiel Madden Family. Billy Wilson, 609 Spring Creek Road, Houghton, LA 71037

Searching for information on the Hendricks Family. Sue Hendricks, Box 15, Princeton, TX 75077.

Searching for information on Pitts, Hembrees, and Youngs of Old Pendleton District (1780-1810). James R. Pitts, 609 Bragg Circle, Tullahoma, TN 37388.

Searching for information on Calhoun, Pickens, Harris, Grogan, McCrary, Lockaby, Nelson, Stone, Estes families. Perry G. McCrary, 406 Jefferson Drive, Charlotte, NC 28226.

Searching for information on Jeremiah Looper/Luper/Leeper, b. 1759 Cumberland Co., Pa. d. When? Where? m. Nancy b. 1757 Cumberland Co., Pa. D. 1829 Pickens Co. Who were the parents of Nancy? Known children of Jeremiah and Nancy, Jeremiah, Samuel, Daniel, Solomon, Joseph. Contact Faye Hodges Robbins, Route 6, Box 2280, Cullman, AL 35055. Mr. Donald Tucker hopefully you can help Mrs. Robbins.

Searching for information on the McDonalds that were in Pickens District in early 1800 and moved to Richmond County, GA in 1832. Mrs. Virginia Day McDonald, 525 Rogers Drive, Macon, GA 31204 (912-745-1010)

Seeking information on Michael Dickinson, born in Pendleton District, 28 Nov 1776. He was the son of Robert and Nancy Seale Dickinson. Michael married Mollie Robinson. Who was Mollie Robinson, her parents and date of her marriage to Michael. Louise Dickinson Aldrich, 3342 S. Sandhill Rd. #9, Las Vegas, NV 89121.

Seeking information on the Kirkpatrick House in Oconee County and the Sitton Family. Branton Kellogg, 1409 Park Avenue, Monroe, LA 71201.

Searching for information on George French in the early 1800's. Ms. Maidie Strellman, 6333 138th Place, S. E., Bellevue, WA 98006.

Seeking information concerning Richard Hicks. His will was probated in Rutherford County, NC Jan Court 1812. Shirley P. Wagstaff, PO Box 181, Bedford, WY 83112.

## **A Glimpse Into the Past**

Francis Burt Doyle, who submitted the article in a local newspaper in June, 1919, was the son of James A. Doyle. Mr. James Doyle's family lived at Pickens Court House where he served as sheriff of the District. He also lived at Ft. Madison and at Old Oconee Station. J. A. Doyle died in 1884.

### **Interesting Facts Culled From An Old Diary of James A. Doyle**

No house on road between Pickens Ferry and Walhalla the first time I traveled the road. The first house was at the upper end of what is Walhalla, where lived an old man named Houston. This was in 1828. Land along this road would hardly bring 25 cents per acre.

Of the McElroy place, Dave Sloan and Overton Lewis said it would not do to buy this land at 25 cents an acre for speculation.

J. A. Doyle bought Lewis Moorehead's place for a colt in 1835.

Tract of 100 acres near Double Springs was given as boot in a horse trade in 1829. Common thing to trade a horse or colt for a tract of land. A gun, also, was a big item in a land trade.

When I was tax collector of Pickens District (1840-1848), land was divided into three classes or grades and taxed as follows: 1st class, bottom land, tax 36 cents for 100 acres; 2d class, good upland, tax 17 cents per 100 acres; 3d class, included the balance and was taxed at 6 cents per 100 acres. Most of the land given in was in this class.

The first licensed physician in Pickens District was Dr. Robert Maxwell, who lived near Fair Play, on the Beaverdam. This was in 1848.

In 1848 I knew personally every tax-payer in Pickens District.

William Doyle, father of James A. Doyle, was born near Hagerstown, Md., about 1784, of parents whose ancestors were among the first settlers of that State. His parents moved to Pendleton District, South Carolina, when William was quite a boy.

My grandfather on my mother's side was an Irishman named Alexander, who was a soldier in the American Revolution.

Richard Lewis, father of J. Overton Lewis, bought Tamassee place from a son of Gen. Andrew Pickens. At the death of Richard Lewis, Tamassee was given to Andrew Lewis as his part of Richard's estate. J. Overton Lewis swapped even the Dendy place, at Richland, for Tamassee, which in 1832 was valued at \$2,500.

I was tax collector of Rabun County, Georgia, in 1830. Amount of taxes that year did not exceed \$700 for the county.

These events happened in the long ago, and but few, if any, now living can recall a knowledge of these things. The first house on the road at what is now the upper end of Walhalla was located, in all probability, at the Wieben's Springs. Lands were cheap because of the sparse population. Horses were the principal means of transportation. Guns were counted valuable assets. They were manufactured in the old country, and in consequence were scarce and dear. A gun in those days was also highly valued on account of the abundance of game. Most lands are given in for taxation as third class today as they were in 1840.

Times change and men change with them.

Submitted by William N. Curry, 103 Davidson Drive, Terrell, TX 75160.

Pickens District  
 Eastern District  
 Free Inhabitants in Eastern Division of District of Pickens,  
 enumeration begun on 19th of July 1850.  
 F. N. Garvin, Assistant Marshall

House	Family	Name	Age	Sex	Occupation	Estate	Birth
45	45	George W. Fredrich	49	M	Farming	1,500	SC
		Syntha Fredrich	35	F			SC
		Sarah Fredrich	20	F			SC
		Martha Fredrich	18	F			SC
		Eliza Fredrich	16	F			SC
		Jennette Fredrich	12	F			SC
		Mary Fredrich	10	F			SC
		Baylis Fredrich	8	M			SC
		Cornelia Fredrich	6	F			SC
		Katharine Fredrich	4	F			SC
Patrick Fredrich	2	M	SC				
46	46	Riley Kenemere	41	M	Farming		SC
		Judith Kenemere	37	F			SC
		F. M. Brooks	11	M			SC
		Martha J. Brooks	8	F			SC
47	47	J. G. Mullinax	30	M	Farming		SC
		Elizabeth A. Mullinax	31	F			SC
		Margaret A. Mullinax	4	F			SC
		Melinda A. Mullinax	4	F			SC
48	48	Jarred Evatt	49	M	Farming	600	SC
		Margaret B. Evatt	44	F			SC
		Lydia A. Evatt	22	F			SC
		Mary L. Evatt	19	F	Laborer		SC
		E. F. Evatt	16	M			SC
		Matilda R. Evatt	12	F			SC
		William H. Evatt	9	M			SC
		Tho. E. Evatt	6	M			SC
		James G. Evatt	3	M			SC
49	49	F. Freeman	43	M	Farming		SC
		Arnes (?) Freeman	43	F			SC
		John T. Freeman	21	M	Farming		SC
		Laborer		SC			
		Malinda Freeman	16	F	SC		
		Henry W. Freeman	9	M	SC		
		Robert Freeman	1/12	M	SC		
		Nancy Brewer	17	F	SC		
50	50	Wm. O. Brock	28	M	Farming	2,000	SC

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Freeman 17 M

		Lucy H. Brock	29	F			SC
		Joseph F. Brock	8	M			SC
		Tamer E. Brock	6	F			SC
		Mary M. Brock	4	F			SC
		Lucy H. Brock	1	F			SC
51	51	William Manley	49	M	Farming		SC
		Cynthia Manley	44	F			SC
		Lewis F. Manley	21	M	Laborer		SC
		Gyra(?) Manley	13	M			SC
		Thomas Manley	9	M			SC
		William O. Manley	6	M			SC
		Henry Manley	4	M			SC
		Lucinda Manley	10	F			SC
52	52	J. A. Boggs	28	M	Farming	1,000	SC
		Merinda Boggs	38	F			SC
		B. F. Boggs	9	M			SC
		J. A. Boggs	7	M			SC
		Henry Boggs	5	M			SC
		Rachel Weams	30	F			SC
53	53	John Mason	47	M	Miller	700	SC
		Elizabeth Mason	44	F			NC
		Lewis D. Mason	17	M	Laborer		SC
		Julia Mason	15	F			SC
		Robert M. Mason	13	M			SC
		Mary Mason	12	F			SC
		Elizabeth Mason	10	F			SC
		John C. Mason	8	M			SC
		Susan Mason	6	F			SC
		Martha C. Mason	2	F			SC
54	54	Robert Scott	27	M	Farmer		SC
		Martha Scott	23	F			SC
		Elizabeth R. Scott	4	F			SC
		William H. Scott	3	M			SC
		Ladiza (?) Scott	11/12	F			SC
55	55	James W. Crawford	25	M	Farming	7,000	SC
		Susan M. Crawford	23	F			SC
		W. B. Crawford (?)	4	M			SC
		Mary A. Crawford	2	F			SC
56	56	James Garvin	29	M	Farming	2,000	SC
		Mary M. Garvin	23	F			SC
		Robert M. Garvin	2	M			SC
		Benj. D. Garvin	5/12	M			SC
57	57	Ann Garvin	51	F			SC
		Hannah Garvin	31	F			SC
		James T. Garvin	5	F			SC
58	58	Hardy Fannel	50	M	Farming	1,200	SC

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		Tilman Fannel	20	M		Laborer		SC
		Wm. M. Fannel	17	M		Laborer		SC
		Elizabeth Fannel	16	F				SC
		Mary J. Fannel	14	F				SC
		Henry Fannel	8	M				SC
		Fredrick G. Fannel	5	M				SC
		Martha Fannel	1	F				SC
59	59	John Garner	35	M		Farming	800	SC
		Matiilda Garner	36	F				SC
		Sarah A. Garner	12	F				SC
		James H. Garner	10	M				SC
		G W. Garner	8	M				SC
		Amanda R. Garner	6	F				SC
		Jas. A. Garner	4	M				SC
		Margaret M. Garner	1	F				SC
		Nancy Garner	75	F				NC
60	60	N. W. Madden	25	M		Farming	300	SC
		Mary A. Madden	22	F				SC
61	61	Robert Johnston	41	M		Farming	2,000	Ireland
		Fredelia Johnston	36	F				SC
		Lucinda Johnston	13	F				SC
		James H. Johnston	12	M				SC
		Hugh W. Johnston	10	M				SC
		Mary J. Johnston	9	F				SC
		Robert D. Johnston	8	M				SC
		Benjamin Johnston	5	M				SC
		Sarah A. Johnston	3	F				SC
		Margaret Johnston	1	F				SC
62	62	Middleton Lay	29	M		Farming	1,600	SC
		Elizabeth Lay	23	F				SC
		Wm. Lay	5	M				SC
		Mary C. Lay	4	F				SC
		Letetica C. Lay	2	F				SC
		Matilda A. Lay	4/12	F				SC
63	63	David Russell	56	M		Farming	950	NC
		Mary Russell	52	F				SC
		Mary A. Russell	17	F				SC
		Emily A. Russell	14	F				SC
		David M. Russell	11	M				SC
		John Calwell	5	M	Colored			SC
64	64	James Grant	72	M		Farming	300	SC
		Siddey Grant	47	F				SC
		Sarah Grant	27	F				SC
		Willis Grant	21	M		Farming		SC
		Warren Wilson	15	M	Mullato	Farming		SC
65	65	Dennis Batson	60	M		Farming		GA

		Betsy Wilson	48	F			50
		John Wilson	12	M			SC
66	66	D. J. Chapman	33	M	Farming	500	SC
		Dilla Chapman	36	F			SC
		Elizabeth Chapman	12	F			SC
		James W. Chapman	10	M			SC
		Miles N. Chapman	7	M			SC
		Malinda C. Chapman	3	F			SC
67	67	Samuel Parsons	43	M	Farming	1,000	SC
		Sarah M. Parsons	36	F		1,000	SC
		Cynthia Parsons	18	F			SC
		Mary Parsons	17	F			SC
		James Parsons	15	M			SC
		Frederich Parsons	13	M			SC
		Samuel A. Parsons	11	M			SC
		J. B. F. Parsons	8	M			SC
		Robert J. Parsons	6	M			SC
		Susan M. Parsons	4	F			SC
		Joseph Parsons	2	M			SC

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