

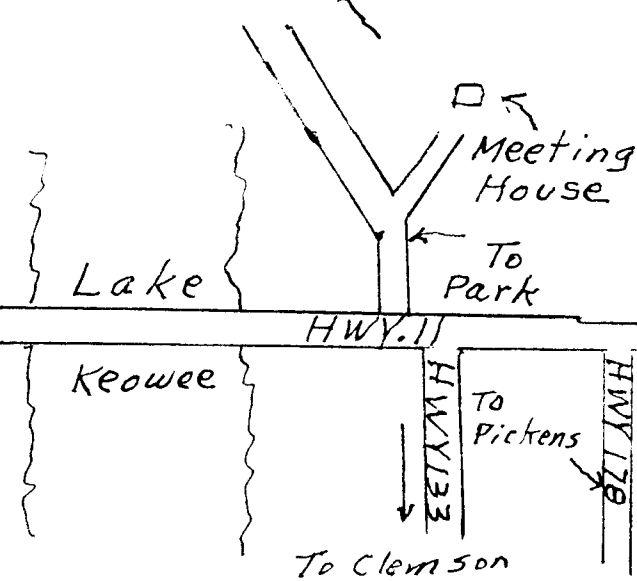
**MEETINGS**

The first meeting of the fall season will be our customary covered dish supper at 6 PM Sunday September 16 at Keowee-Toxaway State Park. Members are welcome to bring their spouse or other guests. Please bring one large or two small covered dishes and your own eating utensils. The chapter will furnish ice, paper plates, paper cups and cola drinks.

**TO GET THERE FROM CLEMSON:**--Follow Rte. 133 north thru Six Mile to Rte 11. Turn left a short way to the park entrance on the right and turn right to the MEETING HOUSE which is on the right fork of a Y in the road. Parking lot in the rear.

**ADVANCE NOTICE.** Beginning with October, our meetings will (except for special occasions) be at the meeting room in the South Carolina National Bank on Highway 123 nearly across from the Holiday Inn. See sketch.

**SPECIAL TREAT.** In November, we will have as a special speaker Mr. Ronald A. Bremer from Salt Lake City, Utah. He is a widely known genealogist and genealogical speaker.



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## BOOK REVIEW

1868 Voter Registration, Oconee and Pickens Cos., SC. Transcription and Introduction by Peggy Burton Rich and Frederick C. Holder for Pendleton Chapter, South Carolina Genealogical Society, 1990. Privately printed Clemson, SC. Soft cover, 8 1/2 x 11, Zeroxed, 54 pp.+20 pp. Introduction, indexed. Order from Pendleton Chapter, South Carolina Genealogical Society, William C. Whitten, 101 Cherokee Road, Clemson, SC 29631. Cost \$10.00 each copy including postage and handling.

This book is a major resource for historians, genealogists and the general public seeking information on voter registration and reconstruction in Oconee and Pickens Counties, SC.

The 1868 list of registered voters for these counties was secured from the South Carolina Department of Archives, Columbia, SC and appears to be the first extant list identifying voters by race. The list is divided into Military Districts, Regimental Precincts and Electoral Precincts. A map of Pickens District showing Electoral Precincts provides a means for locating registered voters.

This book contains not only the data implied by the its title but also a 20 page introduction containing an extensive coverage of the confusion attending the complexities of the 1867-8 voter registration in South Carolina. Researchers will find the explanation of events during that period and reprint and abstracts of notable documents particularly valuable. The origin and function of Military Precincts are explained for the first time. Using a Pickens District newspaper, the authors have provided reprints of a number of documents (Military Orders for example) dealing with voter registration. In addition, the authors have pointed out select errors and/or exceptions to statements in some of the more notable books pertaining to reconstruction in South Carolina.....statements which might lead researchers astray. Using Oconee and Pickens Counties as working models, the authors have attempted to provide information which might be applied by historians and genealogists to any area of South Carolina.

Edwin H. Vedder

## Q U E R Y

MERRITT  
WILLIAMS  
GARVIN  
MADDEN

Searching family and descendants of NATHANIEL MERRITT. b. Ca. 1750 in North Carolina, d. Ca. 1848, wife unknown, came to Pendleton District near Pickens ----"on the west side of the 15 Mile Branch of the Savannah River Ca. 1799". Had three children----Elisha William, b. 6 Aug. 1799, d. 28 Aug 1896, m. Anna Mahaley Garvin; Sarah Williams; Temperance Williams, b, Ca. 1805, m. Ezekiel Madden, b. Ca. 1798. Will exchange information about Nathaniel and Elisha Merritt, Anna Mahaley Garvin Merritt and Temperance Merritt Madden. Who was Nathaniel's wife, where buried? What happened to Sarah Williams Merritt?  
Editors note:-As to Temperance Merritt Madden, see family 247 of 1850 census in this NEWSLETTER.

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

House	Family	Name	Age	Sex	Occupation	Estate	Birth
215	215	Daniel Alexander	30	M	Farmer	200	SC
		Jane Alexander	31	F			SC
		Sarah F. "	8	F			SC
		Nancy A. "	6	F			SC
		Mary E. "	4	F			SC
		James Alexander	2	M			SC
216	216	Jonathan Boilding	44	M	Farmer	500	SC
		Rebecca Boilding	38	F			SC
		Adaline Boilding	19	F			SC
		Millissa Boilding	12	F			SC
		John F. Boilding	16	M	Laborer		SC
		James M. Boilding	15	M	Laborer		SC
		David P. Boilding	14	M			SC
		Green B. Boilding	12	M			SC
		Wm. N. Boilding	9	M			SC
		Geo. W. Boilding	6	M			SC
		Marvel Boilding	5	M			SC
		Elizabeth J. "	3	F			SC
		Elander C. "	1	F			SC
		A baby	-				
217	217	Robt. Scott	32	M	Farmer	100	SC
		Lucinda Scott	40	F			SC
		Frances Scott	19	F			SC
		Barbery Scott	17	M			SC
		Perry Scott	15	M			SC
		Mary Scott	10	F			SC
		Marzillia Scott	7	F			SC
		Sarah Beazeal	60	F			SC
218	218	Wm. I. Newton	48	M	Farmer	500	SC
		Jemimah Newton	53	F			SC
		Nathan H. Newton	21	M	Farmer		SC
		Jane Newton	16	F			SC
		Joel B. Newton	13	M			SC
		John T. Newton	11	M			SC
		Isaac Newton	10	M			SC
219	219	Gideon Ellis, Jr.	26	M	Farmer	1200	SC
		Susan A. Ellis	23	F			SC
		Sarah E. Ellis	1	F			SC
220	220	Riley Durham	21	M	Farmer		SC
		Elizabeth Durham	24	F			SC
		Sarah E. Durham	2	F			SC
		John Durham	2/12	M			SC

239	239	Geo. F. Wigginton	9	M			SC
		Willington C.	7	M			SC
		Mary A. Z.	3	F			SC
		Martha E.	1	F			SC
		Elizabeth	58	F			SC
		Mary A. A.					
240	240	Daniel Nix	23	M	Farmer	150	SC
		Elizabeth A. Nix	23	F			SC
		Letitia M. Nix	4	F			SC
		Mary A. Nix	2	F			SC
		Phoebee Nix	17/12	F			SC
241	241	Tyre Nix	25	M	Farmer	150	SC
		Lettia Nix	25	F			SC
		Tho. B. Nix	1	M			SC
242	242	Mary Blackston	40	F			SC
		Tho. Blackston	17		Laborer		SC
		Martna Blackston	15	F			SC
		Hiram Blackston	12	M			SC
		Judith Blackston	7	F			SC
243	243	Anna Blackston	30	F			SC
		Amanda Blackston	5	F			SC
244	244	Harmon Cox	37	M	Distiller		SC
		Louiza A. Cox	21	F			SC
		Wm. N. Cox	11	M			SC
		Allen T. Cox	8	M			SC
		Mary A. Cox	6	F			SC
		Saran A. Cox	4	F			SC
		Roda I. Cox	2	F			SC
		Louiza M. Cox	6/12	F			SC
245	245	Henry Russell	40	M	Farmer	400	SC
		Sarah A. Russell	27	F			SC
		Lucinda Russell	4	F			SC
		Geo. W. Russell	7/12	M			SC
		Richard Smith	79	M	Farming		VA
246	246	C. H. Brock	37	M	Farming	1000	SC
		Mary I. Brock	23	F			SC
		Joseph M. Brock	3	M			SC
		Joseph Williams	28	M	Laborer		SC
247	247	Ezekiel Madden	52	M	Farming	800	GA
		Temperance W. Madden	45	F			SC
		Thomas E. Madden	19	M	Laborer		SC
		Elisha J. Madden	16	M	Laborer		SC
		Elias M. Madden	15	M	Laborer		SC
		Louiza M. Madden	11	F			SC
		Bluford F. Madden	9	M			SC
		Neoma S. Madden	7	F			SC
		Sarah A. T. Madden	6	F			SC

221	221	James Howard	36	M	Farmer		SC
		Earella Howard	37	F			SC
		Saran I. Howard	7	F			SC
		Wm. F. Howard	6	M			SC
		Mary A. M. Howard	4	F			SC
		Ezikel J. Howard	10/12	M			SC
222	222	James Golden	34	M	Farmer		SC
		Elizabeth Golden	27	F			SC
		Mary W. Golden	6	F			SC
		Wm. F. Golden	4	M			SC
		Eliza I. Golden	2	F			SC
		David S. Golden	1	M			SC
		Marion H. Golden	1/12	M			SC
223	223	Wm. Prince	23	M	Farmer	400	SC
		Mary Prince	19	F			SC
		Martha Prince	2	F			SC
		Jacob W.	5/11	M			SC
		Anna Guiton	31	F			GA
224	224	Dudley Wooten	27	M	Blacksmith		SC
		Elizabeth Wooten	35	F			SC
		Elizabeth Wooten	5	F			SC
		John Wooten	3	M			SC
225	225	James R. Smith	25	M	Farmer		SC
		Manerva Smith	26	F			SC
226	226	Mary Smith	60	F			SC
		Margaret Smith	30	F			SC
		Wm. Smith	28	M	Farmer		SC
		Mary A. Smith	11	F			SC
		Sarah Smith	6	F			SC
		Wm. R. Smith	6	M			SC
227	227	Ambas ? Nix	50	M	Farmer	150	SC
		Mary Nix	48	F			GA
		Mathew Nix	28	M	Farmer		SC
		Robert I. Nix	27	M	Farmer		SC
		Isabell Nix	20	F			SC
		James Nix	16	M	Farmer		SC
228	228	John H. Howard	25	M	Farmer		SC
		Louisa Howard	22	F			SC
		James M. Howard	1	M			SC
229	229	John Head	23	M	Farmer		SC
		Nelly Head	30	F			SC
		Seiana A. Head	10	F			SC
230	230	Slon Riggins	53	M	Farmer	500	NC
		Elizabeth Riggins	30	F			SC
		Catherine Riggins	11	F			SC
		Allen Riggins	9	M			SC
		James Riggins	7	M			SC

247	247	Harriet M. Madden	4	F			SC
		Dennis B. Madden	2	M			SC
248	248	J. N. Arnold	32	M	Farming	100	SC
		Mary Arnold	27	F			SC
		Marcus Arnold	11	M			SC
		Opheia Arnold	9	F			SC
		Lavana Arnold	6	F			SC
		Martha Arnold	3	F			SC
249	249	Chesley Brown	27	M	Farming		SC
		Marian H. Brown	20	F			SC
		Adaline Brown	3	F			SC
		Sarah N. Brown	1	F			SC
250	250	Richard Collins	23	M	Farming	100	SC
		Susannah Collins	47	F			SC
		Amanda Russell	10	F			SC
251	251	D. H. Senemere	35	M	Farming	100	SC
		Melinda "	32	F			SC
		Rebecca T. "	11	F			SC
		Mary I. "	6	F			SC
		Martha E. "	1	F			SC
252	252	Michael Miller	23	M	Blacksmith		SC
		Eli Williams	38	M	Farming		SC
		Susannan Williams	34	F			SC
		Amanda K. Williams	10	F			SC
		Mary M. Williams	7	F			SC
		Martha V. Williams	6	F			SC
		Wm. T. Williams	5	M			SC
		Samuel A. "	2/12	M			SC
253	253	Wm. A. Evatt	23	M	Farming		SC
		Mary Evatt	28	F			SC
		Lydia A. Evatt	11	F			SC
		Mary M. Evatt	7	F			SC
		Martha I. Evatt	5	F			SC
		Margaret W. Evatt	2	F			SC
254	254	James Neal	49	M	Farming	400	SC
		Lidea Neal	32	F			SC
		Rebeca Neal	15	F			SC
		John Neal	14	M			SC
		Wm. Neal	12	M			SC
		David Neal	10	M			SC
		Silas Neal	8	M			SC
		Thompson Neal	4	M			SC
		Charles Neal	22	M	Blacksmith		SC
255	255	David Hopkins	50	M	Farming	800	GA
		Elizabeth Hopkins	48	F			NC
		David F. Hopkins	21	M	Laborer		SC
		Edward A. "	14	M			SC

256	256	Edwin Hollis	20	M	Farming		SC
		Sarah Hollis	21	F			SC
257	257	Abner Russell	48	M	Farming	500	SC
		Lucinda Russell	38	F			SC
		Sarah A. Corbin	8	F			SC
258	258	G. S. Garvin	32	M	Miller		SC
		Mary Garvin	33	F			SC
		Tho. Garvin	12	M			SC
		Martha Garvin	10	F			SC
		Azina Garvin	9	F			SC
		Frederick Garvin	7	M			SC
		Jane Garvin	5	F			SC
		Sam'l Garvin	3	M			SC
		R. P. Landreth	18	M	Laborer		SC
259	259	J. C. McFall	25	M	Farming	2000	SC

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