

JUNE MEETING

JUNE 19th 7:00 PM

Central Library Meeting Room

ALTERNATE MEETING DAY

THURSDAY, BUT AT 7:00 PM

19TH OF JUNE

ED BOLT, OF PICKENS MUSEUM

TO TELL US ABOUT EARLY PICKENS
COUNTY AND THE MANY HAPPENINGS
THAT TOOK PLACE THERE.

Everyone welcome...bring your friends!!!

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From the Minutes of the Welch Neck Baptist Church, on the PeeDee River, in
Darlington County, South Carolina

This Baptist Church membership came out of the State of Delaware about 1737 and formed their church with 20 families.

In reviewing the lists over the years, 1737- 1785, we find many names that passed through this church. On June 15, 1777, we find Amos Pilgrim and Elizabeth, his wife as joining the church. On Feb, 28, 1779, they moved on over into the area of Pendleton District and purchased land.. Elhannon Winchester was pastor there in March 20, 1778, and was called for another year. His wife was Sarah. We find the same people in our area, or at least the same names. This record came out of Some South Carolina County Records, Vol. 2, and is used with permission of Mr. Lucas, who printed the records.

ABOUT OUR SOCIETY

The Old Pendleton District Genealogical Society is a non-profit, (12-35-2120(41) educational society organized for the purposes of uniting people interested in Pickens and Oconee Counties, South Carolina, history and family genealogy, encouraging preservation of records, promoting educational programs, and publishing literature related to local records and genealogies. Our prime aim is to help others to find and identify their ancestors and origins of birthplace.

Our genealogical and historical files are housed at the Clayton Room, in Southern Wesleyan University, Central, S. C. 29630

PLEASE NOTE THE FOLLOWING FOR COMPUTER USERS

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The Anderson/Oconee/Pickens SCGenealogy WebSite that is managed by Trace Parsons-Holder at <http://www.rootsweb.com/~scpicken/> is being confused with the ones run by the GenWeb organization... It appears that many of your members don't understand the difference between the two WebSites. This probably goes back to the days when the OPDGS website incorrectly linked her URL address to the Pickens GenWeb Page reference.

Could you put a note in your club bulletin that clarifies the difference between these two WebSites?

- 1) GenWeb is world-wide organization.
- 2) Counties are managed by GenWeb Coordinators.
- 2) GenWeb storage archives is permanent.
- 3) GenWeb has rules & regulations governing data donations.

Anderson GW = <http://www.rootsweb.com/~scander2/>

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Pickens GW = <http://www.rootsweb.com/~scpicke2/>

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<http://www.rootsweb.com/~scoconee/oconee.html>

Pickens County SC Homestead (Acting Coordinator)
<http://www.rootsweb.com/~scpicke2/>

CRENSHAW FAMILY, continued

Item: I lend unto my beloved wife Elizabeth Smith the plantation whereon I now dwell during her life and then I give and bequeath the same to my son Clemmons Smith to him and his heirs forever.

Item: I give unto my daughters Sarah and Nancey each of them feather beds and furniture. I give to my daughter Patsey Gregory a bed that was lent her.

Item: Also Mary Crenshaw one feather bed lent her.

All the residue and remainder of my estate of what nature and kind so ever it be. I give unto my beloved wife to her own disposal and lastly I constitute my beloved wife Elizabeth Smith my whole and sole executrix of this my Last Will. Confirming this and no other to be my Last Will and Testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this 28 January 1780. Witnessed by C. Crenshaw, James Summon, and Ben Jones. Signed Thomas (X) Smith

~ 10 August 1780, Lunenburg County, Virginia
Will Book 3, Page 59; Shortly after the death of Thomas Smith, husband of Elizabeth Smith and father to Mary Smith Crenshaw, wife of Jesse Crenshaw, Sr.

Last Will and Testament proved by oath of witnesses at a court held for Lunenburg County.

~ 10 May 1781, Lunenburg County, Virginia
Deed Book 13, Page 388; Thomas Crenshaw to Alexander Lester, for the sum of 10,000 pounds current money of Virginia, 250 acres lying on Buzzard Branch bounded by Williams, Woods, Jackson and Jesse Crenshaw.

Recorded, 10 May 1781; Christian Crenshaw (wife) privately interviewed and relinquished her interest in said property.

~ 10 May 1781, Lunenburg County, Virginia
Deed Book 13, Page 391; John Wood to Jesse Crenshaw for the sum of 1000 pounds (current money of Virginia), every part and parcel of 10 acres lying on the north side of Juniper Creek to the west side of Buzzard Branch, bounded by Alexander Lester and Jesse Crenshaw. Witnessed by Robert Beasley, James Reynolds, and Daniel Crenshaw. Signed John Wood

Susanna, the wife of the said John Wood, was privately interviewed and relinquished her interest in the property. Recorded, 19 June 1781

Research Notes

~ -- ----- 1782, Lunenburg County, Virginia
Census of Lunenburg County; Thomas Crenshaw (6 slaves), Jesse Crenshaw (1 slave).

~ 20 July 1786, Lunenburg County, Virginia
Will Book 3, 1778 - 1791, Page 257; Last Will and Testament of Thomas Crenshaw prepared.

"In the name of God, Amen. I, Thomas Crenshaw of the County of Lunenburg, being sick and weak of body but sound and perfect memory in mind, knowing it is ordained once for all men to die, do make and ordain this to be my Last Will and Testament, towith, I recommend my soul to Almighty God who gave it and my body, I recommend to the earth to be buried at the discretion of my executors. Herein after mentioned and as to what worldly estate it has pleased God to bless me with I lend and dispose of it in manner and form following, towith.

Item: I give and bequeath to my son Jesse Crenshaw two hundred and thirty acres of land, being the same, more or less, whereon he now lives. Bounded by the land of John Pettus and the land whereon I now live on the Juniper Creek, to him, my said son Jesse Crenshaw and his heirs forever. Also, I give and bequeath unto my said son Jesse Crenshaw thirty pounds current money of Virginia to make up his land equal in value to that I have given my other sons. To him, my said son Jesse Crenshaw and his heirs forever.

Item: I bequeath unto son Thomas Crenshaw two hundred acres of land, it being part of the grant of land whereon I now live. To be laid off by my executors, herein after named in the following manner, towith on Jesse Crenshaw and the lands of John Pettus (deceased), to him my said son Thomas Crenshaw, of his heirs forever. Also, I give him, my said son Thomas Crenshaw, one horse, saddle and bridle, a feather bed and furniture and a cow and calf to him and his heirs forever.

Item: I give and bequeath unto my son Matthew Crenshaw all the remainder part of the tract of land whereon I now live, to be in his possession after the decease of my wife Christian Crenshaw. To him, my son Matthew Crenshaw and his heirs forever. I likewise give my said son Matthew Crenshaw a house, saddle and bridles, a feather bed and furniture and a cow and calf to him, his heirs and forever.

Item: I lend unto my daughter Christian Griffin one Negro girl named Sal, now in her possession, during her life and if she, my said daughter shall die without, issue the said Negro Sal to return to my estate, to be divided amongst all the rest of my children or their legal representatives but in case my said daughter Christian Griffin should have a child or children, then the said Negro Sal to be equally divided between them, her or them or their legal representatives and their heirs forever.

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Item: I give and bequeath to my daughter Mary Tatom a Negro girl named Dilse to her my said daughter Mary Tatom and her heirs forever.

Item: I give and bequeath unto my daughter Suckey Crenshaw one Negro boy named Michael, one house, saddle and bridle, a feather bed and furniture, a cow and calf and thirty pounds current money of Virginia to her, my said daughter Suckey Crenshaw and heirs forever.

Item: I lend to my loving wife Christian Crenshaw during her life and widowhood the land whereon I now live, except that part thereof devised to my son Thomas Crenshaw which said land lent my wife, so soon as she becomes dispossessed of the same, I give and devise to my son Matthew Crenshaw and heirs forever as aforementioned, all the rest and residue of my estate not already mentioned and lend unto my beloved wife Christian during her widowhood and either decease or marriage, I give the same to be equally divided between all my children, namely Jesse Crenshaw, Daniel Crenshaw, Nathaniel Crenshaw, Christian Griffin, Mary Tatom and Suckey Crenshaw and their legal representatives to them and their heirs forever.

I appoint my sons Jesse Crenshaw, Daniel Crenshaw and Nat Crenshaw executors of this my Last Will and Testament. In witness, whereof I hereunto sit my hand and seal this twentieth day of July, One Thousand Seven Hundred and Eighty Six.

Signed, Sealed and Delivered in presence of Herod Reese, Thomas Crenshaw, Jr., William Smith, Daniel Crenshaw"

~ -- August 1786, Lunenburg County, Virginia
Death of Thomas Crenshaw, son of Joseph and Sarah Crenshaw of Lunenburg County, Virginia.

~ 10 September 1786, Lunenburg County, Virginia
Deed Book 14, Page 367; William Smith to Jesse Crenshaw for the sum of 20 pounds (current money of Virginia), 20 acres lying on the south side of Juniper Creek, bounded by Stembridges, William Smith's plant patch to Breedlove's fork to the great Juniper Creek. Signed William Smith

Mary, the wife of William Smith, was privately interviewed and relinquished her interest in the said property.

Recorded, 14 September 1786

~ -- ----- 1787, Lunenburg County, Virginia
Personal Property Tax List; Thomas Crenshaw, Sr. (deceased), Thomas Crenshaw, Jr.,
Nathaniel Crenshaw, Daniel Crenshaw, Jesse Crenshaw, Christian Crenshaw (not
tithable), Cornelius Crenshaw (deceased, not tithable).

~ 07 September 1790, Lunenburg County, Virginia
Deed Book 16, Page 61; Thomas Crenshaw, Jr. to Sterling Fowlkes for the sum of 210
pounds (current money of Virginia), 100 acres bounded by Martha Crenshaw, Jesse
Crenshaw, John Pettus, Daniel Wilkes. Witnessed by David Wilkes, Banister Wilkes,
Samuel Jennings and James Jennings.

Recorded, 09 December 1790

This land was the legacy to Thomas Crenshaw, Jr. from Thomas Crenshaw, Sr. (Last
Will and Testament).

~ 14 April 1791, Lunenburg County, Virginia
Deed Book 16, Page 104; Nathaniel Dacus and Mary his wife to Jesse Crenshaw for the
sum of 60 pounds current money of Virginia 148 acres situated on the north side of
Juniper Creek. This being the last part adjoining a larger tract of 848 acres previously
sold by Dacus to Lewis Dupree. Bounded by Rocky Branch, Daniel Dupree, and Caron
Bayne. Signed Nathaniel and Mary Dacus

Mary Dacus was privately interviewed and relinquished her interest in the said property.

Recorded, 14 April 1791

~ -- October 1791, Lunenburg County, Virginia
Deed Book 16, Page 173; Jesse and Mary Crenshaw to John Pettus for the sum of 300
pounds (current money of Virginia), 269 acres of land lying on Juniper Creek to Buzzard
Branch, bounded by John Pettus, Sterling Fowlkes, Christian Crenshaw, Cornelius
Crenshaw, William Smith, and Caron Bayne, and Buzzard Branch. Signed Jesse
Crenshaw and Mary (X) Crenshaw

Mary Crenshaw was privately interviewed and relinquished her interest in the said
property.

Recorded, 13 October 1791

This is the legacy to Jesse Crenshaw, Sr. by Thomas Crenshaw, Sr. (Last Will and
Testament). Thomas' wife, Christian Crenshaw is still alive.

~ 13 October 1791, Lunenburg County, Virginia
Deed Book 16, Page 174; Sarah and William Jordan and Sarah his wife to Jesse
Crenshaw for the sum of 20 pounds (current money of Virginia), 10 acres lying on
Juniper Creek to Buzzard Branch, bounded by John Pettus, Buzzard Branch, and Jesse
Crenshaw. Signed Wm Jordan and Sally Jordan. Witnessed by John Pettus, Wm
Tattom, Henry Haney

Recorded, 13 October 1791

Some Wills and Legal Documents From Various Sources Enhanced With Explanations

Book B, Page 152, Pickens County, S.C. MICAJAH ALEXANDER, JR.
Micajah Alexander, Jr, owned 300 acres on waters of Little Eastatoe Creek and joining J. J. Parrott, Mrs Winchester and others. Heirs: Father, Micajah Alexander...left brothers and sisters and their heirs Viz: ELISHA ALEXANDER, JOHN ALEXANDER, ELIZABETH MURPHREE, JERRY J. PARROTT AND WIFE MILLY(Alexander), EPHRAIM GILSTRAP AND WIFE LOUISA. The heirs of MARY CANTRELL, DEC'D, Viz John Cantrell, Statin Cantrell, Bailus Stephens and wife, Louisa, (Cantrell) Micajah Cantrell. Heirs of William Cantrell, dec'd. Heirs of Anna Roberts, dec'd. names and number unknown. Heirs of Melvian Roberts, dec'd, viz Jeremiah Roberts, Louisa Roberts and husband Pinckney Roberts, Millia Ann who married -----, Not given, and Wallis Roberts who reside in Greenville County, S. C.. The other 3 Out Of State, names unknown. Heirs of David Alexander, Dec'd, names unknown and out of State, Heirs of Daniel Alexander, dec'd, viz Micajah Alexander, dec'd, out of state. Children of Isaac Alexander, dec'd IN OCONEE COUNTY, SC. JACOB ALEXANDER, JORDAN ALEXANDER, ELIAS ALEXANDER, ALL IN OCONEE COUNTY. Nancy J Madden, wife of Thomas E. Madden. Heirs of Elizabeth Watson, Viz Danal A James, and Elizabeth Matison In OCONEE COUNTY, and heirs of Melissa Parrott, dec'd, Viz Daniel, Elizabeth and Lavinia Parrott. Dated 13 July 1869.

Explanation: We have long HEARD that this ALEXANDER WAS NOT KIN TO US AND THE OCONEE COUNTY ALEXANDERS WERE NOT PART OF OUR FAMILY..... DON'T YOU BELIEVE IT!!!!!! The ABOVE WILL PROVES THEY WERE PART OF THE ALEXANDER FAMILY. MIGHT NEED TO RE-EVALUATE AND REFIGURE YOUR PEDIGREE CHART....NEEDS AN UPDATE, I BELIEVE!!!

A POSTIVE LOCATION FOR THE SNEED AND WHITMIRE CROWD.....

Book B page 99 Pickens County, S. C. Samuel Albertson owned two tracts of Land, NO. 1, the homeplace on both sides of Little River joining lands of William Whitmire, Phillip Sneed, and others, containing 160 acres. NO 2 on Fiddlers's Creek, waters of Little River joining lands of A.B. Grant (Asbury Bouchillon Grant, Married to Letitia Thomas), William Whitmire and others, containing 120 acres. Heirs: Cythia Albertson, widow. Heirs Eliza Cox, dec'd. JC Albertson and Samuel Cox, Julia A Stephens, Elias F. Albertson. Fell Durham and wife Sarah Cox., Elizabeth E. Albertson. Heirs of J.D. Albertson, dec'd., viz his wife Catherine and 4 children, viz; Lucinda J., Rachel M, Sarah E., and MaryM. Albertson. Joel R Buckheister and wife Nancy M, Malinda B. and J. B. Smith.

This property is in Cheohee Valley. A. B. Grant was postmaster there for a number of Years and the first post office was on Lay Property. Others in this area were the Talley Family, Lee Family, Beaty family, Cowan, Bowie and Sheppard families. The Grant Family, children of "Bush" had the corn mill at Tomasee and is now called Salem where it was located. Wade Hampton Grant ran the mill for years. There are other families there, but too numerous to mention all of them. Andrew Pickens home was in sight

HUDSON FAMILY, continued

Husband: **WILEY M HUDSON #718**

Born: CA 1810 in: GREENVILLE CO SC
 Baptized: in:
 Died: AFT 1866 in:
 Buried: in:
 Other: in:
 Ref: 1850 CENSUS Occupation: FARMER
 Father: BURRELL VARDRY HUDSON #677
 Mother: SARAH WASHINGTON YEARGIN #678
 1860 CENSUS PICKENS CO. LISTS W. HUDSON 50, LUCINDA 49, EDWARD G. 26, JAMES 19, THOMAS J. 17, AND AMANDA 9. 1860 CENSUS DOES NOT LIST PAUL, JOHN OR MALINDA, WHO MARRIED A Mr McDOWELL. BOOK B, PAGE 97, OF PICKENS CO REAL ESTATE RECORDS, NAMES E.H. (E.G) HUDSON, JOHN M HUDSON, F.J. HUDSON, AMANDA L HUDSON, MALINDA McDOWELL CHILDREN AND LEGAL HEIRS OF W.M. HUDSON. DATE 27 AUG 1866. BELIEVE E.H. IS COPY ERROR, AND SHOULD BE E.G. HUDSON. WYLIE IS NOT FOUND AFTER 1860 IN CENSUS, THE REAL ESTATE RECORD (1866) IMPLIES HE IS ALIVE. BELIEVE HE DIED IN PICKENS CO. SC

Wife: **LUCINDA WILSON #719**

Married: CA 1830 in: GREENVILLE CO SC
 Ceremony: Divorced/Annulled/Separated: Year:

Born: CA 1812 in: GREENVILLE CO SC
 Baptized: in:
 Died: 1860-1863 in: PICKENS COUNTY SC
 Buried: in:
 Other: in:
 Ref: 1850 CENSUS Occupation:
 Father:
 Mother:
 SOME RESEARCHERS HAVE LUCINDA AS A GREEN. IT NOW APPEARS THAT LUCINDA, WIFE OF WYLEY, IS NOT THE DAUGHTER OF GEORGE GREEN. HIS DAUGHTER LUCINDA MARRIED THOMAS PARKS HUDSON, SON OF LUNSFORD HUDSON. I BELIEVE LUCINDA, WIFE OF WYLEY, TO BE THE DAUGHTER OF BENNETT WILSON. COURT CASE IN SPARTANBURG COUNTY SC JAN 1863 LIST WYLEY AND CHILDREN. LUCINDA DIED EARLIER. ALSO LISTED JESSE WOFFORD'S CHILDREN (CLARISSA WILSON WOFFORD DEC'D)

M Child 1 **PAUL HUDSON #720**

Born: CA 1832 in: GREENVILLE CO SC
 Baptized: in:
 Died: in:
 Buried: in:
 Other: in:
 Ref: Occupation:
 PAUL NOT FOUND IN 1860 CENSUS OF PICKENS CO SC, AND MAY HAVE PERISHED IN THE WAR BETWEEN THE STATES.

M Child 2 **EDWARD GREEN HUDSON #721**

Born: CA 1834 in: GREENVILLE CO SC
 Baptized: in:
 Died: 26 FEB 1865 in: ELMIRA, NEW YORK PRISON.
 Buried: in:
 Other: in:
 Ref: 1860 CENSUS Occupation:
 MAY BE "EPHRAIM" GREEN HUDSON, "CPL", FOUND IN CO "C", 1ST RIFLES (INF) REGIMENT. MILITARY RECORD STATES HE ENLISTED AT AGE 25, FOR THREE YEARS OR WAR, AT "CAMP PICKENS (SANDY SPRINGS, ANDERSON DIST) BY B.F. SLOAN, LIEUTENANT. HE WAS LISTED AS 4TH SERGEANT IN MARCH 1863, 3RD SGT THRU 28 JULY 1864. HE WAS CAPTURED AT MALVERN HILL, VA, AND SENT TO ELMIRA, NY 16 DEC 1864. HE WAS WOUNDED IN RIGHT THIGH BY "MINNIE BALL", AND DIED 26 FEB 1865, OF "VARIOLA" (SMALLPOX). HE WAS ALTERNATELY LISTED AS "EDWARD" AND "EPHRAIM" HUDSON. HAD MEDICAL BOOKS.

COURTESY:
 JANET LEE HUDSON CRUMP
 101 CRESCENT CIRCLE
 FOUNTAIN INN, S.C. 29644

M Child 3 **JOHN MONROE HUDSON #722**

Born: 25 AUG 1836 in: GREENVILLE CO SC
 Baptized: in:
 Died: 04 NOV 1917 in: OCONEE CO SC
 Buried: OLD LIBERTY BAPTIST CHURCH in: OCONEE CO SC
 Other: in:
 Ref: 1860 CENSUS Occupation: COURT CRIER, FARMER
 Spouse: ELIZABETH J. RICE/WINN #1950 b. 28 NOV 1847 d. 30 JAN 1931
 Married: CA 1869 in: SOUTH CAROLINA
 Ceremony: Divorced/Annulled/Separated: Year:
 1900 CENSUS, OCONEE CO SC, LISTED AS JOHN M HUDSON, AGE 63, WITH JOHN ARNOLD, AGE 67, BOTH WIDOWED. BELIEVE THIS JOHN ENLISTED 1 JUL 1862, PICKENS COURT HOUSE, FOR THREE YEARS OR WAR, IN CO "C" ORR'S RIFLES, BY LT BERRY SLOAN, LISTED MISSING, 14 JUL 1863, "FALLING ROCK", VA. PRISONER OF WAR JAN 1864. EXCHANGED 18 FEB 1865, BALTIMORE, MD. PENSION APPLICATION 1912, FILED BY SOLDIER GIVES MILITARY UNIT. JOHN FILED IN OCONEE COUNTY, SC. RELATIONSHIP OF JOHN ARNOLD STATED AS SON, BUT DOUBTFULL. AGE OF JOHN ARNOLD QUESTIONABLE ALSO.

F Child 4 **NANCY MALINDA HUDSON #723**

Born: 26 JUN 1837 in: GREENVILLE CO SC
 Baptized: in:
 Died: 03 MAY 1876 in: MACON CO NC
 Buried: SUGAR FORK BAPTIST CHURCH in: MACON CO NC
 Other: in:
 Ref: 1860 CENSUS Occupation:
 Spouse: JOHN BUTLER McDOWELL #1771 b. CA 1828 d. CA 1867
 Married: CA 1860 in: GREENVILLE CO SC
 Ceremony: Divorced/Annulled/Separated: Year:
 BOOK B, PAGE 94, PICKENS COUNTY SC LISTS MALINDA McDOWELL AS DAU OF W.M. HUDSON. REAL ESTATE RECORDS, DATED 27 AUG 1866, PERSONAL CHECK OF SUGAR FORK BAPTIST ON 8 JUNE 1997, REVEALS NANCY MALINDA HUDSON McDOWELL BROWN, IS BURIED THERE, AS NANCY M BROWN, IN THE McDOWELL PLOT, ALSO BURIED AT SUGAR FORK CHURCH, MACON CO N.C.. JOHN BUTLER McDOWELL, 1860-1933, SUSIE CATHERINE, HIS WIFE, 1862-1935, ALSO ADJACENT, MARVIN McDOWELL, 11 FEB 1902, 13 JAN 1966, NO WIFE SIGNS, ALSO: FRANK W. McDOWELL, (8 MAY 1888-28 APR 1954) AND CORA C. (13 SEP 1889-1 MAY 1971).

M Child 5 **JAMES HUDSON #724**

Born: CA 1841 in: GREENVILLE CO SC
 Baptized: in:
 Died: in:
 Buried: in:
 Other: in:
 Ref: Occupation:
 THIS MAY BE JAMES P HUDSON, WHO ENLISTED 15 AUG 1861, GREENVILLE CO SC, AS PRIVATE, AND SERVED IN CO A, 3RD BATTALION, PALMETTO. NAME MAY BE F. JAMES HUDSON.

M Child 6 **THOMAS JEFFERSON HUDSON #725**

Born: CA 1844 in: GREENVILLE CO SC
 Baptized: in:
 Died: in:
 Buried: in:
 Other: in:
 Ref: 1860 CENSUS Occupation:
 Spouse: MARTHA JANE FRICKS #2411 b. 15 FEB 1854 d. 19 JUN 1927
 Married: CA 1872 in: PICKENS CO SC
 Ceremony: Divorced/Annulled/Separated: Year:
 BELIEVE HE MARRIED MARTHA JANE FRICKS, B 15 FEB 1854, D 19 JUN 1927, BURIED WEST VIEW CEMETERY, CITY OF EASLEY. STONE ENSCRIBED WIFE OF T.J. HUDSON (NOT HERE). BASE OF STONE ENSCRIBED "E.W.H.", 1874-1937, PROBABLY A CHILD IN SAME AREA: JOHN D CARROLL, B 10 JUN 1871, D 8 DEC 1937; ELIZABETH HUDSON, B 2 SEP 1878, D 12 FEB 1958, WIFE, ALSO BURIED NEARBY; W.T. HUDSON, B 9 MAY 1870, D 23 JUN 1929, AND LIZZIE HUDSON B 5 JUN 1880, D 16 JUN 1904, W/O W.T. HUDSON. 1860 CENSUS PICKENS COUNTY SC.

F Child 7 **AMANDA C HUDSON #1497**

Born: CA 1851 in: PICKENS COUNTY SC
 Baptized: in:
 Died: in:
 Buried: in:
 Other: in:
 Ref: 1860 CENSUS Occupation: PICKENS CO SC.

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Sunset, SC 29685
6 May 2003

Dear Margarette,

Your phone call re my piece was appreciated and enjoyed. Unfortunately, in addition to being old (88) and physically disabled; I am also hearing impaired. Phone conversations are very unproductive. While I can retain the general tenor, details are elusive.

Consequently, I am forced to use the written word. I am appreciative of the burden this places on my correspondents and readily offer my apologies.

I gathered from our conversation that you are like many of the Pendleton District, Pickens County folk; kin to everybody. A neer-do-well cousin, well in his cups, in mid-thirties had this to day, "When I walk down Main Street Pickens, I am kin to every second person I meet". I also fall into that category.

Some of my lines are fully documented. Others are a mix of tradition and documentation. In no particular order, some lines follow:

1. John Bowie & unknown > Abraham and Unknown > John and Elizabeth Brawner Bowie > Rhodi and Ann Price Bowie > Eli and Katherine Franklin Bowie > Henry Brawner and Matilda McKee Bowie > George Franklin and Harriet Nimmons Bowie > George Franklin and Emma Grace Lewis Bowie > George Franklin Bowie (Me).

2. Charles & Nancy Freeman Lay > Mary "Polly" Lay and Isaac Anderson . Hester Anderson and William Major Nimmons > Mary Harriet Nimmons & George Franklin Bowie. (See Bowie Line to continue)

3. John and Unknown Lewis > John and (1st) Priscilla Brooks, (2nd) Elizabeth Mcgrath Lewis > David and Ann Beeson Lewis > Jacob and Ailsie Leonard Lewis > James and Mary Stewart Lewis > John Tarleton and Eliza Emmalissa Robertson Lewis > Jesse Jacob and Azalea Ann Griffin Lewis > Emma Grace Lewis and George Franklin Bowie (See Bowie Line to continue).

4. William and (1st) Sarah Kirksey, (2nd) Elizabeth Stroud Griffin > Sargent and Averilla Barton Griffin > Elihu Holby and Ann Ambler Griffin > James Ambler and Zilpha Ann Allgood Griffin > Azalea Ann Griffin and Jesse Jacob Lewis > Emma Grace Lewis and George Franklin Bowie (See Lewis and Bowie Lines to continue).

I was much interest to hear your remarks relative to Jeremiah Field and would be pleased to hear what you have on him, his antecedents and descendants. He was a larger than life individual who cut a wide swath in Northwestern Pickens County owning large amounts of land in the area Eastatoee Valleys and the Jocassee Gorges. As far as I know, I am not related to Jeremiah. My interest is that some knowledge of his life and time might lead to the identity the Andersons, John and Isaac. For a time, prior to his first wife's death his home place property adjoined that of Isaac and Mary Lay Anderson. After death of his wife, Jeremiah sold the 1542 acre plantation to Isaac Anderson reserving by easement a four square road (rod?) parcel for a family burying ground.

The original Field parcel is now occupied by the Field-Anderson-Nimmons Cemetery. Isaac, Mary and many descendants are interred there. The cemetery is situated on property that has successively known as The Bill Nimmons Place, The Mack Reeves Place, The Bess Reeves Ellenburg Place and is now owned by Mr. and Mrs. Brett Dalton.

Thanks again for all your help.

Ciao!



Subj: **Newsletter Information**
Date: 4/12/2003 9:48:53 AM Eastern Daylight Time
From: tomsmith@shelby.net
To: MarSwank@aol.com, lcushing@hartcom.net
Sent from the Internet (Details)

I just uncovered that Rev. Basil Smith's wife's maiden name, which has been a mystery for a lot of Smith researchers. I was looking over William Slaton's estate file and discovered where Basil Smith signed for some money coming from the estate of George Slaton. The administrator of William Slaton's estate had been appointed Basil' Power of Attorney to collect this for him. I had supposed that George Slaton went to either Georgia or TN. I looked under Genealogy.com under Slaton and found where George Slaton had an estate settlement in Jackson County Ga around 1837. Basil Smith was listed as having a voucher in the settlement. In the family history someone had entered, they showed George Slaton having a daughter Milly b. 1800 married to a Boyd Smith, which is incorrect. Amelia (Milly) was born in 1773 in Va. and married Basil Smith, who was born 1772 in Ga. William Slaton was a brother to Milly, and one of Basil's sons, Phillip Porter Smith, married a daughter of William Slaton, Jane Slaton. Caleb Cartee married Elizabeth, another daughter of William Slaton.

Based on this information I believe my ancestor George S. Smith, son of Basil and Milly, was named after George Slaton and his middle name was probably Slaton. Phillip Porter Smith's son William S. Smith probably had the same middle name, Slaton.

Another interesting note is that George Slaton had property in 1790 period on both sides of Little Beaverdam Creek and Joseph Smith had land grants on the upper end of Big Beaverdam Creek. This makes me more convinced that Basil was the son of Joseph and Elizabeth Smith.

If anyone has or acquires copies of George Slaton's estate settlement, I would love to have a copy.
Tom

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SEPARATING FACT AND FICTION OR THE EXPERIENCES OF AN UNLEARNED AMATEUR GENEALOGIST

The transition from retired but active dabbler farmer, rancher and gardener to a disabled home confined couch potato was traumatic. For a while reading every obtainable periodical and book occupied time and preserved sanity.

Previous to becoming disabled I had spent much time sitting with my aged father and had been entertained by his long and fascinating discourses about kinfolk. Relating some of his information to my children during their visits sparked a genuine interest in our family history and I succumbed to the urge "write it up".

Aware that my opportunity for research was severely limited; I constructed lineage charts to show descent of direct descendants from earliest known forebear down to the present. Happily, I was able to glean information from some twenty contributors to our gene pool.

Naively, I accepted oral history and traditional family lore is real fact. Imagine my consternation and embarrassment to learn that family tradition is often belied by documented fact.

My injured feelings were somewhat mollified when I learned that expert genealogists sometimes go astray. A most respected researcher erred when he recorded the first of my Bowie ancestors emigrated from Scotland and settled in Charles County, Maryland in the early 1700s. Passage of time and the efforts of another researcher proved the author to have erred by one generation and some fifty years.

Following the completion and publication of the gene pool project, I began to receive phone calls, personal visits and written requests seeking information about my great great grandfather, Isaac Anderson, and other kin. Such attention stoked my ego and I began to imagine that I was a respected family historian. Later I found that two factors were responsible for all the attention.

Before long I came to realize that being one of the "oldest rats in the barn" encouraged inquiries. Contributive, also, was the fact that I own and occupy a very small portion of the Isaac Anderson's Estate. By association with more competent family historians, I learned that my little corner of Heaven was owned for a time by my great great great Grandpa, Charles Lay who arrived in Pendleton District in time to be counted in the 1790 Census.

Documents presented by a competent family historian, who is also descended from Charles Lay and Isaac Anderson, disputed traditional family lore that had been told, retold and accepted as fact for more than 100 years. Per tradition, Grandpa Anderson was born in Augusta County, Virginia, mother county to many early Pendleton County pioneers. This ancestor was reported to be the son of a Revolutionary War Captain and nephew to two brothers, also Revolutionary war Veterans.

Tradition told that my ancestor's mother died when he was a baby. His father moved to a Kentucky land grant and left his son to be reared by grand parents. After the American Revolution, the two uncles moved to Pendleton District, settled in what is now upper Anderson County. In fact Anderson County was so named to honor one of them. As a young man my ancestor is said to have visited his uncles and with a great aunt, who with her husband resided in Big Eastatoee Valley in what is now Pickens County.

Still recounting tradition, our young man met, became enamored by the red haired daughter of the great aunt's neighbor. Romance ruling, he married Mary Lay, and began housekeeping on land acquired from his in-laws.

A Lay-Freeman-Anderson descendant has traced and documented our great great great grandfather's lineage back to Virginia's Spotsylvania County, Virginia. This ancestor arrived in Pendleton district by way of Surry County, North Carolina in time to be counted in the 1790 Census. His Freeman spouse has been traced back to East Coast, Virginia in the mid-1600s.

Most of the Isaac Anderson lineage reported prior to his marriage to Mary Lay as related above and accepted by most is at variance with fact. Why and how the myth was formulated is a mystery. Also astounding; the story was being recounted by second generation descendants.

Information that can be documented follows: next to nothing is known about the Anderson ancestors' history prior to 1800. Examination of land transfer documents offer evidence that the father, John Anderson, was a resident of Pendleton District-Pickens County prior 1798. A deed dated 20 October 1838, witnessed by a grandson, states the property was surveyed 11 October 1798. Much research by many with like surnames has not provided creditable evidence as to the identity of his spouse nor siblings of the one identified son.

Documenting the life and times of Isaac and Mary Anderson and their many descendants after 1800 does not present many real problems. The information prior to 1800 and recounted above is definitely untrue. Investigation will continue but little hope exists for more factual data.

Compiled by George F. Bowie, Jr. with assistance from Alice Freeman Hills.

Seeking Information About These

CONFEDERATE Soldiers

of Pickens District, SC



J. T. Lidell (1837-1902) was a son of George W. Lidell (1787-1861) and Rebecca Clara Lidell (1806-1883). He enlisted in Co. E, 1st S. C. Rifles (Orr's Regt.) when he was 24 years of age. He was discharged from the CSA during the Civil War. His wife was Julia Lidell (1850-1887). They were buried in the Lidell Family Cemetery, situated between Seneca and Newry in Oconee County, S. C.

Edward Franklin Ligon was born on 3 Jan 1843 and was a son of John Townes Ligon, Sr. (1792-1857) and Frances Elizabeth (Young) Ligon (1808-1891). He served to the rank of 1st sergeant in Co. K, 16th South Carolina Volunteers (Inf.). Four of his brothers also served in the Confederate States Army.

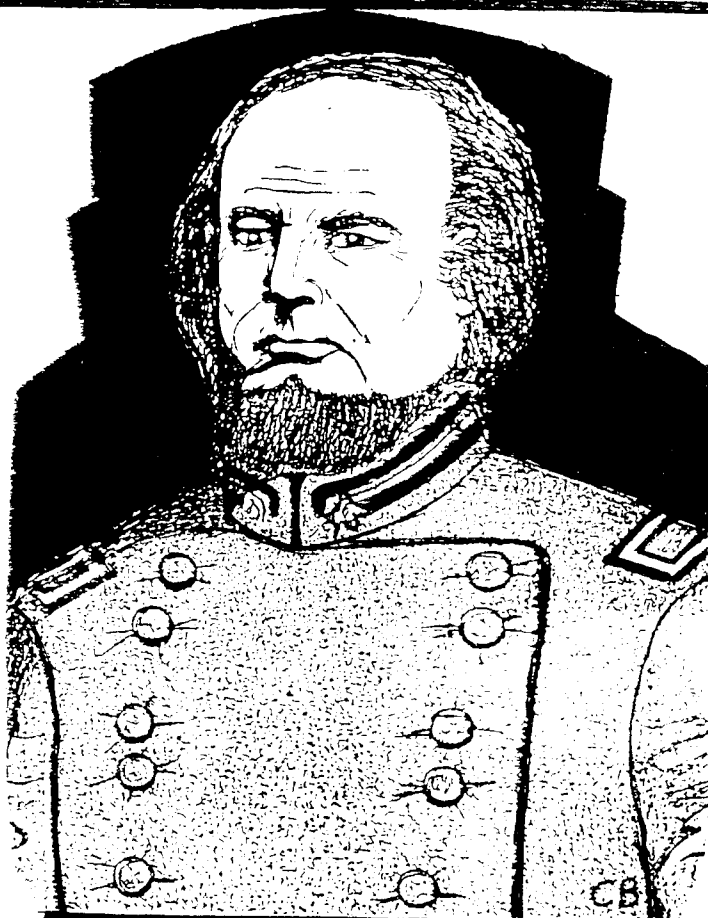
James H. Ligon (1837-1913) was buried in East View Cemetery in Westminster S. C. During the Civil War, he was a member of several cavalry units, including Co. A, 1st S. C. Cavalry. His wife was Julia Ann Ligon (1842-1930), who was a recipient of a pension in the 1930s, at which time she resided in Westminster township of Oconee County, South Carolina.

John Townes Ligon, Jr. was born on 24 Mar 1839. He served in Co. K, 2nd South Carolina Cavalry and survived the Civil War. On 3 Jun 1866 he married Emma Southern. Four of his brothers also served in the CSA.

Thomas Jefferson Ligon served in Co. K, 16th South Carolina Volunteers (Inf.) and was ruptured while in the CSA. In 1901 he resided in Sunny-

dale township of Pickens County, SC, and was receiving a Civil War pension

James Blackman Ligon (1837-1908) was a brother of Thomas Jefferson Ligon and James Henry Grace Ligon, both of whom also served in the CSA. Their parents were John Townes Ligon, Sr. and Frances Elizabeth (Young) Ligon. This Confederate soldier served in



Colonel James Lawrence Orr

(1822-1873)

Commanding Officer, 1st South Carolina Rifles, C.S.A.



Co. I, Hampton Legion in which he was a first lieutenant.

William Butler Ligon (1841-1902) was a member of Co. C, 1st South Carolina Artillery. He survived the Civil War and married Ellen Smith on 14 Jan 1866. The wedding was performed by the Rev. William Ballard. This Confederate veteran died in 1902 in Pickens, S. C., at the home of Sheriff J. H. G. McDaniel, leaving a wife and seven children in Texas.

Robert Burns Lindsey (1847-1902) was in his teens when he served in Co. D, 4th Battalion S. C. Reserves. He married Frances Precilla "Fann" Neely (1859-1935). This Confederate veteran was buried in Westview Cemetery in Walhalla, South Carolina.

William K. (or R.) Lindsey (1844-1909) was a Confederate soldier who was a member of Co. K, 3rd South Carolina Infantry. After the Civil War, he went to the town of Central in Pickens County, S. C., and opened a shop for the repair of watches, clocks, jewelry and optical instruments. His wife was Elizabeth H. Lindsey (1841-1923), whose first husband was Anderson Burns Hays, a Confederate soldier who lost his life during the war. William K. (or R.) Lindsey was buried in Mt. Zion Cemetery in Central, S. C.

Arthur Linning served as a private in Co. C, 4th S. C. Cavalry, from which he was transferred to Co. K of the same regiment in 1864.

Daniel Littleton (1837-1911) Married Bethany Guinn (1837-1916) on 5 Jan 1860. Later, he served as a private in Co. G, 12th South Carolina Infantry. Still later, he became a Baptist minister. In the early 1900s, he resided in Salem township of Oconee County, S. C. He was a recipient of a Civil War pension at that time.

Elijah Littleton resided west of the Keowee River in what today is Oconee County, South Carolina. He lost his

life at Sharpsburg, Maryland, during the Civil War.

John Thomas Littleton was a son of William and Sarah (Alexander) Littleton. He died of disease while serving in Co. G, 12th South Carolina Infantry. His widow was Mary (Moody) Littleton who later married Harlan Rochester.

William Littleton, Jr. served along with his father in Co. G, 12th South Carolina Infantry. They resided in the western division of Pickens District, S. C.

William Littleton, Sr. fell victim to disease and died in September 1862 while serving alongside his father in Co. G, 12th South Carolina Infantry. (Question: Was his wife Polly (McWhorter) Littleton?)

William Lody (or Loden) was a private in Co. K, 12th S. C. Infantry.

R. Loftis served as a private in Co. B, 1st S. C. State Troops for six months between August 1863 and February 1864.

J. B. Logan (1829-1914) was a son of John A. Logan who died at age 92 near Tunnel Hill in what today is Oconee County, S. C. This Confederate soldier served in Co. C, 1st S. C. Rifles (Orr's Regt.). In 1902 he was a recipient of a Civil War pension in Oconee Co., S. C. In the 1930s, his widow, Susan Logan, was receiving a pension based on her husband's service during the Civil War.

John B. Loggins was a private in Co. C, 1st S. C. Rifles (Orr's Regt.). He enlisted when he was twenty-six years of age. He survived the war.

M. Emmett Loggins enlisted in Co. C, 1st S. C. Rifles at the age of 25 years. He died of disease during the war at Richmond, Virginia.

Andrew Long was born about 1845, and he served in Co. K, 12th S. C. Inf. He was a son of William Long (b. ca

Henry F. Long was born on 10 August 1844. He served in Co. K, 12th S. C. Infantry. In 1899 his name was listed on the Civil War pension roll of Oconee County, S. C. This soldier's wife was Mahala A. Long (1844-1906). In 1901 he resided at Fort Madison township in Oconee Co., S. C., and was a recipient of a pension. At that time his age was listed as 60 years on pension records. This Confederate veteran was buried at Holly Springs Baptist Church in Oconee County, S. C.

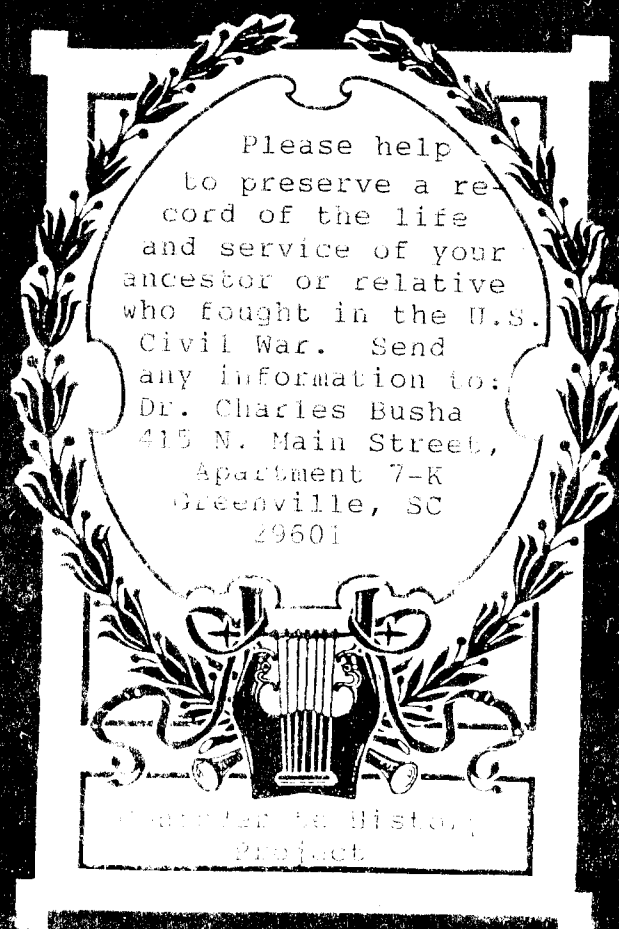
Henry Watkins Long was a private in Co. K, 12th S. C. Infantry. In 1930 he resided in Walhalla township of Oconee County, S. C., and was a recipient of a Civil War pension. This Confederate veteran died on 28 Jun 1931 and was buried at Rocky Knoll Baptist Church in Oconee County, South Carolina.

J. T. Long attended the annual Confederate Day celebration held in June at Pickens, S. C., until his death. He resided on a farm in the Brushy Creek township near the Anderson-Pickens county line.

Mesiah Long enlisted in Co. E, 1st South Carolina Rifles (Orr's Regt.) at the age of forty-five years. He was discharged from the CSA during the Civil War. His wife was Sarah Long (b. ca 1815). This soldier's son, Roland Long, also served in the CSA (see below).

Roland Long (1842-1903) was a son of Messiah Long (see above). He served in Co. K, 12th S. C. Infantry and survived the Civil War. In 1901 he resided in Westminster township of Oconee County, S. C., and received a pension. His age was recorded then as sixty-two years on pension records. This veteran's wife was Sarah A. (Collins) Long (1850-1925).

Thomas D. Long married Susan H. Perry (1840-1907) on 4 May 1858 at a wedding ceremony performed by the Rev. Richard Furman. He served as a member of Co. F, 1st S. C. Rifles



(Orr's Regt.) and was promoted from the rank of sergeant to 2nd lieutenant during the war. This soldier survived the North-South conflict. He was buried in the Terrell-Perry Family Cemetery in Oconee Co., SC.

William B. Long died at the age of 20 on 4 July 1862 at Dill Spring, VA. His death was caused by disease. His widow was Jemima (Smith) Long, daughter of Washington and Elizabeth "Betsy" Smith who resided on waters of Whetstone Creek in Pickens Dist., South Carolina (now Oconee County).

J. M. Looney served in Co. E, 4th S. C. Volunteers (Inf.). (This man cannot otherwise be identified; is it possible that he is Thomas Milton Looney?)

Joseph Taylor Looney died from battle wounds while being held by Federals in a prisoner-of-war camp. He had enlisted as a private in Co. E, 4th S. C. Volunteers. Later he served

as a private in Co. B, Palmetto Sharpshooters. He was wounded and captured at Williamsburg, Virginia. This Confederate soldier was a son of Andrew Jackson Looney (1808-1861) and Margaret Ann (Cleveland) Looney (1818-1861).

Thomas Milton Looney was born on 15 Sept 1841 in Pickens District, S. C. He served as a 2nd lieutenant in Co. K, 4th Georgia Infantry Reserves. On 28 Aug 1866 he married Nancy Catherine Eskew of Franklin County, Georgia, and the couple had two children, John Martin Looney (b. 1867) and William Luke Looney.

Daniel Looper was born 15 Jan 1820. He served in Co. F, 2nd South Carolina Cavalry when he was in his forties. (Is this the man who first married Sarah Ellen Freeman and, after her death in 1856/57, later married his second wife, Elizabeth Looper (28 Jan 1838 - 23 Jul 1906)?) Daniel Looper also served in Co. B, 37th Battalion Virginia Cavalry. He survived the Civil War and died on 29 Jul 1896. He was buried at Nine Forks Baptist Church in Pickens Co., South Carolina.

Jeremiah Looper served as a private in Co. H, 3rd S. C. Reserves between June 1862 and January 1863.

Solomon Looper served as a private in Co. H, 3rd S. C. Reserves between June 1862 and January 1863. On 19 Oct 1919 his wife, Clarinda Emaline Looper, applied for a Civil War widow's pension. At that time she resided in Dacusville township of Pickens County, S. C., where she had lived all of her life. (Was this Confederate soldier a son of Daniel Looper, Sr. (1789-1855) and Joice Looper (b. ca 1795)?)

W. P. (or W. B, or W. M.) Looper died in North Carolina at Averasborough. He left a wife and two children who resided in Pickens District, S. C. He is said to have been buried on the battlefield. (Is this soldier W. P. Looper who served in Co. F, 2nd South Carolina Cavalry?)

Looper (first name unknown). In 1901 Elizabeth P. Looper (b. ca 1838), a resident of the area served by Looper Post Office in Pickens Co., S. C., was a recipient of a Civil War widow's pension.

W. A. Lott served as a private in Co. I, 3rd S. C. Reserves between June 1862 and January 1863. He also served in Co. C, 4th S. C. Cavalry.

Chesley H. Loveless was a member of Co. F, 1st S. C. Rifles (Orr's Regt.). He was killed in action at Sharpsburg during the war.

James Albert Loveless served in the CSA, according to oral tradition. He was born in North Carolina, lived at one time in South Carolina and died in Cobb County, GA. In 1846 he sold his land in Pickens District, S. C., and moved to Cherokee County, Georgia. He was a blacksmith and died in 1867.

Benjamin Marion Lovinggood (1835-1920) married Lucinda Caroline Whitmire (1840-1921) on 10 May 1857. She was a daughter of William G. Whitmire (1796-1885) and Martha J. "Patsy" (McAfee) Whitmire (b. ca 1805 - d. 6 Nov 1887). He served in Co. F of a S. C. Infantry unit (?) and is said to have fought at Mobile Bay in Alabama with the Confederate Navy. He was captured by Federal troops and sent to a prison in Ohio. After the war came to an end, he walked all the way from Ohio to his home in the western division of Pickens Dist., South Carolina.

Benjamin L. Lowery (1844-1913) was a member of Co. E, 1st S. C. Rifles (Orr's Regt.). He resided in the western division of Pickens Dist., S. C. (now Oconee County). He was born 4 May 1844 and died 18 Aug 1913. His last resting place is in Seneca Mountain View Cemetery in Oconee County, South Carolina.

James F. Lowery died of disease on 27 July 1862 at Richmond, Virginia. He was buried in Hollywood Cemetery in the same city.

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Hollingsworth Vandiver, Margaret Watkins, William Watkins 2, John H. Willingham, Samuel Welch, Polly A. White, Josiah Wright, Bartholomew White, Lennard Winters, Jeremiah Wilson.

Administrators Sale by permission of John Harris Esq., Ordinary for Pendleton District. Administrators sale at the late residence of **Naaman Curtis**, deceased on Cravens Ford on Keowee River, the third day of August. Two negro fellows, stock of horses, cattle, hogs and sheep, household and kitchen furniture, plantation tools. Signed by **William Curtis**, administrator.

July 12, 1826

Fourth of July celebration. Pendleton Troop of Cavalry under command of Capt. **Whitner** and Artillery company under command of Lt. **Miller** paraded. Rev. **Dickinson** gave speech at Court House. Declaration of Independence read by Dr. **F. W. Symmes**. A meeting held for relief of Mr. **Jefferson**. At 3 o'clock a company of about 100 persons ate provided by Mr. **Archer**, at which Gen. **Earle** officiated as President and Col. **Robert Anderson** and **Warren R. Davis** Esq. were Vice Presidents. Toasts made by **Capt. D. Sloan Sr.**, **Warren R. Davis** Esq., and **Dr. William Anderson**. Meeting for **Thomas Jefferson** included General **John B. Earle**, Col. **Robert Anderson**, and **Warren R. Davis** Esq. Appointed a committee: **Col. John C. Kilpatrick**, **Mr. Samuel Earle**, **Col. Robert Anderson**, **Col. O. Trimmier**, **Hon. John Wilson**, **Capt. James Thompson**, **Rev. James Douthit**, **Col. Joseph Taylor**, **Major Moody Burt**, **Rev. George Vandiver**, **Mr. James Harrison**, **Robert H. Briggs**, **Dr. John Robertson**, **Mr. John Craig**, **Capt. David Sloan Jr.**, **Andrew Millig**, **Col. George Rankin**, **Enoch B. Benson** and **Warren R. Davis**.

Died on Thursday, the 22nd after a long and painful illness, Mr. **John Barry**, aged about 40 years. He was a native of Virginia, but for many years a respectable inhabitant of this district, and has left a widow and several small children.

Died at the residence of her father on the Beaverdam in this District, on the 2nd inst. Miss **Maria**, second daughter of **Capt. William B. Hull**, aged near eleven years. [*Long obituary.*]

Major **Jesse W. Norris** a candidate for State Legislature from District.

Sheriff's sale announced by **George E. W. Foster**, Sheriff, at Pendleton Court House on the first Monday and Tuesday in August.

- One negro girl, property of **J. Miller Sr.**; execution of **A. E. Whitten**.
- 300 acres whereon **John McCollum** lives joining lands of **Abner Clark**; property of **Daniel McCollum** ads. **David Carter**.
- One four-wheel carriage as property of **Samuel H. Dickson**; execution issued by **James Douthet**, Tax Collector for taxes of **S. H. Dickson**. Also by execution for taxes vs. **S. H. Dickson**, administrator of **M. Dickson**.
- One negro boy named **George** as property of **R. Giles**; execution by **James Douthet** for taxes.

July 19, 1826

Patrick L. Dunlap was executed in Augusta on the 7th inst. for murder of Mr. **Clark**.

Thomas Jefferson died on July 4, 1826.

Capt. **David Sloan Jr.** is candidate for the State Senate.

Sale by **George E. W. Foster**, Sheriff, at Pendleton first Monday and Tuesday in August. Negro man named **York** as property of **Jeremiah Winters**, deceased; sold by virtue of a mortgage given by **Jeremiah Winters** to Mrs. **Mary Story**, deceased at the instance of **C. Story** and **H. Reese**, administrators of **M. Story**.

Reuben Mitchell and **William Mitchell** selling a tract of land 7-10 acres on both sides of Twelve Mile River, six miles from Pendleton. Good dwelling house and outbuildings. Grist mill and distillery.

Andrew McFall posted bond to sell horse. **George Manning**, J. P.

August 2, 1826

Levi Elrod was committed to jail charged with the murder of **Thomas Hackett**. Offense was committed near 20 miles from this Court House.

Committee on premiums to be award by the Pendleton Farmers' Society, on the day after their anniversary, in October 1826, submitted the categories.

Robert Malone of Augusta, GA moving his business.

David Cherry asking patrons to settle accounts.

Advertising for stone masons willing to contract to build a stone dam about six rods in length on a rock shoal across the **Eighteen Mile Creek**. Contact **Joseph Grisham** Esq.

August 9, 1826

Married on Thursday evening last by the Rev. **Anthony W. Ross**, Mr. **Samuel B. Pickens** of Alabama to Miss **Martha T. Anderson**, eldest daughter of Col. **Robert Anderson** of this district.

Col. **David K. Hamilton** is a candidate for State Senate.

Col. **Samuel Warren** is a candidate for State Senate.

Negroes for Sale. Court of Equity. *Ex parte* **Martha Tatum, a Lunatic**. Sold on first Monday in October, a Negro woman about 38 years old and her children, (viz) three boys and three girls, the oldest about 14 and the youngest about two years old. Demands against property about \$250.00. **Joseph V. Shanklin**, C. E. P. D.

For sale 160 acres lying on Twelve Mile River, six miles from village about 40 acres cleared. A dwelling house and other necessary buildings. A horse and wagon taken in part payment. Signed by Edward Cater.

Robert Kell warning persons from trading for note to **William Watson** for \$200 given for a tract of land.

Charleston, SC. Passage from **Belfast, Ireland**. Persons wishing their friends brought out to this country from the above, place, and in first rate ships, do so on application to subscribers. **Magwood, Patterson & Co.**

Andrew N. McFall posted bond to sell horse. **George Manning**, J. P.

August 16, 1826

The Pendleton Auxiliary Bible Society will meet at the Presbyterian Church on Thursday, August 24. Divine service will be performed.

The property of Mr. **Burton** in Augusta was struck by lightning on the 8th inst. and entirely consumed. Cotton was destroyed.

Appointments by Governor. **James L. Clark**, Esq., Q. U. for Richland District, vice **H. A. Quin**, Esq. resigned. **James Thompson**, Esq. Q. U. for Pendleton District, and **Edmund S. Bacon**, Esq. Q. U. for Edgefield District.

Married on Tuesday the 8th inst. by the Rev. **David Humphries**, Capt. **Thomas A. Patrick**, to Miss **Susannah**, daughter of Mr. **Jesse Dobbins**, all of this District.

Charleston Prices as of August 4, 1826.

Advertisement. Wanted to purchase two good yoke of large young oxen. Apply to **E. B. Benson**.

Martin Palmer want to sell plantation one mile and half east of Pendleton; 1000 acres, 250 has been cleared and in good repair. Finely timbered, dwelling house and convenient out houses adjacent to a spring; gin house with cotton gin and threshing machine. Also for sale my house and lot consisting of two acres of land with a comfortable dwelling house and outhouses in a pleasant retired part of the Village. A drawing of house is included in advertisement.

August 23, 1826

The Vice President [**John C. Calhoun**] of the United States, with his family arrived at his residence, four miles from this place on Thursday last, from Washington City.

Capt. **Samuel A. Easley**, is a candidate for the House of Representatives.

Micajah Webb request payments for those indebted to late firm of **Thomas Webb & Co.**

Commissioner's Sale on September 25, by **Joseph V. Shanklin**, C. E. P. D. at residence of Mrs. **Catherine Kay** on Broad Mouth Creek. Tracts of land for sale: No. 1, 207 ½ acres; No. 2, 216 acres; No. 3, 195 ½ acres; and No. 4, 101½ acres; all situated on Stamp Creek, waters of Broad Mouth Creek in Pendleton District and all adjoining each other. Also another tract containing 193 acres on Broad Mouth Creek, adjoining lands of **William Matteson**, **James Armstrong**, **Tarleton Lee** and others; to be sold by order of the Court of Equity to make partition between the heirs of **William Davis**, deceased.

Joseph V. Shanklin, announces a Commissioner's Sale on Monday the 25th of September. Five tracts of land (viz) 524 acres situate part in Abbeville and part in Pendleton District on branches of corner, Turkey and Broadmouth Creeks; 425 acres in Pendleton District, between Broadmouth and Saluda Rivers and adjoining lands of **N. Tressell**, **P. & S. Mattison** and others—30 acres on north branches of Broadmouth, and adjoining lands of **Reuben Cox**, **G. Braswell** and others—26 acres in Abbeville District, on branches of Turkey Creek

waters of Saluda River, adjoining lands of **J. Robertson, C. Cullen** and others; & 128 acres on Saluda River to be sold by the order of the Court of Equity to make partition between the heirs of **Robert Kay**, deceased.

August 30, 1826

A Camp Meeting of the Methodist Society will commence at the Sandy Spring, five miles from this place, on Thursday the 14th of September.

The Pendleton Bible Society held its annual meeting in the Presbyterian Church in this place on the 24th. Address delivered by the Rev. **Anthony W. Ross**. Officers elected: **Rev. Anthony W. Ross**, President; Rev. **Robert Gaines**, 1st Vice President; Rev. **David Humphreys**, 2nd Vice President; **William Walker Esq.**, 3rd Vice President; Col. **Joseph Grisham**, Secretary and Treasurer; Col. **Robert Anderson**, Hon. **Samuel Cherry**, and Capt. **Crosby W. Miller**, Auditors; Rev. **Thomas Gassaway**, **John Harris**, Esq. **Charles Storey**, **Josias D. Gaillard**, and Col. **David K. Hamilton**, Directors.

Drought during months of June and July.

A Letter to the Editor. "Judge **Smith** has been brought before the public as a candidate for our vacant seat in the US Senate, whether with his consent, does not satisfactorily appears. . . . The most valuable part of Judge **Smith's** Estate is admitted to be in Alabama. Several years ago, he sent the great number of his negroes there, intending, it is believed, eventually to follow them. . . . He has, at this time, in South Carolina, property of the value of, at least, \$15,000, his real estate alone, is worth six or seven thousand dollars; he is permanently settled here. . . ."

Married in Trinity Church, New Haven, Connecticut on Sunday evening the 13th inst. by the Rev. Mr. **Croswell**, Mr. **James B. Bull** of this place to Miss **Polly Ford** of that City.

Died in the 24th year of his age, in neighborhood of Petersburg, Elbert County, GA, on the 10th inst. Dr. **William V. Acker**, after an illness of 11 days. He was buried on the day following in the town of Petersburg—a stranger in a strange land. Dr. **Acker** was born and raised on Saluda river, in Pendleton District. He left his father in the beginning of 1821, and went to reside with a friend and relation in Franklin Cnty., GA and in the beginning of 1822 he resolved on studying the science of medicine. . . . he was a laborious student for four years . . . attending two courses of lectures at the Transylvania University, he graduated last spring with considerable credit. After returning to his friends and staying with them a short time, he determined on locating himself in Petersburg, where he had been but a few weeks, when the unrelenting hand of death was laid upon him. (From *Communicated* newspaper.)

William Hammond offers for sale land on Tugalo River at Hatten's Ford, the place formerly belonging to Col. **William Harden**, about three miles above Andersonville, 600 acres. Also 297 acres adjoining Carnesville, lying on the road leading from the upper part of South Carolina to the said Village. . . . will be sold for cash or good Negro property. Subscriber found at his home near Carnesville.

John Harris, Ordinary for Pendleton District publishes the following: **Elijah Wyatt** and **Mary** his wife, applicants—vs. **Cornelius Gaines** and his children, of Shenandoah County, Virginia, and **Jane Munday**, Adm'x of **James Munday**, deceased, and the other children and heirs of the said **James Munday** of Breckenridge County, Kentucky, Defendants. **Cornelius Gaines** and his children, **Jane Munday** and others, defendants to the above stated cause, reside without this State. Division or sale of real estate of **James Foster**, deceased.

Appointment of managers for October election. All districts in the state are listed.

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Continuation of appointment for managers for October election in Pendleton District.

- Pendleton Court House; **Thomas M. Sloan**, **James Gains**, **Samson Pope**
- High Shoals, Little River; **Alex. Harris**, **Thomas B. Reid**, **Nathan Boon**
- Bachelor's Retreat; **Abner Crosby**, **Foster Perry**, **Thomas Dawson**
- Pickensville; **James Osburn**, **D. K. Hamilton**, **Thomas Edmondson**
- Rock Mills; **William Houston**, **James Gilmer**, **Robert King**
- **Jeremiah Field's**; **David McKinney**, **John Fields Jr.**, **James McKinney**
- **Orr's Store**, Brushy Creek; **John Roseman**, **John E. Norris**, **Joab Mauldin**
- **Craig's**; **John T. Humphries**, **James H. Dandy**, **Joseph Williams**
- Staunton's; **Mathew Gambrill**, **G. Horton**, **John B. Anderson**
- Varennes; **John McFall Jr.**, **Amazia Rice**, **Jesse P. Norris**
- **Ephraim Massey's** old place; **John McWhorter**, **Thomas Fitzgerald**, **Robert White**

- Andersonville; **C. Field, Hartwell Jones, Archibald Bowman**
- Craytonville; **Thomas Hays, Adam Todd, Jehu Orr**
- **Jonathan Reeder's Store: John Harris, George Verner, Adam Richards**
- Slab Town; **James Mulligan, William McMurray, William Hamilton**
- Wolf Creek; **John Clayton, Mark Kirksey, Levi Murphree**
- Trapp; **Samuel Looper, E. Hunt, Jos. Evetts**
- Little Genorostee muster ground; **James Sheared, Thomas Henderson, Kelly Sullivan**
- Hagood's; **Bailey Bartin, R. B. McClure, William L. Keith**

Two days at the court house and one day at each of the other places: the managers to meet the third day at the court house, count over the votes and declare the election. One senator and six representatives to be elected.

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A Baptist Association will commence on Fugalo River, three miles from **Cleveland's Ferry**, on Friday the 15th inst.

A petition has been circulated for a few day's past, praying that the Legislature for a division of Pendleton district. . . . The second prayer of the petition, provided the first should be rejected, is that the Court House for which an appropriation of ten thousand dollars has been made, should be located elsewhere than on the public square. [*More information in the article.*]

Draft of the 9th Annual Report of the Pendleton Bible Society. [*More information in article.*] **J. D. Gaillard**, Chairman.

Hon. John Wilson is a candidate to represent the united districts at Pendleton and Greenville in Congress.

H. K. McClintock announces the annual examination of the students of Pendleton Academy on the 21st and 22nd and the exhibition on the day following. The 4th quarter will commence October 2.

Elijah Clark will offer for sale at public auction 250 acres in Clarksville, GA, on the third Monday in October. Excellent neighborhood and convenient to a good range; Grist and saw mill and other necessary buildings.

Elijah Clark is offering for sale on the 4th after the third Monday in October a lot of land adjoining town of Clarksville.

Stud services of *Prince Regent*, noted Jack, at plantation of **R. Anderson**.

Return Day for Pendleton District, preceding next Court, will be on Monday the 9th of October next. It frequently happens, that business at each extreme of the district is expected to be done just before Return Day, to do which, from the large extent of the district, would require almost as many deputies as there are cases to be attended to. A sufficient number are already in employment to do all such business if time is given. In justice to them I cannot appoint any greater number, unless in cases where absolute necessity requires it. Sufficient time must be given in all cases, or persons need not be disappointed to find their business delayed. **G. E. Foster**, Sheriff

Appointment of managers for October election. All districts in the state are listed.

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Continuation of appointment for managers for October election in Pendleton District.

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Plans to invite Vice President, **John C. Calhoun** to a dinner and ball. **Armistead Burt, George E. W. Foster**, and **Warren R. Webb**, committee for the arrangements. He sent his acceptance. Had the dinner on September 7 prepared by Mr. **Archer**. Colonel **Francis K. Huger**, presided, assisted by **Jesse P. Lewis** and **Enoch B. Benson** Esqrs. Vice President **Calhoun** gave a speech and following persons made toasts: **Col. F. K. Huger; Jesse P. Lewis; Enoch B. Benson; Judge Underwood** of Georgia; **F. D. Quash** Esq. of Charleston; **Capt. J. R. Rodgers** of Charleston; Mr. **Burroughs** of Savannah; Mr. **Kinloch; John L. North** Esq.; **J. R. Stanford** Esq. of Carnesville, GA; Mr. **Synones**; Mr. **J. Lewis Stackpole; J. C. Terrell** Esq. of Carnesville, GA; Dr. **William Anderson; Mr. Edward Harleston; Mr. F. Pickens; Mr. Miner; b John Hunter; Dr. H. W. Davis; Richard B. Bull; Mr. Robert Rowand** of Augusta, GA; **Capt. J. N. Whitner; Mr. S. A. Maverick; Mr. W. J. Gass; b John T. Earle; A. Burt** Esq.; Mr. **Warren R. Webb; Mr. George E. W. Foster**. At 7 o'clock in the evening the Long-room was splendidly illuminated, and a large party of Gentlemen and Ladies assembled for the dance.