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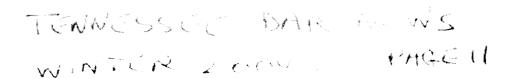
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# TANE KNOX CHAPTE

American History Commit Chairman, presents a certificate Jane Knox Chapter's choice "Outstanding Woman in Americ History", Virginia Alexander Columbia, Mrs. Alexander I authored 17 books on history a genealogy and given outstand service to her community and country. She was one of

founders of the Maury County Historical Society and served on original board of the TN State Museum Association. APTA, American Legion, Maury Co. Archives and Maury Co. Hospital name a few, all know Mrs. Alexander's contributions. She continto work and serve on numerous other boards and organization whose missions are "The betterment of our Communities, our Stand our Nation".

# 2004 Family History Workshop

A Family History Workshop will be sponsored by The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints on March 6, 2004, from 9:45 am to 4 pm at 4440 Ft. Jackson Blvd., Columbia, S.C. Cost of the workshop is \$15 and includes all class materials and lunch.

Classes will be taught by several of South Carolina's premiere genealogists, including Brent Holcomb, Theresa Hicks, and Vennie Deas-Moore. Archivists who will teach include Agnes Corbett (Camden Archives and Museum) and Steve Tuttle and Tommy Betenbaugh (S.C. Dept. of Archives and History). Other classes to be taught by staff members of the LDS Family History Library. Classes include Using Newspapers for Genealogical Research, S.C. Church Records, African-American Research, Resources of the Camden Archives & Museum (S.C. DAR and Colonial Dames records and more), Resources for Beginners at the S.C. Archives, Conserving and Preserving Family Documents, Genealogy for Beginners, Researching on the Internet, The Family History Library and Its Resources, Using the Computer at the Family History Library (IGI records, etc), and Organizing Your Records (a unique color coding method that makes recordkeeping clear and easy).

For more information or to obtain an application, call (803) 788-7141 or e mail genworkshop2004@yahoo.com

Please let your members know about this. Everyone is welcome to attend. Tranks!

### BOLLING FAMILY....family Line of descent

As promised, these notes are taken from many sources, Circuit courts of Henry,

Brunswick, Luneburg, Henerico, and Surry Counties, Virginia

D. A. R. Library, Washington, D. C.

Greenville County Court House, Greenville, .

National Archives, Washington, D. C.

Virginia State Library, Richmond, Va

William and Mary College Library, Williamsburg, Va

Pocahontas and Her Descendents, by Wyndham Robertson, Publishers, 1887

And from the Bolling-Allison Family Book, Descendants of Pocahontas,

By

Jane Allison Brennand, 1984 New Orleans, La.

We are indebted to James Johnson, a cousin in the line, and member of OPD Chpter.

Chief POWHATAN d. 1618..Ruler of the Indian Nation of Tidewater Virginia And Father of Pocohantas....(.he had many wives)

John Rolfe (1585-1622) M. Pocahontas (1595-1617) Jane Poythress Thomas Rolfe (1615-) M Jane Rolfe (-1676)Robert Bolling (1646-1709) M 2<sup>nd</sup> wife Anne Stith Mary Kennon (1679-) John Bolling (1676-1729) M John Bolling, Jr (1700-1757) Elizabeth Blair (1708-1775) M

 William Bolling (1731-1776)
 M
 Amelia Randolph (1739-1780)

 Samuel E. Bolling (1753-1808)
 M
 Abigail Choice (1752-1832)

 Robert Bolling (1777-1867)
 M
 Rachel Tarrant (1778-1863)

 Jane Caroline Bolling (1810-1857)
 M
 William Allison (1808-1888)

Robert Bolling had two sets of children, hence the "Red" Bollings. from the Indian side and the "White" Bollings, from the Stith side, who were probably English. This has caused some confusion over the years, as people do not listen to the lineage, as they should, carefully.

Robert Bolling descends from John Bolling and his wife, Mary Carie lived in London. Robert was born 26 Day of December 1646, and was baptized in the Parish church of Allhallows. John, his father had been the Eldest son of Robert Bolling, and other sons of Robert and Anne, his wife are Edward, Thomas, Anne and Beatrix, who married later Thomas Creswell. The will was proven at Canterbury on the 13<sup>th</sup> of November, 1639. This Robert is buried at Parish Church of Allhallows, Tower Street, Barking-by-the-Tower, London, England. Anne, the wife of Robert and mother to John, was Anne Clarke, daughter of Thomas Clarke, also of London.

Robert #2 emigrated to America and arrived 2<sup>nd</sup> of October 1660. In 1675, he married Jane Rolfe, daughter of Thomas Rolfe, and she was grand-daughter of Pocohantas.

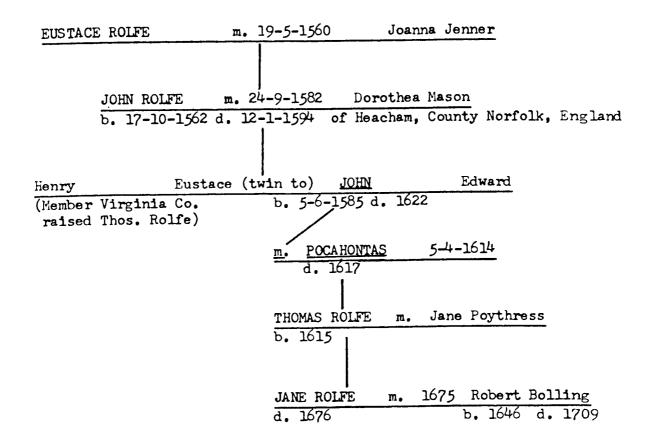
It is interesting for our family to know that when we trace our ancestry back to the thirteenth century, we have recorded historical facts to support our claim, in the form of letters, wills, deeds and history books. Such is true of Pocahontas, since her connection and concern for the Jamestown settlers in 1607, is recorded in letters from Captain John Smith, John Rolfe, and several of the early governors of the Virginia Colony and later historians.

The articles and documents I have found tell the story but I will give you a resume of pertinant facts for each Truly, Pocahontas was the reason the Jamestown generation. Colony survived. She was the favorite daughter of Powhatan, who ruled the tribes of tidewater Virginia. She was intelligent, compassionate and apparently able to convince her father and the Indian nation that the new settlers should stay. She was educated and converted to Christianity by the Rev. Whittaker, a Colonist. Her marriage to John Rolfe in 1614 was a great alliance politically, and it was too bad her life was so short, for that period was known as the Peace of Pocahontas. With a retinue of Indian relatives she accompanied her husband and young son to Englandin 1616, where she was presented at the Court of King James I and Queen Anne. She was well received, entertained and admired, and handled herself with the dignity of a Princess. Her untimely death in England, 1617 at age twenty-two, left her husband, John Rolfe, with the sad decision of leaving young Thomas behind to be raised by his brother, Henry Rolfe.

We can take pride in our 9th great grandfather. Besides John Rolfe's contribution to the tobacco industry and making the first shipment of tobacco from Virginia to England, (King James I remark in 1617 about the tobacco shipment was "that filthy weed!") he was appointed in 1617 as the first Secretary and Recorder General of the Colony and in 1619, he was made a member of the Council. Because of John Rolfe's "service to the King", I decided to prove our ancestry back to him for my National Society of Colonial Dames of America membership, though several succeeding Bollings qualified as well.

John Rolfe became a successful planter, and land owner. He later remarried, bought additional land and thought he died in 1622, the year of the terrible massacre of the Colonists by the Indians (Powhatan having died in 1618, a year after Pocahontas) his will dated 10 March 1622, states "being sicke in body", he may have died of natural causes rather than by by his wife's people in the Massacre of 22 March 1622.

In his will John Rolfe bequeathed to his "small sonne Thomas (about 7) a four hundred acre tract of land on the south bank of the James, fifteen miles downstream from Jamestown."



CHIEF POWHATAN d. 1618
(ruler of the Indian nation of tidewater Virginia and father of Pocahontas)

# THOMAS ROLFE AND JANE POYTHRESS b. 1615

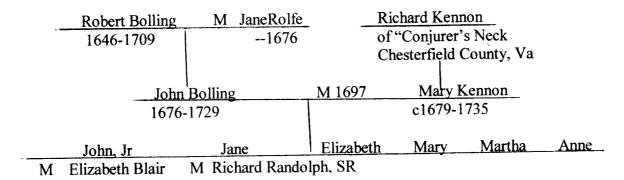
Pocahontas' and John Rolfe's son Thomas came back to Virginia about 1635. He was only seven when his father died so he continued to live with his uncle, Henry Rolfe and was educated in England. He was apparently anxious to seek out his Mother's people, but at that time it was against the law to "parley" with the Powhatans and all trade "with the Savages had been prohibited, as well Publique as private." Thomas petitioned the governor to let him visit his maternal aunt and great-uncle in 1641, according to old Virginia records. Chief Opechancanough alerted his people that the half-breed son of the Princess Pocahontas was making his way from Jamestown into their territory. They had waited a long time to see their relative.

Thomas took up the lands left him by his father and mother and married Jane Poythress. Little is known of her except that a family by that name is known to have resided near Charles City and a Francis Poythress is listed as a member of the House of Burgesses in 1644. Thomas was also elected to the House of Burgesses and according to biographer William Stith "a person of Fortune and Distinction in the country." He was also a a lieutenant in the colonial militia and assigned guard duty at Fort James "in defense of the colonists against the Indians." He had to make a choice between the people of his father and his mother.

Thomas and Jane had one daughter, Jane Rolfe, who married Colonel Robert Bolling in 1675.

I have attached a copy of depositions proving the sale of some of Thomas' land which he inherited from his mother, Smith's Fort Plantation, to a Thomas Warren, which is interesting to read. This land was a wedding gift to Pocahontas and John Rolfe from Powhatan. A friend of mine who is a descendent of Thomas Warren gave me a copy of these depositions from the Surry County, Virginia, court records. The Rolfe-Warren house, built by Thomas Warren is the oldest brick house in Virginia and is a ferry boat ride across the James River from Jamestown.

### **BOLLING - KENNON**



John Bolling inherited vast lands from his mother Jane Rolfe Bolling. He lived at "Cobbs" his plantation on the Appomattox River near Petersburg, which was described by his good friend William Byrd of Westover Plantation as "one of the best houses in the country." According to his grandson Robert's account in his Bolling Memoires, John "devoted himself to commerce, had an immense trade with the Indians, and enjoyed all the pleasures of Society; for which never was there a person better formed." He was elected to the House of Burgesses from 1710 through 1726.

John and Mary Kennon Bolling had one son, John Bolling, Jr., and five daughters. One of these daughters, Jane, married Richard Randolph. Their granddaughter, Amelia Randolph later married William Bolling, a son of John Bolling, Jr.

An article about John Bolling's home, "Cobbs" and a sketch of the home is included. At one time "Cobbs" was used as a school for the deaf, the first in America. Thomas Bolling, a brother of our William, later inherited "Cobbs" and three of his four children were deaf mutes, as well as two of his grandchildren.

Unfortuntely, "Cobbs" did not survive the War between the States - it was burned by General Butler's troops.

# ABOUT OUR SOCIETY CHAPTER

The Old Pendleton District Chapter of the South Carolina Genealogical Society, is a non-profit, (12-36-2120(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 located at the Clayton Room, in Southern Wesleyan University, Central, S. C. 229630

You are welcome to come browse through these records and visit the Clayton Room during the Library Hours. Monday – Thursday 7:45 A. M. to 11: P.M. Friday: 7:45 A.M. to 4:30 P.M. and Saturday: 12:00 P.M. to 5:00 P.M.

# THANKS TO PAUL KANKULA AND LOWRY WILSON FOR THIS...

# JOHN B. CLARDY, SR. CEMETERY

LOCATION: 2.6 Miles South of I-85 & 9 feet off River Road toward Piedmont Inside 2-foot high stonewall on River Road at Baylor Road, Anderson County, S. C.

The John Bradford Clardy Cemetery has one row of five or more graves mostly marked with fieldstones inside the stone wall. It's 33 feet long by 10 feet wide and has a stone Wall divider about 10 feet from one end. It was heavily grown over with half-inch diameter trees and cemetery grass (Periwinkle) to the point where you could not see the Graves. There is also boxwood shrubs planted inside the Wall and a Crepe Myrtle tree.

(John Bradford Clardy, Sr was born to John and dec 24 Dec 1855 J. C. born 1768 Mary Elizabeth Bullington Clardy in Halifax County, Va.) John, the father, was the son Of Benjamin and Millicent (Norman?) Clardy, who were in Nottoway County, Va, with wills naming their children. John had a brother, Benjamin, who married Agnes Booth, daughter of John Booth and Mary Smith Booth. Benjamin and Agnes Booth Clardy came to this area, with their daughters, Mary N. Clardy, who had married her cousin, John Bradford Clardy. ( Some in the family want to call John's second name, Benjamin, but this is incorrect. They would not have named two (2) consecutive sons Benjamin.) The second daughter to arrive with Ben and Agnes was Nancy Clardy, who was married Spearman. The third daughter was Sarah (Sally) Clardy, who married To David James (Jimmy) Fleming. Also, a brother of Agnes, John Booth, came with them but stayed in the area around Union/Spartanburg. Records back this information up. MNC born 1772 dec 29 Sep 1857 is Mary N. (Polly) Clardy, wife of John B. Clardy, Sr.

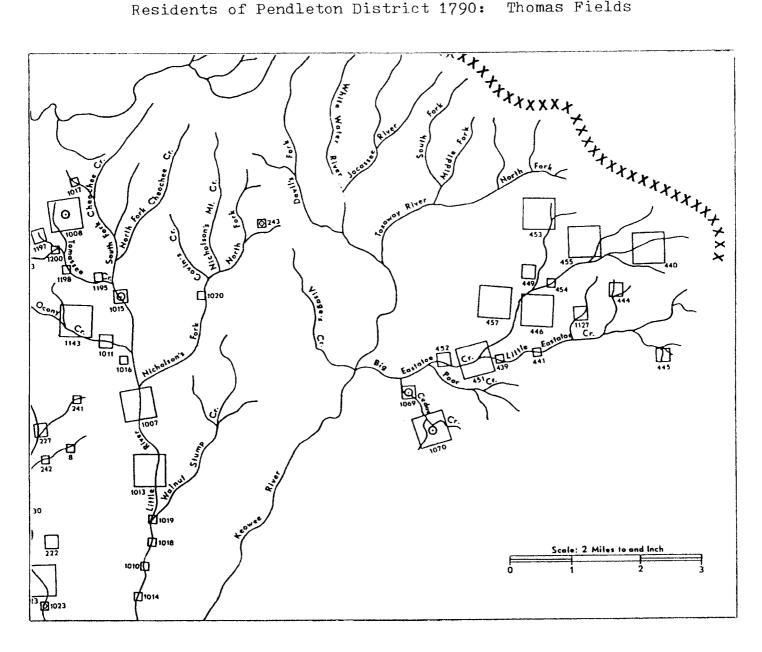
Norman Clardy and family are also buried in this cemetary..He was son of John B. Sr.. John B. Clardy, Sr is my 3<sup>rd</sup> grgrandfather and grandfather to many in this area. My 2<sup>nd</sup> gr-grandfather was John Bradford Clardy, Jr who married Rebecca Elizabeth Norris. Their daughter, Harriett Margarette Clardy married William Kennemore. Their Son, Edward Bradford Kennemore was my grandfather. He was named for John Bradford Clardy and John Edward Norris, his grandfathers on both sides. Margarette Boyter Swank, Editor

Settlement of Pendleton District, South Carolina, 1777-1800 - by Frederick Van Clayton -

No.	Stream	Name	Acres	Date	Reference
453	Big Eastatoe	Jerimiah Fields	500	1799	v37, p401

The problem of ascertaining the origin of the settlers of Pendleton District is a difficult one. However, it appears that there were two main sources of immigration. One of these was removals within the State from the south toward the north. The other was an influx from Pennsylvania, Maryland, Virginia, North Carolina, and Georgia. As proof of the above, in 1790, the following people were found living in various parts of South Carolina, as indicated in the table. They later removed to Pendleton District . . . The same records show that seventeen of the land holders of the district came from North Carolina, and [included the following]:

Fields, Jerimiah from Salisbury District, Guilford County, NC Residents of Pendleton District 1790: Thomas Fields



Margarette.

Sorry I'm late with this data. I couldn't find my copy of the van Clayton book so had to borrow one from inter-lib loan.

Ted Epton

Settlers along	Big & Little.	Eastatoe,	and Cedar C	reeks. 1777-1800			

No.	Stream	Name	Acres	Date	Reference
446	Big Eastatoe	James Clark	882	1799	v.37, p.403
449	Big Eastatoe	Micajah Clark	26 <b>9</b>	1799	v.37, p.404
451	Big Eastatoe	Adam Right	640	1784	v.5q, p.337
452	Big Eastatoe	Amanatious Thomas	335	1785	v.1q, p.149
453	Big Eastatoe	Jeremiah Fields	<b>50</b> 0	1799	v.37, p.401
454	Big Eastatoe	Joshua Dyer	100	1793	v.31, p.291
455	Big Eastatoe	George Naylor	1000	1794	v.32, p.291
457	Big Eastatoe	James Jett	979	1799	v.37, p.402
439	Little Eastatoe	Elias Earle	435	1797	v.36, p.137
440	Little Eastatoe	James Smith	640	1784	v.10q, p.69
441	Little Eastatoe	Isaac Gilder	65	1791	v.27q, p.268
444	Little Eastatoe	Albert F. Smithson	300	1788	v.25g, p.234
445	Little Eastatoe	Thomas Beard	85	1799	v.37, p.246
1069	Cedar Creek	Henry Hill	365	1799	v.37, p.406
1070	Cedar Creek	Thomas Carpenter	1000	1793	v.31q, p.246
1127	Shoal Creek	William Darnall	356	1795	v.32, p.508

#### INFORMATION FOR

those of you who have ancestors who settled first in North Carolina before coming on into South Carolina or have ancestors who settled in North Carolina and lived there.

### STATE LIBRARY OF NORTH CAROLINA GENEALOGICAL SERVICES

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Raleigh, North Carolina
Call ahead or check web page for Holiday closings

# Extensive collection of Published Materials for genealogical research

- Family histories (books and unpublished compilations)
- · Abstracts of county, state, and federal records
- · Census records and indexes
- · County histories
- Genealogical periodicals
- · Bibliographies, indexes, guides, and general reference books on genealogy

### Focus on North Carolina Extensive published materials

### for other areas

- Colonial and post-colonial periods
- · Areas from which North Carolinians came
- States to which North Carolinians migrated
- Broad collections for Virginia, Maryland, Pennsylvania, South Carolina. Georgia. Tennessee. New England

### Large collection of census records

- Microfilm of surviving census records, 1800-1890, for the entire United States
- Many of the published census indexes for all states
- 1900-1920 census microfilm for North Carolina, Georgia, South Carolina, Tennessee, and Virginia
- 1930 North Carolina census microfilm
- Soundex indexes on microfilm for North Carolina, 1880 and 1900-1930; Georgia, 1910
- Increasing number of schedules and indexes in online subscription databases

# Growing collection of genealogy electronic resources

- AncestryPlus online
- HeritageOuest Online
- · New England ancestors, orgresearch databases
- AugustaArchives.com: The Augusta [Georgia] Chronicle
- Freedman 's Bank Records CD-ROM
- North Carolina Genealogical Society Journal 1975-2000 CD-ROM

Mailing address: 4641 Mail Service Center Raleigh, NC 27699-4641/919-807-7460 http://statelibrary.dcr.state.nc.us/iss/gr/genealog.htm with links to State Library Catalog and E-Mail Reference Service



**Seeking Information About These** 

# CONFEDERATE Soldiers of Pickens District, SC



# William N. Bolding A son of Jonathan Lee Bolding BO6-1879) and Rebecca (Powell) C.S.A.

A son of Jonathan Lee Bolding (1806-1879) and Rebecca (Powell) Bolding (1812-1883) of the eastern division of Pickens District, S. C William Nelson "Nelse" Bolding was born 25 Aug 1842. In 1861, when he was nineteen years of age, Nelse enlisted, with his brother, Green B. Bolding (1836-1862), in Company G, 12th South Carolina Infantry, C.S.A. The company was commanded first by Capt. A. D. Gaillard and later by Capt. John W. Moody. This Confederate soldier might have also served in another military unit during the U. S. Civil War.

After the North-South conflict, Nelse Bolding once stated that he was never wounded and that the closest he ever came to being injured was when he was resting against a tree in Virginia and a bullet parted his hair but did no damage to his scalp. When the war ended, Nelse walked all the way back to his home in Pickens District, South Carolina.

Nelse Bolding married Rebecca
Melinda Porter (18 Dec 1847 - 19 Jun
1933), who was a daughter of Samuel
Gibson Porter and Patsy (Prince) Porter. The couple had the following
seven children: Elford Meares Bolding (1872-1960), who married Mary
Alice Tompkins (1877-1944); James
Benjamin Bolding (1876-1965), who



William Nelson Bolding 1842-1926 Co.G. 12th S.C. Infantry



married Eula Dalton (1876-1936);
William Monroe Bolding (1883-1955);
Who married Josie A. Porter (18821974); Samuel Jonathan Bolding (18871960), Who married Essie Lumpkin
(1890-1985); Seagle Norman Bolding
(1890-1960), Who married Essie Parrott (1893-1970); John Erby Bolding
(1894-1955), Who married Lillie
Lewis (1898-1955); and Thomas Nelson
Bolding (1896-1984), Who married
Vessie Lewis (b. 1896).

In 1902, Nelse Bolding was a candidate for public office in Pickens County, S. C. The following year he attended the first annual Confederate Veterans Day celebration in the county seat. He was also in attendance at the 1915 celebration

at the same place.

On 2 Apr 1919, he applied for a Civil War pension. At that time, he resided on Rural Free Delivery Route No. 2, Pickens, S. C. His pension application was witnessed by B. J. Johnston, a Confederate veteran who served in Co. I, 62nd North Carolina Infantry, and by James A. Griffin, another veteran who served in Co. B, 37th Battalion Virginia Cavalry.

This Confederate veteran died September 17, 1926. He was buried in the cemetery at Mountain View Church in Pickens County, S. C. His

wife was also buried there.

Thomas S. McLees (1841-1918) served in Co. I, 1st S. C. Infantry (Butler's Regt.), C.S.A. In 1902 he was a recipient of a Civil War pension, and he resided in Oconee County, S. C. This Confederate veteran died 21 Apr 1918 and was buried in East View Cemetery in Westminster (Oconee c.), S. C.

W. T. McLees (1838-1919) served in Co. D, 1st South Carolina Rifles (Orr's Regt.). He married Isabella Wilson (1838-1917). He attended the 1916 reunion of Orr's Rifles at Seneca, S. C. This veteran of the Civil War died 8 May 1919 and was buried at Friendship Methodist Church in Oconee County, S. C.

James N. McMahan (b. 1845) was a son

of Alexander McMahan and Jane (Kennemore) McMahan. His paternal grandfather was Archibald McMahan, a Revolutionary War soldier whose wife was Annie (Payne) McMahan of the Georges Creek community of the eastern division of Pickens District, S. C. (now Pickens Co.). This Confederate soldier served as a private in Co. E, 2nd South Carolina Rifles (Moore's Regt.).

McMurry (or McMurray) (given name unknown). In 1888, a widow, C. E. McMurry, was a recipient of a Civil War widow's pension in Pickens Co., South Carolina. (No additional information available)

E. L. McNabb was a Confederate soldier whose widow, Laura McNabb of Easley township in Pickens County, S. C., was a recipient of a Civil War pension during the 1930s.

J. P. McNeely (1841-1911) served in Co. G, 22nd South Carolina Infantry. He was one of the twenty Civil War veterans who were honored 20 Jan 1907 at Clemson College where the 100th anniversary of Robert E. Lee's birthday was selebrated by the John C. Calhoun Chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy. Mr. McNeely and the other veterans marched down the aisle of Clemson's Memorial Hall while the college band played "Dixie", the popular minstrel song of the late 1850s that became the unofficial anthem of the South and now serves as an emotional link with the so-called Lost Cause.

Ephraim Massingill (b. ca 1821) enlisted at Pickens Court House on the Keowee River in Pickens District, S. C., on 14 Apr 1861 and served in Co. H, 4th South Carolina Infantry (Volunteers), C.S.A. He was marked present for duty on his unit's roll of 31 Dec 1861. This Confederate soldier also served to the rank of sergeant in Co. D, 2nd S. C. Rifles. One man with the name Ephraam Massingill served as a corporal in Co. B, 1st S. C. State Troops between Aug 1863 and Feb 1864. (Same man?) This soldier was a brother of Joseph, CSA.

Harvey Alonzo Richey

1848~1916 1# S.C. State Troops

A son of James Nathaniel Richey (18151894) and Lucinda (Hunt) Richey (1814-1888),
Harvey Alonzo Richey was born in the Honea
Path community of Anderson County, S. C. In
1864, he was enrolled in the 1st S. C. State
Troops under Capt. John Bramlett. Thus this
Confederate soldier was among the youngest
men to have served from the Upstate in the
U. S. Civil War, having been born in 1848,
Harvey Alonzo Richey's father also

Harvey Alonzo Richey's father also served in the Confederate States Army, having been a private in Co. A, 1st S. C. State Troops after his enlistment at Anderson, S. C., on 1 Aug 1863. But the senior Richey was discharged from the C.S.A. at Charleston, S. C., on a sergeon's certificate on 24 Sept 1863. Another son of the senior Richey also served in the C.S.A. as a member of Co. D, 4th S. C. Infantry and Co. F, 1st S. C. Artillery. He was James Robert Richey (2 Jan 1844 - 4 Aug 1862). That son died during the war at Marine Hospital in Charleston, S. C.

An older half-brother of Harvey
Alonzo Richey also served in the C.S.A.
He was George Washington "Wash" Richey
(1840-1900), who was a private in Co. I,
4th S. C. Infantry (Volunteers) and in
Co. F, 1st S. C. Artillery. The halfbrother was the only child born in his
father's first marriage to Emily Kay
(1821-1841). The father, James Nathanie

father's first marriage to Emily Kay (1821-1841). The father, James Nathaniel Richey, was married four times: first to Emily Kay, then to Lucinda Hunt, then to widow Mrs. Gambrell and finally to a Miss Tompkins. The parents of James Nathaniel Richey were both natives of Ireland.

The company of S. C. State Troops in which Harvey Alonzo Richey served during the Civil War was pardoned by Federals at Greensboro, North Carolina, in the spring of 1865. Then, the young soldier returned to his home in Upstate South Carolina and began to work on his father's large farm situated in the Brushy Creek community of northern Anderson County and near the Pickens County line.

Because this Confederate veteran had attended at least one term of enrollment at Thalian Academy in the Slabtown community of Anderson County, he was deemed qualified to serve as a school teacher. Thus in 1871 and 1872 he taught school at Fairview in the northern part of the county. Then, in 1873, Richey moved to Gainesville, Georgia, where he worked as a salesman at King and Brothers Store. But two years later, he returned to South Carolina and settled in the newly established community which sprang up at Easley Station on the Charlotte-Atlanta Airline Railroad (now the town of Easley).

Richey's first work in Easley was at Russell, Martin and Company Store, an establishment that sold both groceries and dry goods. Thomas Wallace Russell, the store's co-owner, was a Confederate veteran who had served in Co.

D, Hampton Legion during the U.S. Civil War. Later, Richey established Easley's first livery stable where horses, buggies and other light vehicles were kept for hire. It was located on Sardine Street, which was eventually re-named Pendleton Street. Then, in 1876, Richey and Andrew G. Wyatt (1848-1906), another Confederate veteran who had also served in the 1st S.C. State Troops, founded a business partnership and opened a combination livery business and mercantile store in Easley.

Richey ran an advertisement in The Pickens Sentinel in which he offered to provide horse-drawn transportation between Easley and Pickens, a distance of between seven and eight miles. He further announced in the newspaper that his service was also available from Easley to Table Rock and other local destinations. According to the paid advertisement, the horse-drawn transportation was available at all hours of the day and night---but not on Sundays.

In 1877, Richey was elected a warden (town councilman) of Easley. And in 1884, he was elected sheriff of Pickens County. Then, the Richey family moved to the town of Pickens and occupied a house owned by T. E. Cox. The Richey family resided at the county seat for the remainder of

the patriarch's life.

Harvey Alonzo and Nancy Richey were married on 27 Jun 1869. The wife's maiden name was Nancy I. Williams, and she was born 14 Oct 1844. She was a native of Hall County, GA. The Richeys had two sons and seven daughters: Flora Richey, who married J. Willie Lathem on 22 Jul 1891 at Pickens Presbyterian Church; Cora Richey; Dora Richey (1870-1935), who married James L. Thompson (1866-1933), a son of James C. Thompson (1831-1886); Homer A. Richey (1874-1903); Nora Richey (1879-1924), who married Benjamin A. Laboon (1877-1941) of Anderson County, S. C.; Olga Richey; Sadie Richey; James Richey; and Ola Richey (b. 1886).

In 1888, Richey was re-elected sheriff of Pickens County. About two years later, he was the officiating sheriff at Pickens County's first legal hanging. A condemned man, Bill Miles, was executed in public for the murder of Jake Griffin. Both men were of African descent.

According to a news note in an 1889 issue of The Pickens Sentinel, Flora Richey, daughter of Sheriff Richey, was a student at Winthrop

training school.

In 1891, H. A. Richey and Co. purchased the Griffin Mill tract on Town Creek. Included in the purchase was the grist mill's machinery. The cost of the purchase was \$1,005.00. Also that same year, Richey purchased 74 acres of land in Pickens County for \$501.00. Additionally, he bought the Robert Ellis farm on Twelve Mile River and sold a farm on the west side of the river to J. H. Blackmon of Anderson, S. C., both in 1891.

Richey joined the Pickens Confederate Veterans Camp in September 1893. Three years later, his name appeared on a list of supporters of a temperance meeting in the town of Pickens. During the 1890s, temperance reformers sought to reduce Americans' alcoholic intake or, by means of persuasion, to convince drinkers to give up

alcohol entirely.

In 1897, Richey purchased a store in Pickens from Sutherland and Griffin.

Harvey Alonzo Richey died 19 May 1916. His body was buried in Sunrise Cemetery, situated on East Cedar Rock Street in Pickens, S. C. Before his death, Richey received a Civil War pension for his service in the S. C. State Troops. In the early 1920s, his wife was also a recipient of a widow's pension.

Readers who have any additional information about these soldiers are encouraged to write to:

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Miller's Weekly Messenger Pendleton, SouthCarolina Editor, John Miller and Son Abstracted by G. Anne Sheriff Continued from last month

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### July 11, 1827

Died on Saturday evening last, at the house of Mrs. Steele in this place, Mrs. Caroline B. O'Riley, late from Charleston, (widow) in the 39th year of her age. She for several months was afflicted with a pulmonary disease. She has left four children to lament her death.

At the house of Mrs. Kyle, near Abbeville Court House, on the evening of the 6th inst. [July 6] Martha Jane Grisham, eldest daughter, 13 yrs. old, of Col. Joseph Grisham, of this place. She was enjoying good health, fine constitution, was attacked on the 2<sup>nd</sup> at night with a bilious fever which in four days terminated her existence. Until within a few hours of her death, was supposed not dangerous by her physician or friends.

Sheriff, G. E. W. Foster, is selling property on first Monday and Tuesday in August at Pendleton Court House.

- Tract of land whereon Caleb Hall lives and owns; execution of Thomas Hays.
- A horse and one horse wagon and the harness; property of James Cooper; execution of James
- One mahogany sideboard, property of M. Trowbridge; execution of Charles Maxwell.

### July 18, 1827

Samuel Earle announces "finding himself very much upon the decline, in order to diminish so far as is practical his trouble in future, offer for sale the following property:

Land on Conoross where Abner Crosby formerly lived, 304 acres by actual survey; 80 in cultivation, strong useful buildings. If the purchaser wishes on the first day of January, when possesion may be had, he can have 80 barrels of corn on the place.

- 100 acres adjoining above, whereon William Doyle lives; comfortable dwelling house and other
- 640 acres about 3 miles from the above places on the Colonel's Fork of Conoross, wood land, among the first surveys made in the Forks; small quantity of creek bottom, best range for livestock in district.
- 780 acres on Beaver Dam about 3 miles above Myers' Mill; 30 acres cleared; few good cabins, peach orchard, few apple trees. Improvements all made during last seven years.
- 300 acres in this district on Saluda, directly opposite where James Earle lives; 50 acres in cultivation and in good repair. Strong log dwelling house (24 x 18) with a good stone chimney, a new shingle roof and plank floors, a good log kitchen, corn crib and stable; and it is believed

contains more good upland and bottom to clear than on any other settled tract of the same size in the district. If the purchaser wishes on the first day of January, when possession may be had, he can have the present crop, a small stock of cattle and hogs.

- For these lands, the purchaser can have what indulgence he pleases, by paying interest from the time he takes possession.
- In the disposition to be made of this property, the subscriber has not profit, but ease, in view; wishing a little respite after fifty years of unremitted attention to a complicated concern: and the male part of his family that are grown being provided for and doing for themselves, he can expect very little assistance from them; he will therefore make the whole, or any part thereof, an advantageous contract to any industrious sober man who understands the farming business. To prevent any diminution in the value of the property, if the lands are not sold by Christmas, he will give good bargains to persons disposed to lease or crop for a term of years.

Sheriff, G. E. W. Foster, is selling property on first Monday and Tuesday in August at Pendleton Court House, by writ of Fiera Facas. Plantation and tract whereon Mrs. Anne Hunter lives on the east side of 18 Mile Creek, about 2 ½ miles from Pendleton; 600 acres, 220-230 cleared and cultivated. Dwelling house, outbuildings, orchard. First rate creek low ground, well timbered and water. Property of late Dr. William Hunter by virtue of an execution Thomas Flemming vs. William Hunter and James Hunter.

### July 25, 1827

Died on the 22<sup>nd</sup> [July 22], after a protracted and painful illness, which she bore with Christian fortitude, **Elizabeth Joudon**, wife of **Isaac Joudon** of this district, aged 51 years and 4 months. She was a loving wife and affectionate mother, a good mistress and a Christian; leaving her husband and four children to lament her death.

Died near this place, on the 18<sup>th</sup> inst. [July 18], Mr. **Julius H. Walker**, of Wilmington, NC, aged about 33 years.

For sale a family of four Negroes, a fellow his wife and two likely children. They will be disposed of on reasonable terms, if applied for immediately. Inquire of Printer.

Will be sold on sale day a small jersey wagon, belonging to the estate of **Thomas K. Edwards**, deceased.

Advertisement. Printing and book binding. Inquire at printer.

John Harris, Ordinary for Pendleton District. Robert Trotter, applicant, vs. James Trotter and other heirs of Robert Trotter, deceased, defendants. It appearing to my satisfaction that William Trotter, Daniel Owens, and Catharine his wife, Philip Huggins and his children, William Davis and Martha his wife. Green Collier and Nancy his wife, Spencer Griffin and his children, Benjamin Garrison and his children, Isham Trotter, and the widow and child of George Trotter, deceased. Defendants in this case, reside without this State. They are requested to appear for the division or sale of the real estate of Robert Trotter.

### August 1, 1827

The post office a **Bachelor's Retreat** in this district has been reestablished and **John Verner** Esq. appoint postmaster. The office established at the house of **John C. Dench** Esq. of which he is postmaster is called Claremont.

Citizens composed of the company commanded by **Capt. H. Townes**, assembled at the house of **William F. Clinkscales** Esq. on the 4<sup>th</sup> of July. Oration was made by Mr. **John T. Broyles**.

General Order for the regiments composing Brigadier **General Griffin's** Brigade of the 5<sup>th</sup> Division and the Regiments composing the First Division of the militia. They will parade for review and exercise at the following times and places:

- 41st or Hill's Regiment, August 27, at Parks
- 40<sup>th</sup> or **Jones'** Regiment, August 28, **Boyd's**
- 38th or McCrackin's, August 30, Teague's
- 39th, or Eigleburger's, August 31, Lever's
- 10th, or Butler's, September 25, Richardson's
- 7<sup>th</sup>, or Glascock's, September 26, Old Wells
- 9th, or **Thompkins'**, September 28, new muster ground
- \_\_, or **Hearrse's**, October 1, near Fort Field

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6<sup>th</sup>, or Hodge's, October 3, Black's Old Field
4<sup>th</sup>, or Rice's, October 6, Varrennes
____, Harris', October 9, Grisham's Old Field
____, Norton's, October 11, the Governor's spring
5<sup>th</sup>, Hagood's, October 15, Pickensville
____, Ligons, October 20, Henson's Old Field
3<sup>rd</sup>, Johnson's, October 23, Toney's Store
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Signed by J. B. Earle, Adjutant and Inspector General [Blank spaces are blank in the newspaper.]

### August 8, 1827

On Monday night last about 11 or 12 o'clock, a gentleman of the village on entering his room at a private boarding house in this place, found a black fellow very deliberately packing up all the clothing he could come at, and apparently on the eve of decamping. On being interrogated, he gave confused and unsatisfactory answers, and after a struggle of considerable violence, he was secured, the officers of justice were roused, and he was committed to jail. It was ascertained that he had visited some other rooms in the house and from one of them had taken a pocket book, and some other articles belonging to a young gentleman who was sleeping too soundly to be awakened by his entrance. On being secured, he said he had a horse, tied out, which was found by his directions, and which he now acknowledges was stolen. He has given several different accounts of himself, but from the last it appears that he is a notorious scoundrel owned a few years since by a gentleman in this neighborhood, and sold for his faults. He says that he has several times changed owners since that time, and now belongs to a gentleman of Chester district.

**Dr. William Brazier** has disposed of his interest in the *Edgefield Hive* and the paper is again under the direction of **Abner Landrum**, the original editor.

Sheriff's sale at Pendleton on first Monday and Tuesday in September by **George E. W. Foster**, Sheriff.

- Land whereon **Samuel Thomas**, as property of **James Hogan**, waters of Conneross; execution **S. Cherry & Co.** vs. **James Hogan**.
- Sorrel mare, property of **A. Hamilton**; execution of **William Salisbury**.
- Sorrel mare, property of William Barrett; execution of William Townes; Also, an execution Dunham & Loveland vs. William Barrett. Also, an execution, John Archer vs. William Barrett.
- One gray horse, property of Andrew Davis; execution Stephen Clayton vs. A. Davis.

Committed the jail of Pendleton District a runaway on August 6, a Negro called **Charles** and states that he belongs to **Henry Worthy** of Chester District. When taken up he had a sorrel horse with a blazed face, saddle and bridle and states that they belong to some person in the district of Greenville, whose name he does not recollect. **Charles** is about 25 or 30 years old, very black, not tall, rather large than otherwise for his height. Signed **G. E. W. Foster**, Sheriff.

### August 15, 1827

Married at Winnsborough by the Rev. Mr. Rennie, the Rev. Richard B. Cater of Abbeville, to Miss Jemima M., daughter of Rev. Samuel W. Yongue.

The Commissioners of the Poor will meet at the Poor House on Saturday, the 18<sup>th</sup> inst.

In consequence of the resignation of Lt. H\_\_\_ and **Brown**, an election will be held at Capt. **Rutherford's** Muster Ground on Saturday the 29<sup>th</sup> of Sept. at 10 o'clock to supply the above vacancies. By Order of the Captain.

Sheriff's sale at Pendleton on first Monday and Tuesday in September by **George E. W. Foster**, Sheriff.

- Also, on Tuesday at the house of Elijah Mayfield, 7 stacks of oats, as his property, execution of H. H. Whittaker.
- One horse, 5 bushels wheat and about 25 dozen coats, property of **R. Epps**; execution of **Joseph Grisham**.
- One sorrel mare, property of David Morris; execution of D. Sloan Sr. vs. William Morris and D. Morris.

### August 22, 1827

[Difficult to read]

Married on Thursday the 16<sup>th</sup> inst. [August 16], by **Rev. Mr. Boring**, Mr. **John W. Gassaway** to Miss **Sarah McDow**, both of this district.

Died on Thursday the 9<sup>th</sup> inst. [August 9], aged 41 years, **Mrs. Elizabeth** consort of Mr. **Thomas Johnston** of Charleston, formerly of this district.

**James Thompson** is serving notice that his wife has left his premises and he will not be responsible for her debts. His wife's name is **Hetty Tem**\_\_\_\_.

William Cunningham is leaving the state this fall, he is asking for those who are indebted to pay on sale day. He is selling on "Out Cry" on that day, a "Cheat of Carpenter's Tools in good order."

### August 29, 1827

[Difficult to read]

Died on Thursday last, Mrs. Susan Cooper, wife of James Cooper, Esq., aged about 60 years.

### September 5, 1827

Augusta. R. Malone and H. Gorton has formed a partnership at the warehouse at the foot of the bridge, formerly owned by R. Malone. Ware house and commission business. Cotton mentioned.

John D. Carne requested person indebted, please pay their accounts by first of October.

Mark Littleton at Hurricane Creek offer to sale on October 5, that "elegant and well situated tract of land whereon he lives, together with the adjoining tract whereon there is a good grist and saw mill, both in operation; and an excellent shoal for water machinery; together with a good wagon, 7 head of horses, one set of blacksmith tools, one yoke of ste\_\_\_\_, some beef cattle, hogs, corn, rye, and wheat, farm and mechanics tools, household and kitchen furniture.

Sheriff's sale at Pendleton on first Monday and Tuesday in October by George E. W. Foster, Sheriff.

- A Negro girl, Mims, as the property of J. Bell; execution of Joseph Moore vs. S. H. Dickson, I. Jolly, and J. Bell.
- One bay horse, one bay mare and two cows and calves; property of Thomas Davis; execution of J. Grisham.
- Land whereon the defendant lives, waters of Twelve Mile, property of J. Field Jr.; execution of J. P. Benson.
- 100 acres, whereon Hugh Gaston lives and owns; execution of S. Cherry & Co. vs. H. Gaston and J. Montgomery; D. Cherry & Co. vs. Hugh Gaston; John Burriss vs. W. Welch and H. Gaston; and W. Smith vs. H. Gaston and J. Montgomery.
- 196 acres whereon Luke Haynie lived and owned; execution of Sam. Brown vs. Stephen Haynie Jr. and Luke Haynie.

Samuel Maverick offering stud services of Eclipse, of Black Rock, New York. May be seen at any time at the lot adjoining S. A. Maverick's Store.

### September 12, 1827

Yellow fever in Charleston and several deaths reported.

A Methodist camp meeting was held last week at the Sandy Spring, five miles from this place. Notwithstanding the excessive quantity of rain which fell during the time, there were several hundred persons present, and a large number of families encamped on the ground.

Annual examination of students at the Pendleton Academy will take place on September 29 and 20 commencing at two o'clock.

For sale at the store of **E. B. Benson** & Co. two excellent cotton gins at two dollars per saw. Gins repaired in the best manner and on reasonable terms at the residence of Col. **George Rankin** near Slab Town.

The subscriber intending to visit his son in the Hiwassee country and knowing the uncertainty of life, requested all those to whom he is indebted to come forward and he will settle their just demands; and he calls on her persons indebted to him to pay in money or new notes immediately. He has on his books a number of small accounts for which he is anxious to have notes or money and those who do not avail themselves of this first and last notice in this way, will be called on by an officer with whom they will be obliged to settle. **Nimrod Smith**.

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# Donations to the Clayton Room

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The Travels of John Heckewelder in Frontier American by Paul A. W. Wallace

Historic Oconee in South Carolina by Mary Cherry Doyle

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The Ancestors of My Children by William Copeland Clark in Lincoln, Maine, 1906. Clarks, Copelands and Rices.

The Great Shock: The Effects of the 1886 Charleston Earthquake by Robert P. Stockton

St. David's Parish, SC. Minutes of Vestry 1768-1832 and Parish Register 1819-1924 by Brent Holcombe Marriage and Death Notices from the Southern Patriot, 1831-1848, Vol. 2 by Theresa E. Wilson and Janice L. Grimes.

Journeys Into the Past: The Anderson Region's Heritage by Frank A. Dickson.

Ye Countie of Albemarle in Carolina by William S. Powell. Documents from 1664-1675.

Laurens County, SC Wills 1784-1840 by Colleen Elliott

History of Old Pendleton District and Genealogy of Leading Families by R. W. Simpson

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Ledger Book possibly from Mitchell & Reeder Cotton dealers in Oconee County. 1908-1910. Some names on M index page. L. T. McAlister, J. T. McAlister, J. N. Moore, Baxter McClain, Wilton Mason, Jack Martin, John McAlister, A. A. McGuffin, A. P. Marrett, Leo Markaleos, Jule Martin, Lee Moon, Jim Mize, S. L. Miller, A. Louis McGufin, Lester Mills, Jess Morrison, and Ottoway Marett.

### Donations by LaMarr Brooks.

North Carolina Genealogical Society Journal for Aug. 1996, Nov. 1996, Feb 1997, May 1997. Syllabus for National Genealogical Society Meeting in 1994. (3 Volumes) Family Tree Newspaper for 1997. Four Issues.

The True Story of Manse Jolly, Part I: As told by The Hon. A. W. Fries, The War Years, 1860-1865 by Steve Biondo. Paperback. 222 pps. Donated by G. Anne Sheriff

Templeton Family History by L. B. Templeton, Jr. Hardback. pp. 189. Reprinted by SCMAR, PO Box 21766, Columbia, SC 29221

The Spartanburg Area in the American Revolution by Wes Hope. Photocopied. 48 pps. Donated by G. Anne Sheriff

Smithson Family Exchange Newsletter. Family was around Bachelor's Retreat in the late 1700s. (18 Copies). Donated by Addie D. Rickey, 235 15th St., NE, Salem, OR 97301-4228.

The Collins Family History. Earl Washington Collins and Janie Galloway Collins. Compiled in 2003 by Ernestine Dyar Graham. Donated by Pat Collins, Lawton Rd., Central, SC. 29630

Mr. George Franklin Bowie, Jr. has published a CD with corrections and additions to the book entitled *Bowen-Field-Nimmons and Kindred Families* by Norah Nimmons Field. The cost is \$7.00 for the CD and \$3.00 for mailing. The name of the CD is *Some Suggested Corrections to The Family History and Genealogy Publication Entitled Bowen-Field-Nimmons and Kindred Families Compiled, Written and Published by Norah Nimmons Field.* 

Mr. Bowie is a direct descendant of Isaac and Mary (Lay) Anderson. He owns and resides on a very small portion of the original Isaac Anderson plantation. He also descends from the McKinney-Boon union.

G. Anne Sheriff Faith Clayton Room, Rickman Library Southern Wesleyan University PO Box 1020 Central, SC 29630

### Make checks to Faith Clayton Room

Check the 1915-1952 SC Death Index at <a href="www.scdhec.net/vr/">www.scdhec.net/vr/</a>. The Clayton Room at Southern Wesleyan University has the index. After you have checked the index, you can order a copy from the address listed on the web site. Greenville County Library and the SC Archives have copies of the death certificates on microfilm.

Family Origins Genealogy Software is now **RootsMagic** at <u>www.rootsmagic.com</u> or 1-866-GO-ROOTS. The cost is \$29.95 + \$5.00 shipping. You can try a free demo at their website.

The Old Pendleton Genealogical Society is going to publish the **1870 Pickens County Census**. Several people have donated their time to type the following townships in the computer. They are also going fix the index and get someone to check their work. Then, they will turn it in to Anne Sheriff who will put it all together. Mrs. Sheriff is ordering copies of the 1870 Census on CD for each group.

Trudy Garner and Lavinia Moore – Dacusville and Easley Township, 62 pps.

Janet Blackwell - Eastatoe Township, 26 pps.

Bill Hendrix - Pickens Court House Township, Pickens CH Post Office, 24 pps.

Ellen Neal - Pumpkintown Township, 32 pps.

Janis Mahaffey - Salubrity Townships, 34 pps.

- Pickensville Township, Pickens Courthouse Post Office, 24 pps.
- P. Pickensville Township, Pickensville Post Office, 28 pps.
- ? \_\_\_\_\_, Garvin Township, Five Mile Post Office [Central], 34 pps.

Don't forget about the new publication, *Jocassee Valley* by Claudia Hembree. She will be at the February meeting to sell her books.

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