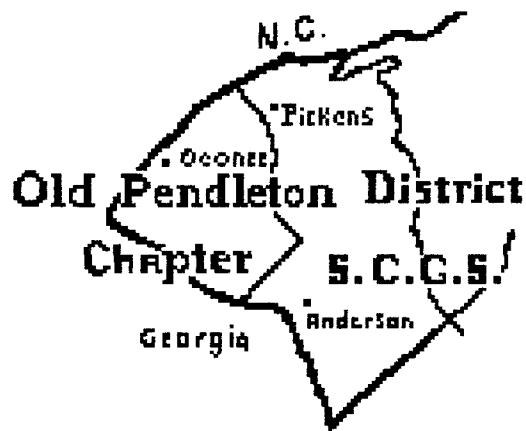


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### April Meeting

April 18, 2006 7:00 P. M.  
Central-Clemson Library Meeting Room  
Highway 93  
Central, SC

### Speaker-Charles Dougherty

Rev. Charles Dougherty is the current President of the Historical Old Pickens Foundation. A foundation to preserve and maintain the Old Pickens Presbyterian Church on the site of the once Pickens Court House Community, whose memory the foundation is committed to keep alive. We will enjoy his comments on facts discovered during the restoration of Old Pickens Church.

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### 30<sup>th</sup> Year Birthday

September 1976 marked the formation of the Old Pendleton District South Carolina Genealogical Society. With the celebration of our 30<sup>th</sup> year, we will begin the second volume of THE LINEAGE CHART Book. This is a chance to get your family history in print. Without your contributions this is not possible. Please send your charts to Publications Chairman: Mrs. LaMarr Brooks, 108 Elfving Lane, Central, SC 29630.

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## There Were Three Brothers And...

Genealogy newcomers often trip over the "three brothers" story. It has been repeated thousands of times. I have yet to see one instance in which it is accurate.

The story always starts with something like this:

*There were three brothers who immigrated to America. One went north, one went south, and one headed west, never to be heard from again.*

It is an interesting story, and you might almost believe it. After all, how else can you explain the fact that the same surname pops up in so many places?

What fascinates me is that there are always three brothers, never two or four or five or six. And didn't they have any sisters? Why did they go in three different directions? Couldn't two of them go someplace together while the third struck out on his own? Why does each one take a different trip?

An examination of thousands of immigration and naturalization records shows that brothers usually remained close-knit and usually resided near each other after immigration. The "three brothers" myth apparently was invented and repeated by lazy genealogists who could not be bothered to find the truth. It is a poor excuse for rationalizing why the same surname appears in multiple locations.

When searching for surnames in immigration records, you normally will find more than one immigrant of the name. In many cases, each immigrant did not know the others and moved to wherever he pleased. Later genealogists tried to justify the appearance of one surname in multiple locations and assumed something that is not documented in any records.

Be wary of the three brother's myth. You always want to confirm such claims to establish that indeed there were three brothers instead of three unrelated men with the same last name. Yes, someplace in history there probably were three brothers somewhere who split up and went separate ways. But 99.9% of the "three brothers" stories you will hear are fictitious. Before you accept the "three brothers" story in your family tree, do yourself a favor: find documentation that proves the names of their parents.

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## Lawrence Clayton Family Records

### Marriages

Lawrence G. Clayton and Addie Smith were married Sept 6<sup>th</sup> 1882 by the Rev. A. P. Nicholson  
Nita I. Clayton & E.L. Henderson were married Aug. 18, 1910 by Rev. L. W. Johnson.  
Ethel Clayton & W.M. Lawrence were married June 26<sup>th</sup>, 1919 by Rev. Goodwin.  
Eunice Clayton & M.E. Herndon were married Dec. 24, 1933 by Rev. S.J.L. Crouch at Central.  
Grace M. Clayton & Madison Tabor were married March 2<sup>nd</sup>, 1921 by the Rev. J.J. Coleman.  
Van Clayton & Inez Morris married Oct. 5<sup>th</sup>, 1921 by Rev. Knox.  
Silas Clayton & Lucile Robinson were married May 26<sup>th</sup>, 1921  
Cleone Clayton & H.S. Tate were married Feb. 4, 1928 by Rev. Jno. McSween, Anderson.  
Angie Lee Clayton & F.M. Parham were married Feb. 1932.

### Births

L. G. Clayton was born Dec. 18<sup>th</sup>, 1854.  
Addie Smith was born Apr. 8<sup>th</sup>, 1865.  
Nita Irene Clayton was born Feb. 21, 1883  
Grace Marie Clayton was born March 1, 1885.  
Silas Walter Clayton was born Aug. 16<sup>th</sup>, 1887.  
Christine Adelaide Clayton was born July 13<sup>th</sup>, 1890.  
Van Clayton was born Aug. 19<sup>th</sup>, 1893.  
Ethel Clayton was born May 7<sup>th</sup>, 1895.  
Lawrence Monroe Clayton was born Feb. 9<sup>th</sup>, 1897.  
Faith Clayton was born Jan. 6/8, 1898.  
Harold Clayton was born Dec. 26<sup>th</sup>, 1900.

### Deaths

Lawrence Monroe Clayton died Feb. 27<sup>th</sup>, 1897.  
Michael Elias Herndon, son of Eunice Clayton Herndon died Dec. 27, 1936.  
L. G. Clayton died Feb. 17, 1935.  
Addie Smith Clayton died May 2, 1929.  
Nita Clayton Henderson died Feb. 22, 1956.  
Grace Clayton Tabor died Jan. 21, 1945.  
Silas Walter Clayton died in Tampa Fla. May 1964.  
Christine A. Clayton died Feb. 19, 1967.  
M.E. Herndon, husband of Eunice Clayton, died Dec. 27<sup>th</sup>, 1960.  
F. Van Clayton, son of L.G. Clayton, died July 3, 1961.

### Memoranda

Eunice Clayton was born Feb. 9<sup>th</sup>, 1902.  
Cleone Clayton was born Nov. 19<sup>th</sup>, 1904.  
Angie Lee Clayton was born Jan. 7<sup>th</sup>, 1907.  
Nellie Irene Henderson was born May 18<sup>th</sup>, 1911.  
Lucille Clayton Henderson was born May 2, 1915.  
Francis L. Henderson was born Nov. 16, 1916.  
Thomas Lawrence Henderson was born Aug. 9, 1923.  
Annie Tabor was born Feb. 16, 1922.  
Martha Jean Lawrence was born Dec. 18, 1921.  
Felicia Clayton Lawrence was born Jan. 24, 1928.  
Robert Morris Clayton was born  
Wm. Harold Clayton Jr. was born Aug. 5, 1931.  
Martha Irene Addelaide Clayton was born July 1, 1933.  
Michael E. Herndon Jr. was born Sept. 14, 1936.  
Harold Simmons Tate was born Sept. 19, 1930.  
Fred M. Parham Jr. was born Apr. 19, 1933.  
Lawrence Clayton Parham was born Oct. 11, 1935.  
Jeff Parham born Sept. 11, 1945.

### Marriage

W. Harold Clayton & Maria Rosa Reichel were married in Chile, So. America Sept. 19, 1930.  
Angie Lee Clayton married Frederick Melvin Parham Feb. 1932.  
Wm. Harold Clayton Jr. & Mary Jane Walsh of Portland, Me. were married in Washington, D.C. Dec. 31, 1955  
Martha Clayton & William Trickey were married in Plainfield, N.J. July 28, 1956.  
Clayton Parham & Hepsie Greer were married in Belton, S.C. Oct. 12, 1957.  
Robert Clayton Herndon son of Eunice C. & M.E. Herndon married Margaret Earle Campbell in Anderson Nov. 7, 1964.

## Insects Provided Foe in Civil War's Epic Struggle, Scientist Finds

BY TOM HOWELL JR.

WASHINGTON - Twice as many Civil War soldiers died from insect-related disease than direct combat - an obscure fact Gary Miller has discovered in his unique, decades-long hobby.

Since the 1970s, Miller, 48, of Laurel, Md., has pored over books, soldiers' letters and regimental histories for insect references. He found that mosquitoes, body lice and flies were a constant nuisance to Union and Confederate soldiers. Roughly 60,000 soldiers died from malaria on the Union side alone, he said.

"I think the beauty of looking at the insects is it's a topic that we all can relate to," he said. "Few of us can relate to combat."

Miller is a professional entomologist who describes new species for the United States Department of Agriculture. His blend of bug expertise with the War Between the States is strictly a hobby, he said. The bugs-and-war fascination started in college, he said, when research for a Civil War course paper on "soldier life" led to an unexpected trend.

"Here were all these references to insects," he said. "You find out insects played a role in every part of soldiering."

Civil War soldiers were encamped in conditions that were awful for humans, but great for insects.

"One of the things that most people aren't aware of when they think of the Civil War is the number of people and associated animals," Miller said. "(Armies) weren't mechanized. They had to rely on horses and mules."

Soldiers would sometimes travel with 8,000 to 10,000 head of cattle, providing plenty of food for flies, he said. Soldiers already wracked by diarrhea or dysentery often had to deal with mosquito-borne malaria as well. If that wasn't bad enough, he said, soldiers' food was usually infested.

Miller owns an original letter by a soldier after the fall of Vicksburg, who wrote there were insects in "every biteful of food."

Desperation led to quirky delousing methods. Soldiers practiced "skirmishing," squishing bugs and lice with their thumb and forefinger on their bodies. Often, they boiled their clothes.

Historians say the Civil War was the last major war fought before scientists realized microbes carried disease, so treatment was limited, Miller said. Quinine imported from South America was the best treatment for malaria, but the Union blockade on the coast led to price gouging.

In 1862, an ounce of quinine cost about \$5, Miller said. By the end of the war, the going price in some places was \$500 to \$600 per ounce. The average Union private made \$16 per month.

Miller will share his research Friday evening in a public presentation titled "Insects and the Civil War" at the Locust Grove Nature Center in Bethesda, Md.

In his presentation, Miller will show Civil War-era photographs that depict these harsh conditions. Viewers must look closely to notice the details, but the suffering of battle will be evident.

"I try not to sugarcoat things," Miller said. "I'm not overly graphic with the info, but the topic is war and it's not fun and games."

Geri Drymalski, a naturalist with the Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission, saw Miller present his research to the Maryland Entomological Society 10 years ago. She had him present his work at Locust Grove then, and now Miller is back. "Well I think it's really amazing," she said. "We are so ignorant of how directly and indirectly insects are part of our lives. There's so much more to this whole drama of fighting a war than guns and bullets."

"It's a connection to the past and that's what you build upon," Miller said. "When I can bring natural history into our national history, the picture becomes more colorful."

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**Teacher's Report**  
**Conneross Academy – Hephzibah Baptist Church – Fork Township**  
**Anderson County, South Carolina**  
**Weston Hays, Teacher**

**10 Jan 1870 to 31 Mar 1870**

**Paid \$20.35**

**Anderson County**

Willie Snellgrove  
 Robt. Snellgrove  
 Emma Snellgrove  
 Wm. Wootton  
 Mary Burns  
 Nancy Burns  
 Joseph Burns  
 Fred G. Brown  
 P. S.? Brown

**1 Apr 1870 to 24 Jun 1870**

**Paid \$25.60**

**Anderson County**

Willie Snellgrove  
 Emma Snellgrove  
 Robert Snellgrove  
 Wm. Wootton  
 Mary Burns  
 Nancy Burns  
 Joseph Burns  
 Fred Brown  
 Sumpter Brown  
 Carrie Brown  
 Paul Brown  
 Thos. Harris  
 Joanna Harris  
 Eugenia Harris  
 Patrick Harris

**10 Jan 1870 – 31 Mar 1870**

**Paid \$36.30**

**Oconee County**

Mary Pitts  
 Anna Pitts  
 Horace McGee  
 Jeff Carson  
 Mary Carson  
 Harriston? Phillips  
 Louisa Phillips  
 Demetrui Davis  
 Mary Elrod  
 David Elrod  
 Charles Nimmons  
 Thos. Patterson  
 Jane Patterson  
 Mary Rodgers  
 Josephine Hays  
 Thos. Hays  
 Nixon Hays  
 Sol.m. Burgess  
 John Fennell  
 Anna Fennell  
 Lissey Carson  
 O. Davis (M)  
 O. Phillips (M)  
 C. Hopkins (M)  
 W. M. Pitts (M)

The report for January to June is from Conneross Academy, Hephzibah Church in Anderson and Oconee counties. There are different children listed in the reports for the same period at the same site but in different counties.

Teacher's Report of Conneross Academy. Located in the State Department of Education, Teacher Report file. South Carolina Department of Archives and History, Columbia, SC.

## ABOUT MILTON HIGGINS

Milton Higgins is 46 years old and lives in Burnsville, NC. Since he grew up across the road from the Parkway Playhouse, he was well acquainted with theatre from an early age. In school, his favorite teacher was Elizabeth Westall, the actress who did "Nance Dude" and "Birdell." Prior to "The Prince of Dark Corners," Milton has portrayed Jody Lee in "The Raindrop Waltz," and Elwood P. Dowd in "Harvey" at the Parkway Playhouse.

## ABOUT GARY CARDEN

Gary Carden is a storyteller, writer, and former teacher. His book, **Mason Jars in the Flood**, won the Book of the Year Award in 2001 from the Appalachian Writers Association. His previous plays include "The Raindrop Waltz," "Land's End," and "Birdell." Gary lives in Sylva, NC and can be reached at GCarden498@aol.com.

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## MAJOR LEWIS REDMOND OUTLAW!

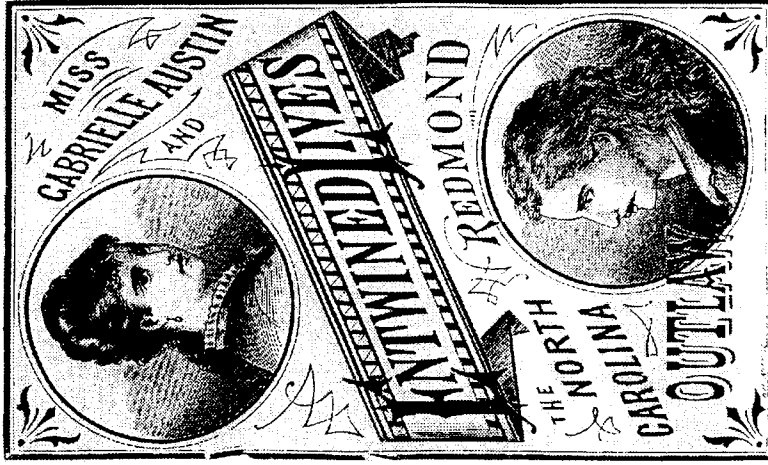


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THE PRINCE OF DARK CORNERS  
by Gary Carden



At the time of his capture in 1881, the outlaw, Lewis Redmond was described as "the most famous man in South Carolina." Redmond was equally well-known in western North Carolina and north Georgia where local newspapers begged the court to "forget his faults in admiration of his undaunted courage and unmistakable dash." Due to rumors of a dramatic rescue, Redmond's trial in Asheville was cancelled and he was transferred to Greenville, S.C. People visiting the jail while he was awaiting trial in both locations gave him food, whiskey and cigars. Redmond acquired quite a collection of perfumed notes from women.

Many of the events described in this play are controversial. The details of Redmond's career are distorted by folklore, bias and conjecture. As a playwright, I have omitted many events because they are too outrageous to warrant belief (even though there is

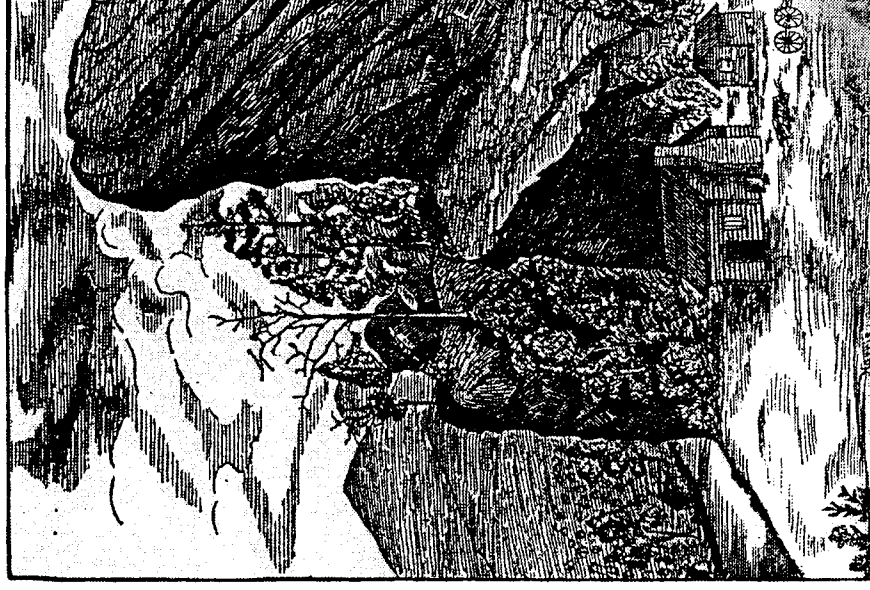
considerable evidence that they are true). In addition, they are too numerous to be recounted in this single work. In a few instances, I have simply lied in the interest of dramatic effect. I doubt anyone will notice.

Gary Carden

#### A NOTORIOUS OUTLAW KILLED:

REDMOND SHOT AFTER DEFEYING THE LAW FOR MANY YEARS.

RALEIGH, N. C., April 10.—A letter from Swain County says that Redmond, the notorious outlaw, who has defied the United States authorities in South and North Carolina for several years by persistent violation of the internal revenue law, was captured the other day, after being fatally wounded in an encounter with the officers. Redmond was at his home, in Swain County, where he has resided since he fled from South Carolina. When the officers surrounded his house and convinced themselves in the bushes, the dogs began to bark and Redmond took his gun and went out to see what was the matter. He was hailed by the officers and told to halt. Redmond immediately raised his gun to shoot and was fired upon by the officers. He was then taken to Charleston, the county seat, where he died the next day. He said to Ray, who shot him: "You have shot me; I never surrendered and never would have done so." Redmond killed and wounded several officers during his career, and was known as a thoroughly desperate man, who would die "with his boots on" rather than give up and take his chances in the courts.



SCENE I:  
The Asheville Jail, 1881

SCENE II:  
Lewis Redmond's  
Home near Seneca,  
S.C. 1906

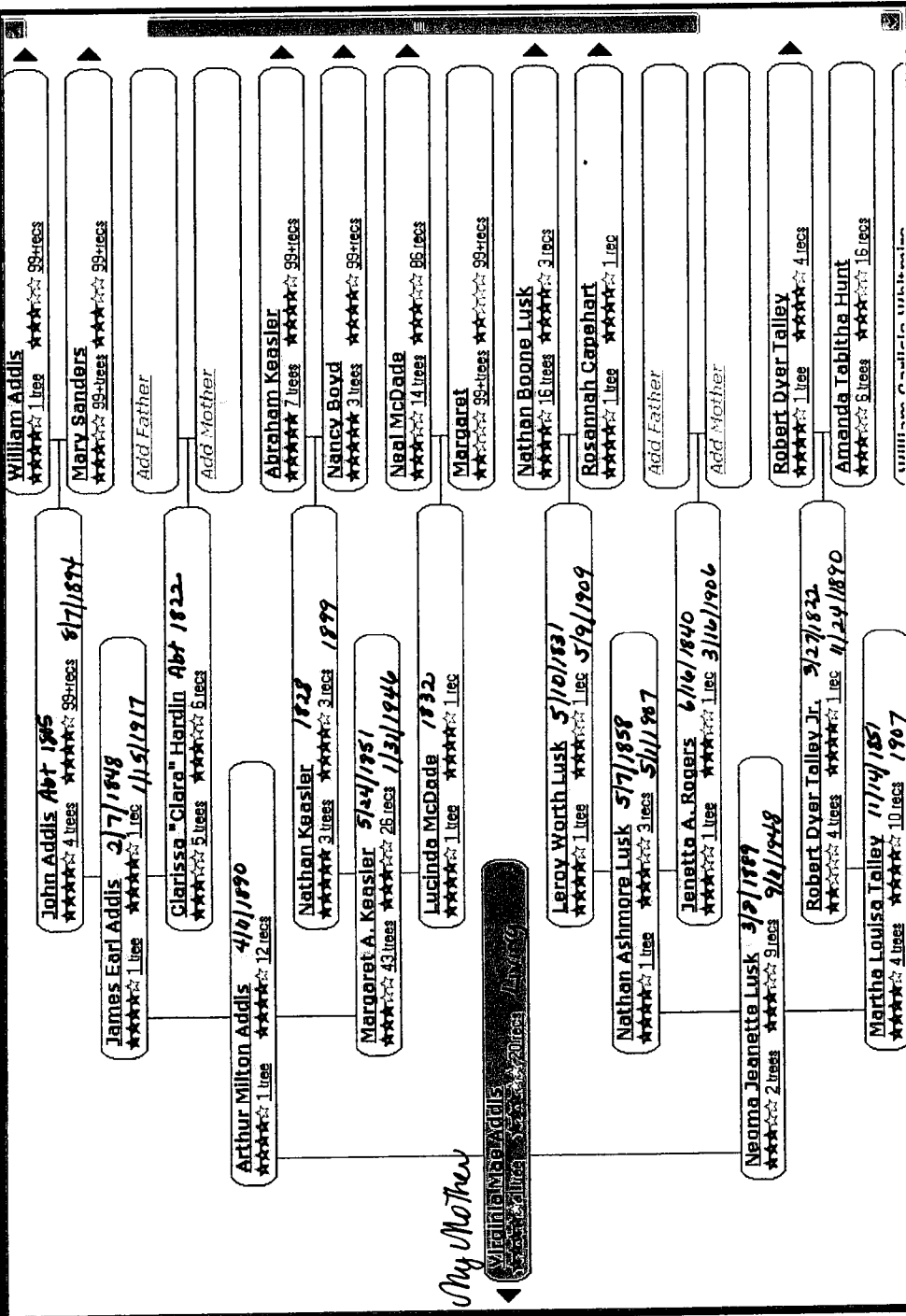
AT LEFT: HOME OF  
MAJOR LEWIS  
REDMOND  
IN SWAIN COUNTY,  
NORTH CAROLINA



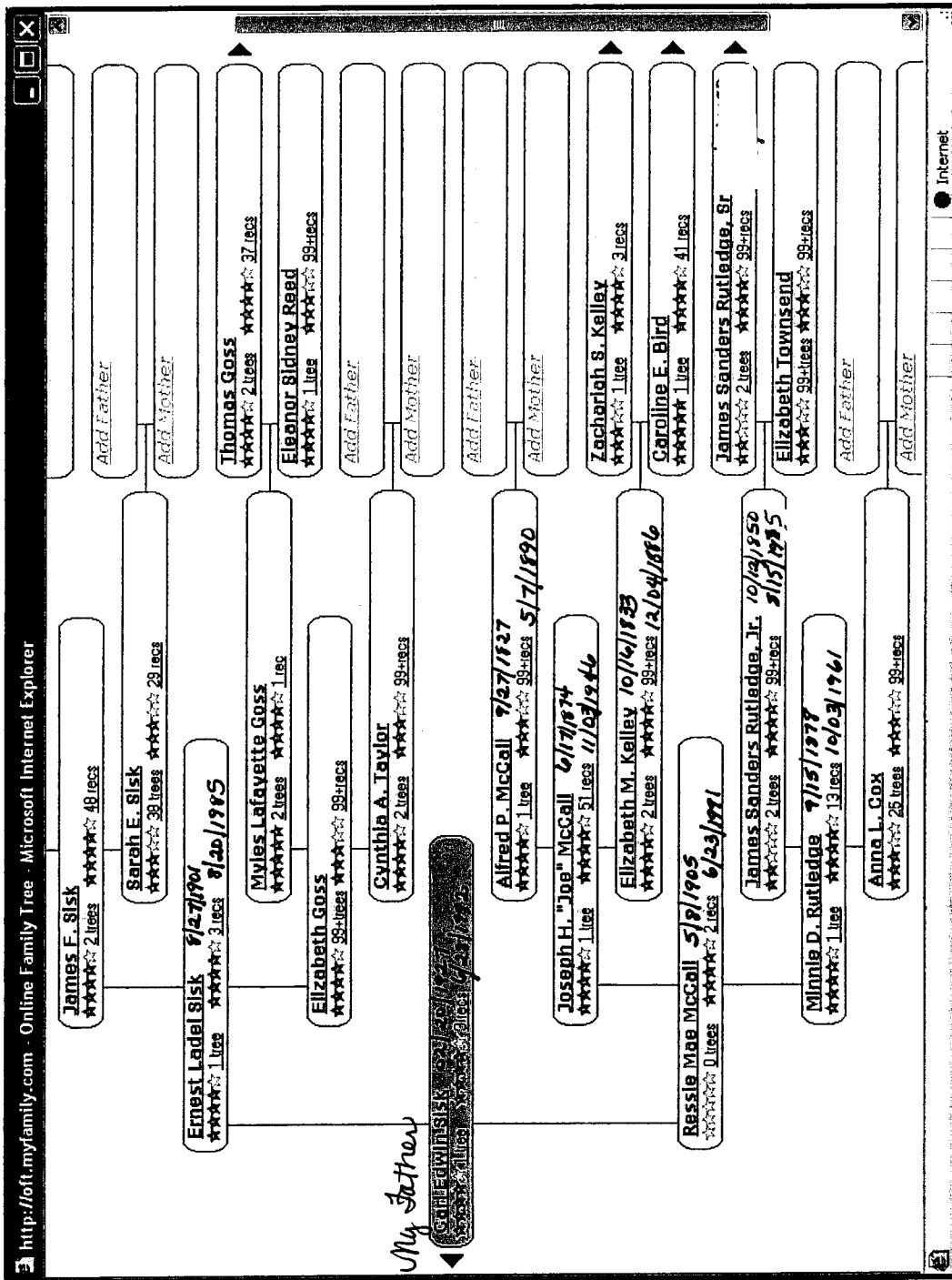
*"Whatever the verdict  
of the world, he  
(Lewis Redmond)  
would not be counted  
bad in that final court  
where human prejudices  
are ruled out."*

Margaret Morley,

The Carolina Mountains, 1913







Ernest Ladel Sisk and Ressler  
Mae McCall Sisk had 3  
children:

James ? Sisk (prior to 1927)  
(died @ age 2)

Carl Edwin Sisk 2/20/1927

Thomas Vigil Sisk 11/15/1941

Carl Edwin Sisk and Virginia Mae  
Addis had 4 children:

James Anthony Sisk b. Boone Co, SC

Carla Nadene Sisk b. Boone Co, SC

Peter Jonathan Sisk b. Boone Co, SC

Warren Rene Sisk b. 7/11/1962  
d. 11/17/1977

Thomas Vigil Sisk and Charles  
Alexander had two children:  
Julia Laddell Sisk  
Brian Edwin Sisk

## WATCH OUT FOR THESE THREE!

### Old Style "s"

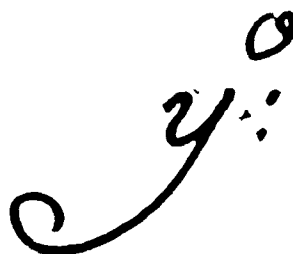
A cursive letter 's' in an old style, featuring a single loop and a long, sweeping tail that curves back towards the left.The word 'Rof' written in cursive, where the 's' is an old style 's' with a long, sweeping tail.

### Open "e"

A cursive letter 'e' in an open style, with a single loop and a long, sweeping tail that curves back towards the left.

Chosen = CHOSEN  
Toft = TEST

### The Thorn

A cursive letter 'y' in a thorn style, with a single loop and a long, sweeping tail that curves back towards the left.A cursive letter 'y' in a thorn style, with a single loop and a long, sweeping tail that curves back towards the left.A cursive letter 'y' in a thorn style, with a single loop and a long, sweeping tail that curves back towards the left.

# Seeking Information About These CONFEDERATE Soldiers

**Robert Warren Johnson Parsons** was a private in Co. I, Hampton Legion, C. S. A. No additional information available.

**Andrew L. Patterson** served as a private in Co. C, 2nd South Carolina Cavalry. He attended the September 1884 reunion of his Civil War military unit at Pickens, S. C.

**Elisha Patterson** was a son of Asa Patterson, Sr. (b. ca 1813) and Eleanor Nix Neely Patterson (b. ca 1827). He grew up in the Jocassee area of northern Pickens District, S. C. He served in Co. K, 62nd North Carolina Infantry. He died at Manassas, Virginia, after the Second Battle of Bull Run (Second Manassas).

**Erwin Patterson** served as a private in Co. B, 1st South Carolina State Troops for six months between August 1863 and February 1864. No additional information available.

**George C. Patterson** (1847-1921) resided in the area of the western division of Pickens District that became Seneca township after the Civil War. He was a son of Clary Patterson (b. ca 1803) and Elizabeth Patterson (b. ca 1813). He married Susan Sanders (b. 20 Dec 1851-12 Sep 1936). This Confederate veteran was born March 5, 1847, and died May 18, 1921. He was buried in Mountain View Cemetery at Seneca (Oconee County), S. C. (Note: A man named George Patterson served in Co. A, 1st South Carolina Cavalry. Also, a George Patterson served in Co. C, Holcombe Legion. Were either or both of these men the George C. Patterson listed above?)

**J. R. Patterson** was a private in Co. C, 1st South Carolina Rifles (Orr's Regiment). He was killed in action at Frayser's Farm (Battle of White Oak Swamp) in Virginia on June 30, 1862. He was laid to rest in Hollywood Cemetery at Richmond, Virginia (Grave No. M-11).



# CONFEDERATE SOLDIERS OF PICKENS DISTRICT, SOUTH CAROLINA (continued)

**Thomas A. Patterson** was a second sergeant in 2nd South Carolina Rifles (Moore's Regiment). He was transferred to the 22nd South Carolina Infantry during the U. S. Civil War.

**T. D. Patterson** was killed in action in the Crater explosion at Petersburg, Virginia, on July 30, 1864.

**Samuel W. Patton** was wounded in action at Fredericksburg, Virginia while serving in Co. C, 2nd South Carolina Rifles (Moore's Regiment).

**R. M. Pearson** is believed to have been the Robert Pearson who served in Co. A, 3rd South Carolina Reserves and in Co. C, 2nd South Carolina Infantry. After the Civil War, R. M. Pearson resided in the Pacolet area (?) of Oconee County, S. C., and received a \$240.00 annual Civil War pension in 1930.

**John Peaty** was a private in Co. H, 4th South Carolina Infantry Volunteers (Sloan's Regiment). His home was in the Dacusville area of the eastern division of Pickens District, S. C.

**James M. Peek** (b. ca 1842-d. ca 1886) served in a Confederate military unit from North Carolina during the U. S. Civil War. After the war, he and his wife, Emma, plus their children, resided in Central (Pickens County), S. C. Their home was situated on the town's lot number 12. This Confederate veteran owned and operated a store in Central, S. C. Two of his storehouses were destroyed by fire on December 30, 1886. Later that year (in December), N. M. Madden made suit for letters of administration for the estate and effects of James M. Peek, deceased. During his life, this soldier had several brushes with the law. He was found guilty and fined for selling whiskey without a license, was charged with assault and battery with intent to kill, and was arrested for violating a town ordinance by firing a weapon in the streets. In 1930, Emma Peek, widow of James M. Peek, was a recipient of a Civil War widow's pension. She was a resident of Central, S. C., and died May 6, 1935.

**Dread Pelfrey** (1830-1912) enlisted in Co. F, 52nd Georgia Infantry at Clayton, Georgia, on March 4, 1862. On his company's muster roll of December 1, 1862, he was listed as absent without leave, but he returned to duty March 17, 1863. He was taken prisoner of war by Union troops at Vicksburg, Mississippi, on July 4,

1863. However, he was paroled the following July 7th. Then, he returned to duty -- but was again captured by Federals on July 20, 1864, near Atlanta, Georgia, and then sent to a military prison in Louisville, Kentucky. On July 30, 1864, he was moved to Camp Douglas, Illinois, as a prisoner of war. By April 15, 1865, the Civil War had ended, and Dread Pelfrey then enlisted in the 5th U. S. Army Volunteers. At that time he was 32 years of age and claimed that his birthplace was Pickens, S. C. While in the U. S. Army, this soldier served as a company tailor. On November 13, 1866, he was mustered out of the U. S. Army at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas. Dread Pelfrey is believed to have married as many as five times. His first wife was Elizabeth Pelfrey, who was born in Georgia about 1830. After her death, he married Elmira Deal (b. 1840-d. 6 Jul 1906). Then, in 1886, he married Luisie Deal. By 1912, his wife was Patsey Pelfrey.

**Josiah Pelfrey** (1839-1863) served in Co. K, 12th South Carolina Infantry. He died of disease on January 22, 1863, at Lynchburg, Virginia. This soldier was born in Pickens District, S. C., in 1839. He married Martha Hinton. He enlisted in the Confederate States Army on May 10, 1862, at Walhalla, S. C.

**James Jackson Pell** is believed to have served in the C. S. A. from Pickens District, S. C. No information is available about this man.

**William M. Pell** was born about 1848 and once resided in Walhalla, S. C. He is thought to have served as a teenager in a unit of the S. C. Reserves or S. C. State Troops during the Civil War. In 1930, Pell's widow, Carrie (Walker) Pell (1861-1947) was a recipient of a Civil War widow's annual pension of \$160.00. A marker to the memory of William M. Pell was placed in the Pell family cemetery at Mountain Rest in northern Oconee County, S. C.

**J. W. Pendleton** was one of the twenty Confederate veterans honored on January 20, 1907, at Clemson College, Clemson, S. C., when the 100th anniversary of General Robert E. Lee's birthday was celebrated by the John C. Calhoun Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy. Mr. Pendleton and the other honored veterans marched down the aisle of Clemson's Memorial Hall while the college band played "Dixie." No additional information is available about this Confederate veteran.

# CONFEDERATE SOLDIERS OF PICKENS DISTRICT, SOUTH CAROLINA (continued)

**Andrew J. Pendley** served as a first sergeant in Co. A, 1st South Carolina Rifles (Orr's Regiment). He was a resident of the western division of Pickens District, S. C. (now Oconee County).

**S. Penn** was a private in Co. E, 1st South Carolina Rifles (Orr's Regiment). He died in 1862 at Richmond, Virginia.

**R. A. Pennington** was conscripted into the C. S. A. on July 1, 1862, in Columbia, S. C. He once lived in Anderson County, S. C. He survived the Civil War and was paroled at Augusta, Georgia, on May 28, 1865.

**N. C. Penny** was a corporal in Co. F, 2nd South Carolina Reserves (?). He died at the age of seventeen at Columbia, S. C. The date of his death was January 20, 1865. He was buried at Elmwood Cemetery at Columbia, South Carolina.

**Augustus G. Perkins** (1838-1893) entered the army as a volunteer in July 1861 and served in Co. F, South Carolina Rifles (Orr's Regiment). He married Harriet A. Jenkins (1 Feb 1838-6 Jul 1893). This soldier resided in the valley of the Tugaloo River in what today is Oconee County, S. C. His parents were Joshua Perkins (b. ca 1812) and Hannah Perkins (b. ca 1813). His widow applied for a Civil War widow's pension in Stephens County, Georgia. This veteran's brother, Josiah Perkins, also served in the Confederate States Army (see below).

**Daniel Perkins** (1839-1862) died of pneumonia at Winchester, Virginia, on September 30, 1862. He was twenty-three years and four months of age at that time. Perkins served in Co. D, (Gist Rifles), Hampton Legion in which he enlisted June 7, 1861. This soldier was reared in the household of an aunt and uncle, Felix and Casey Rogers, having lost his parents while he was a youngster. Before the U. S. Civil War began, he joined Enon Baptist Church (on August 14, 1860), situated near what today is Easley in Pickens County, S. C.

**Josiah Perkins** was born about 1834 in the valley of the Tugaloo River in what today is Oconee County, S. C. He served in Co. F, 1st South Carolina Rifles (Orr's Regiment). He survived the U. S. Civil War and was paroled at Appomattox Court House, Virginia on April 9, 1865. He was a brother of Augustus G. Perkins (see above) who also served in the C. S. A.

**Moses Perkins** was born about 1842, a son of Joshua Perkins (b. ca 1812) and Hannah Perkins (b. ca 1813). His father owned 309 acres of land situated in the forks of the Tugaloo River and Chauga Creek in what today is Oconee County. This soldier was a brother of Augustus G. Perkins, who also served in the C. S. A. His additional siblings were Josiah Perkins, William Perkins, Samuel Perkins, Harriet Elizabeth Perkins and Martha Adeline Perkins.

**Samuel Perkins** died of disease at his home in the Tugaloo River valley of Pickens District, S. C. He was a member of Co. E, 1st South Carolina Infantry, Volunteers. He entered the C. S. A. in July 1861. He might have also served in Co. F, 1st South Carolina Rifles (Orr's Regiment).

**William Perkins** died of disease at Richmond, Virginia, on June 4, 1862, and was buried there in Hollywood Cemetery (Grave #P-122). He was a member of Co. F, 1st South Carolina Rifles (Orr's Regiment).

**Jesse R. (or P.) Perry** (1833-1866) served in the 68th North Carolina Infantry. He was a son of Lemuel Anderson Perry (1802-1878). This soldier's wife was Jane Perry, and their children were Frances "Fannie" Perry (b. ca 1857), Lemuel "Anderson" Perry (b. 1859), and Eubla Catherine "Kate" Perry (b. 1861). This soldier was wounded in action and then hospitalized in Richmond. He was then sent to South Carolina to recover and was admitted to a hospital in Columbia. Later, he was sent to his home in the area that is now Easley township of Pickens County, S. C., where he died shortly after the U. S. Civil War.

**John Davis Perry** (1842-1920) enlisted in Co. E, 4th South Carolina Infantry Volunteers at Columbia, S. C., on May 14, 1861. He was a private and, according to a company muster roll dated October 31, 1861, was absent from duty because of sickness. On November 7, 1861, he was discharged from the C. S. A., but later joined a cavalry company. His wife was Permalia Burt Moorhead Perry (1853-1925). This soldier was born February 25, 1842, and he died October 24, 1920. He was buried at Richland Presbyterian Church in Oconee County, S. C. He was a son of Nathaniel J. L. Perry (b. ca 1799) and Elizabeth Perry (b. ca 1804).

**Ervin Phillips** received a Civil War pension in 1899 in Oconee County, S. C. According to oral

tradition, he served in Co. A, 21st South Carolina Infantry, C. S. A. No additional information available.

**Evan Phillips** was born about 1829, a son of Charlotta Phillips (b. ca 1790). He was killed in action at Gaines' Mill, Virginia, on June 27, 1862. A memorial marker for this soldier was placed in the cemetery at Double Springs Baptist Church in Oconee County, S. C. (Was he buried there?)

**Franklin Phillips** served as a private in Co. K, 12th South Carolina Infantry. He died of disease at the age of twenty on December 5, 1862, at Lynchburg, Virginia. His body was interred in Richmond, Virginia, at Oakwood Cemetery (Grave #145, row L, Div. A).

**Henry Phillips** enlisted at the age of 32 in Co. E, 1st South Carolina Rifles (Orr's Regiment). He survived the Civil War, and in 1866 paid his general tax of \$1.58 in Pickens District, S. C. He was a resident of what is now Oconee County, S. C.

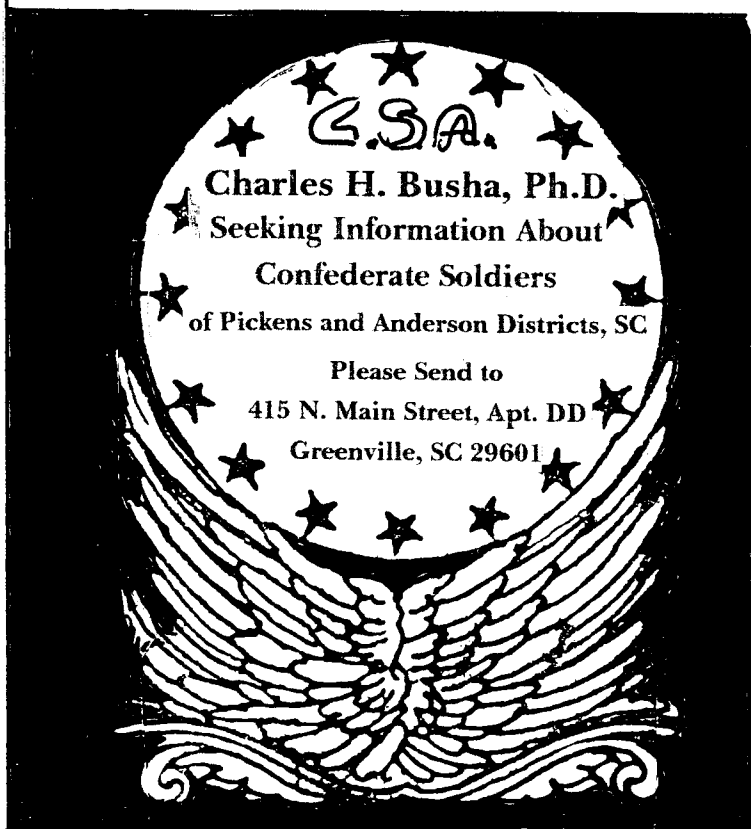
**Hampton Phillips** was a private in Co. I, Palmetto Sharpshooters, C. S. A. He died of disease on June 15, 1862, at Petersburg, Virginia. His wife was Adeline (Morgan) Phillips, who died January 14, 1904, at the age of 68. She was buried at Oolenoy Baptist Church in Pickens County, S. C. She received a Civil War widow's pension in 1888. This soldier's home was in the Table Rock area of what today is Pickens County.

**Jeremiah Phillips** enlisted in Capt. William King Easley's Cavalry Company. He was a corporal and was promoted to first sergeant on May 26, 1862. His unit became Co. F, 2nd South Carolina Cavalry, in which he was elected a second lieutenant on October 24, 1862. The company was later designated as Co. A, 4th Battalion South Carolina Cavalry.

**Joel S. Phillips** was a son of Jefferson Phillips (b. ca 1825) and Jane Phillips (b. ca 1827) of what today is Oconee County, S. C. He served in Co. E, 1st South Carolina State Troops.

**James B. Phillips** has a grave marker in the cemetery of Long Creek Baptist Church in Oconee County, S. C. He served in Co. C, 2nd South Carolina Rifles. He survived the Civil War, and in 1866 paid his general tax of \$1.75 in Pickens County. His grave marker does not have birth and death dates.

**John E. Phillips** was born February 2, 1842. He served in Co. G, 22nd South Carolina Infantry. This soldier enlisted in that unit on April 22, 1862, under Capt. J. Jamison, and served in the C. S. A. until he was paroled at Appomattox Court House on April 9, 1865. On October 22, 1912, Phillips applied to the U. D. C. for a Confederate Cross of Honor, and his application was endorsed by Confederate veterans T. J. Werner and A. S. Davis. On September 20, 1919, this former soldier of the C. S. A. applied for a Civil War pension. The application was attested by A. S. Davis, who served in Co. L, 1st S. C. Rifles, and by B. J. Johnston, who served in Co. I, 62nd North Carolina Infantry. The wife of John E. Phillips was Julia A. Phillips (d. 23 Sep 1938), and the couple had at least two children. This veteran of the Civil War resided in Central township of Pickens County, S. C., and he died January 30, 1921. He was buried at Corinth Baptist Church #2, which today is known as Bishop Branch Baptist Church in northern Anderson County, S. C.



**Teacher's Report**  
**Laurel Springs, Pulaski Township, Oconee County**  
**J. B. Wright, Teacher**  
**Mrs. Mahala Phillips owns school building. Built by employees.**  
**24 Jan 1870 to 25 Dec 1870**  
**Paid \$34.80 on 23 Aug 1870**

Eliza Thrift	Richard Roach
Sarah Thrift	Mary Roach
Franklin Thrift	Milly Roach
Henrietta Thrift	John Gasaway
J. B. Phillips (Male)	Harriet Gasaway
Jonas Phillips	Mahala Gasaway
Mary E. Phillips	Jane Gasaway
Elizabeth Phillips	Ferby Swafford (Female)
John Chambers	Riley Swafford
Ira Lee	Seaborn Swafford
Jas. Lee	John Thrift
Rachel Lee	Laura Thrift
Mary Lee	Sallie Thrift
John Lee	John Corn
Mary C. Phillips	Jasper Roach
Minerva Phillips	Marcus Lee
Rachel Phillips	A. Lowry (Male)
Canada Phillips (Male)	Garvin Barker
Clayton Phillips	.
Jonas Phillips	.

Teacher's Report of Laurel Springs, Pulaski Township, Oconee County. Located in the State Department of Education, Teacher Report file. South Carolina Department of Archives and History, Columbia, SC.

**Teacher's Report**  
**Townville, Oconee County**  
**B. F. Gantt, Teacher**  
**William S. Woolbright owns school building.**  
**10 Jan 1870 to 31 Mar 1870**  
**Paid \$45.65 on 9 Jul 1870**

John R. Zachary	Mary Tribble
James E. Zachary	Mary Baldwin
William Baldwin	M. E. Johnston
Perry Woolbright	Annie Reese
W. C. McCarley	Charles Simmons
Samuel R. Johnston	Eddie Woolbright
Oscar Harris	Jodie Doyle (Female)
David Hall	R. M. Tribble
H. D. Reese	J. L. Farmer
Emma Vandiver	Ann Tribble
H. J. Tribble (Male)	

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## Cemetery Hunting

Paul Kankula and Gary Bryant located a couple more cemeteries this month. If you have further information on these cemeteries, please contact Paul Kankula at [GCGenWeb@bellsouth.net]

### Kirksey Slave Cemetery

5 miles NW of Pickens

Latitude N34 55.532 x Longitude W82 46.176

The slaves belonged to Elisha Kirksey and Vashti Barton Kirksey. They go back to the early 19th century, and no they are not marked, but there has been some documentation. A George Welborn did an article in the Pickens Sentinel in the 1970's. I remember my dad and I going with him to the graves so he could photograph them. There is one row with about 10 graves just marked with stones. Most of the Kirksey family had left Pickens by 1830 so these graves are old. Vashti is my great whatever uncles daughter, and my wife and Gary Britewell's whatever great aunt. It is true we are all related down here.by: Harold Wayne Turner, 1622 Meece Mill Road, Pickens, SC 29671, 864-878-6801, [hrlturner@aol.com](mailto:hrlturner@aol.com)

### Unknown Cemetery

5m E of Salem

GPS = N34 53.849 x W82 55.742

Cliffs of Keowee Falls South

This cemetery is located right next to historical Bennettsville Road and probably has around 30 graves. Fall Creek Rd cuts into Bennettsville on the east side and Shallow Ford Rd on the west. It looks a little large to be a family cemetery. I'm thinking that a historical church may have been located in the area or it's a community cemetery. A 1953 map shows that Furman Wilson owned this land.

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Tim Sloan ([timsloan@bellsouth.net](mailto:timsloan@bellsouth.net)) wonders why Benjamin Franklin Sloan (b. 2 Dec 1796 – 3 Feb 1867) who married Eliza Caroline Earle on 24 Sep 1822 was called **Major**. Mr. Sloan is sponsoring a SC Historical Marker in honor of Captain Samuel Earle, Revolutionary Soldier, member of the South Carolina Legislature and member of the fourth US Congress. The marker will be placed near Earle's Grove Baptist Church in Oconee County. If you wish to be invited to the ceremony in May or June, contact Mr. Sloan.



**April 2006 Newsletter**  
**Pendleton Messenger**  
**Pendleton, South Carolina**  
**Editor, Frederick W. Symmes**  
**Abstracted by G. Anne Sheriff**  
*Continued from last month*

*The abstractor has tried to include information about sheriff sales in Pickens and Anderson districts. Many of these items listed for several months. Check before and after the sales in the newspaper for the same information*

**6 Jan 1830**

List of letters remaining in the Post Office of Pendleton, quarter ending 31 Dec 1829.

**Dr. Wm. Anderson**  
**William Adams**  
**John G. Baker**  
**Nicholas Bishop (2)**  
**Captain Bishop**  
**S. G. Barker Esq. (2)**  
**James Blair or Jesse Coffin**  
**Capt. Wm. Benton**  
**John Bradley**  
**John Bowen**  
**Mary H. Bruce**  
**Col. J. E. Colhoun (6)**  
**Abraham C. Coffin**  
**Commissioner of Poor**  
**Hon. W. R. Davis**  
**Miss Sarah Daniels**  
**Daniel Durham**  
**John Dixon**  
**John Dixon**  
**Rev. R. Dickenson (2)**  
**Jeremiah Field Esq.**  
**Thos. Garvin Esq.**  
**Rev. Robert Gaines**  
**Peter Goundin (2)**  
**Miss Eliza Griffin**  
**William Green**  
**B. Hagood Esq.**  
**Col. D. E. Hamilton**  
**Rev. Jas. Hembree**  
**David Hendrix**  
**J. Holland**  
**Mr. Hill**  
**John Hudson**

**D. E. Huger Jr.**  
**William King**  
**William J. Lewis**  
**William Lawton Esq.**  
**William May (2)**  
**Mrs. Rachel Marlin?**  
**Ezekel Madia**  
**H. K. McClintock (4)**  
**Joseph McCullough**  
**Elizabeth McKinley**  
**James Magoca Esq.**  
**William Miller**  
**Samuel Morris**  
**Mrs. Martha \_\_\_\_**  
**P. J. Porcher Esq. (2)**  
**Dr. E. Reese (4)**  
**Job Rainwaters Esq.**  
**James Rowland**  
**Ebenezer Smith**  
**Eleazer Smith**  
**Capt. Aaron Smith**  
**Thomas Stribling**  
**Mary Stuart**  
**David Sloan Esq.**  
**Miss C. V. Taliaferro**  
**Wilson Virmillion**  
**Col. B. F. Whitner**  
**Gen. J. N. Whitner**  
**Charles Whitten,**  
**William White**  
**Samuel Wesbrook**  
**Daniel Wooten**  
**Joseph Grisham, Postmaster.**

Article on tobacco and cotton warehouse in Hamburg. Includes rates for storage.

Advertisement. Paper manufacturer of printing and wrapping paper. Holston Paper Bill, Granger Co., TN.

300 acres to be sold at Anderson Court House on first Monday in February. Known as **John Haney's** old place. All except 10 acres is woodland. Also 300 acres known as **Jones' Old Store** near **Roberts' Meeting House**. Also, 200 acres, known as **Bolles' Old Store** where **Adam Richards** lives.

**James M. Sloan**

**Joseph Pinson** requesting that all debts be paid before 10<sup>th</sup> of January.

**F. W. Symmes** requesting that all debts be paid by 1<sup>st</sup> January.

Pickens Sheriff's Sale on first Monday and Tuesday in February. **Samuel Reid**, Sheriff.

- Plantation where **Rezin Spriggs** lives, as his property; suit of **John Robinson**.
- Plantation where **Daniel Looper** lives, as his property; suit of **John Harris**, Ordinary vs. **D. Looper** and **Adam Tilmore**.
- Plantation where **Ephraim Smyth** lives on waters of Chattooga, property of **Samuel S. Meeks**; **Daniel Inman** vs. **Samuel S. Meeks** and **John Rusk**.

Sheriff's Sale by order from **James H. Dendy**, Esq., Ordinary for Pickens District. **Samuel Reid**, Sheriff.

- 650 acres belonging to estate of **William Norton**, deceased, waters of Little River in Pickens District, bounded by **John Lewis**, **Jas. Guthrie**, and others. Originally granted to **Richard Pollard** and others, whereon **Lydia Norton** now lives. Sold for benefit of heirs.

### 13 Jan 1830

**Henry Shultz**, Esq. offers a choice lot gratis, to anyone who will build the first brick house in Hamburg, SC.

Near Frankfort, KY a man who had traveled on foot from Lexington, KY, being intoxicated, left the beaten track to avoid the mud, tumbled head long down a cliff 20 feet perpendicular, and then rolled to the bottom of the ill, 300 feet more, over stones and bushes. He escaped with some bad bruises and has grown suspicious of strong drink. [Could not resist typing this story—my family is from Kentucky.]

Married on the 22<sup>nd</sup> ult. by the Rev. **S. Vandiver**, Mr. **Isham Sherror** to Miss **Judith McFarland**, both of Anderson District.

Married on the 29<sup>th</sup> ult. by the Rev. **Robert King**, Mr. **William Major** to Miss **Nancy Gambrell**, both of Anderson District.

Married on the 29<sup>th</sup> ult. by **James Thompson** Esq., Mr. **William Fowler** to Miss **Elizabeth Haney**, both of Anderson District.

Advertisement. Pendleton Academy opens for students. Mr. **Belcher**, Professor of Mathematics.

Advertisement. **Mrs. Belcher** announced she is available for piano lessons in Pendleton.

**Geo. Reese Jr.** has a thousand bushels of corn for sale.

**Theodore Gaillard** is selling 56 ½-acre farm where he lives; well-watered. If not sold by January 20<sup>th</sup>, sold at public sale at his residence along with Field Hands, Stock, and other items. The farm divided into 2 or 3 tracts if required.

By order of the Court of Equity, auction at Greenville Court House on first Monday in February, thirteen likely Negroes, consisting of three young men, women, and children; property of **Augustus** and **Milton Thurmond**. **Richard Harrison**, **Benj. Earle**, Guardians.

### 20 Jan 1830

Congressional Truants. Extract of a letter dated Washington, Dec 29: This day a bill passed in the House of Representatives, making it obligatory on any member of Congress to give a written account

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every day he has been absent from his seal, and to deduct the same from his bill at the end of the sessions."

**James McKinney** was elected Sheriff of Anderson District over **Andrew N. McFall**, the next highest candidate. There were nine candidates for the office, and 1886 votes were polled.

**John H. Goodlett** reelected Clerk of Court for Greenville District.

Article on eligibility to vote.

Article on Rail Road Company.

Married on the 14<sup>th</sup> inst. by the Rev. **David Humphreys**, Mr. **Miles Hardy** of this District to **Miss Eliza**, eldest daughter of **John Speer**, Esq. of Abbeville, SC.

Sold on 20<sup>th</sup> Mar at last residence of **Henry Shell**, deceased, the plantation and mills; located on Chauga near the mouth. **Casandra Shell**, Executrix. **William Simpson**, **Dr. Spencer**, Executors.

State Tax is 20 per cent, less than last year, except for free Negroes, which is as before. Poor Tax 12 ½ per cent on the General Tax. All tax returns not made by the first of April, will be Doubled Taxed; and all Taxes not paid by the first of May, will be collected by the Sheriff. **Ezekiel Harris**. The Tax collector for Pendleton District will be at the following places:

**Anderson District**

Monday	15 Feb 1830	Earlesville
Tuesday	16 Feb 1830	Rock Mills
Wednesday	17 Feb 1830	Jesse McGee's
Thursday	18 Feb 1830	William Sherrard's
Friday	19 Feb 1830	James Thompson's Sr. Store
Saturday	20 Feb 1830	Anderson Court House
Monday	22 Feb 1830	C. Orr's
Tuesday	23 Feb 1830	William Stanton's
Wednesday	24 Feb 1830	Orrville
Thursday	25 Feb 1830	William Orr's
Friday	26 Feb 1830	Slab Town
Saturday	27 Feb 1830	Pendleton
Monday	1 Mar 1830	Ambrose Mason's

**Pickens District**

Tuesday	2 Mar 1830	Jonathan Reeder's
Wednesday	3 Mar 1830	Bachelor's Retreat
Thursday	4 Mar 1830	Formerly Caleb May's Store
Friday	5 Mar 1830	Levi Phillip's
Saturday	6 Mar 1830	David Sloan's
Thursday	11 Mar 1830	Samuel McClure
Friday	12 Mar 1830	Oconey Station
Saturday	13 Mar 1830	Jas. McKinney
Monday	15 Mar 1830	Pickens Court House
Tuesday	16 Mar 1830	William Fields'
Wednesday	17 Mar 1830	Chelison Packard's
Thursday	18 Mar 1830	R. H. Briggs'
Friday	19 Mar 1830	Pickensville
Saturday	20 Mar 1830	Robert Gaines'
Monday	22 Mar 1830	Onwin Moore's

**E. B. Benson** announcing that debts owed the Store in hands of Mr. **H. H. Hamilton**. In a few days debts given to **Jesse P. Lewis**, Esq. for collection.

Debts owed to Estate of Dr. **George Hall**, requested for immediate payment. **Ann Hall**, Administrix.

**27 Jan 1830**

[Not sure if they article is about Charleston, SC.]. From the Custom House Return, we have made the following abstract of passengers arrived at this port from foreign ports during the year 1829. There were 92 merchants, 39 mechanics, 7 planters, 10 mariners, 24 farmers, 3 lawyers, 1 surgeon, 2 musicians, 1 chemist, 1 divine, 2 physicians, 1 dentist, and 56 without occupation—total 239. Of the whole number 24 were females. 91 were from Cuba, 39 from Belfast, 58 from Liverpool, 2 from Dundee, 16 from Greenock, 1 from London, 15 from England, 3 from Havre, 6? from Porto Rico, 1 from St. Thomas, 2 from Holland, and 7 from France.

Married at Andersonville, yesterday evening, by the Rev. Mr. **Ross**, General **Joseph N. Whitner** to Miss **Elizabeth H.**, only daughter of Mr. **James Harrison**.

Advertisement. **Miss Jeffers** opening school at Anderson Village on first Monday in March. Reading, writing, arithmetic, English grammar, geography with the use of globes, and drawing printing maps, history, rhetoric, natural philosophy, drawing and painting on paper, muslin work and marking; filigree and wax work figures, fruit and flowers of various kinds.

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For Sale. Quantity of \_\_\_ feathers. Enquire at Printing Office.  
Meeting of the Board of Directors of Bank of Augusta. List of directors.

### 3 Feb 1830

By a census taken by order of the Government of the State of Alabama, it appears that the number of the Creek Indians, within the limits of the State of Alabama, exceeds twenty thousand. They have, and hold among them, five thousand and thirty-five slaves of African blood. *National Intelligence Newspaper*.

The Pendleton Female Academy will re-commence on the first of March 1830.

Caution from trading for three notes for \$100 each given to **Samuel S. Meeks**. Pickens District.

### Henry Smith

Found a pocket book by **William Taylor** near Anderson Court House.

Anderson Sheriff's Sale on first Monday and Tuesday in March. **James McKinney**, Sheriff.

- 450 lb. seed cotton, property of **Solomon Taylor**; execution of **John Brown**.
- 100 acres on Mountain Creek, joining **Moses Dean** and others; execution of **Hiram Howard** for use of **Harrison & Earle vs. Wm. Skelton**.

Pickens Sheriff's Sale on first Monday and Tuesday in March. **Samuel Reid**, Sheriff.

- Plantation where **Resin Spriggs** lives; suit of **John Robinson**.
- Plantation where **Barrett** formerly lived, on Oconey Creek, waters of Little River, property of **Archibald Cameron** (Administrator); suit of **John G. Coe**.
- 460 acres where **Robert Johnston** lives. Also, 170 acres property of **Thos. Johnston**; suit of **R. Anderson**.
- Two horses, property of **William C. Evatts**; suit of **John S. Edwards**.
- On Monday at house of **John Myers**, 20 barrels of corn and two stacks of fodder, property of **Russel Hatcher**; suit of **William Hunnicutt**.

### 10 Feb 1830

A machine has been invented by a Mr. **Reynolds** of Bristol, RI for manufacturing wrought nails. It is said that ninety nails can be made by it in a minutes, and that they are superior to those made in the ordinary way. A manufactory has been established at which four of the machines are in operations.

Died on Saturday the 30<sup>th</sup> ult, after a severe and protracted illness, in the 55<sup>th</sup> year of her age, **Mrs. Elizabeth B. Thompson**, wife of **Judge Thompson** of Greenville District. Wife and Mother.

Died at his residence in Abbeville District on Thursday night last, Mr. **Ira Griffin**, aged about 30 years, an honest man and estimable citizen.

Anderson Sheriff's Sale on first Monday and Tuesday in March. **James McKinney**, Sheriff.

- Sorrel mare, property of Nipper Adams. Also, on Tuesday at the house of Nipper Adams, 1 walnut chest, 1 cupboard, 1 table, 1 large pot, 2 sows, 8 shoats, 1 heifer, 1 steer, 1 stand of bees, 2 raw hides; execution of Lankford Hughes.

Pickens Sheriff's Sale on first Monday and Tuesday in March. **Samuel Reid**, Sheriff.

- Two head of horses, property of **Samuel King**; suit of **B. C. Sanford vs. Samuel King Jr. and Samuel King Sr.**

### 17 Feb 1830

We regret to state the **goal at Pickens** was entirely consumed by fire on Friday last. It was a frame building, the large square timbers being placed so nearly together as to form almost a solid wall. It was not quite finished, but would, in a few days more, have been ready to be received by the Commissioners.

## Clayton Room News

January 2006

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### Donations to the Clayton Room

*Historical Walking Tour of Mt. Zion Cemetery, (Old Section), Central, SC* by G. Anne Sheriff. Paper. 11 pps. \$2.00 + \$3.00 for mailing.

*Amherst County, VA in the Revolution. Including Extracts from the Lost Order Book, 1773-1782* by Lenora Higginbotham Sweeny. Hardback. 212 pps. Indexed. Donated by Linda Cheek, 247 Cross Hill Rd., Easley, SC 29640-8857.

*Salem Black River Presbyterian Church. A Historical Account 1759-2005.* Spiral Bound. 12 pps. Donated by G. Anne Sheriff

*Sumter District* by Janie Revill. Hardbound. 1968. Map. Not indexed. Donated by G. Anne Sheriff.

*The Stateburg Anderson. Home and Heritage.* By Sumter High School, Hands-On History Class, 1998. Paperback. 12 pps. Not indexed. Donated by G. Anne Sheriff

Collection of Family Record Sheets from Betty Ross Brown, 6703 Lawyers Road East, Marshville, NC 28103. 704-624-9291. Adams, Allen, Anderson, Anthony, Bobby, Barnett, Bell, Booth, Bowden, Bradley, Campbell, Childers, Davis, Greer, Hayes, and Moore. Much of the information is taken from World Family Tree Collection.

Hagood Family Newsletter. Donated by Gary Brightwell. [Ghb90@hotmail.com](mailto:Ghb90@hotmail.com)

*Remembering Georgia's Confederates* by Dr. David N. Wiggins. Paperback. Part of Images of American Series. Donated by G. Anne Sheriff

*South Carolina Goes to War 1860-1865* by Charles Edward Cauthen. Paperback. 260 pps. Indexed. Donated by G. Anne Sheriff.

*Anderson County Edonomic and Social.* Bulletin by University of South Carolina, 1923. Has information on each of the towns. Paperback. 127 pps. Poor condition. Donated by G. Anne Sheriff.

*Clemson House Cookbook* by Russie H. Paget. Hardback. 474 pps. Has some history in the front of book. Donated by G. Anne Sheriff.

*Pickens County, South Carolina* by Pickens County Planning and Development Commission, 1991. Donated by G. Anne Sheriff

*When the Soldiers Came to Town. Spartanburg's Camp Wadsworth (1917-1919) and Camp Croft (1941-1945)* by Susan Turpin, Carolyn Creal, Ron Crawley, and James Crocker of Spartanburg County Historical Association. Paperback. 228 pps. Indexed. Donated by G. Anne Sheriff

### Websites

List of 1812 Soldiers. [www.archives.gov/genealogy/military/1812/soldiers-by-name.html](http://www.archives.gov/genealogy/military/1812/soldiers-by-name.html)

Civil War Soldiers by National Park Service. [www.itd.nps.gov/cwss/soldiers.htm](http://www.itd.nps.gov/cwss/soldiers.htm)

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