

September 2006 Meeting

September 19, 2006 7:00 P. M.

Central-Clemson Library Meeting Room

Highway 93, Central, SC

Speaker-Dot Jackson

Dot Jackson has worked for newspapers since the 1960s. She was a columnist for The Charlotte Observer and a writer and editor, under the byline Dot Robertson, for several other papers, including The Anderson Independent-Mail, The Greenville News and The Easley Progress. Her work frequently appears in SC Wildlife and on North Carolina Public Radio. She and Frye Gaillard are co-authors of a book, The Catawba River, published in 1985 and the co-author of Keowee with Michael Hembree published in 1995. Come enjoy this delightful speaker.

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 30th Year Birthday

September 1976 marked the formation of the Old Pendleton District South Carolina Genealogical Society. With the celebration of our 30th 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 Elfwing Lane, Central, SC 29630.

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Searching for Fields, Briggs, and Rosamond Families

My name is Angie Fields and my family is from Easley, Pickens, S.C. Lawrence Wesley Field is my Great-Grand Father. I am doing genealogy research on the "Field and Briggs" family. Below is a chart of what I have found. I was hoping some one could provide historical data about my family and/or connect me to some distant relatives. In addition, provide historical data of the area for African American people during the time between 1833 through 1900. I live in Missouri; therefore any assistance is greatly appreciated. Specific question I would like answered, if possible:

- Is there anyone; I could talk with about the "**Field and or Briggs**" family? If so, you can email or give me a call.
- cell# (314-265-3664); Email: afields36@sbcglobal.net
- **The Field Family.** I would like to retain a copy of pictures or documents about my family. If there is a cost I am willing to pay a small fee.
- Names and addresses of the **African American churches** in the community, specifically around the Wolf Creek area? I believe they may have some records of my ancestries attending church.
- 1868 Voter Registration Oconee and Pickens S.C; specifically Wolf Creek. I found there were 3 African American on the list; Samuel Fields, Emanuel Fields, Joseph Fields. I am trying to find out if there are connections with my family?
- **The Rosamond family.** I would like some information about the family. And or a contact of someone/relative I could talk to about my research? Below are details about the Rosamond family.

Sammuel Field born in S.C about 1833 death? He married **Violet Briggs** (mulatto) about 1860 in Easley, Pickens, S.C, daughter of **Jackson Briggs** and mother unknown. She was born Jan 14, 1846 in S.C. and died Jan 8, 1916 Village township, Jackson county, Arkansas. They have 11 children but I could only find 8.

Plantations Information for "FIELDS and BRIGGS" in Easley, Pickens, S.C:

"1850: Federal Slave Census"

PG 56: Owner: Elizabeth Fields 17 slaves (9-Female, 8-Male)

PG 57: Owner: Henry C. Briggs 5 slaves (3-Female, 2-Male)

"1860: Federal Slave Census"

Owner: Elizabeth Fields 15 slaves & 3 slave houses

Owner: John M. Fields 8 slaves & 2 slave houses

Owner: Henry C. Briggs 11 slaves & 2 slave houses

"1870 Census Records for Easley, Pickens, S.C" Samuel Field age 37, head of house hold, farmer; Violet (Briggs) Field age 26, wife; William Field age 10, son; Mary Field age 1, daughter

Notes: I found another person that could possibly be a relative "Rosa Field age 18, Black, Female, Born abt 1852 in S.C (need more information??)

"1880 Census Record for Easley, Pickens, S.C" Violet Briggs – Black, Female, Born 1846 in S.C and has one daughter Anna age 1; ➔ she was a cook for the William A Mauldin family. This family is a Pedigree family and further research is needed in order to discover the connection to my family.

My Great Aunt Lilly Fields-Brown born 02/17/1917 in Newport, Arkansas and still alive; states that "Mary and Ida" was married and did not move to Newport, Arkansas with the family. They stayed with their husbands in Easley, Pickens, S.C. Lilly Fields father is Lawrence Wesley Field. Children of Samuel & Violet Field

1. William M Field, born 1860 Easley, Pickens, S.C.; died 06/29/1934, Butler County, MO
2. Mary Field, born 1870 Easley, Pickens, S.C
3. Joseph Nataniel Field, born 3/12/1873, Easley, Pickens, S.C; died 1949, Newport, Ark
4. **Lawrence Wesley Field**, born 08/13/1879 Easley, Pickens, S.C.; died 1965, Butler, MO

5. Flora R, Field, born 12/27/1883 Easley, Pickens, S.C.; died 05/19/1966 Los Angeles, CA
6. Susan E, Field, born 08/1889 Easley, Pickens, S.C, died Dundee, MS
7. Johnnie Field died as an infant.
8. Ida Field, born unknown

1. **William M Field** born 1860 S.C and died about 1935 in Neelyville, Butler, Missouri. He married **Lula Rosamond** about 1884 in Easley, Pickens, S.C. daughter of James Rosamond and Ann Rosamond. She was born about 1864 in Easley, Pickens, S.C and died about 1897 in Newport, Arkansas. Children of William & Lula Field

1. Thomas W Fields born October 1884 in Easley, Pickens, S.C. death unknown
2. James E Fields born April 1886 in Easley, Pickens, S. C. death unknown.
3. Violet M. E. Fields born July 25, 1887 in Newport, Arkansas, died February 1971 in Neelyville, Butler, Missouri.

I have researched Lula Rosamond-Field's Family. They were located on the 1870 and 1880 census records of Pickens, S.C. Lula was living with her parents both years. I presumed that William and Lula were married between 1880 & 1884 because their first son Thomas was born Oct. 1884 in Easley, Pickens, S.C. Listed below is the Lula Rosamond family including her siblings?

1870 census record, enumerated June 22,1870; S.C, Pickens, Pickensville.

<u>Name</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Birth Year</u>	<u>Age</u>	<u>Gender</u>	<u>Birth State</u>	<u>Color</u>	<u>Occupation</u>
James Rosamond	Head	1847	23	M	S.C	M	Blacksmith
Ann Rosamond	Wife	1848	22	F	S.C	M	Housework
Lula Rosamond	Daughter	1864	6	F	S.C	M	
James Rosamond	Son	1865	5	M	S.C	M	
Henry Rosamond	Son	1867	3	M	S.C	M	
Lilia Rosamond	Daughter	1869	1	F	S.C	M	

1880 Census record, enumerated June 9th, 1880; S.C. Pickens, Easley

<u>Name</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Birth Year</u>	<u>Age</u>	<u>Gender</u>	<u>Birth State</u>	<u>Color</u>	<u>Occupation</u>
James Rosamond	Head	1846	34	M	S.C	M	Blacksmith
Ann Rosamond	Wife	1846	34	F	S.C	M	Housework
Lula Rosamond	Daughter	1864	16	F	S.C	B	Housework
James R. Rosamond	Son	1865	15	M	S.C	B	
Henry W. Rosamond	Son	1867	12	M	S.C	B	
Leida G. Rosamond	Daughter	1869	11	F	S.C	B	
William B. Rosamond	Son	1871	9	M	S.C	B	
Lemuel Rosamond	Son	1873	7	M	S.C	B	
Redmond Rosamond	Son	1877	5	M	S.C	B	
A. Boyce Rosamond	Son	1875	3	M	S.C	B	
Eula Rosamond	Son	1879	1	M	S.C	B	

Confederate Soldiers from Enon Baptist Church near Easley, SC
Enon Church Minutes from the collection at Furman University, Greenville, SC.

25 Dec 1865. **George W. Bradley** was born 29 Jul 1839 and died 28 Oct 1865, aged 24 years 2 months and 30 days. Bradley volunteered in the early part of the struggle between the United and Confederate States. He was a member of the 2nd Regt. of Rifles. He was instantly killed in the Battle near Lookout Mountain, TN. He sought religion in his youth, joined the church and was baptized on the 1st Sabbath in August 1859. He was a dutiful son, an affectionate husband, a tender and loving father and kind brother.

25 Dec 1865. **Nathan C. Carson** died at hospital in Richmond, VA in Sept 1864, aged about 20 years. He was a member of Hampton Legion, CO D. His death was from a severe wound in the thigh that in a few weeks of extreme suffering, proved fatal. But we learn from his kind nurse and visiting companions that he bore his affliction with Christian patience, professed his willingness to depart and be with Christ. It was his misfortune to lose both his parents when quite small about the age of 13. He was taken in the family and watch care of **Samuel A. Gary** where he received a common education and a moral and religious training. He professed Christ and was baptized at Enon Church.

25 Dec 1865. **Samuel J. Gary** was born in Pickens District, SC on 3 May 1845 and died at Richmond, VA on 7 Jun 1862, aged 17 years, 1 month and 4 days. He volunteered his services in behalf of Southern rights in the 16th year of his age, connected himself with the Hampton Legion, Gist Rifles, CO D commanded by Capt. Smith of Anderson Dist. True to himself and idolized by his brother soldiers and the officials of the Hampton Legion and while making a charge on the enemies battery in that memorable Battle known as the Seven Pines fight near Richmond. He received a wound in his thigh that terminated in his death. He suffered a few days and quietly and calmly fell asleep in Jesus. He related his Christian experience to Enon Church on Friday evening 27th and was cordially received on Sabbath 29th and was baptized on a public profession by Rev. John Ariail.

25 Dec 1865. **Thomas N. Gary**, son of **Samuel A. and Lucinda Gary** was born 3 Dec 1847 and died 1 Jan 1865, aged 17 years and 28 days. Thomas was quite small at the commencement of the war between the United and Confederate states but as he grew up he often experienced a desire to join his youthful companions and fathers in their great struggle. But his parents unwilling to give him up he being their only child, he calmly submitted and remained quietly at home until his age was called for which order he promptly obeyed and was organized with the 1st Regt. SC Militia CO D. His many friends gave him the position of Lieutenant in that command where he gave entire satisfaction until his death. This command left home the last days of November 1864 and was ordered to the coast near Pocatigo where many of them soon sickened and died. Among that number was our much esteemed young Brother after about 8 days of extreme suffering with typhoid pneumonia and died at the 1st Louisiana Hospital, Charleston, SC without earthly friends except strangers to administer to his wants or to give him a word of comfort on his dying couch or carry his dying words to his afflicted parents and kind friends and loved ones. His remains was interred in the Magnolia Cemetery was afterwards removed and brought home on the .

25 Dec 1865. **Abner Griffin** was born 29 Oct 1835 and died 4 Jul 1864, aged 22 years, 8 months, and 6 days. He volunteered on 26 Dec 1861 with the Colhoon Troops which was attached to the 4th SC CAV CO C. His patriotic zeal and general deportment gained him the position of orderly sergeant. He died at Jackson Hospital, Richmond, VA after a protracted illness of 23 days of chronic diarrhea. His remains now rest in the cemetery with many of his comrades who fell in the same cause. He professed Christ, was baptized in Georgia on 16 Oct 1858 and was received by letter to Enon Church in March 1859. . . . Beseeching him to protect and bless his absent and devoted wife and loving child and aged parents. . .

23 Dec 1865. **John Gillstrap** was the son of Hardy & Caroline Gillstrap. He was one of the first that responded to the call of his country attaching himself to the 4th Regt, SC Volunteers. He went with his command to Virginia where he remained a brave and patriotic soldier until he received the fatal wound on the last days of June 1862 while engaged in the (7) seven day's fight around Richmond. He joined Enon Church in July 1859.

23 Dec 1865. **John C. Hamilton** was born 27 Sep 1831 and died 28 Apr 1861, aged 29 years 5 months and 1 day. He died of pneumonia fever at Charleston, SC. He belonged to the 22nd Regt., SCV volunteering his services in

the early part of the recent struggle between the Confederate and United States. Member of Enon Church for twelve years.

23 Dec 1865. **Warren Hamilton** was born August 1835 and died at Ashland, VA 12 Apr 1862 with pneumonia fever, aged 26 years and about 8 months. Enlisted in the war between the Confederate and United States in the Hampton Legion CO D. Member of Enon Church for two years. He made a public profession of Christ on the 9th day of Sept 1860.

23 Dec 1865. **John Anderson Hinton** was born 30 Apr 1831 and died at Petersburg, VA on 30 Jul 1864, aged 33 years and 3 months. Hinton was reared up by pious parents and early religious training. Joined church at Enon July 1859, where he lived a consistent member until his death of which we are unable to give the particulars, as he has not been heard from since the memorable blow up or explosion at Petersburg, VA. Mentions a loving wife and children in a poem.

25 Dec 1865. **M.D.L. Howard**, son of **Joseph L. and Ann Howard**, was born 6 Jan 1839 and died 28 Jun 1862, aged 23 years, 5 months and 22 days. He was among the first to volunteer in the Confederate Service as a member of the Hampton Legion CO D. He fell on the battlefield while engaged in the 7 days fight around Richmond, VA. He joined Enon Church on 27 Jul and was baptized on 5 Aug 1860.

25 Dec 1865. **William F. McWhorter**, son of **James and Judy McWhorter** was born 13 Apr 1844 and died 23 Aug 1862, aged 18 years, 4 months and 10 days. He was a member of the Hampton Legion, CO D and while engaged on 31 May 1862 at the Battle of Seven Pines, he received a severe wound which caused his death. He died at home where he had the attention of his mother and kind friends. He became a member of Enon Church on 2 Aug 1860 and was baptized on the 5 Aug 1860. Mentions a widowed mother, brothers and sisters.

23 Dec 1865. **Daniel Perkins** died after a painful illness of pneumonia fever at Winchester, VA 30 Sep 1862, aged 23 years and 4 months. Perkins volunteered his services with the Hampton Legion CO D. He left home and friends on 7 Jun 1861 to battle for the rights of his Country. "Brother Perkins had the misfortune to lose his parents while in childhood. But was reared up by his ___ uncle and aunt Felix and Casey Roggers [Rodgers]." Perkins professed faith in Christ on the 1st day of August 1860.

25 Dec 1865. **Charles P. Richardson**, son of **Noah and Hester Richardson**, was born 7 May 1839 and died 30 Apr 1864, aged 24 years, 11 months and 23 days. He was a member of the Palmetto Sharp Shooters SC VOL CO J. He received a severe wound on 30 Jun 1862 while trying to rescue and administer to his brother **William** who had just fell mortally wounded. They were both rescued and Charley succeeded in getting home where he had a mother care during his severe illness before his wound was fully well. He took consumption, which soon told to his many friends that he must die. But death was no terror to him after bidding kind friends farewell, he told them he was going to meet his Sainted Father and Brother who had just gone before him and calmly fell asleep in Jesus. Brother Richardson was baptized at Big Creek Church, Anderson District, in the Fall of 1853, was received by letter into Enon Church on February 1860.

23 Dec 1865. **L. P. Whitten** was born 27 Dec 1829 and volunteered as soldiers in the recent war between the United and Confederate States he attached himself to the Hampton Legion . . . his command was ordered from VA to the West in the fall of 63 being quite indisposed he gave out on a march and has not since been heard from. Consequently, the time and particulars of his death cannot with any accuracy be given. Member of Enon Church for twelve years. . . . his afflicted wife and tender offspring . . .

20 Jul 1871. A memory of our beloved brothers of Enon Church who died during the War Between the Southern and Northern States. For references apply to the Old Church Book.

John C. Hamilton, L. P. Whitten, Warren Hamilton, Anderson Hinton, John Gillstrap, Daniel Perkins, George W. Bradley, Abner T. Griffin, Charles P. Griffin, Wm. E. M. Richardson, Wm. F. McWhorter, M.D.L. Howard, Nathen C. Carson, Samuel J. Gary, Thomas N. Gary, Felix Roggers. Composed by S. A. Gary to their departed memory.

Clayton Room News
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Donations to the Clayton Room

Celena Jane Russell Smith, Her Ancestors, Descendants, and Collateral and Kinsmen by Matthew Lee McHugh and Celena Russell Smith McHugh. Information on families: Russells, Hamiltons, Sittons, Nortons, Walkers, Kennedys, Lemans. Hardback. 511 pages. Small Index. Donated by Julia Woodson, Liberty, SC.

In Search of Confederate Ancestors by J. H. Segars. Paperback. 125 pages. Donated by G. Anne Sheriff

Golden Creek Mill Articles. Donated by Leroy Stewart.

The Lyle and Strait Families. Author Unknown. Copy of material on Lyle & Strait Families. 145 pps. No index. Donated by LaMarr Brooks.

Descendants of John & Susan Brooks. Compiled by LaMarr Quarles Brooks. Computer Generated Family History. Spiral Bound. 66 pps. Indexed. Donated by LaMarr Quarles Brooks, 108 Elfwing Lane, Central, SC 29630.
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The Maxwells of Greenville by A. Charles Cannon. Paperback. 325 pps. Indexed. Order from Rev. A. Charles Cannon, Jr., 51 Roper Road, Flat Rock, NC 28731-8722. Donated by G. Anne Sheriff. [Anne Sheriff has extra copy she will sell for \$25.00].

Information on Jones, Reed, Shotwell, Tinsley. Miscellaneous Sheets. Mr. Tinsley visited the Faith Clayton Room and then sent these materials for local use. Mr. James M. Tinsley, 8345 Colee Cove Road, St. Augustine, FL 32092-2310.
jtinsley@bellsouth.net

Abstracts of Laurens County, SC Deeds 1793-1800, Vol. 2 by Larry Vehorn. Hardback. 293 pps. Indexed. Donated by G. Anne Sheriff

Abstracts of Deeds: Pendleton District, SC Books I, J, K, & L (1807-1812) by Dr. A. B. Pruitt. Paper. 265 pps. Indexed. \$25.00. Donated by Bruce Pruitt, Box 815, Whitakers, NC 27891. This donation is in memory of his late friends Mr. F. Arthur Preston and his wife Nancy who lived in Pickens County. Dr. Pruitt has many books for sale on North and South Carolina records. Check his website at <http://members.tripod.com/abpruitt>

Pictures From The Past Glimpses of a Rich Heritage – Greene County, TN by The Greeneville Sun, 1996. Hardback. Donated by Ellen B. Neal.

Families of Old Pendleton District, SC Vol. 1, Vol. 2 by Linda Cheek. Hardback with index. Mrs. Cheeks is publishing material that she has in her computer database. Volume 1 includes families of: Samuel Adams, Lewis Aiken, John Alexander, Ismel Allgood, John Anderson, John Arial, Albert Babb, Unknown Ballentine, Bishop Barker, David Barton, John Bates Sr., William Billingsly, William Blassingame, James Boggs. Donated by G. Anne Sheriff

African American Life in South Carolina's Upper Piedmont by W. J. Megginson. Hardback with index. 546 pps. Published by University of South Carolina Press. Donated by W. J. Megginson in honor of _____

George Galphin, Indian Trading Patriot of GA and SC. Families of his children of three races by Isabel Vandervelde. Paperback. 184 pps. Donated by G. Anne Sheriff Order from Art Studio Press, 240 Newberry St., NW., Aiken, SC 29801.

Families of Old Pendleton District, South Carolina by Linda Cheek. Vol 1 & 2. Hardback. 641 pps. Indexed. Order from Linda Cheek, 247 Cross Hill Road, Easley, SC 29640. Donated by G. Anne Sheriff.

How Firm a Foundation. History of Southern Wesleyan University by Robert Black. Paperback. 199 pps. Indexed. Donated by Faith Newton Hobson, 711 Richman Place, Tuscaloosa, AL 35406.

Pleasant Hill Baptist Church. (Between Central and Six Mile. Paperback. 62 pps.

The History of Enon Baptist Church 1851-2001, Easley, SC. Paperback. 53 pps.
Rock Springs Baptist Church. The First One Hundred Years, 1883-1983. 55 pps.
Griffin Baptist Church, 125th Anniversary. Paperback. 95 pps.
The History of Lawrence Chapel United Methodist Church, 1912 – 1995. Paperback. Donated by Bob Mason.
Centennial Yearbook Seneca River Missionary Baptist Association. 1878-1978. Photocopied by Paul Kankula from copy at Pendleton District Historical Commission.
 Rocky River Association Meeting with Baptist Church on August 5-9, 1968. 1868 – 1968. Photocopied by Paul Kankula from copy at Pendleton District Historical Commission.

Confederate Veteran Articles. CD's. 1893-1897, 1903-1907, 1908-1912. These CD's have relevant articles from the Magazine on history of Confederate Soldiers and Articles on Civil War Battles. Donated by G. Anne Sheriff

Oolenoy River Education and Missionary Baptist Association of Pickens County, SC. Centennial Celebration, 1882-1982. Photocopied by Paul Kankula from copy at Pendleton District Historical Commission.

Grace United Methodist Church. Serving God and the Pickens County Since 1868 by John V. Gantt and Phyllis Wood Mann. Hardback. 500 pps. No Index. Donated by G. Anne Sheriff

Captain Samuel Earle Historical Marker Dedication

Article Taken from Pendleton District Digest, published by the Pendleton District Historical, Recreational and Tourism Commission, Pendleton, SC. Summer 2006 Newsletter.

On May 20th, the Pendleton District Commission, along with the Colonel Robert Anderson Chapter of the sons of the American Revolution, sponsored the dedication of the Captain Samuel Earle South Carolina Historical Marker. Earle's Grove Baptist Church in Oconee County hosted a dedication program that featured descendants of Captain Samuel Earle, state legislators, and others. After the program, the descendants of Captain Earle, officially unveiled the marker off Highway 59. Wreaths were also laid in the nearby Earle Family Cemetery.

The South Carolina Historical Marker honors the life of Captain Samuel Earle (1760-1833). An officer during the American Revolution, Captain Earle was a member of the South Carolina House of Representatives and served in the Fourth United States Congress during the time of George Washington. A native of Virginia, Earle lived at Beaverdam Plantation in Oconee County in his later years.

The marker erection and dedication ceremony have been a long term project of the Pendleton District Commission and Mr. Tim Sloan of Covington, TN, a fourth great-grandson of Captain Earle. Mr. and Mrs. Sloan provided a generous donation to the Pendleton District Commission for the historical marker and dedication ceremony. Mr. Sloan also gave the keynote address at the dedication ceremony, in which he recognized the descendants of Captain Earle who were present.

Five Confederate Graves Marked at Old Stone Church

The John C. Chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy celebrated Confederate Memorial Day at Old Stone Church, Clemson, SC on May 10, 2006 at 3:00 p. m. Linda Skelton, second vice president of the SC Division of the UDC marked the graves of five Lewis Confederate soldier with the Confederate Cross. The soldiers were John Joseph Lewis, John Earle Lewis, Robert O. Lewis, David S. Lewis and Earle S. Davis.

September 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

Editor, **Frederick W. Symmes**, making comments on 1830 Census. "It is to be made by actual inquiry at every house, or of the head of every family, and not otherwise. We observe that the Deputy Marshal for Edgefield district has published, in the Carolinian, the interrogatories required to be put to the heads of families, with a request that an answer may be prepared on the first day of June and retained till called for."

A man supposed to be **John Campbell** was captured in Macon Co., NC. Said he was from New York.

A new map of Texas, with the states bordering on it, has just been published by Mr. **Tanner** of Philadelphia. It was compiled by Mr. **Austin** who has a grant for a large district in that country, and whose settlement has been flourishing for some time. It is, no doubt, a correct delineation of the province, and will meet with ready sales, as curiosity is alive with regard to that section.

The Pendleton and Anderson Bible Societies in connection with the Pickens Bible Society agree that the district of Pendleton shall be explored and every destitute family willing to buy or receive a copy of the Bible, be supplied with same by the 15th Oct 1830. Bibles may be free or bought for 62 ½ cents. Anderson, **M. Webb**, Treasurer; Pendleton, **J. Grisham**, Treasurer; Pickens, **Silas Kirksey**, Treasurer.

Married at Decatur, GA on the 23d ult. **Hezekiah R. Foote**, Esq. Attorney at Law, to Miss **Julia Ann Adams** (but a little over ten years of age.) She is daughter of **John Adams**, deceased, late merchant of that place.

James B. Bonham, Esq. is candidate for Colonel of the 42d Regiment of SC Militia to supply the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Col. **John G. Hunter**.

J. F. Thompson, C.E.A.D. is announcing that guardians and trustees appointed by the Court of Equity, to make their annual report to the Commissioner of Anderson District.

For Sale or Rent. A small but comfortable dwelling house within a quarter of a mile of the Village of Pendleton, to which is attached three acres of land, a kitchen, and other out houses, with a well of good water. It is known as the former residence of Mr. **Jabez B. Bull**. Various articles of household and kitchen furniture will be let with the house. **Henry G. Dreffsen**

Pickens Sheriff's Sale at Pickens Court House on first Monday and Tuesday in June. **Samuel Reid**, Sheriff.

- Plantation whereon **George C. Cleveland** lives as his property; suit of **F. W. Symmes**.
- Plantation whereon **George C. Cleveland** lives as his property; suit of **Jabez B. Bull** vs. **Geo. Wright, James Wright** and **G. C. Cleveland**.
- Plantation whereon **Thomas Boggs** lives as his property; suit of **James Robinson**.
- Plantation whereon **George C. Cleveland** lives as his property; suit of **Joseph Grisham**.
- Plantation whereon **Jno Fields Jr.** lives as his property; suit of **Silas Kirksey** as agent.
- Plantation whereon **John Elliott** lives, as his property; suit of **Wallis and Davis** vs. **William Elliott** and **John Elliott**.
- 100 acres of land joining **E. Norton** as property of **Jeptha Norton**; suit of **Jas. Whitten**.

19 May 1830

Front page is about the tariff situation.

It is said that the Choctaws demand of the General Government, as the conditions of their removal, \$1,000,000 for their present land – a section for each man, west of the Mississippi, fee simple title—the expense of transportation and subsistence for one year.

Fayetteville, NC. A gentleman who has recently returned from a jaunt to SC, informs us that a gang of counterfeiters (12 or 14 in number) has been detected in Darlington District in that State, that suspicion having fallen upon one of them he was apprehended and imprisoned; when another of the part voluntarily revealed the names of the whole. We presume the particulars will shortly be made known. Copied from the *Observer*.

Rev. **Sanford Vandiver** will preach in Pendleton on Friday at 4 o'clock.

The muster of the Pendleton Rifle company is postponed from Saturday the 22d inst. till Saturday the 5th Jun next, in consequence of their attendance being required at the Battalion muster.

Managers of Pickens Bible Society will meet at Pickens Court House at 3 o'clock on third Sunday in May.

1830 Census. The subscriber as Deputy Marshal for the district of Anderson will, in compliance with the act of Congress, commence on the first day of June, to take the Census of the district. All heads of families are earnestly requested to prepare on that day, a schedule of the number of their respective families specifying the color, sex and age as nearly as practicable, including those who may be occasionally absent. Free persons of color, deaf and dumb persons, with their age and sexes, aliens and foreigners not naturalized, are also to be noted and any transient person without a settled place of residence, who may on that day be present, should be included by name. The census is to be taken with reference entirely to the first day in June, and those who receive this notice by that time, are desired to make the schedule on that day. Those who do not, to make it on receiving the notice agreeably to their recollection, and to retain it till called for. **J. D. Gaillard.**

James Thomson, Jr., agent for executor, is selling 688 acres on Bear Creek, waters of Rocky River in Anderson District. It belongs to the estate of the late Major **John Bowie**. Will be sold at private sale; if not thus disposed will be sold at public auction at Anderson Court House by the Executor on Tuesday of next Anderson court.

Hezekiah Rice, Jr. is selling a horse mule. **William Acker, J. P.**

Anderson Sheriff's sale at Anderson Court House on first Monday and Tuesday in June. **James McKinney**, Sheriff.

- The plantation whereon **Reuben Ritchey** lives; suit of **Jesse P. Lewis** vs. **James Bell** and **R. Ritchey**.
- Plantation whereon **Rodolphus Dickinson** now lives on Seneca River adjoining **James Steele** and others; suit of **George Hunt**.
- 250 acres adjoining lands of **Garnell Morris** and others, property of **William H. Caldwell**; execution of **Alexander Hunter**. Also, 300 acres, adjoining lands belonging to **Charles Bowie** and others; suit of **Alexander Hunter** vs. **W. H. Caldwell**.
- 50 acres on waters of Rocky River, adjoining lands of **Whitfield Anthony** & others, property of **William Rhodes**; execution of **John Douglass**.
- 30 acres adjoining **Peter Keys** and others; execution **David Hendrix** vs. **John Pilgrim**.

Samuel Reid, Sheriff, will sell at Pickens Court House on first Monday in June; the Plantation and tract of land on which **Samuel Stephens** formerly lived, waters of Twelve Mile River. Sold for partition among heirs and representatives of **Samuel Stephens**.

26 May 1830

Tariff articles on front page.

Gold on lands of **Thomas Jeans** on Second River. Copied from *N. C. Spectator*.

Gold in Chatahoochie River. Copied from *Columbus Enquirer*, GA

John Campbell charged with the murder of **William Browning** on the 8th of March last, was committed to jail at Anderson, on Friday morning. He was, we are informed taken by Capt. **John Downes** who had gone in pursuit of him, near the Muscle Shoals on Tennessee River.

A young woman, daughter of Mr. **William Day**, was killed at Andersonville by lightning on Friday night last. Near intersection of Tugalo and Seneca rivers.

Died on the 22^d instant, at his residence on Seneca River, Mr. **Horatio Reese** in the 45th year of his age. **Mr. Reese** was distinguished for industry and a laudable enterprise, was a most kind brother and devoted son, a liberal and an honest man. He was long a member of the Presbyterian Church.

Runaway from residence of **Jacob Cosper** in Anderson District near Lee's Shoals, Rocky River on the 18th a Negro man of ___, formerly the property of **Thomas Farrar**. **Jacob** is a large active fellow, between 30-40 years of age, yellow complexion, an impediment in his speech, his head getting gray. Reward.

2 Jun 1830

Celebration of 4th of July in Anderson and Pickens.

The individual who was so kind as to borrow, or steal (as the case may be) a Blue Camblet Cloak, with a black and white fur collar, from a wagon belonging to **Samuel Dalrymple** on the 25th ult. between Pendleton and **Taylor's Mill** is requested to leave the same at Printing Office.

Article on cotton seed huller.

9 Jun 1830

Letter on cotton seed huller from **David R. Williams**.

Died on the 24th ult. **Stephen Chastain Sr.** after a long and tedious illness which he endured with great patience, in the 68th year of his age. He was a native of Virginia, and an inhabitant of this District 42 years. He left a widow and several children.

Sunday school at Varennes on Friday 18th June at 10 'clock. **Mr. Hook**, agent from American Sunday School Union will speak.

Peter Patterson selling two unimproved lots in Pendleton opposite **Maj. Sharpe's**, known as Lots No. 42 and 43. Also small house on public square. All persons requested to pay their debts.

16 Jun 1830

Article on tariff situation.

Anderson District. **John Millwee** selling horse. **Wm. Millwee**, J. P.

Article on removing gold hunters from Cherokee Territory. Troops have ordered to scour the gold region once a week. So intent were these marauders on golden treasures, they were at work to turn the course of the Chestatee River. As the whites moved out, the Indians who had been driven off, marched in, with great joy and exultation. Copied from *Georgia Courier*.

The Pendleton Farmer's Society met at their Hall and awarded prizes for butter, cheese, cotton homespun and etc. Silk, from the common mulberry of upstate SC, was on display from Mr. & Mrs. **Hillhouse**.

Mr. **David Alexander** drowned himself in Sugar Creek, about two miles from Charlotte, NC. He was between 45-50 years, lost two wives. An only child survives.

Henry G. Dreffsen announces Mr. **Brennan** will give piano lessons during the summer in Pendleton.

Sheriff's Sale as per Writ of *Fieri Facias*. Wagon and two horses, property of **Thomas F. Lamar** and **James Lamar**; suit of **Joseph Grisham**. **Samuel Reid**, Sheriff.

23 Jun 1830

Died on the 4th inst. the Hon. **William D. James**, a revolutionary officer and lately a Judge of the Court of Common Pleas in this state.

Queries and Notes

Researching Drury Thompson married to Martha Walker between 1780-1790. Sources indicate he came from SC – not sure what section. Mrs. Walker died and druy and son John H. Thompson went to Louisiana ca. 1800-1810. Need information on family. Contact Mary Ann Thompson Fontenot, 824 Snooks Road, Villa Platte, LA 70586-8524

Sandra Eichelberger of seichgen@yahoo.com (Douglasville, GA) notes a correction to Nimrod Kelly Sullivan in Confederate Army. Dr Busha's article lists an incorrect Nim Sullivan in Company C. My gg-grandfather, Nimrod Kelly Sullivan, was 1st Lt. in that company, not Nim Kelly Jr. My ancestor was born in 1829 in Anderson SC and died there in 1881. He was captured at Falling Waters in July of 1863 and was confined to Johnson's Island, a prison for officers, until the end of the war. A family member has Nimrod's autograph book from his stay there, and he signed at least one other officer's autograph book during that time. The Nim Kelly, Jr. listed was a distant relative of my ancestor, probably from Greenwood. There were many Sullivans in the area, and they were all related. This Nim was a private. He was KIA in the battle of Cold Harbor. The South Carolina Archives and History Center reports that Nimrod K. Sullivan was a 1st/2nd Lt. in 1 (Orr's SC Rifles). He enlisted at Camp Pickens, Sandy Springs, SC on July 20, 1861 at 33 years old. He was captured at Falling Waters, MD on 14 Jul 1863. He was promoted to 1st Lt., September 1, 1862. Signed Oath of Allegiance and released at Johnson's Island, Ohio, June 11, 1865. Resident of Anderson Court House, SC, age 35 (in 1865), light complexion, dark hair, grey eyes, 5 ft. 11 inches tall. I also have pictures of Nimrod in uniform and after the war. The one in uniform was taken while they trained at Sullivan's Island. She is also researching Eichelberger, Dickson, Sullivan, Bewley, Proctor, Pipkin, McCarley, Dobbins, Hart, Hale, Douglas, Wallace, Cobb, Shuman, Long, Gary, Mattison, Stark, Anderson, Gantt, Shirley, Wilson, Harvey, Summer, Shealy, Kelly, Cannon.

Gravely Bible Records

Source: Unknown

Marriage

Alvin W. Gravely (Pickens County) married Hannah E. McKinney (Eastatoee, SC) on February 26, 1896 at McKinney's Chapel by Rev. W. M. Hardin. The Witnesses were C. E. Thomas and C. M. Gravley.

Marriages

William Marvin Gravely married Artie Louise Hughes, September 30, 192?

James Austin Durham to Eula Emmalissie Gravely, October 8, 192?

Thomas Carsile Gravely to Sarah Mae Hudson on December 27, 1932

Horace E. Gravely to Katherine Amanda Carter, August 18,

Births

Alvin W. Gravley was born 10 Jan 1866

Hannah E. Graveley was born 18 Aug 1874

Rufus Hartwell Gravely was born 8 Oct 1897

George Maurice Newton was born 16, 1899

Horace Edward Newton was born 10 Oct 1901

William Marvin Newton was born 31 Dec 1903

Eulie Emmalissie Newton was born 7 Apr 1906

Thomas Carlisle Newton was born 14 Nov 1909

Frances Elizabeth was born 23 Jun 1914

Pedigree Chart

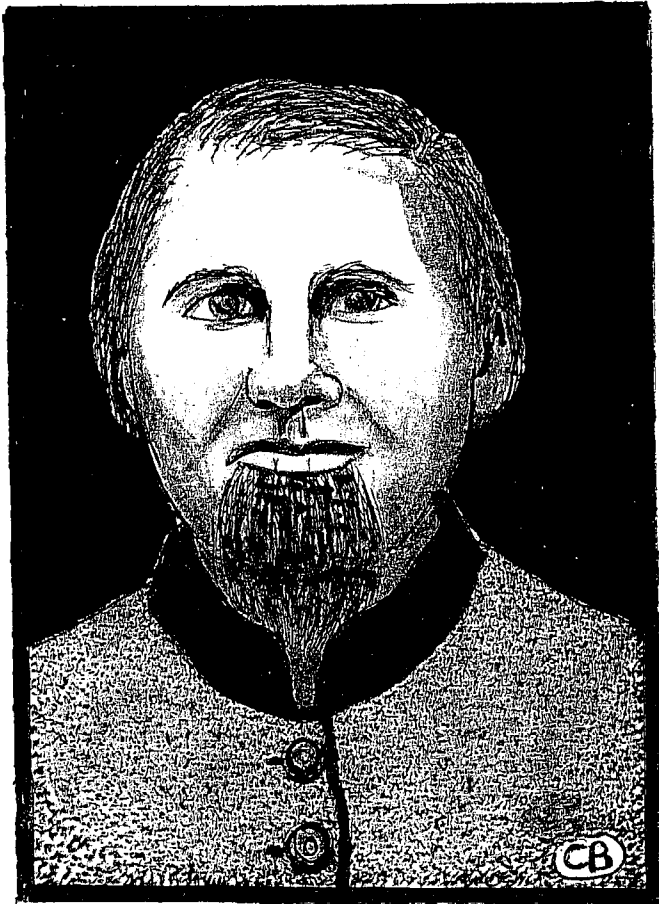
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CONFEDERATE Soldiers



PRIVATE TERRY F. NELSON (1839-1918)
Co. F, Hampton Legion, C. S. A.

FROM CIVIL WAR BATTLEFIELDS TO BAPTIST PULPITS: NOTES ON THE LIFE OF REV. TERRY F. NELSON

By Charles H. Busha

Terry Freelin Nelson was born September 4, 1839. He was a son of Freelin Nelson (10 May 1802-1 Aug 1892), who was killed when struck by lightning at the age of ninety and was buried at Second Baptist Church in Pickens, South Carolina.

This Confederate soldier enlisted as a private in Co. "F" (Bozeman Guards), Hampton Legion, C. S. A. He was enrolled as a member of that regiment

June 12, 1861, at Columbia, S. C. (The regiment was also known as Hampton Legion Cavalry and Mounted Infantry.) The Confederate military unit was organized, equipped and commanded by Colonel Wade Hampton, III (1818-1902), a prominent planter and statesman. Col. Hampton was a member of a very wealthy and influential family at Columbia, S. C. During the U. S. Civil War, he rose in rank to major general and eventually commanded the entire Confederate cavalry corps. (Although Hampton owned many slaves, he did not favor the secession movement in South Carolina—yet gave himself and his resources to the Confederate States of America when it was established.)

Private Terry F. Nelson, the subject of this biographical sketch, took part in the First Battle of Bull Run (First Manassas) in Virginia on July 21, 1861. The battle was a concise Confederate victory. Then, in the following August, Nelson was transferred to Company "E" of his regiment in exchange for another soldier, R. B. McDougle. In November and December 1861, he was sick and absent from duty at Chancellorsville, Virginia. Nelson was granted a furlough during May and June 1863 in order to take care of personal matters in South Carolina. Then, on October 7, 1864, his left middle finger was shot off by a Union minie ball during an engagement on Darbytown Road in Virginia. He was admitted to Jackson Hospital in Richmond and was a patient there until October 26, 1864. Then, he was granted a thirty-day medical furlough. This soldier's name was subsequently listed on the muster roll of Company "E" for the months of November and December 1864, but Nelson was deemed to be unfit for duty because of the injury to his hand. Despite sickness and injury, Nelson survived the U. S. Civil War, after which he returned to Pickens District, S. C.

Terry F. Nelson was married twice. He first married **Susan Louise Lenderman** (25 Sep 1841-27 Dec 1893). She was a daughter of Jacob Lenderman who resided in the Fork Shoals community of Greenville County, S. C. After his marriage, Nelson joined a business operated by his father-in-law, who manufactured horse-drawn buggies and horse harnesses. But the Confederate veteran soon decided that he should become a minister of the gospel. He moved his wife and two young children to Tennessee and enrolled there in a Baptist seminary.

Nathaniel H. Newton was born about 1829. He served in Co. A, 1st South Carolina Rifles (Orr's Regiment) and was accidentally killed on a train during the Civil War. He was a brother of John Thomas Newton and Joel B. Newton, both of whom also served in the C. S. A.

Alexander Nichols was a member of Co. K, 12th South Carolina Infantry and was killed in 1864 at South Anna, Virginia. He was a son of James Nichols (b. ca 1799) and Martha Nichols (b. ca 1812). He was a brother of James Nichols, Jr., and John Nichols, both of whom also served in the C. S. A. (see below).

James Nichols, Jr. (1840-1921) served in Co. K, 12th South Carolina Infantry. He was wounded at Gaines' Mill, Virginia, and lost the use of his right arm. Then, he was discharged from the army. In 1880, he received a voucher for the purchase of an artificial arm. At that time, he resided in Oconee County, S. C. He resided in the Tamasee section of Oconee County in 1901 and was a recipient of a Civil War pension. His wife was Mary J. Nichols (30 Oct 1850-31 Jan 1921). This Confederate veteran died June 10, 1919, and was buried at Cheohee Baptist Church in Oconee County, South Carolina.

John Nichols was born about 1838 and was a son of James and Martha Nichols of the western division of Pickens District, S. C. He served in Co. K, 12th South Carolina Infantry. Before the Civil War J. H. Beck of the western division of Pickens District, S. C., claimed that James Nichols and his son, John Nichols, marked his hogs with their mark without his consent. Subsequently, John Nichols made oath that his three sons were volunteers in the Confederate military service and were stationed at Lightwood Kot Springs. He also stated that the sons were material witnesses in his defense. (Source: Clerk of Court's office, Pickens District, S. C., No. 7, Pack 165 - Unlawfully Marking Hog)

Nichols (given name unknown). In 1899, Nancy Nichols, widow of a Confederate veteran, was a recipient of a Civil War widow's pension in Oconee County, S. C.

Elijah A. Nicholson was wounded at Fredericksburg, Virginia, while serving in Co. A, 1st South Carolina Rifles (Orr's Regiment). He participated in the Battle of Gaines' Mill in Virginia on June 27, 1862, according to the Ci-

vil War diary of John L. Brackenridge, another soldier from Pickens District, S. C.

Priestly Nicholson (1835-d. ca 1905) served in Co. B, 3rd Confederate Cavalry. He was captured by Union troops during the Civil War. He survived the war and became a Methodist minister.

Silas Nicholson was a private in Co. C, 43rd Georgia Infantry, C. S. A. He was captured by Union troops during the Civil War, but was exchanged at Cumberland Gap on September 17, 1862.

Silas Kirksey Nicholson was said to have died during the Civil War. (Question: Is this soldier the same man as listed above?)

Nicholson (first name unknown). In 1902, Jane A. Nicholson, widow of a Confederate veteran, was a recipient of a Civil War widow's pension in Oconee County, South Carolina.

David Nimmons was born about 1826, a son of Nelly Nimmons (b. ca 1803). He served in Co. D, 22nd South Carolina Infantry. His wife was Narcissa "Sis" Nimmons (b. 1837-d. 11 Apr 1909), and the couple had the following children: Franklin O. Nimmons (b. 1854), Charles W. Nimmons (b. 1856), Mary E. Nimmons (b. 1858), Ellen M. Nimmons (b. 1860), Allison Nimmons (b. 1862), Sallie Nimmons, Martha Nimmons (b. 1864), Susan Nimmons, Henry Nimmons (b. 1868), Fanny Nimmons (b. 1875) and Weyman Nimmons (b. 1880). In 1901, he resided in the Oakway community of Oconee County, S. C., and was a recipient of a Civil War pension. His age was listed in pension records then as 76 years. This Confederate veteran's name was also included on the 1902 pension roll for Oconee County, S. C. He was a brother of William Joseph Nimmons, who also served in the C. S. A.

William M. Nimmons served in Co. B, 10th Battalion South Carolina Cavalry. (Question: Is this soldier the William Nimmons who died July 27, 1895, husband of Hester Nimmons who died August 16, 1894, both of whom were buried in the Ellenburg, Nimmons, Alexander, Barton burying ground, situated in the East-toee community of northern Pickens County?)

David M. Nix was a resident of Hurricane township in eastern Pickens District, S. C. He served in Co. F, 22nd South Carolina Infantry.

E. J. Nix served in Co. B, 3rd South Carolina Reserves. In 1901 and 1902, his name appeared on the Civil War pension roll of Oconee County, S. C. This soldier is believed to have also served in Co. B, 2nd South Carolina Rifles (Moore's Regiment).

Edward J. Nix received a Civil War pension in 1899 in Oconee County, S. C. He served in Co. B, 2nd South Carolina Rifles (Moore's Regiment).

Elisha M. Nix died at Charleston, S. C., on December 13, 1863 and was buried there in Magnolia Cemetery. He served in Co. F, 22nd South Carolina Infantry and had lived in Hurricane township of Pickens District, South Carolina.

James Nix was a soldier in Co. B, 2nd South Carolina Rifles (Moore's Regiment). No additional information available.

Thomas J. Nix died of typhoid fever in 1862 while serving in the C. S. A. He was a member of Co. A, 1st South Carolina Rifles (Orr's Regiment). His death took place at Laurel Hill (VA?). This soldier's wife was Elizabeth (Gassaway) Nix, daughter of W. W. Gassaway. In 1888, Elizabeth Nix, widow, was a recipient of a Civil War widow's pension.

William D. Nix (1843-1917) was wounded during the Civil War while serving in Co. B, 2nd South Carolina Rifles (Moore's Regiment). His wife was Mary Ann Nix (27 Jun 1851-5 May 1919). This soldier was born May 8, 1843, and died December 18, 1917. He was buried at Mount Bethel Methodist Church in northern Pickens County, S. C. Some additional facts: He was a member of a home guard company organized at Anderson's Mill in Pickens District, S. C., on June 23, 1861. He was a son of John Nix (b. ca 1819) and Alcy Nix (b. ca 1822). In 1901, he resided in Hazel township of eastern Pickens District, S. C., and was a recipient of a Civil War pension.

Nix (first name unknown). In 1902, Mary C. Nix was a recipient of a Civil War pension. She resided at that time in the Fair Play section of Oconee County, S. C. Her deceased husband had served in Co. B, 3rd South Carolina Reserves during the Civil War.

James P. Nixon was born in 1844 and served in Companies D and F of the 6th South Carolina Cavalry. He enlisted at Abbeville Court House, S. C., on June 20, 1862, and on May 1, 1864, he

was transferred to a unit of the Cadet Rangers. He was wounded in action at the Battle of Trevilian Station in Virginia on June 12, 1864. Nixon survived the Civil War, after which he became a store clerk and farmer.

Jessie P. Norris (1842-1862) died of disease while fighting in the Civil War. Norris' death occurred at Pocotaligo, S. C., while he was serving in Co. C, 4th South Carolina Cavalry. At the time of his death, this Confederate soldier was unmarried. He was born on June 2, 1842, in Pickens District, S. C., and died May 6, 1862. His parents were Robert Norris and Elizabeth (Pilgrim) Norris (27 Mar 1802-14 Dec 1875).

L. W. Norris served as a private in Co. I, 3rd South Carolina Reserves from June 1862 until January 1863.

Robert E. Norris (1831-1918) was born April 12, 1831. He served to the rank of corporal in Co. A, 1st South Carolina Rifles (Orr's Regiment). His wife was Eugenia Norris who died June 25, 1882, at the age of 43 years and 6 months. She was survived by her husband and seven children. This soldier was wounded at Chancellorsville, Virginia. He survived the Civil War and died January 6, 1918. His grave is situated in the cemetery at Westminster First Baptist Church in Westminster, South Carolina. Note: In 1915, this Confederate soldier's name was not included on the pension roll of January 1st.

Thomas R. Norris enlisted in July 1861 and served in Co. F, 1st South Carolina Rifles (Orr's Regiment). As a result of a combat wound, he lost a limb during the Civil War. In 1880, he received a voucher for the purchase of a prosthesis. At that time, this Confederate veteran was a resident of the Tugaloo River valley in Oconee County, South Carolina.



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Richard B. Porcher (1826-1893) was a Civil War veteran who resided in what today is Oconee County, S. C. His wife was Esther (Gasque) Porcher (1832-1910). They were both buried in Seneca Mountain View Cemetery in Oconee County, S. C.

J. H. Porter was born in 1842. He enlisted in the Citadel Cadet Rangers at Conwayboro, S. C., on June 12, 1862, but was discharged from the C. S. A. on October 4, 1862. He was a farm laborer who later became a merchant in Westminster, S. C. Apparently, he also served in Company H, 4th South Carolina Infantry, Volunteers (Sloan's Regt.). In 1908, he resided in Pickens township and received a Civil War pension. (Question: Is this James H. Porter?)

J. H. Porter was a private in Co. B, 2nd S. C. Rifles, and he died during the Civil War. (Question: Is this man the same one listed above?)

John M. Porter was born about 1836. He is believed to have been one of the sixteen children of Samuel Gibson Porter (1807-1889) and Martha "Patsy" (Prince) Porter (1812-1889). He once resided in the Holly Springs community of the eastern division of Pickens District, S. C. (now Pickens County). His sister, Rebecca Melinda Porter (1847-1933) married William Nelson Bolding (1842-1926), another Confederate soldier. John M. Porter married Mary Ann Lewis, daughter of Jake and Catherine (Stewart) Lewis of Pickens District, S. C. This Confederate soldier was killed during the Civil War,

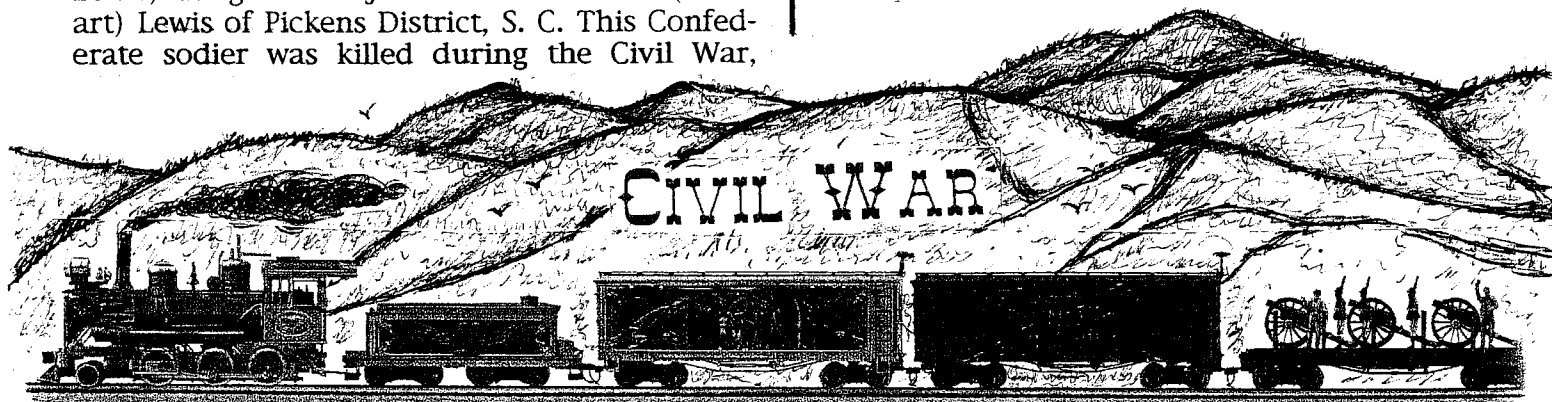
and his widow reportedly moved to Burbon, Missouri, in the 1870s. (Note: John M. Porter is believed to have served in Co. F, 1st S. C. Cavalry.)

Joseph Porter served in the C. S. A., and in 1911 his name was listed on the Civil War pension roll in Pickens County, S. C.

S. J. Porter served as a private in Co. K, 3rd S. C. Reserves between June 1862 and January 1863.

Newton Posey was a private in Co. D, Hampton Legion, C. S. A. He was killed in action at Will's Valley, Tennessee, on October 28, 1863. No additional information available.

A. Lewis Powell was enrolled in Co. C, 22nd South Carolina Infantry Regiment on October 15, 1863, in Columbia, S. C. His enrollment officer was Lt. Dean. This soldier's middle name was sometimes written as Louis. He was a son of Harris Powell who owned 800 acres of land at Rocky Bottom in the northern section of what today is Pickens County, S. C. A. Lewis Powell was wounded and captured by Union troops at Petersburg, Virginia, on July 30, 1864. Then, on August 8, 1864, he was sent to Elmira Prison at Elmira, New York, where he was held as a prisoner of war and died August 14, 1864. He was buried in grave number 125 in Elmira in Woodlawn National Cemetery. Some members of his family believed that he survived the Ci-



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vil War and participated in the plot to kill President Abraham Lincoln. But that notion proved to be false. A. Lewis Powell's mother died when he was very young, leaving the following five children: Lou, Yount, Laydia, Elizabeth and Lewis. His father later married Angeline Thomas, and that couple had eight offspring: Narcissa, Ben, Bannister, Folger, Ervin, Belton, James and Maggie.

Ansel Powell (1819-1874) was a son of Almon Powell (d. 1 Nov 1857) and Elizabeth (Gordon) Powell (b. 1791-d. 1862). His father owned a 1,000-acre farm in the Tugaloo River valley in what today is Oconee County. In July 1861, this soldier volunteered in the Confederate States Army, and he survived the Civil War. His wife was Emily (McDaniel) Powell.

Henry A. Powell enlisted as a private in Co. C, 1st S. C. Rifles (Orr's Regt.). He was wounded in action in Virginia during the Civil War. His home was in the western division of Pickens District, S. C.

Jeremiah Powell served as a private in Co. I, 3rd S. C. Reserves (Elford's) between June 1862 and January 1863. In 1902, this Confederate veteran's 68-year-old widow, Catherine Powell of Sunny Dale was to have received a Civil War pension. But the pension was not claimed in Pickens County, S. C., and the money was returned to Columbia, S. C.

Joseph B. Powell enlisted in Co. C, 1st S. C. Rifles (Orr's Regt.) when he was seventeen years of age. This soldier, who was usually called "Joe", lost his life June 27, 1862, at Gaines' Mill, Virginia, during the Civil War. His father was Abraham Powell who resided west of the Keowee River in Pickens District, S. C.

Robert Powell (1820-1898) was born February 16, 1820, a son of Almon Powell (d. 1 Nov 1857) and Elizabeth (Gordon) Powell (1791-1862) who resided in what today is Oconee County, S. C. He enlisted in the C. S. A. in July 1861, and survived the Civil War. He married Polly Ann Black (1826-1897), and they resided near Prathers Covered Bridge in the Tugaloo River valley of the western division of Pickens District, S. C. They were buried at Old Liberty Baptist Church in Oconee County, S. C. Robert Powell was a brother of Ansel Powell and Thomas Almon Powell, both of whom also served in the C. S. A. (Note: Two soldiers named Robert Powell served in the C. S. A. from Pickens District, S. C. See below).

Robert Upson "Ups" Powell (1846-1912) was an adopted son of Robert Powell (1820-1898) (see above). He married Sarah A. "Sally" Deaton (13 Mar 1853-7 Jan 1926), who was a daughter of Capt. William B. Deaton (4 Sep 1812-22 Dec 1905) and Eleanor Deaton (b. 13 Nov 1818). This soldier served in Co. C, 2nd S. C. Rifles (Moore's Regt.). He was born February 28, 1846, and died December 26, 1912. He was buried at Old Liberty Baptist Church in Oconee County, S. C.

Sampson Powell served as a private in Co. I, 3rd S. C. Reserves between June 1862 and January 1863. He also served in Co. B, 1st S. C. State Troops for six months between August 1863 and February 1864.

Wesley Powell was the recipient of a Civil War pension in Pickens County, S. C., in 1911. (Question: Is this W. J. Powell, 1845-1916, who served in the C. S. A.?)

William Keith Power (Powers) enlisted as a private in Co. K, 4th S. C. Infantry, Volunteers at Five Mile in Pickens District, S. C., in April 1861. His enlistment officer was Lt. John W. Daniels of Anderson District, S. C. This soldier was a son of Drewy and Mariah Power (Powers). During the Civil War, William Keith Power was present at Appomattox Court House, Virginia, when the Confederate Army of Northern Virginia surrendered to the Union Army of the Potomac. In August 1899, this Confederate veteran shot and killed John Richey. Then, in March 1900, he was found guilty of murder and was sentenced to life imprisonment.

James Thomas Powers (1847-1917) was born July 1, 1847, at Pickens Court House on the Keowee River in Pickens District, S. C. He served in Co. I, 4th S. C. Infantry, Volunteers (Sloan's Regt.), having joined the army at a very young age. He served in Co. A, 1st S. C. Rifles (Orr's Regt.) and was wounded in action at Gaines' Mill, Virginia, on June 27, 1862. His first wife was Jane Chesney Powers, and the couple had six children, including James H. Powers, Joseph B. Powers, Bennett H. Powers and Van B. Powers. On January 19, 1882, he married Sallie Clark Boggs (5 Sep 1858-6 Jul 1928), daughter of Henry W. Monroe Boggs. In the 1890s, this Confederate veteran operated a ferry service on the Keowee River. James Thomas Powers died in 1917 and was buried in the Powers Family Cemetery. In the early 1920s, his widow, Sallie, was the recipient of a Civil

War widow's pension. She married W. T. Aiken sometime after the death of James Thomas Powers.

James W. Powers served in Co. A, 1st S. C. Rifles (Orr's Regt.). His wife was Martha (Fant) Powers. This soldier was buried in the Powers Family Cemetery, situated near the intersection of Hwy. 183 and King's Grove Road in Pickens County, S. C.

Tillman B. Powers was born about 1843, a son of Zachariah Powers (1811-1878) and Ruth (Chapman) Powers (b. ca 1802). He served in Co. A, 1st S. C. Rifles (Orr's Regt.) and was wounded at Gaines' Mill, Virginia, in 1862. He survived the Civil War, and in 1883 he sold seventy-three acres of land in Central township of Pickens County, S. C. Then, during the following year he moved to Georgia.

W. H. Powers received a Civil War pension in Oconee County, S. C., in 1899. No additional information available.

Zachariah Powers is believed to have been the Z. H. Powers (1811-1878) who was born in Spartanburg District and died July 22, 1878, in Central, S. C. He served in Co. A, 1st Georgia Reserves (Symond's) and was a son of James Powers who was born in Virginia in 1780 and died at Old Pickens on the Keowee River in South Carolina in 1862. Moreover, Z. H. Powers was a grandson of Joseph Powers, who was born about 1760 in Virginia and died in Spartanburg District, S. C., in 1840. This Powers family came to America from Kilkenny, Ireland, and settled in the Shenandoah Valley of Virginia. Zachariah Powers' first wife was Nancy D. Arnold (1811-2 Nov 1840), daughter of William D. Arnold and Susannah (Gaines) Arnold. Zachariah and Nancy were married December 12, 1833. Their children were Joanna Powers (b. 1833), Naomi Powers (b. 1839), and James W. Powers. Zachariah's second wife was Ruth (Chapman) Powers. This Confederate soldier died July 22, 1878, in Central, S. C., and was buried in Mt. Zion Cemetery in Pickens County, S. C.

Henry Prather served as a private in Co. K, 3rd S. C. Reserves between June 1862 and January 1863. He also served as a private in Co. B, 1st S. C. State Troops between August 1863 and February 1864.

Henry Prather served as a private in Co. I, Palmetto Sharpshooters, Jenkins Brigade, C. S. A.

(Question: Is this Henry Prather, Jr., son of the previously listed soldier?)

William J. Prather served as a private in Co. I, Palmetto Sharpshooters. (Question: Could this be William A. Prather, 1848-1919, who married Lucy A. Ellison, 1855-1945, and was buried in East View Cemetery in Westminster, Oconee County, S. C.?)

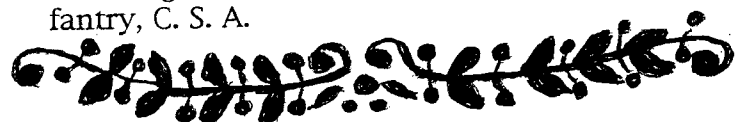
Henry Preshner was killed in action at Secessionville, S. C., on June 16, 1862, while serving in Co. D, 22nd South Carolina Infantry, C. S. A.

Berry M. Pressley (b. ca 1825) served in Co. C, 4th South Carolina Cavalry, having enlisted in November 1861 when he resided in Anderson District, S. C. He was wounded in action at Cold Harbor, Virginia, but survived the Civil War. He was discharged at Bentonville, North Carolina. In 1899, he was a recipient of a Civil War pension in Pickens County, S. C., and in 1901 his name was included on the Civil War pension list. His age was listed as seventy-six years on pension records of 1901. On January 20, 1904, he resided in Norris township of Pickens County, S. C., and made application to the United Daughters of the Confederacy for a Confederate Cross of Honor. His application was endorsed by J. H. Ballentine. During his lifetime, this Confederate veteran attended several reunions of Civil War soldiers. In 1892, he and M. P. Rogers were the only two former soldiers present at a reunion of Co. B, 4th S. C. Cavalry, which was held at Pickens, S. C.

M. Alexander Pressley died of disease at Richmond, Virginia, during the Civil War. He was a member of Co. E, 2nd South Carolina Rifles (Moore's Regt.), C. S. A.

W. B. Pressley was a private in Companies F and K, 1st South Carolina Cavalry. He survived the Civil War, and paid his 1866 general tax of \$2.60 in Pickens District, S. C. In 1884, the property of this Confederate veteran was sold at the suit of James E. Hagood. Pressley owned 309 1/2 acres of land on the Oolenoy River adjoining lands of Tempy Chastain, James Keith and others.

C. A. Price was killed in action at the Crater, Petersburg, Virginia, on July 30, 1864. He served as a sergeant in Co. F, 22nd South Carolina Infantry, C. S. A.



Elijah A. Price resided in the Holly Springs of what today is in northern Pickens County, S. C. He was a son of Thomas R. Price (1818-1909), who also served in the C. S. A., and Emilissa (Stewart) Price (1816-1908). Elijah A. Price was a sergeant in Co. F, 22nd South Carolina Infantry, C. S. A. and was killed at Petersburg, Virginia, in July 1864 when Union troops dug a tunnel under Confederate breastworks and set off an explosion using 8,000 pounds of gunpowder. This Confederate soldier's father owned 1,000 acres of land near Table Rock Mountain. That land is now the site of the Gauley Falls Subdivision and Golf Course. (Question: Is this soldier the same man as the C. A. Price listed above?)

Harrison Price served in McMillan's Company, North Carolina Infantry during the Civil War. He was a son of John G. Price (b. ca 1817) and Frances Price (b. ca 1817). On August 15-16, 1921, he attended the 49th reunion of Orr's Rifles, held at Walhalla, S. C. At that time, this Confederate veteran was a resident of the Townville area of Oconee County, S. C.

Jeremiah Price served as a private in Co. H, 2nd South Carolina Rifles (Moore's Regt.). No additional information available.

Joseph W. Price (1828-1907) was a private in Co. C, 4th South Carolina Cavalry (Butler's). He was transferred to Fort Sumter in Charleston harbor of S. C. in 1864. He resided in the Hurricane township of the eastern division of Pickens District, S. C., and was a son of Harden Price (1799-1864) and Elizabeth (Alexander) Price (1864-1896). This soldier married Elizabeth Jane "Eliza" Trammell, and their children were Rachel F. E. J. Price (1870-1957), who married a Cox; Martha "Mattie" S. M. E. Price (1880-1947); and Joseph S. H. Price. In his will dated December 8, 1903, this Confederate veteran bequeathed a 350-acre tract of land on the Keowee River to his wife, Eliza. Joseph W. Price died in 1907 and was buried at Keowee Baptist Church in Pickens County, S. C.

S. W. Price served in Co. C, 4th South Carolina Cavalry. He survived the Civil War and died in 1880. No additional information available.

Stephen P. Price served in the Civil War during which he lost a limb as a result of a battle wound. In 1880, he received a voucher for the purchase of an artificial limb. At that time, he resided in Pickens County, S. C. (Is this the Ste-

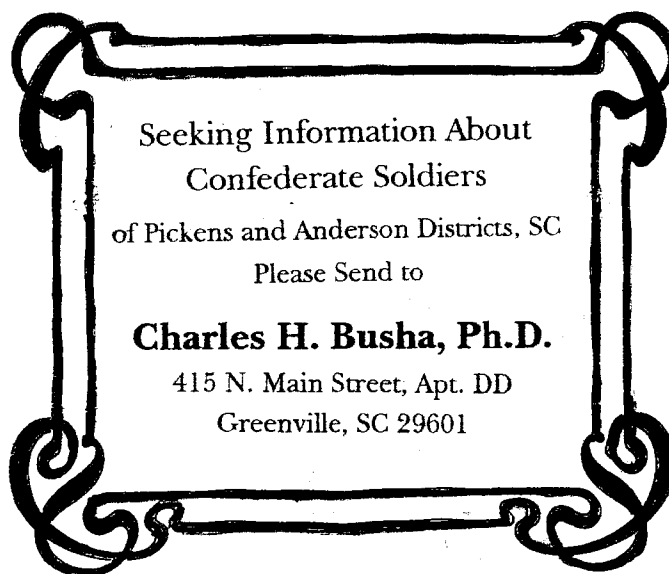
phen Price who served in Co. A, 4th S. C. Reserves?)

Thomas K. (or R.) Price died while being held at Point Lookout, Maryland, in a prisoner of war camp. The date of his death was February 24, 1865, and his burial took place there in Confederate Cemetery.

T R. Price served as a corporal in Co. I, 3rd South Carolina Reserves between June 1862 and January 1863. No additional information available.

Warren R. Price was born about 1843, a son of Thomas Price (b. ca 1810) and Caroline Price (b. ca 1820). He is believed to have been a resident of what today is Oconee County, S. C. He was killed in action at Malvern Hill, Virginia, while serving in Co. C, 2nd South Carolina Rifles.

Berryman Prince (1843-1865) served as a private in Co. B, 2nd South Carolina Rifles. He was a son of John Prince (b. ca 1785-d. Dec 1862) and Rutha Prince (b. 1807-d. after 1870). This soldier enlisted in the C. S. A. in Pickens District, S. C., on October 30, 1861, for a period of three years or the duration of the war. On December 31, 1863, he was listed on his company's rolls as being in the "hands of the enemy." This soldier was sent to Point Lookout Prison in Maryland and was then transferred to Elmira Prison at Elmira, New York, where he died April 15, 1865. The cause of his death was chronic diarrhea. This soldier was buried in Woodlawn Cemetery at Elmira, New York (grave #1413).



Fines for not Appearing at Muster

18 May 1860. D. A. Ledbetter, Colonel, 2nd Regiment, South Carolina Militia. Fine the following for not appearing at muster. No. 105. 2nd Book. Entered 21 May 1860 by L. C. Craig, S. P. D.

Cheohee Community

Joseph Reid	August 20, 1859	\$2.00	
J. Reives	August 20, 1859	\$2.00	
M. J. Beck	General Muster 18 Aug 1859	\$3.00	Settled by note to Barton
T. T. Beck	General Muster 18 Aug 1859	\$3.00	Released by Col. Ledbetter.

To L. C. Craig, Sheriff. Executions for Military Fines. Second Regiment, SC Militia vs. T. W. Land, Thomas Gibson and others. Shows cause why the military fines were not collected from 17 Aug 1859. D. A. Ledbetter.

Regimental Court Martial Fines for not appearing at Regimental Parade Ground on 18 Feb 1860.

<i>List of Persons Fined</i>	<i>Cause of Fines</i>	<i>Fixed Amt. of Fines</i>
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Flat Rock Beat

Thomas J. Keith	Neglect of duty, 1 Aug 1859	2.00
B. Hammet	Neglect of Duty, 1 st Sat. Oct 1859	2.00

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Ervin Crane	Neglect of Duty, 4 th Sat., Oct 1859	2.00
James Brady	Neglect of Duty, 4 th Sat., Jan 1860	2.00
William Redin	Neglect of Duty, 4 th Sat., Jan 1860	2.00

Left the State

Fair Play Commons

John Harris	Neglect of Duty, 3 Dec 1859	2.00
Agustus Cole	Neglect of Duty, 3 Dec 1859	2.00
George Dukes	Neglect of Duty, 3 Dec 1859	2.00
Wm. Bibbs	Neglect of Duty, 3 Dec 1859	2.00
Lewis Janes	Neglect of Duty, 3 Dec 1859	2.00

Settled by Note

Muddy Spring Commons

W. F. Fitzgerald	Neglect of Duty, 30 Jul 1859	2.00
Jerry/Ivy Masters	Neglect of Duty, 30 Jul 1859	2.00
W. F. Fitzgerald	Neglect of Duty, Regimental Parade 18 Aug 1859	3.00
W. F. Fitzgerald	Neglect of Duty, 27 Nov 1859	2.00
A. C. Bearden	Neglect of Duty, 27 Nov 1859	2.00
Elias Crook	Neglect of Duty, 27 Nov 1859	2.00
B.A. Fredrick	Neglect of Duty, 27 Nov 1859	2.00

Pickens District. 3rd Saturday June 1859. Court Martial held at Regimental parade Ground of the 2nd Reg., SCM. The following persons were sentence for the causes specified:

Bachelors Retreat

T. W. Land	Neglect of Duty, Muster of 7 May 1859	3.00
W. R. Lands	Neglect of Duty, Muster of 7 May 1859	3.00
Joseph Bearden	Neglect of Duty, Muster of 7 May 1859	3.00

Released by Col. 19 May 1860

FlatRock Commons

Thomas Gibson	Neglect of Duty, Muster of 14 May 1859	3.00	Settled in full by Note 14 Apr 1860
John Jackson	Neglect of Duty, Muster of 14 May 1859	3.00	Left the State

Whetstone Commons

D. L. Richey (Walhalla)	Neglect of Duty, Muster of 14 May 1859	3.00	Settled by Note to Barton
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Muddy Springs Commons

William Lowery	Neglect of Duty, Beat Muster 27 Nov 1858	2.00
John Heyton	Neglect of Duty, Beat Muster, 27 Nov 1858	2.00
John Heyton	Neglect of Duty, Batt. Muster 7 May 1859	3.00
G. R. Cherry	Neglect of Duty, Beat Muster, Feb 1859	2.00

D. A. Ledbetter, 17 Aug 1859. Colonel, 2nd Regiment, South Carolina Militia.