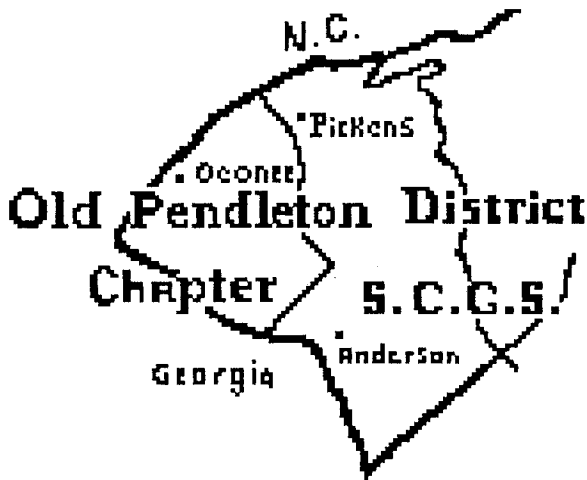


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**May 20, 2008 Meeting**  
**(3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday) 7:00 P. M.**

**Faith Clayton Room**  
**Southern Wesleyan University**  
**Rickman Library**

**Work Session at the Clayton Room**

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February: Gillespie, Holcombe, Boren	May: No Refreshments-Clayton Rm.	October: Sheriff & Woodson
March: Dell & Judith Millar	June: LaMarr Brooks	November: Ernest & Peggy Lanier

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**May 2008 Newsletter**  
Pendleton Messenger  
Pendleton, South Carolina  
Editor, Frederick W. Symmes  
Abstracted by G. Anne Sheriff  
*Continued from last month*

*The abstractor attempts to include information concerning sheriff sales in Pickens and Anderson districts. Many items are listed for several months. Check before and after the sales for same information.*

**January 25, 1832**

State Rights Article on page one.

The Governor appointed **Edward Norton**, Esq. Justice of the Peace for Pickens District.

Married last evening in this village, by the **Rev. Richard B. Cater**, Mr. **John T. Sloan** to Miss **Eliza Ann**, eldest daughter of Mr. **E.B. Benson**.

A meeting of the Botanical Medical Board will be held at Anderson C.H. on second Monday in February. **Thomas Townsend**, Secretary.

State Tax, the same as last year, except a tax of two per cent, on all dividends arising from Stock owned by any citizen of this State, in all Banks not chartered by the State. Poor Tax is 10 per cent on the General Tax. Road Tax for Anderson District, 10 per cent. All Tax Returns to be made by the first of April and Taxes to be paid by the first Monday in May. Tax Collector, **Ezekiel Harris**, for Pendleton District will be at the following locations:

**Anderson District**

February 20 – Earlesville  
February 21 – Anderson C.H.  
February 22 – Rock Mills  
February 23 – **Jesse McGee**  
February 24 – **William Sherrard**  
February 25 – **James Thompson's Store**  
February 27 – **C. Orr**  
February 28 – **William Stanton**  
February 29 – Orrville  
March 2 – Slab Town  
March 3 – Pendleton  
March 4 – **Ambrose Mason**

**Pickens District**

March 6 – **Jonathan Reader**  
March 7 – Bachelor Retreat  
March 8 – May's Store  
March 9 – **Levi Phillips**  
March 10 – **Onwin Moore**  
March 14 – **D. Sloan**  
March 15 – Pickens C.H.  
March 16 – Oconey Station  
March 17 – **Massey**  
March 19 – **James McKinney**  
March 20 – **William Fields**  
March 21 – **Chilian Packard**  
March 22 – **R.H. Briggs**  
March 23 – Pickensville  
March 24 – **Robert Gains**

**Robert Gains** is selling at Pickens Court House a sorrel stallion on first sale day in February.

**February 3, 1832**

All articles printed in previous editions.

**February 10, 1832**

**Frederick W. Symmes** writes he has been editor of the Pendleton Messenger for six years.

The driver of the Northern Mail, the driver between Petersburg (VA) and Fayetteville, had been frozen to death on the road, and that several other drivers on the line had been severely frozen. (Source: *Charleston Mercury*)

Married on Thursday last, by **Rev. A. Foster**, Mr. **William S. Rowland** to Miss **Florida**, daughter of Mr. **H.D. Reese**, all of Anderson District.

Ranaway or was stolen on the night of 30 Nov last, a Negro man about 23 or 24 years old, 5 ft. 5 or 6 inches high, black complexion, \_\_\_ on which side not recollected; had on when he went away, a blue cloth coat and a high crowned hat. \$20 reward for deliverance to him in Anderson, near Maj. Broyles or ten dollars if lodged in goal or \$50 for apprehension of the Negro and the thief.

**James McKinney**, Sheriff, announces sale on first Monday and Tuesday in March at Anderson Court House.

15 acres adjoining land belonging to **John Adams**, taken by execution **E.B. Benson**; also two cases **Benson & Lorton vs. J.F. Maw**.

In conformity to an act of the Legislature, passed at the last session, entitled, "an act to conform the Military with the Judicial division of Pendleton District, and for other purposes," the Commissioners appointed for the 2d Regiment to determine the grade of the Battalions, the dividing line of the Battalions and Regimental Parade Ground, from their joint Beard Report:

- That the Regimental Parade Ground shall be on the plantation of **Zachariah Hall**.
- The dividing line of the Battalions shall commence at the mouth of Little River,
- and run in a straight direction to the Cross Roads near the head of Seneca Creek—
- thence to the Stump House Road to **Elijah Gileson's**
- thence along the Walton Ford road to where the road leaves to go to **William Simpson's**
- Thence along said road to Chauga
- thence up said creek opposite Brasstown Springs
- thence across to the Springs
- Thence to the dividing ridge between Brasstown and Battle creek
- thence down said ridge to Tugalo river.

The Western or **Lt. Col. McKinney's** Battalion shall be designated the 1<sup>st</sup> Battalion. The Eastern or **Major Humphreys'** shall be designated the 2d Battalion. The Commissioners appointed in the Western Battalion to establish the Beat Companies and Battalion parade Ground. Report: That the Battalion Parade Ground shall be at or near the **School House, between John G. Coe's and Alexander White's**. Also that the boundary line of beat company No. 1 or **Capt. Coe's company**,

- shall commence at the mouth of Little River and run along the Battalion line to Elijah Gilleson's
- thence up the Stump House road to the foot of the Mountain;
- thence along the foot of the Mountain to the Oconey Station
- thence down the Oconey creek to Little River
- Thence down the river to **Jacob Capehart's**;
- thence along the road leading by **Leonard Capehart's to Isaac Thomas'**
- Thence to the Keowee river
- thence down the river to the Battalion line.

Also, the boundary line of **Capt. Stephen's** company, or company No. 2,

- shall commence at **Elijah Gileson's**;
- and run along the Battalion line to where it leaves Chauga,
- thence along the foot of the ridge of mountains leading to the Stump House road;
- thence down said road to **Elijah Gilleson's**.

Also, the boundary line of **Captain Edmonson's** company, or company No.3,

- shall commence at the Oconey Station and run along **Palmer's** road to the top of the mountain;
- thence along the top to the head waters of Cheohee creek;
- thence across to Chatuga river;
- thence down the river to the Battalion line;
- thence along said line to Chauga;
- thence along **Capt. Stephens'** line to **Capt. Coe's**;
- thence along **Captain Coe's** line to the Oconey Station.

Also, the boundary line of **Captain West's** company, as company No. 4,

- shall commence at the Oconey Station and run along **Capt. Edmonson's** line to Chatuga river;
- thence along district line to that regimental line
- thence down the regimental line to **Coe's line**;

- thence along **Capt. Coe's** line to the Oconey Station.

The Commissioners appointed for like purposes in the Eastern Battalion Report: That the Battalion Parade Ground shall be about one mile east of Bachelor's Retreat, on the Pendleton road, at the usual place of muster.

Also, that the boundary line of **Capt. Trimmier's** company, or company No. 4,

- shall commence at the mouth of Chauga and
- run a straight course to where Coffee's road enters Shell's \_\_\_ road;
- thence up said road to the Battalion line;
- thence along said line to Tugalo river; t
- hence down the river to the mouth of Chauga.

Also, that the boundary line of **Captain Harden's** company, or company No. 2,

- shall commence at the mouth of Chauga and follow the line of No. 1 to the Battalion line;
- thence along the Battalion line to the Cross Roads near the head of Seneca creek;
- thence along the Muddy spring muster; and road to **Col. Anderson's** road and on Conneross creek; thence a straight course to the cross road, know by the big \_\_\_ from **Col. Kilpatrick's** mill to White's Ford on Tugalo river;
- thence along the road to the Ford, thence up the river to the mouth of Chauga.

Also, that the boundary line of formerly **Captain Cleveland's** company of company No. 5,

- \_\_\_ commence at the said Chesnut Tree cross roads and \_\_\_ the line of company No. 2 to the river;
- thence down the river to the **Anderson** line
- thence along the said line to the road leading from **Sloan's** ferry to Chauga;
- thence up said road to the said chestnut the cross road.

Also, that the boundary line of formerly **Capt. Hick's** company or company No. 4, shall commence \_\_\_ of Little River and  
battalion line to the cros  
head of Seneca  
the line of company  
nut tree cross road  
line of company  
line; thence along  
regimental line to the  
River

**Samuel Reid**, Sheriff, announces sale on first Monday and Tuesday in March at Pickens Court House.

- The plantation whereon **George Cleveland** lives, as his property, suit of **William Knox**.
- Plantation whereon **Daniel Buter** lives, waters of Little River, black mare; suit of **William Choice**.
- Plantation whereon **Bird Stegall** lives, as his property, suits of **M'Bee & Roberts vs. B. Stegall** and **Waddy Thompson vs. B. Stegall**.
- Wagon and 3 horses, property of **Samuel King**; suit of **William Kirksey**.
- Sorrel Horse, property of **Griffin Gregory**. Tuesday at house of defendant, 5 cattle; suit of **William Whitten**.
- Plantation where **Jeptha Norton** lives; suit of **Thos. Orr vs. Jeptha Norton** and **Andrew Smith**.
- Plantation whereon **Jos. Woodall** lives; suit of **Benajah Williams**.
- Wagon and 3 horses; property of **Samuel King**; suit of **William Simpson**.
- Plantation whereon **Jeptha Norton** lives; suit of **James Whitten**.
- 625 acres, branches of **Sloan's** Creek, property of **Wm. Doyle**; suit of **Dr. W. Anderson**.

- Sorrel horse; property of **William Whitten**; separate suits of **Miller, Ripley & Co. vs. William Whitten** and **A.Y. Walton vs. William Whitten**.
- Plantation whereon **James Wright** lives; suit of **William Toms**.

### February 15, 1832

We regret to state that the last account from **Gen. Lafayette** left him confined to his bed with a severe indisposition. He had been bled several times.

Tariff and Slavery Article on page 1 and 2.

**Capehart** will open Beef Market in Pendleton in early June.

**E.B. Benson** will sell beef from Rabun.

For Sale. 100 bushels of cow \_\_\_\_\_. Edwin Reese.

**James Turner** is selling 600 acres in the lower part of Anderson District on Savannah River. Two good settlements on tract and about 60? acres under cultivation. Shad Fishery and mill seat attached to it. Saw Mill frame lately been raised. Dwelling house and all necessary out building and young orchard of excellent fruit.

**C. Orr** is closing business at Anderson Court House and wishes settlement from those indebted to him. Books in hands of **Fleetwood Rice**.

Runaway on 19<sup>th</sup> of January, a Negro girl, named **Dolly**, about 19 years of age. Reward. Understand she has been in Greenville. **Wm. Hubbard**.

**James McKinney**, Sheriff, announces sale on first Monday and Tuesday in March at Anderson Court House. At Village of Anderson on first Monday in March, one Negro Men; suit of **Robert W. McMurtray vs. Samuel McMurtry**.

- One Negro woman and child, as Defendants; suit of **Elias Earle vs. Reuben Townes**.
- On Tuesday at the residence of **A.N. McFall**, 3 cows and calves, one yearling, two bed, one cupboard; suit of **James Thompson vs. James Simpson**.
- One Negro Woman and child, as the defendant; suit of **Elias Earle vs. Reuben Townes**.
- One Negro woman, suits of **Benajah Dunham, Matthew Dickson vs. James Bell**.
- Two tracts of land, one 100 acres, adjoining **Benjamin Tippens, Larkin Wright** and others; the other tract contains 120 acres, lying on Little Beaver Dam; adjoining **Abram Meredith** and others; suit of **J. Cleveland vs. E.B. Hall, Williams Dabs, T.J. Heater, Wm. Hunnicut and Joseph Kees**.
- One Negro woman, three horses, one ox, cattle; suits of **Thomas Bell and John Dickson vs. Joseph Moore**.
- Six Negroes, property of defendant; suits of **Andrew H. Beal, Elias Earle, John B. Lewis, Jas. Wardlaw vs. George E.W. Foster**.

### February 22, 1832

Married in Pickens District, on Thursday evening last, by **Rev. B.D. DuPre, Mr. Zachariah Hall** to **Miss Ruth Jenkins**, daughter of **Francis Jenkins, Esq.**

Married in Anderson District, on the 9<sup>th</sup> inst., by **Rev. Wm. Carlile, Mr. Joel H. Berry** to **Miss Martha E. Simpson**.

Married on the 16<sup>th</sup> by the same, **Mr. John Pratt** of Abbeville to **Miss Nancy N. Harkness** of Anderson.

Meeting of the Episcopal Congregation is particularly requested on Sunday next.

Battalion Orders. The 2d Battalion of the 42d Regiment of SC Militia is order to appear at the Muster Field (**Harrison's**) on 7 Apr 1832, properly armed and equipped for inspection and drill at 11 o'clock. **Lark Brown**, Major

Beat Company No. 3 is ordered to appear at **Harrison's** old field on 7 April. Non-commissioned officers to appear the day before. **Allen Harbin, O.S.**

Advertisement. 100 bushels of cow peas. \_\_\_\_\_ Reese.

Kidnapped. Black Boy Joe, abt. 16 years of age, taken from Charleston on 11 February. Last seen driving a four horse wagon, on the State Road, about 7 miles from Charleston. There were two wagons with four horses to each going to the \_\_\_\_\_. **Joe** is a good looking boy; had when he went away a dark brown jacket, and a black hair cap. \$20 paid for apprehension. \$50 upon proof of conviction of any white man kidnapping him. **A.T. Gaillard**.

**John Harris**. O.A.D. **Fleming Hall, John Hall, James Hall, James \_\_\_\_\_aker and Rhody**, his wife, five of the defendants, reside without this State. Division of real estate.

## Pickens County Records

Miscellaneous Collection. Pickens County Roads. Faith Clayton Room.  
Original document somewhere at Pickens County Court House, Pickens, SC.

**March 14, 1873. Pickens County.** To the Commissioners. Gentlemen I have this day worked the public road leading from **Mist. Archers** by way of **Maj. Moons?** to Pickensville and here put in good order. **Jefferson Cox**, Overseer.

Gentlemen. I gave the hands duly warning according to ? and there was three hands that failed to report which belonged to the road according to the list the old overseer gave me and that was all I had to go by. And I am compelled to return the defaulter over to you and will give you the names of those that did not work. **James Tucker Smith, Akin McWorter, Sam Green (Colored). Jefferson Cox**, Overseer.

**26 Mar 1891.** A Petition for a road in lieu of the road leading from **Cravins Ford** to the **ford of the Creek at Mrs. Jane Robbins**. We, the undersigned petitioners do hereby petition the Hon. board of county commissioners to grant us a change in the above road, and instead of connecting at **Mrs. Robbins connect the Old Pickens road at the Obryant old place**. Where as the greater part of the road has been opened ? we petition that the remainder be opened up as soon as practicable. **W.S. Craig, T.E. Craig, J.F. Craig, John Craig, M.J. Garrett, John M. Hendrix, M.B. Evans, L.O. Newton, W.B. Mauldin, A.R. Craig, A.R. ?, B.D. Mauldin, J.E. Parsons, W.Z. Snell, F.C. Parsons, R.A. Alexander, S.P. Alexander, Elisha Alexander, L. Thomas, D.A. ?, R.M. Morgan, J.A. Stewart.** [Cannot read all the names.]. To be heard at regular meeting in September 1891. Continued to meeting in Oct. 1891. Petition granted **T.E. Craig, Arthur Craig, Robert Stewart**. 5 Oct 1891. 17 Feb 1892. "**A.R. Craig, T.E. Craig, Robt. Stewart** wrote to the Commissioners, "We have laid off the said road and find an average grade of (8) eight inches to the rod and it a good and practical route and would recommend that opening of the road as soon as possible.

**27 Oct 1891.** Pickens County. Honorable Board of County Commissioners. The undersigned petitioners respectfully ask that the Road leading from **H.M. Jones Sr.** to **P. D. Dacus** be changed and put upon the best possible grade the most practicable route and your petitioners will every pray. **A.K. Edens, Matthew Gillespie, P.D. Dacus, J.P. Burgess, W.M. Jones Jr., G.W. Singleton, V.S. Jones, H.H. Lynch, A.L. Edens, S.C. Keith, P.B. Martin, J.D. M. Keith, W.B. Jones, J.R. Keith, Foster ?, W.M. Jones, Sr., W.N. Hodges?, G. Hendricks, P.H. Hunt, W.T. Burgess, J. Lotensell, Rebecca Dacus, M.J. Skelton, Jesse E. Roper.** From **W.M. Jones to P.D. Dacus**. To be heard at regular meeting in Jan 1892. Petition granted. **Matthew Hendricks, J.D.M. Keith and W.D. Hendricks.**

**8 Dec 1891. County Commissioners.** To be heard in Dec 1891, 6 Nov 1891. O.L. Durant, Clerk. Heard 8 Dec 1891 and changes granted from **B.J. Johnson's** to **Central**. Special Commissioners Appointed. **J. L. Amber, T.J. Bowen, E.S. Griffin.** This 8 Dec 1891. **Henry A. Durant**, Clerk. State of South Carolina, County of Pickens. To Honorable Board of County Commissioners. We the undersign citizens respectfully ask your Board change the following Public Highways commencing at **B.J. Johnston's** and change the road from **Pickens C.H.** to **Central by running on the south side of the rail road and intersect with road leading from Central to Pendleton and from thence to Ft. Hill** by the most practicable route. Also, to change the road leading from **Ruhumah Church to Central after crossing the 15 Mile Creek and Johnston's hard?** by running in the direction of **W.J. Mullinax**. Thence on the most practicable route to intersect the old road again near **Thos. G. Johnston cut?** on near apple tree. These changes we think absolutely necessary and would be a great advantage to the \_\_\_ public. And your petitioners will \_\_\_ pray. **B.J. Johnston, R. ? Childs, N.T. Martin, L.C. Reid, F.B. Morgan, J.N. Morgan, E. T. Leavell, R.G. Gaines, Bus Rowland, J.T. Gassaway, D.G. Parsons, Chas. S. Robinson, W.C. Gaines, J.E. Garvin, B.H. Garvin, W.A. Oliver, W.N. Maddax, E. H. Hendricks, A. B. Wiams, H.A. Richey, S.N. Man, Laban Mauldin, W.T. Field, John T. Boggs, T.S. Robertson, Jas. E. Boroughs, W.T. O'Dell.**

**2 Feb 1892. Central – Pendleton Road – Liddle Place.** A Petition Asking for a road from corporate limits of **Central on North side of railroad** and to intersect **Pendleton Road near Liddle Place**. To be heard at regular

meeting in March 1892. Henry A. Durant, Clerk. **Dismissed** for want of evidence from the corporate limits of Central to Liddle Place. March 1892. Henry A. Durant, Clerk. "To the Honorable Board of County Commissioners, we the undersigned citizens respectively ask your Honorable body open up a **street through the Town of Central on South Side of Rail Road** commencing at the **end of road lately run off** by Special Commissioners at the **Corporate limits at or near W.L. Davis** and intersecting with **street running by J.E. Brown store**. And after leaving the corporate limits on **south side of Town**. Continue it on the **South Side of Rail Road** to intersect with the **Pendleton Road near the Liddle Place**." B.J. Johnston, F.B. Morgan, J.N. Morgan, W.D. Fricks, C. S. Stephens, W. H. Hendricks, R.F. Cox, A.D. Hardin, W.J. Bell, J.E. Holden, W.S. Davis, W. M. Mulkey, J.E. Brown, Weam Williams, J.F. Arnold, Wm. F. Johnston, ? Kelley, Alf Carlin, T.H. Smith, J. F. Gillespie, G.R. Martin, L. Gillespie, Staball Smith, E.E. Hendricks, G.F. Glaspey, W.R. Brown, H.P. Weems, E.B. Eaton, J.B. Hill, Wesley S. Keller.

**5 Apr 1892. Central to Fort Hill.** A Petition asking for a road from **Central to Ft. Hill**. To be heard at regular meeting in May 1892. Filed 5 Apr 1892 H.A. Durant, Clerk. Held under consideration and examination. 3 May 1892. H.A. Durant, Clerk. **Continued**.  $\frac{3}{4}$  miles. To the County Commissioners of Pickens County. We the undersigned citizens petition your honorable body to open a new road from Central to Fort Hill beginning at **L. Ross Eaton store in the Town of Central** or its Corporate line and running by **Capt. Lewis place** and intersect with the **new Fort Hill Road at M.R. Boggs shop**. The said road running on north side of **W. A. Arnold place**. (Or, it could read: . . . the new Fort Hill Road. The said road running on north side of **W.S. Arnold Place**.) R. G. Gaines, M.R. Boggs, F.A. Lewis, John W. Brock, J.C. Brock, E.T. Leavell, J. H. Gaines, A. Baker, N.F. Gary, Thos. L. Watkins, W.E. Bellotte, H.C. Miller, R.F. Cox, J.J. Patton?, Sam Werner, W.Z. Davis, A. Ramseur, A. D. Hardin. W.J. Bell, Elias Hendricks, Wm. A. Arnold, J.F. Arnold, W.L. Davis, J.R. Falls, J. ? Watkins, C.H. Alford, J.D. Warnock, W.L. Davis, R. M. Pinson, L. Ross Eaton, E.H. Lawrence, T.O. Hunt, H.C. Hunt?, R.C. Lawrence, C.A. Holcombe, Robert M. Davis, W.T. Rowland, J.T. Gassaway, Sam Neal, W.B. Lawrence, S. Jewell, E. Kelly, , G.W. Russell?, B.F. Lawrence, Hamilton Lawrence?, M. Wilard, N. Madden, W.B. Kelley, H. Harper, V. C. \_\_\_\_\_, Ransom Stephens, J.H. Lawrence.

**Apr 1892. Maw Bridge to Central.** Partition for Changes from **Maws Bridge to Central**. To be heard at regular meeting in April 1892. H.A. Durant, Clerk **Changes granted** and Special commissioners to be appointed later. **Laid off** by County Commissioners. To the County Commissioners of Pickens County. We the undersigned citizens petition your body to make such changes as will be necessary to make a road grade? on the Road leading from **Central to Maws Bridge over Twelve Mile River**. R.G. Gaines, J. T. Gassaway, C.M. Martin, H.H. Stokes, F.P. Garvin, S. G Clayton, A.J. Boggs, W.T. Gary, T.L. Robertson, H.T. Boggs, B.J. Johnston, Quincy Maw, O.L. Henry, F.A. Lewis, James Peek, E.E. Hendricks, J.E. Davis, J.W. Brock, J.C. Brock, J.A. Rackley, A.D. Hardin, E.F. Wyatt, W.A. Hendrick, N.D. Parsons, F.B. Morgan, W.J. Kelley, A.R. Craig, J.N. Morgan, W.V. Clayton, W.E. Bellotte, Robt. Stewart, Wm. H. Johnson, B.D. Garvin, L. Ross Eaton, H.M. Allen, W. A. Aiken?

**3 May 1892. Liberty to Mullinax Spring.** A petition asking for a road from **Liberty to Mullinaix's Spring**. Filed 3 May 1892. Henry A. Durant, Clerk. To be heard at regular meeting in June 1892. Heard and petition granted. Special Commissioners Applied. E.S. Griffin, Enoch Richardson, J. V. Griffin. We the undersigned petition your honorable body the County commissioners for an extension of the new road that has been laid out by the Special Commissioners **Liberty to near \_\_\_\_\_ Mullinax's Spring** to intersect with the old road near **Wm. Johnson**. Jas. F. Hendricks, G. G. Johnston, W.F. Johnston, James Peek, S. F. Curtis, L. T. Shirley, E.F. Wyatt, J. H. Clayton, N.T. Martin, S. G. Clayton, J.F. Arnold, C.H. Alford, J.H. Gaines, F.B. Morgan, C. B. Stephens, Thos. L. Watkins, J.E. Brown, F.H. Lewis, J.W. Brock, J.C. Brock, B. D. Garvin, B.T. Blackerby, L.H. Brock, J. ? Smith, B.J. Johnston, W.C. Gaines.

### Corrections

RE: Confederate Soldiers Section, April 2008 Newsletter

Henry Rowland of Central, SC, was not married twenty years before the Civil War – but *some time* before the war.  
Also in the same sketch: James M. Peek obviously did not die in 2886 – but in 1886.

## Pendleton Senators

Divided into Anderson and Pickens Districts under Constitutional Amendment of 1854, effective in 1858.

- 1790-1793 – Andrew Pickens (Elected to Congress)  
1793-1794 – John Willson (Qualified November 30, 1793)  
1794-1798 – John Willson  
1798-1802 – John Willson  
1802-1806 – Thomas Farrar  
1806-1810 – Eliab Moore  
1814-1818 – Obediah Trimmier  
1818-1822 – Samuel H. Dickson  
1822-1826 – Samuel Cherry  
1826-1830 – David Sloan. During recess between sessions of 1826 and 1827, served as postmaster at Pendleton; acceptance of office ruled disqualifying November 20, 1827; elected again and qualified December 15, 1827  
1830 – 1834 – Joseph N. Whitner  
1834-1835 Joseph N. Whitner (Elected solicitor of Western Circuit 18 Dec 1835)  
1836-1838 – Jesse W. Norris (Qualified 28 Nov 1836)  
1838-1840 – Jesse W. Norris (Resigned)  
1840-1842 – Benjamin Hagood (Qualified 23 Nov 1840)  
1842-1846 – Alexander Evins  
1846-1850 – Alexander Evins  
1850-1854 – Alexander Evins  
1854-1857 – T.J. Pickens (Elected Comptroller General 28 Nov 1857)

## Anderson County Senators

### Anderson

### New election district formed from Pendleton District under Constitutional Amendment of 1854

- 1858-1862 – James W. Harrison  
1862-1865 – James W. Harrison
- ### Anderson County Senators
- 1865-1867 – John Wilson  
1868-1870 – J. H. Reid  
1870-1874 – John Wilson  
1874-1878 – John R. Cochran  
1878-1882 – B.F. Crayton  
1882-1886 – John B. Moore  
1886-1890 – E.B. Murray  
1890-1894 – J. Perry Glenn  
1894-1898 – D.K. Norris (President pro tempore (1897-1898))  
1898-1902 – J.M. Sullivan  
1902-1906 – J.K. Hood  
1906-1910 – G.W. Sullivan  
1910-1914 – G.W. Sullivan  
1914-1918 – J.L. Sherard  
1918-1922 – T. Frank Watkins  
1922-1926 – Rufus Fant  
1926-1930 – George B. Greene  
1930-1931 – George B. Green (Resigned 26 Feb 1831 on election as Judge of 10<sup>th</sup> Judicial Circuit)  
1931-1934 – W. Plumer Nicholson (Qualified 26 Mar 1931)  
1934-1938 – James B. Pruitt  
1938-1942 – James B. Pruitt  
1942-1946 – James B. Pruitt  
1946-1950 – James B. Pruitt (Elected Judge of 10<sup>th</sup> Judicial Circuit; resigned seat 26 Apr 1950)  
1950-1954 – John C. Taylor  
1954-1958 – J. Byrum Lawson  
1958-1962 – John C. Taylor  
1962 – J. Byrum Lawson



## Pickens County Senators

### Pickens District

New election district formed from Pendleton District under Constitutional Amendment of 1854

1858-1862 – Elam Sharp  
1862-1865 – Robert Maxwell

### Pickens County Senators

1865-1867 – W.S. Grisham  
1868-1870 – T.A. Rogers  
1870-1874 – W.E. Holcombe  
1874-1878 – R.E. Bowen  
1878-1882 – D.F. Bradley  
1882-1886 – W.T. Field  
1886-1890 – W.T. Field  
1890-1894 – William T. O'Dell  
1894-1898 – William T. O'Dell  
1898-1902 – W.T. Bowen  
1902-1906 – Charles H. Carpenter  
1906-1910 – Charles H. Carpenter  
1910-1914 – Thomas J. Mauldin (Elected Judge of 13<sup>th</sup> Judicial Circuit on 27 Feb 1914)  
1914-1918 – William T. O'Dell  
1918-1921 – Frank E. Alexander (Died 26 Aug 1921)  
1921-1922 – E.P. McCravy (Qualified 10 Jan 1922)  
1922-1926 – John E. Craig  
1926-1930 – W. Elbert Findley  
1930-1934 – W.D. Spearman  
1934-1938 – Fred F. Williams  
1938-1942 – Fred F. Williams  
1942-1946 – Fred F. Williams  
1946-1950 – T.B. Nalley (Died 14 Jun 1950)  
1950-1954 – George L. Grantham  
1954-1958 – Earle E. Morris  
1958-1962 – Earle E. Morris  
1962 – Earle E. Morris

## Oconee County Senators

### Pickens District

New election district formed from Pendleton District under Constitutional Amendment of 1854

1858-1862 – Elam Sharp  
1862-1865 – Robert Maxwell

### Pickens County Senators

1865-1867 – W.S. Grisham

### Oconee County Senators

1868-1872 – D. Biemann  
1872-1876 – W.C. Keith  
1876-1880 – J.W. Livingston  
1880-1884 – D. Biemann  
1888-1892 – R.E. Mason  
1892-1896 – S.Y. Stribling  
1896-1900 – J.C. Alexander  
1900-1904 – E.L. Herndon  
1904-1908 – J.R. Earle  
1908-1912 – J.R. Earle  
1912-1916 – E.E. Verner  
1916-1920 – J.W. Shelor  
1920-1924 – W.P. Mason  
1924-1928 – R.D. McDonald  
1928-1932 – Broadus Thompson  
1932-1936 – Harry R. Hughs  
1936-1940 – J.H. Johns  
1940-1944 – James L. Rowland  
1944-1945 – Harry R. Hughs (Died 28 Oct 1945)  
1945-1948 – James L. Rowland (Qualified 8 Jan 1946)  
1948-1952 – James L. Rowland  
1952-1956 – J. Pat Miley  
1956-1960 – Marshall J. Parker  
1960 – Marshall J. Parker

**Frank Edward Alexander, Pickens County. SC Senate 1918-1921.** Stepson and nephew of Joseph Carson Alexander. Born 20 Feb 1869 in Pickens, the son of \_\_\_ Alexander and Sarah Elizabeth McKenzie, who married second Joseph Carson Alexander, his brother. Married, first, Sallie Donald of Due West; second, Ada Craig, in 1918. Real estate dealer and farmer at Pickens, SC. Senator in 1918 to 1921. Died at White Water Inn at Jocassee, Oconee County, 26 Aug 1921, in office as Senator. (Source: *Biographical Directory of the Senate of the State of South Carolina 1776-1964*, p. 171.)

**Joseph Carson Alexander, Oconee County. SC Senate 1896-1900.** Step-father and uncle of Frank E. Alexander was a senator from Oconee County. Born 10 Jul 1844, in Greenville District, the son of William M. Alexander, who came from Virginia, and Martha Machen. Served four years, aged 16-20 in Confederate Army. Married Mrs. Sarah Elizabeth (McKenzie) Alexander. After Confederate War, settled in Pickens County; removed to Oconee County. Planter, of Seneca. SC House of Representatives, Pickens, 1880-1882. Member of Constitutional Convention of 1895. Member of New Hope Baptist Church; Sunday School superintendent. Died 24 Apr 1923, at Walhalla; buried in New Hope Churchyard. (Source: *Biographical Directory of the Senate of the State of South Carolina 1776-1964*, p. 171.)

**Diedrich Biemann, Oconee County. SC Senate 1868-1872, 1884-1888.** Born 10 May 1816, at Thetinghausen, Germany. Served in Merchant Marine as young man; settled in Charleston, where he became a merchant. Married Catharine Dohnken of Germany in Charleston 8 Dec 1847. Removed to Walhalla in 1850, as an organizer of the German colonization Society of

South Carolina; charter member and for many years treasurer. Began mercantile business and opened Biemann Hotel. Several terms on town council. SC Senate, Oconee, 1868-1872, 1884-1888. Member of German Lutheran Church. Died 7 Mar 1891, at Walhalla; buried in Lutheran Church at Walhalla. (Source: *Biographical Directory of the Senate of the State of South Carolina 1776-1964*, p. 180.)

**Robert Esli Bowen, Pickens County. SC Senate 1874-78.** Robert Esli Bowen (First cousin of William Thomas Bowen), was born 8 Nov 1830, in Pickens, the son of John Bowen and Elvira Hunt. Attended common schools; studied surveying under his father. In 1853, removed to Texas; taught school. Returned to South Carolina in 1854; superintendent of father's farm until 1858; established his own farm. Married Martha Adaliza Antoinette Oliver, 15 Oct 1857. During Confederate War, entered 2<sup>nd</sup> SC Rifles as first lieutenant in November, 1861; promoted to captain, 1862; lieutenant colonel, October 1863, colonel, December, 1863; wounded at Chattanooga and Spottsylvania; surrendered at Appomattox. Resumed farming after war. SC House of Representative, Pickens, 1864-1867. County Democratic chairman, 1872. Life trustee of Clemson College. Atlantic and French Broad Railroad president, 1881-1883. Carolina, Cumberland Gap and Chicago Railroad, director, 1883-1886; president, 1886-1889. Commander of Catawba Camp, United Confederate Veterans. Died 11 Jan 1909, at Fairforest; buried in Pickens County. (Source: *Biographical Directory of the Senate of the State of South Carolina 1776-1964*, p. 183.)

**William Thomas Bowen, Pickens County. SC Senate 1898-1902.** (First cousin of Robert Esli Bowen, Senator from Pickens County). Bowen was born 7 May 1843, in Pickens District, the son of Reese Bowen and Elizabeth Blassingame. During Confederate War, enlisted in 2<sup>nd</sup> SC Rifles; in battles of Lookout Mountain, Chickamauga, Seven Days around Richmond; surrendered at Appomattox. Married Rebecca Amelia Allgood, 17 Dec 1867. Farmer. Third Lieutenant of Hampton Rifle Club of Pickens, 1877. House of Representatives, Pickens, 1878-1880, 1890-1892. Constitutional Convention of 1895. Confederate Veterans Association. Member of Pickens Baptist Church; deacon. Died 19 Mar 1922 in Pickens; buried in Robertson-O'Dell family graveyard near Liberty. (Source: *Biographical Directory of the Senate of the State of South Carolina 1776-1964*, p. 183.)

**David Franklin Bradley, Pickens County. SC Senate 1878-1882.** David Franklin Bradley was born 5 Sept 1842, in Pickens District, the son of Major Joel Bradley and Ellen Scolds. Removed to Florida in 1859. Entered Confederate service from Florida in April 1861; promoted from private to sergeant; later to first lieutenant; lost left arm in Battle of Wilderness. Return to Pickens after War. Attended Pickens country schools and taught, 1865-1868. Married Mary Barbara Breazeale of Pickens on 3 Nov 1865. School Commissioner, 1868-1873. Founder and editor of *The Pickens Sentinel* 1871-1885, at Pickens Courthouse. SC House of Representatives, Pickens, 1874-1878. Captain of Hampton Rifle club of Pickens, 1877. Member of Taxpayers' Conventions of 1871 and 1874. Board of Penitentiary Directors, 1879-1895. Collector of Internal Revenue under Grover Cleveland, with headquarters at Columbia, 1885-1889. Removed to Easley. Large farmer; stock and dairy farm. President of Easley Oil Mill. Founder, in 1891, and editor of *The Easley Democrat*. Commander of Camp Hawthorne, United Confederate Veterans, at death. Member of Presbyterian Church; elder. Died at Easley 29 Jul 1909; buried in West View Cemetery, with honors by members of Camp Jasper Hawthorne, United Confederate Veterans. (Source: *Biographical Directory of the Senate of the State of South Carolina 1776-1964*, p. 184.)

**Charles Henry Carpenter, Pickens County. House of Representatives 1890-1894. SC Senate 1902-1910.** Charles Henry Carpenter was born February 12, 1859, in Greenville, the son of John Franklin Carpenter and Mary Cassandra Littlejohn. Attended Captain Patrick's school at Greenville; graduated from Furman University, Ph. B., 1877. Member of Hampton's Red Shirts in 1876. Planter, at Easley. Married Jessie Ida Hunt November 4, 1880. In 1881 moved to "White Rose" farm, where he lived the rest of his life. One of first to join Farmers' Alliance; business agent of county alliance. Master Mason. Developed upland long-staple cotton; sent seed to all cotton-growing states and received orders from almost every such country in the world. Member of Antioch Methodist Church, Pickens County; superintendent for many years. Died at home of his daughter in Easley August 27, 1951; buried in Antioch Methodist Courtyard in Pickens County. (Source: *Biographical Directory of the Senate of the State of South Carolina 1776-1964*, p. 195.)

**Samuel Cherry, SC Senate (Pendleton District) 1822-26. House of Representatives (Pendleton District) 1832-34.** Samuel Cherry was born July 10, 1774, in Lincoln County, NC. Moved to Pendleton District. Married Susan Polk Reese of Pendleton November 5, 1807. Commissioner of County of Pendleton, 1808. Commissioner of public buildings, 1818. Library commissioner, 1808-1823. Street commissioner, 1822. Presidential elector, 1832. Member of Pendleton Farmers' Society. Died at his home in the vicinity of Pendleton January 8, 1840; buried Old Stone Church Presbyterian Churchyard, in what is now Pickens County. (Source: *Biographical Directory of the Senate of the State of South Carolina 1776-1964*, p. 196.)

**John Elias Craig, Pickens County. SC Senate 1922-26.** John Elias Craig was born September 24, 1868, in Pickens, the son of James Addison Craig, a native of Laurens District, and Elizabeth C. Ariail, a native of Pickens District. Attended Easley High School. Never married. In mercantile and livestock business at Easley; large farming interests. Spent several years in

Texas. Mayor Easley, 1919-1920. Director of Commercial Bank of Easley. Mason. Member of Enon Baptist Church. Died January 23, 1939, at Easley; buried in Ariail family buying ground near Easley. . (Source: *Biographical Directory of the Senate of the State of South Carolina 1776-1964*, p. 200.)

**Samuel Henry Dickson, (Pendleton District). SC Senate 1818-22. SC House of Representatives 1824-26.** Samuel Dickson was born about 1766, probably on Rocky Creek in what is now Chester County, the son of Michael Dickson and Sarah Neely, who removed from North Carolina. Removed to Pendleton District about 1790. Married Rebeca Hutton (Houston?), Planter, on Three and Twenty Creek, Pendleton District; surveyor; laid out old town of Pickensville (near present town of Easley). Justice of peace. Member of Presbyterian Church. Died August 29, 1835, in Pendleton District, probably buried there. . (Source: *Biographical Directory of the Senate of the State of South Carolina 1776-1964*, p. 205.)

**Julius Richard Earle, Oconee County. SC House of Representatives for Anderson 1890-1892. SC House of Representatives for Oconee 1894-1896. SC Senate for Oconee 1904-1911.** Julius Richard Earle (Great-grandson of Elias Earle; cousin of Joseph Haynsworth Earle and of Wilton Haynsworth Earle) was born 4 Nov 1863 at *Evergreen* plantation, Anderson County, the son of Rev. Julius Richard Earle and Lucy Ann Brockman. Attended South Carolina College, 1882-1884; graduated from University of Georgia, LL.B., admitted to Georgia Bar March 19, 1892, and to SC Bar April 24, 1894. Lawyer in Georgia until 1894; removed to Walhalla; lawyer. Married, first, Lula Perry Hix, 9 Nov 1886; second, Eva Merritt, 26 Oct 1892. Practiced law in Walhalla; proprietor and editor of *The Oconee News* for several years. In SC Volunteer Troops, lieutenant colonel of 5<sup>th</sup> Infantry Regiment, 1895. Magistrate. Compiled *South Carolina Form Book*, a compendium of 678 useful forms for lawyers, 1911. Member of Double Springs Baptist Church of Anderson County; moderator of Beaverdam Baptist Association. Died April 21, 1932, at Decatur, AL; buried in Oconee County. (Source: *Biographical Directory of the Senate of the State of South Carolina 1776-1964*, p. 211.)

**Alexander Evins, Pendleton District. SC Senate 1842-1854.** Alexander Evins was born 17 Mar 1802, in Spartanburg, the son of Alexander Evins and Elizabeth Patton. Studied medicine. Never married. In 1828, one of the first doctors in the new town of Anderson. In 1828, one of the first doctors in the new town of Anderson. Commissioner in equity, 1838-1842. Commissioner of free schools. Commissioner of public buildings. Presidential elector, 1848. Member of Constitutional Convention of 1865. After Confederate War, first president of Anderson Medical Association. Member of Presbyterian Church. Died in Anderson in May 1876; buried 15 May 1876, in Nazareth Churchyard, Spartanburg County. (Source: *Biographical Directory of the Senate of the State of South Carolina 1776-1964*, p. 215.)

**Thomas Farrar, Pendleton District. SC Senate 1802-1806.** Thomas Farrar was born in Virginia, the son of George Farrar and Mrs. \_\_\_ (Hillsman) Howard. Removed to South Carolina. Lawyer and planter, of Pendleton. Married Margaret Prince. During Revolutionary War, second lieutenant in Continental establishment, 1779; major of militia, 1781-1882; five years' duty on Indian frontier. In SC Militia, brigade inspector, 1797; lieutenant colonel on staff of Governor Drayton, 1801. Sheriff of Ninety Six District, 1788-1791. Sheriff of Washington District, 1791-1994. Sheriff of Pendleton District, 21 Dec 1799, until 1801. Owned property in Pendleton District. Charter member of Pendleton Farmers' Society, 1815. Applied for payment for Revolutionary service, 1818. Removed to Georgia, then to Claiborne County, MS. Died in Claiborne County, MS, 24 Aug 1833. (Source: *Biographical Directory of the Senate of the State of South Carolina 1776-1964*, p. 216.)

**William T. Field, Pickens County. SC House of Representatives 1868-69. SC Senate 1882-1890.** William T. Field was born 11 Dec 1836, in Pickens District. Graduated from Medical College of South Carolina, M.D., 1858. Married Jennie Blassingame, 11 Dec \_\_\_\_\_. During Confederate War, first lieutenant in Hampton Legion; surrendered at Appomattox. Planter, at Maynard. Never practiced medicine. Resigned from House of Representatives because of ill health and for business reasons. Died at his home four miles east of Pickens 11 Dec 1904; buried in family plot near home. (Source: *Biographical Directory of the Senate of the State of South Carolina 1776-1964*, p. 217.)

**William Elbert Findley, Pickens County. SC House of Representatives 1916-18, 1922-26. SC Senate 1926-30.** William Elbert Findley was born 20 May 1881, the son of Joseph Benjamin Findley and Annie Frances Elrod. Attended Easley schools; graduated from South Carolina College, A.B., 1905; University of South Carolina, A.M., 1907; also studied law; tutor in mathematics, 1906-1907; admitted to SC Bar in 1909. Lawyer and farmer in Pickens. Married Essie E. Earle of Pickens in November 1910. Manager of Pickens Building and Loan Assoc., 1935 to date. ASC County Committee, 1939 to date. County attorney, 1922-1934. Member of Cross Roads Baptist Church, 1895-1924; Pickens First Baptist Church, 1925 to date, deacon; moderator of Pickens Association, 1925-30. (Source: *Biographical Directory of the Senate of the State of South Carolina 1776-1964*, p. 217.)

**John Ford, Greenville County. SC Senate 1790-1795.** John Ford was possibly the son of John Ford, Sr. Planter, on Enoree River, Greenville District. Owned much land in Union, Spartanburg, and Greenville districts. Married Ann \_\_\_\_\_. During

Revolutionary war, lieutenant, captain, and major in Colonel Levi Casey's and Colonel Roebuck's Regiments from 1779 to 1782. Coroner of Ninety Six District, 1773. Justice of Peace. **Commissioner for building courthouse and gaol (jail) for Washington District, 1791.** County court judge, Spartanburg, 1782-1886; Greenville, 1786, 1792. Sheriff of Greenville, commissioned July 4, 1789. Died in office as Senator between October (will dated) and 9 Nov 1795. (Source: *Biographical Directory of the Senate of the State of South Carolina 1776-1964*, p. 195.)

**James Perry Glenn, Anderson County. SC House of Representatives 1888-1890. SC Senate 1890-94.** James Perry Glenn was born in Laurens May 1, 1843, the son of Francis M. Glenn and Mary Templeton, who emigrated from Scotland. Removed in 1845 to Garvin Township, Anderson District. Attended Thalian Academy. During Confederate War, served in Gist Rifles of Hampton Legion in Army of Northern Virginia; surrendered at Appomattox. Taught school, 1870-1875. Farmer, at Equality, from 1875. Married Hester Amanda Smith of Slabtown, Anderson County, 19 Sep 1876. Member of Constitutional Convention of 1895. Removed to Anderson Court House. Regent of State Hospital, 1896-1910. Member of Carmel Church; later of Slabtown Presbyterian; first clerk of church, elder, Sunday School superintendent; later of Central Presbyterian Church, elder. Died at home in Anderson 18 Sep 1910; buried in Silver Brook Cemetery, Anderson. (Source: *Biographical Directory of the Senate of the State of South Carolina 1776-1964*, p. 223.)

**George Leighton Grantham, Pickens County. SC Senate 1950-54.** George Leighton was born 24 Nov 1920 in Robeson County, NC, the son of George Leighton Grantham and Marv Belle Ricks of Fairmont, NC. Graduated from Fairmont, NC High School, 1937; Davidson College, B.S., 1941; University of NC Law School, J.D., 1948. With Aetna Life Insurance Company in Columbia, 1941-42. Removed from Columbia to Easley in 1942. Married Dorothy Folger Hagood of Easley 20 Jun 1942. During World War II, lieutenant, USNR, 1942-45; taking part in Philippine invasion, Pacific campaign; holds American campaign ribbons with 11 battle stars. Lawyer and banker at Easley, Vice president of First National Bank of Easley, 1949-56; president and chairman since 1956. Treasurer of Easley Motors, Inc., SC. Chairman of Easley Chapter, American Red Cross. American Legion, post commander. Lions. State chairman of Junior Bar Section of American Bar Association. Vice president of SC Bar Association. Member of Pickens County, SC and American Bar Association. Member of American Law Institute, American Judicature Society, Pickens County Executive Democratic Committee, 1950-56. Alternate delegate to National Democratic Convention, 1952. Member of Easley Presbyterian Church. Lives at Easley. (Source: *Biographical Directory of the Senate of the State of South Carolina 1776-1964*, p. 225.)

**William Steele Grisham, Pickens District. SC House of Representatives (Pendleton District) 1854-56. SC Senate (Pickens County) 1865-67.** William Steele Grisham was born 29 Nov 1824 in old Pendleton District, the son of Joseph Grisham and Mary Love Steele, Planter, at West Union. Married, first, Martha Josephine Knox of Acquilla, GA, 26 Oct 1847; second her sister, Harriet Louisa Knox, 4 May 1852. Called "colonel"; probably in militia. Member of Secession Convention of 1860-62 and signer of Ordinance of Secession. Commissioner of free schools. Commissioner of roads. President of Keowee and Tuckassee Turnpike Road, 1868. Removed to Atlanta, GA in 1873; engaged in coal business. Died 7 Feb 1878 in Atlanta, GA. Buried in cemetery lot of Governor Joseph Emerson Brown, his brother-in-law, in Oakland Cemetery, Atlanta. (Source: *Biographical Directory of the Senate of the State of South Carolina 1776-1964*, p. 228.)

**James Harrison, Greenville District. SC House of Representatives (Greenville District) 1782-1786. SC Senate, (Greenville), 1789-1790.** (Source: *Biographical Directory of the Senate of the State of South Carolina 1776-1964*, p. 233.)

**James Washington Harrison, Anderson District. SC House of Representatives, (Pendleton), 1846-48, 1850-52, 1854-56. SC Senate (Anderson), 1858-65.** (Source: *Biographical Directory of the Senate of the State of South Carolina 1776-1964*, p. 233.)

**John Ramsey Harrison, Greenville County. SC House of Representatives, (Greenville), 1880-82, 1888-92, 1904-12. SC Senate (Greenville), 1892-96. President pro tempore, 1894-96.** (Source: *Biographical Directory of the Senate of the State of South Carolina 1776-1964*, p. 233.)

**Edmund Lee Herndon, Oconee County. SC Senate 1900-1904.** Edmund Lee Herndon (Uncle of Broadus Thompson) was born 16 Jun 1864 at Mountain Rest, the son of Samuel George Herndon and Rhoda Billingsley. Attended Adger College, 1879-81; The Citadel, 1882-85; read law in the office of W.C. Keith and taught school, 1887; admitted to SC Bar in 1888. Commenced the practice of law at Walhalla. Magistrate. Judge of probate, 1894-98. Married Clara Virginia Platt of Graniteville 27 Jun 1900. County board of education, several years. Chairman of Walhalla High School board for many years. Knights of Pythias. Woodmen of the World. Master Mason. President of Walhalla Bar Association. Member of Methodist Church; chairman of board of stewards for 20 years. Died in Walhalla 23 Aug 1937; buried in Westview Cemetery, Walhalla. (Source: *Biographical Directory of the Senate of the State of South Carolina 1776-1964*, p. 236.)

**Old Pickens Courthouse in 1875**  
*Anderson Intelligencer* (11 Nov 1875)  
*A Glance at Old Pickens*

The general aspect of things about old Pickens today strongly contrasts with its appearance fifteen or twenty years ago—then at the zenith of its antebellum prime and importance as a country town, now all tumbled down and abandoned.

The dividing of Pickens District shortly after the war into Pickens and Oconee counties and the consequent removal of the county seat, served to utterly annihilate the old town. All the old residents, as by one impulse and seemingly actuated by a determination in common to reside at a "court house," migrated at once and settled exclusively in Walhalla and New Pickens, mainly in the latter place. As a consequence, a wonderful depreciation in value of town property followed and most, if not all, the old lots changed hands for a mere trifle. As an instance, one lot of two acres, on which was a good dwelling with a store room attached, sold for only \$20. The Court House and Jail, and nearly all the store houses and dwellings were torn down and moved away, and now only a few weather beaten and desolate houses, and most of these in the last stages of dilapidation, remain to remind one of the former life or pretensions of the place. In fact, every thing has degenerated to so great an extent that the few remaining traces and relics would scarcely excite the curious interest of the passing stranger. The large hotel building is standing yet, but is fast going to ruin and the absence of all the door and window shutters and sash serves but to heighten the gloominess of the picture. Only one business sign remains—that of the old "hotel Bar, which holds on to the wall with a tenacious" grip as if one conscious of the facts the "spirits" have flown. The old academy is yet to be seen; and, the town could at one time boast of a flourishing High School, which is an easy and safe inference when it is known that the Rev. J.L. Kennedy was its principal. It may be added in this connection that your townsman, O.H.P. Fant, Esq. once trained the young idea of this locality "how to shoot." There was never but one church immediately in the place, a neat and substantial brick structure, which was originally intended for the use of the various denominations, but it was used almost exclusively by the Presbyterians until late years, when they abandoned it. Very lately it has been incorporated in a Methodist Mission of the South Carolina Conference, and a strong membership has been already established.

This is a remarkably healthy locality, a fine grain growing section and, since the war, a considerable quantity of cotton is raised. There are no stores near than Central Station and Seneca City, on the Air Line Railroad, each ten miles distant; and this fact together with the natural resources of the surrounding country, make this place a splendid opening for a country store. A merchant of Seneca City, who it would seem, was encouraged by these inducements has very recently opened a general stock of goods here and is doing a profitable business. A store at Old Pickens is something of a novelty, and the "natives" hail its advent with rejoicing. The effect is amusing and particular pleasing to the proprietor.

About five families of white people and about as many of negroes are living in the old place at present, none of whom, however, resided within the incorporation prior to the "breaking up," save, perhaps, one old Negro man (George) who "belonged to P. Alexander 'lore' mancipation." George now owns the largest part of Old Pickens now, and one broad smile, betokening an inward consciousness of his thrift, irradiates his sable features when he tells us that "things is turned 'round mightily," He rejoices in his freedom and votes the "publikin" ticket.

To mediate upon the past prosperity of the old town and upon the character of its former citizens, is a reflection of some interest, but it is a melancholy retrospect. It has a bout it much of that feeling which results from the contemplation of decay and ruin. There is an eloquence in decay, but it is a sad eloquence, and growth has more of vital interest than decline, even as we gaze with more pleasure upon the verdency of youth than upon the discrepancy of declining years. Keowee.

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Books at <http://www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~scoconee/hunt.html>

### **Editing PDF Files:**

Yes, there are programs that will allow you to edit completed PDF scans. CutePDF Writer at <http://www.acrosoft.com/Download.htm>, is a free program that you can use.

### **Searching PDF Files:**

One of the most exciting things that I recently discovered, is a PDF "Keyword" Search Engine called ZOOM (<http://www.wrensoft.com/zoom>) that is engineered by a firm in Australia. It's a software package that creates a Search Engine for **your Website/Webpages, CD's or DVD's**. It provides fast and powerful text (letters, words, numbers, etc.) indexing. It does this by sorting through your PDF files and extracting "text" that it recognizes. Then it builds a "Searchable Keyword Index" that you can store where you want. It DOES NOT require an external web service for searching or index building.

The Professional Edition of Zoom does so many wonderful things, that it's simply a steal at \$99 a copy..! There's a smaller \$49 Standard Edition, but it's only good for searching 100 pages, while the Professional Edition does 200,000 pages at a time. If you have 300 pages for example, you would probably need to create 4 engine indexes – like 1. ALL, 2. Births, 3. Marriages & 4. Deaths. The easy way is to buy the Professional Edition and use the option called "Categories." Categories allows the User the option of viewing a single Search Menu and selecting a category to search by - like [x] ALL, [ ] Births, [ ] Marriages, [ ] Deaths.

The Zoom engine will also build indexes from the following file types:

- .doc = Word
- .pdf = Acrobat
- .xls = Excel
- .ppt = Power Point
- .txt = Basic Text
- .wpd = Word Perfect

### **PDF Scanner Types:**

I own an old USB powered portable \$67 Canon LIDE-60 scanner that I use with my laptop. I have probably done over 5,000 PDF scans with this little flat-bed scanner. One of these days, it will go to meet its maker. When that day comes, I'm going to say a few words of "Thanks" and find the nearest wastepaper basket. Then I'll buy their new \$75 Canon LIDE-90 model.

I've been thinking that I should probably invest in a new desktop scanner, but the choice is not a simple one.

- Do I want it to be USB powered and portable?
- Do I want another flat-bed scanner?
- Do I want a duplex (2-side pages) auto sheet-feed scanner?
- What resolution do I want?

In reality, I probably need a portable and a desktop scanner – something like the \$400 Canon DR-1210C, \$300 Xerox DocuMate 510, \$500 HP ScanJet 7650 or the \$200 Microtek ScanMaker 5950. The page-feeder assemblies can normally be removed to allow for book scanning and the units can be turned over and even used to scan large ledgers. The Microtek scanner seems to have it all (but why is it so cheap?). Whatever the case, I have lots of comparing to do, because I want to start PDF scanning my old photographs.

### **Something of interest...**

Some university just announced that they developed a small, tripod mounted, laser scanner that's been designed for laptop USB use. They claim that the thing is able to scan currently **unreadable** tombstones inscriptions and in most cases, reproduce **readable** PDF image scans! An approximate price of \$300 was mentioned, if, it becomes a commercially available product.

**Throw away your shaving cream & scrapper..!**

## **Whitmire Methodist Church (Disbanded)**

Whitmire Methodist Church, one of the first churches in the upper part of Oconee County, was first established in Jocassee Valley, later moving one and one-half miles above Salem on Cheohee Road in 1875 when William M. Whitmire bought land there. It was combined with Salem M.E. Church in 1933, leaving the church building on Cheohee Road abandoned. On the markers at the cemetery one will see many familiar names: Grant, Colley, Talley, Grogan, Burgess, Nicholas, Perry, Crenshaw, Rogers, Whitmire, Pike, and many others.

## **Newry Methodist Church**

Naturally the people who came into the new mill village of Newry in 1894 sought a central place of worship. They were mostly rural people with a strong tradition of church-oriented lives. The village houses were completed, shining with new paint. The schoolhouse had been built and teacher hired. The company store was constructed of brick and well-stocked with food stuff and hardware, but no church was built.

A place was provided for the people to worship but only on a temporary basis. The community hall over the company store was the first site of worship services in Newry and it was used simultaneously by all denominations. The members were predominately Baptist however. All the employees and people from the nearby farms worshiped in the hall for some ten years or more.

In January of 1903 the Baptist petitioned the Mill Management to allow them to begin a building fund for a church. Management agreed and gave them a large lot to be theirs as long as it was used for church purposes and also to donate \$1,000 as a contribution for their fund.

The people being poor, the uncertainty of market conditions in textiles and several unforeseen setbacks delayed the building of the church for some time but eventually about 1908 it was built as a community worship center. It served both Baptist and Methodist and any others who wished to participate. Equal time was given to the Methodist; however, they were a small minority. Many from both denominations attended the services and revivals of each other. The Sunday School was always a union venture and was very successful. From the peoples of this one church came the organization of the Newry Emanuel Holiness Church, Newry Church of God, Newry Methodist Church and Lydia Baptist Church, the main forerunner of them all.

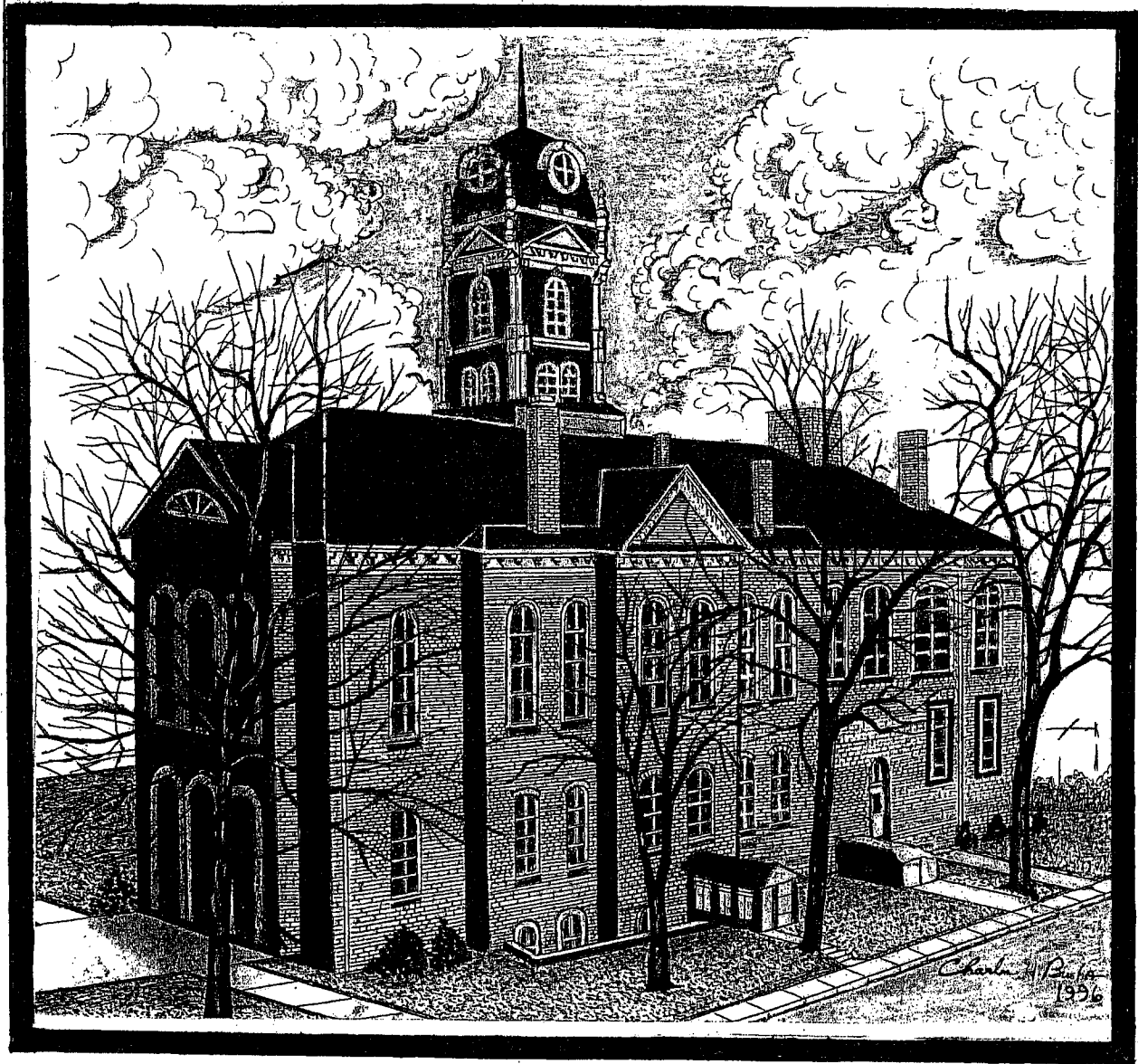
The Baptist members decided to build a new church of their own in 1954 and dissolved their connections as a Union Church leaving the Methodist members with the large frame building. Because of a small membership and a lack of growth due to the exodus of people from the mill village, the Newry Methodist Church dissolved its charter in 1973 with most of the attending members moving to St. Mark in Seneca, SC. The church building was sold back to the Baptist Church (Lydia). Mrs. Laura Oliver and Mr. N.E. McClellan were dedicated members of the church.

Pastors: I.Z. Henderson, Kilgore, Pettus, Ford, Sammeth, J.O. Gilliam, N.K. Polk, Johnson, Bullington, Summes, J.W. Lewis, Frank Hartzell, Taylor Campbell, Herbie Franklin, Larry Wilson, Tom Grant, Jim Hall, and Sinclair Lewis.



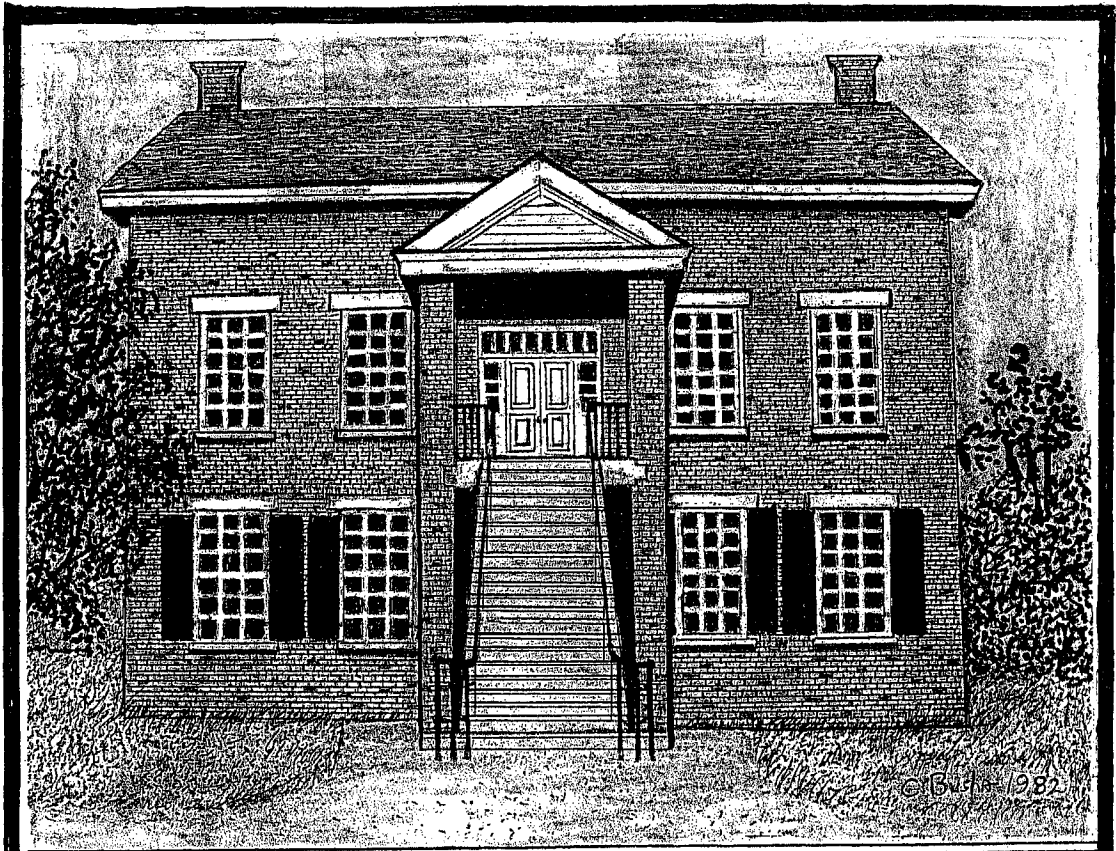
# HISTORICAL IMAGES

## THE THREE COURTHOUSES OF PICKENS COUNTY



### Pickens County's Second Courthouse

The building depicted in this drawing by Charles H. Busha replaced the county's small, first courthouse that was constructed in 1868-1869 in the new town of Pickens, South Carolina. Because most of the town is situated on a plateau that rises sharply above land on all sides, the imposing and ostentatious steeple of the courthouse could be seen from a distance of several miles. Courts of law were held in this building on its second floor. Various departments of the county's government occupied small offices on the first floor. Down through the years, many public events were held on the tree-shaded courthouse lawn. This second courthouse for Pickens County was demolished during the late 1950s. Construction was then begun on the same site for the third courthouse that is still standing.



The county's first courthouse was erected in 1868-1869, shortly after Pickens district was divided into Oconee and Pickens counties. It was replaced in 1892 by the second courthouse featured on the preceding page.



The present-day courthouse was completed in 1959. It faces Main Street in Pickens, S. C., and is situated between Court and Pendleton streets. The architect for this building was J. Harold Townes of Greenville, S. C. A native of Pickens County, Townes graduated in 1950 from Clemson College (now University) with a degree in architecture.

# HISTORICAL IMAGES

Assembled by Charles H. Busha

## Printed Notice of the Sale of Lots in the New Town of Pickens in 1869

### LAST SALE OF TOWN

### FOR THE NEW COUNTY OF PICKENS.

The undersigned, Commissioners appointed by the Convention to select and locate the County-site for New Pickens County, will sell to the highest bidder, at the new location,

*On Tuesday, 27th day of July next, Court Week,*

### THE REMAINING LOTS AT PICKENS C. H.

Comprising respectively, half-acre, one, two and four acre Lots, judiciously laid out.

The location is near Hunter's Store, between Town and Wolf Creeks, 14 miles from old Pickens, and 20 miles from Greenville C. H., and 17 miles from Pendleton Village, and in a healthy section. The location is a most desirable one, being situated on a beautiful plateau and surrounded by a fertile region, with thrifty inhabitants and the village rapidly improving.

There is, on both town and wolf creeks, fine water power, with good saw mills, and an abundance of the best timber near by.

The county-site is nearly equi-distant between Keowee and Saluda Rivers, has a fine view of the Mountain scenery, and will command a large trade from the mountains and from North Carolina, and good country farming lands can be bought in the neighborhood. The Court House and Jail having been completed, fine situations for Schools, Teachers, Merchants, Physicians, Mechanics and others, desiring a good country to live cheap and healthy.

*Terms of Sale.*—One third cash; balance in two instalments of 90 days and six months. Purchasers to give bond and surety for the purchase money. Titles to be executed, but not delivered until the bond for the purchase money is fully paid. Purchasers to pay extra for titles and stamps.

JAMES LEWIS, Chairm'n's,  
JAMES H. AMBLER,  
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J. E. HAGOOD, } Commissioners.

For further information, apply to the undersigned at Pickens Court House.

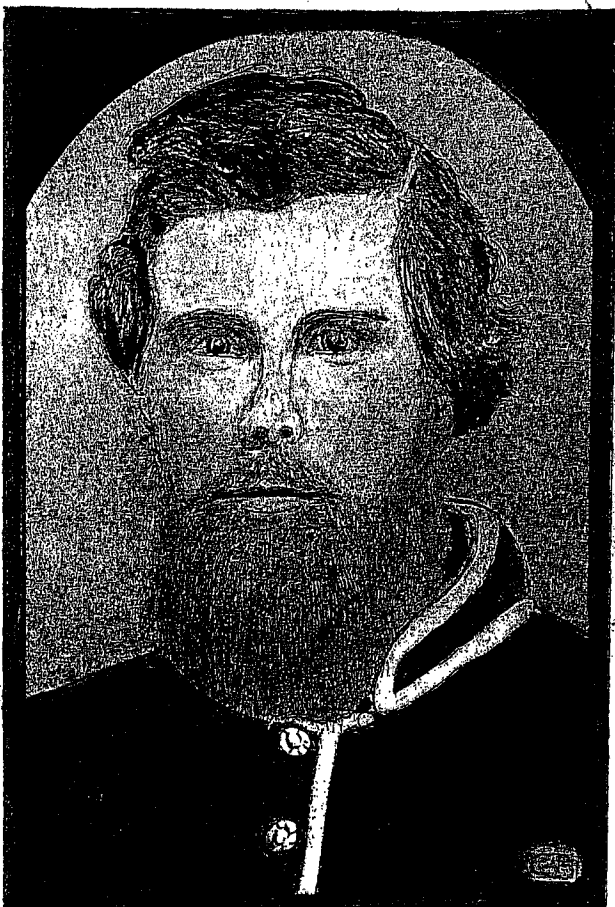
J. E. HAGOOD,  
Sec'y & Treas'r Board Com'rs.

June 15, 1869.

## Confederate History Project

Seeking Information About  
Confederate Soldiers

Dr. Charles Busha  
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Greenville SC 29601



**ALBERT CHESTERFIELD BEATY**  
(1842-1894)

**Co. "D", 1st South Carolina Rifles (Orr's)  
Confederate States Army**

A son of John Wesley Beaty (6 Nov 1811-26 Nov 1890) and Mary T. (Bowie) Beaty (14 Apr 1813-3 Dec 1897), Albert Chesterfield Beaty was born on January 23, 1842, in the Moffettsville community of Anderson District, S. C. He also grew up in that community. This soldier's mother was a daughter of Charles

Bowie, Jr. and Catherine Bowie of Abbeville District, S. C. Albert Chesterfield Beaty enlisted as a private in Company "D", 1st South Carolina Rifles (Orr's Regt.) in 1861 and was enrolled in that unit by Lt. B. Sloan. His name appeared on the company's muster roll of July 20, 1861. At that time, the company was in training at the campground at Sandy Springs, situated near Pendleton in northern Anderson District, S. C. This Confederate soldier's older brother, Benjamin Franklin Beaty (5 Nov 1838-16 Jun 1862) also served in the same company and regiment. He died of typhoid fever in a Confederate hospital in Richmond, Virginia, during the Civil War. The company commander of the unit in which the two brothers served was Captain Francis Eugene Harrison (1826-1878) of Andersonville, S. C. He was promoted to major and then to lieutenant colonel and colonel during the war and also eventually served as the commanding officer of Orr's Regiment until ill health forced him to resign from the army.

By September 30, 1861, Private Beaty was serving on Sullivan's Island near Charleston, S. C. But his regiment was soon sent by train to Richmond, Virginia, where it became part of the Confederate Army of Northern Virginia. On June 27, 1862, Orr's Regiment participated in the Battle of Gaines' Mill in Virginia. The battle was the second and bloodiest of the Seven Days' Battles in the defense of Richmond. In 1864, Albert Chesterfield Beaty sustained a leg wound during a battle in Virginia. Thus, he was granted a sixty-day wound furlough. He then came back to South Carolina. While recuperating from his wound, the soldier married Lucinda Haseltine Burton (29 Apr 1840-28 Jun 1910). She was a daughter of Payton Thompson Burton (d. 6 Mar 1886) and Mary "Polly" (Wiles) Burton (b. 1818-d. 8 Mar 1904) of the western division



## CONFEDERATE SOLDIERS OF PICKENS AND ANDERSON DISTRICTS, S. C. (continued)

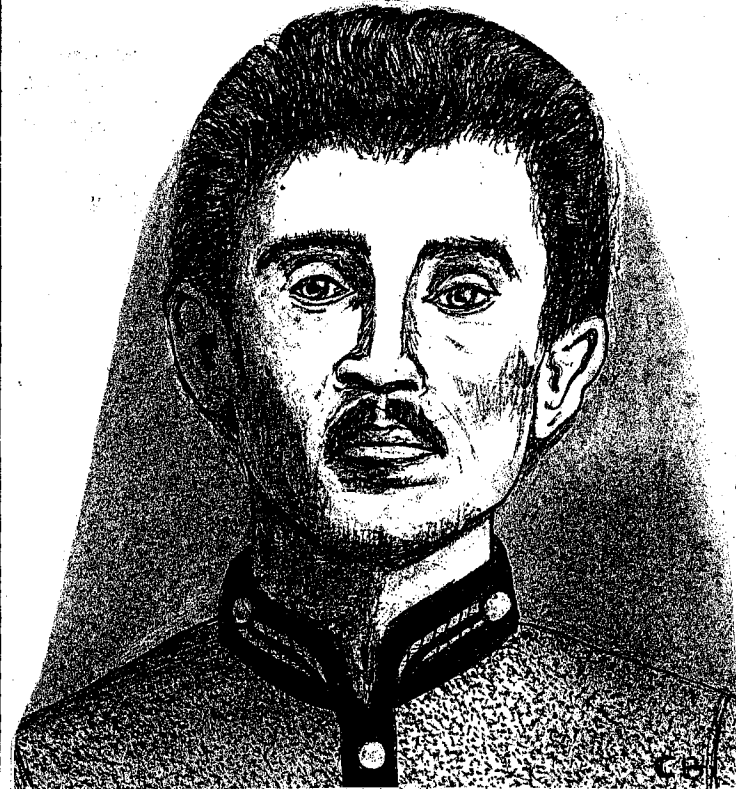
of Pickens District (now Oconee County), S. C. When his furlough came to an end, Private Beaty returned to Virginia and rejoined his regiment. He was at Appomattox Court House, Virginia, on April 9, 1865, when the Confederate Army of Northern Virginia surrendered to the Union Army of the Potomac.

After the Civil War ended, this Confederate veteran returned to South Carolina and became a progressive and successful farmer on the Keowee River in Oconee County. The veteran and his wife had the following children: Margaret Katherine "Kate" Beaty (31 Jul 1866-18 Oct 1915), who married Rubin Wenfield "Sock" Lee, Jr. (5 Apr 1864-12 Sept 1909), son of Rubin Wenfield Lee, Sr. (1823-1900) and Gillie Caroline (Ross) Lee (16 Jul 1828-20 Sept 1903); John Wesley Beaty; Charles Austin Beaty (28 May 1876-25 Mar 1960), who married Lillian "Lillie" Ross (23 Mar 1863-28 Apr 1950); Lucy Anne Beaty (21 Sept 1873-20 Mar 1912), who, on December 26, 1896, married Walter J. Cowan (31 May 1822-29 Sept 1938); and James H. A. Beaty (5 Apr 1878-1 Jul 1943), whose wife was Ethel (Garrison) Beaty (4 Sept 1881-28 Dec 1928).

Albert Chesterfield Beaty died on January 28, 1894, and his body was laid to rest in the cemetery at Bethel Presbyterian Church in northern Oconee County, S. C. A notice of his death was published in *The People's Advocate* (Anderson, S. C.) on July 9, 1894. According to that published account, Mr. Beaty had been a faithful member of the Baptist church, and he was also a member of the Fairview Farmer's Alliance. After a funeral ceremony in the church, the Alliance took charge of the Confederate veteran's body and conducted another appropriate ceremony. In 1902, Mr. Beaty's widow was a recipient of a Civil War widow's pension in Oconee County, S. C. She died June 25, 1910, and her body was interred beside Mr. Beaty's grave at Bethel Presbyterian Church.

Some final notes are in order now: Dr. Charles Alan Lee of Greenville, S. C., is a great grandson of Albert Chesterfield Beaty. He is also a member of the Old Pendleton District Chapter SCGS and the Sons of Confederate Veterans. Dr. Lee's paternal grandparents were Charles Beaty Lee (24 Oct 1886-2 Mar 1972) and Dollie (Brissey) Lee (7 Apr 1901-28 Apr 1972), both of whom were buried at Wolf Stake Baptist Church in Oconee County, S. C. Dr. Lee's father, Charles Austin Lee, was named after his great uncle, Charles Austin

Beaty (28 May 1871-25 Mar 1960), whose wife was Lillian (Ross) Beaty (23 Mar 1883-28 Apr 1950).



**Pinkney L. Johnson (1846-1910)**

Born on February 16, 1846, Pinkney Lewis Johnson was enrolled in Company "A", South Carolina State Troops on September 18, 1864, in the Brushy Creek Community of Anderson County, S. C. He was about seventeen years of age at that time and served under Captain James Long. He was discharged from the C. S. A. on May 1, 1865, at Greenville, S. C. This Confederate veteran married Elizabeth Oney "Betty" Holcombe (Feb 16, 1847-Mar 9, 1912), daughter of Robert Elliott Holcombe (4 Aug 1823- 9 Apr 1893), the founder of Easley, S. C., whose wife was Martha Holcombe (20 Nov 1846-24 Jun 1914). The following offspring of Pinkney Lewis Johnson and his wife were: Robert Elliott Johnson (1 Apr 1894-1 Oct 1972) (a twin of Marjorie Johnson), who married Nan Easley; Marjorie Johnson (a twin), who married a Pearse; Mary Beth Johnson (b. Feb 3 1891), who married a Camp; Elvira Loucretia Johnson (10 Dec 1897-26 Jan 1966), who was also known as Dr. Lewellys Calhoun Johnson (she was a medical doctor and doctor of osteopathy); Queen Johnson, who married James Carpenter Sitton;

## 2008 Publications

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Our genealogical and historical files are located at the Clayton Room at Southern Wesleyan University's Rickman Library, Central, SC 29630. 864.644-5088 (Leave Message) [claytonroom@swu.edu](mailto:claytonroom@swu.edu)

You are welcome to browse through these records and visit the Clayton Room during the Library Hours. Monday – Thursday 8:00 a. m. to 11:00 p. m. Friday 7:45 a. m. to 4:30 p. m. and Saturday 12:00 p. m. to 5:00 p. m. Check website for holiday and summer hours.

### Tentative List of Speakers for 2008 Subject to Change

<b>15 January</b>	Dr. Jerry Reel. <i>Life of Thomas Green Clemson</i>
<b>19 February</b>	Jack E. Marlar. <i>The Hunley: Southern Ingenuity, Technological Innovations and Engineering Advances</i>
<b>18 March</b>	Claudia Hembree, Jocassee Valley
<b>15 April</b>	Jerry Alexander, Pickens District
<b>May 20</b>	Meet at Faith Clayton Room, Southern Wesleyan University
<b>June 17</b>	"Moonshine and Outlaws" by Ed Bolt and Robert Perry
<b>September 16</b>	<i>Southern Lady Anna Calhoun Clemson</i> by Anne Ratliff
<b>October 21</b>	Claytons in Pickens County
<b>November 18</b>	Nick and Cathy Hallman
<b>No Meeting in December</b>	
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