

**November 15, 2011 Meeting**  
 (3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday) 7:00 P. M.  
 Central Clemson Library, 105 Commons Way  
 Central, South Carolina 29630  
 Highway 93 (next to Duckett-Robinson Funeral Home)  
 Central, SC

*Pot Luck Dinner at  
 Trinity Wesleyan Methodist Church  
 Members report on exciting  
 research in the last year.*

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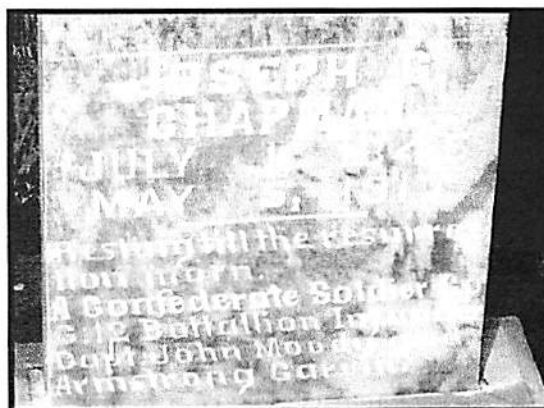
### Refreshments

January: Brenda Myers & Judy Long	April: Katie Gillespie, Marilyn Boren, Nancy Holcombe	September: Keith Brown, Era Davis
February: Judy Long, LaMarr Brooks	May: Dinner at Soapstone Church	October: JoAnn Brewer
March: Ernest Lanier, Ellen Neal, Kathleen Hilliard	June: Ellen Neal, Kathleen Hilliard	November:

President responsible for drinks, plates, cups for each meeting

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Joseph G. Chapman Antioch Baptist Church  
 A Confederate Soldier CO C 12<sup>th</sup> INF  
 CPT John Moody and Armstrong Garvin

## **Bible of C.S. Moorhead and wife Eva G. Warmoth and wife Ella Dixon**

Brought to the Clayton Room by Walter J. Moorhead, 55 Twilight Drive, Crossville, TN 38572

Mary Elizabeth Reavis, Ann Margaret Hawkins, Sara Jean Miller and Edith Frances Satterfield, (sisters of Walter J. Moorhead), also came with him.

### **Marriage**

Mr. C.S. Moorhead of Union Co., SC and Miss Eva G. Warmoth of Union Co., SC on the 26<sup>th</sup> of July 1888 at Mr. J.R. Warmoth's by Rev. James R. Pentuff. Witness: W.G. Tollison and J. L. Moorhead.

### **Marriages**

- C.S. Moorhead and Ella Dixon were married Feb. 22<sup>nd</sup> 1912 by C.W. Payseur.
- Joseph Hughes Moorhead was married to Frances Elizabeth Moorhead at Gaffney, SC Nov. 19, 1923 at 6 P.M. Witness: W.J. Moorhead and R.H. Holliday.
- Mary Elizabeth Moorhead and William Bryce Reavis were married June 21, 1947.
- Annie Margaret Moorhead and Robert Leuvsen Hawkins were married July 29, 1950.
- Sarah Jean Moorhead and John C. Waters were married Dec. 3, 1953.
- Walter James Moorhead and Emma Rae Nothern were married Dec. 17, 1954.

### **Births**

- C.S. Moorhead son of W.G. and A.F. Moorhead was born March 3, 1860.
- Eva G. Moorhead daughter of J.R. and E.P. Warmoth was born Oct. 7, 1869.
- Ella Moorhead Daughter of T.J. and Catherine Dixon was born May 12 1871
- Mary Elizabeth Moorhead was born Sept. 28, 1924 \_\_\_\_\_ Blacksburg, SC \_\_\_\_ began walking Sept \_\_\_\_\_
- Annie Margaret Moorhead was born Feb 6, 1927 a 12:05 P.M. weight 6 ¾ lbs.
- Walter James Moorhead was born January 17, 1929 at 6 a.m. weight about 7 ½ lbs.
- Sarah Jean Moorhead was born April 17, 1931, 12:55 p.m.
- Infant daughter born March 8, 1933 6:30 P.M.
- Frances Edith Moorhead was born June 10, 1934, 9:45 A.M. weight about 9 ½ lbs.
- Joseph Hughes Moorhead was born June 27, 1891
- Frances Elizabeth Moorhead was born Jan 21, 1902.

### **Deaths**

- Mrs. A.F. Orr departed this life November 6<sup>th</sup> 1899
- Eva G. Moorhead departed this life Oct 22 1910
- W.J. Moorhead died April 25<sup>th</sup> 1924
- C.S. Moorhead Departed from this life June 3<sup>rd</sup> 1941
- Annie M. Moorhead, Wife of W.J. Moorhead departed this life Feb. 17, 1955 5:40 P.M.
- Evall H. Moorhead Wife of Carse Moorhead Died Dec 19 9:20 1974
- Mrs. Ella Dixon Moorhead Departed this life Dec. 30, 1966.
- J.L. Moorhead departed this life Dec. 27, 1950
- Frances Wertz Moorhead wife of J.L. Moorhead Departed this life October 27, 1961
- Helen Moorhead Summons Departed this life October 28, 1961.

Source: The New Encyclopaedic Holy Bible containing The Authorized and Revised Versions of the Old and New Testaments arranged in Parallel Columns. Scammell & Company, Philadelphia, PA and St. Louis, MO. Copyright 1886.

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Source: Holy Bible: Old & New Testaments: Translated out of the Original Tongues and with the Former translations Diligently compared and Revised with Marginal Notes and References Together with the Apocrypha. To which are added, An Index and An Alphabetical Table. Lunenburg, Massachusetts, 1828.

Tax bill for William Morehead for 1841.

Genl

Poor

Bridge

P. Building

Total \$7.60. Received Payment by R. Gillian, T.C.

There is a letter written by J.H. Moorhead of Blacksburg, SC on March 20, 1953 to Mrs. S.D. Williams, 619 N. Pine Street, Pauls Valley, Okla about the Bible. He states:

"I received your letter of Feb. 29<sup>th</sup> in regard to the old Moorhead Family Bible which I have in my possession. This Bible was bought by William Moorhead from S.M. Goudy in 1829. He wrote 'When this you see remember William Moorhead at this time in his 67<sup>th</sup> or 77<sup>th</sup> year'. He also states that he paid \$5.00 for it."

### **Births**

Robert J. Moorhead \_\_\_\_ & Wm. Moorhead first born child was born Feb 17, 1856+

### **Marriages (Page 1)**

- William Moorhead was married to Agness G. Gilkey the 20<sup>th</sup> of August 1785
- John Moorhead their son was married to Elizabeth Goudelock Dec. 26, 1811
- Whitaker Smith and Mary Moorhead married March 31, 1808
- Robert Moorhead and Cynthia Martin married 23<sup>rd</sup> June 1814
- William Moorhead and Francis Smith married January 30<sup>th</sup> 1817
- William S. Palmer and Violet Moorhead married 1<sup>st</sup> of May 1821
- Robert Moorhead and Rebeca Pridmore Married 22 of May 1817
- Walter Moorhead and Delilah Palmer married September 9<sup>th</sup> 1830
- James Bankhead and Sintha Moorhead was married February the 2<sup>nd</sup>? Of 1835?
- William L. Goudelock and Nancy Ree Moorhead married July 8<sup>th</sup> 1852
- William Moorhead and Alsamena Moorhead was married May 17<sup>th</sup> 1855
- Daniel McPalmer and Sarah Ann Moorhead was married Apr 12<sup>th</sup> 1857?
- Whitaker G. Moorhead and Nancie Elizabeth Blair were married Novr 21<sup>st</sup> 1866?

## **Births**

William Moorhead Sr Born July 9<sup>th</sup> 1762. Agness G. Gilkey his wife Born February 16<sup>th</sup> 1760

1. John Moorhead their first son Born 30<sup>th</sup> of December 1785

2. Mary Moorhead Born 8<sup>th</sup> of October 1787

3. Robert Moorhead Born October 23<sup>rd</sup> 1789

Gilkey Moorhead Born December 25<sup>th</sup> 1791

William Moorhead Born December 8<sup>th</sup> 1792 or 4?

Violet Moorhead Born January 5 1797

7. Walter Moorhead Born August ?, 1800

Cintha Moorhead Born May 4<sup>th</sup> - 1816

Elvira Moorhead Born October 16<sup>th</sup> - 1812

MmD Moorhd Born October 22 - 1813

Juliana? Moorhead Born May th. 23 - 1815

Adam G. Moorhd born November th 26 – 1816

1) Polly Moorhd Born March the 13 – 1818

2) Nancy G.? Moorhead born 21<sup>st</sup> October 1819

3) Walter G. Moorhead Born 20 of May 1821

4) William J. Moorhead born 6<sup>th</sup> of April 1823

## **Next Page of Births**

5) Robert M. Moorhead Born 8<sup>th</sup> March – 1825

6) Elizabeth S. Moorhead Born 21<sup>st</sup> February – 1827

Violet Moorhd born February th 20<sup>th</sup> 1829

William Palmer was born the 11<sup>th</sup> February 1771 (different ink and seemed to be inserted)

Delilah Palmer – Wife of Walter Moorhead Born 13<sup>th</sup> January 1814

Elizabeth Goudelock, wife of John Moorhead Born January th 26 1793

Rebecca Pridmore, Wife Robert Moorhead Born 13<sup>th</sup> Oct 1795

Ferdinand S. Palmer, Born Oct 12<sup>th</sup> 1797

## **Births. The age of Walter Moorhead Children**

1<sup>st</sup> William, Goodman, Moorhead Born May 18<sup>th</sup> 2833

2<sup>nd</sup> Nancy, Rebecca, Moorhead Born Dec 27<sup>th</sup> 1835

3<sup>rd</sup> Whitaker Smith Moorhead Born February 9, 1838

4<sup>th</sup> Sarah Ann Moorhead Born December 5<sup>th</sup> 1840

5<sup>th</sup> Mary Elisabeth Moorhead Born Sept 19 1843

6<sup>th</sup> Walter Alexander Moorhead Born Feb 24<sup>th</sup> 1847

7<sup>th</sup> Violet Pamela Moorhead Born Sept 29<sup>th</sup> 1849

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8<sup>th</sup> Delila Catharine Moorhead Born Dec 19<sup>th</sup> 1852

Nancy's first born

Mary Delila Goudelock Born 9<sup>th</sup> of February? 1854

## Deaths

John Moorhead Sr Died 3<sup>rd</sup> May 1809

Jonathan Gilky Sr Died 5<sup>th</sup> May 1811

Agness G. Moorhead Died th 8<sup>th</sup> of November 1826

Gilky Moorhead Died 1<sup>st</sup> of October 1809

Elisabeth Moorhead wife of John Moorhead Sr. Died 28 January 1827 in the 95 years of her age

Cynthia Moorhead Died May 5<sup>th</sup> 1816 Wife of R. Moorhd

Elisabeth Shaw Moorhead Died 23<sup>rd</sup> Nov 1831

William Moorhead Sr Died March 8<sup>th</sup> 1844 In the 82<sup>nd</sup> year of his age

Cannot read

Walter Moorhead Died Sept 2<sup>nd</sup> 1853 in the 54<sup>th</sup> year of his age

William Palmer died Siptember [sic] 19<sup>th</sup> 1845

Delilah S. Moorhead Died Oct the 5<sup>th</sup> 1857 In the 44<sup>th</sup> year of her age

Wm. G. Moorhead died August 7<sup>th</sup> 1863 aged 30 years 2 months and 25 days

## Births

Wm. Moorhead, his book, Price \$5.00.

Bought from S.M. Goudy in 1829 \_\_\_\_\_

You see remembers Mr. Moorhead at this time in his seventy Seventh year.

## Births

1<sup>st</sup> Robert J. Moorhead A \_\_ & Wm Moorhead's first Born child was born Feb 17 1856

2<sup>nd</sup> Walter James Moorhead was born Feb 27 1858

W.L. Goudelock born January 24<sup>th</sup> 1833

Mary Delila Goudelock. Born 9<sup>th</sup> Feb 1854

Infant Son of W.L. and N.R. Goudelock Born June 19<sup>th</sup> 1856

Margaret Della Goudelock 3<sup>rd</sup> child of N.R. Goudelock Born Novr. 22<sup>nd</sup> 1857

[4<sup>th</sup>] Saml. Davis Goudelock 4<sup>th</sup> Born March 25, 1860

Nancy Elizabeth Moorhead, wife of W.S. Moorhead. Born August 11<sup>th</sup> 1843.

## Births

[5<sup>th</sup>] Walter Edwin Bookter Goudelock 5<sup>th</sup> Child of N.R. Goudelock Born 23 April 1866.

[6<sup>th</sup>] Adam Saffod Goudelock 6<sup>th</sup> Born 27 July 1868

[7<sup>th</sup>] Hannah Amanda Goudelock 7<sup>th</sup> child Born 16<sup>th</sup> August 1871

[8<sup>th</sup>] Elisabeth Catherine Goudelock 8<sup>th</sup> child. Born Dec 24<sup>th</sup> 1873

Walter Bloomfield Duncan. 1<sup>st</sup> Born of W.J. and Delila Catherine Duncan. Born August 17<sup>th</sup> 1874

Columbus Scruggs Moorhead 3<sup>rd</sup> born of \_\_ A.F. Moorhead Born \_\_ 5<sup>th</sup> 1860

## Other Side of Sheet

Delila Moorhead 1<sup>st</sup> Born of Walter A. and \_\_ Moorhead Born 15<sup>th</sup> June 1872.

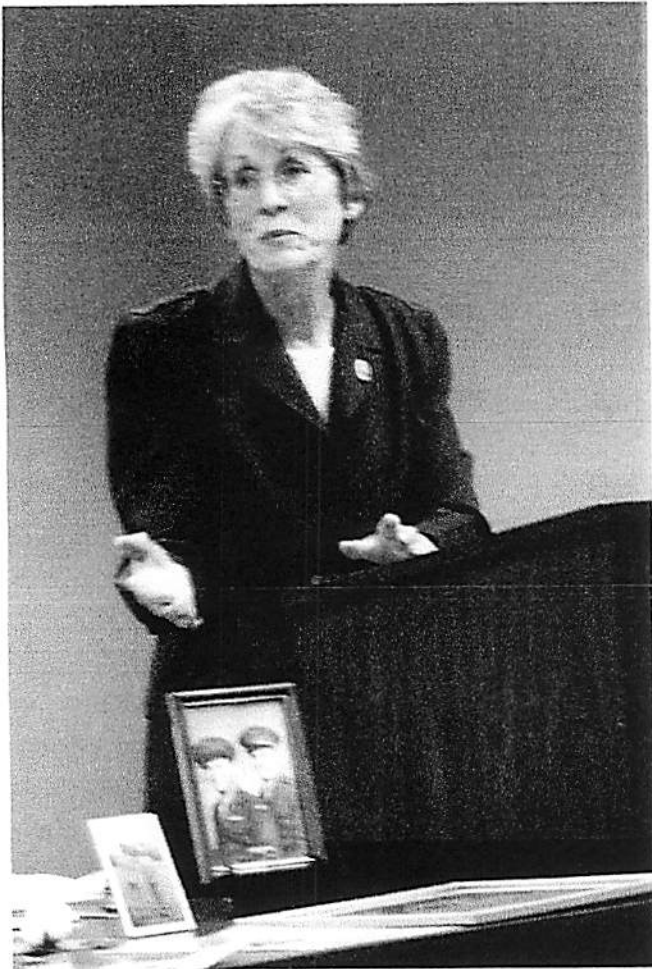
Elizabeth Catherine Moorhead 2d Born of W.A. and Delila Jane Moorhead Born Dec 31<sup>st</sup> 1874

Walter Moorhead Palmer 1<sup>st</sup> Born of D.M. & S.A. Palmer Born March 5<sup>th</sup> 1860.

Mary Eliza Palmer 2<sup>nd</sup> Born Feb 12<sup>th</sup> 1862

Elizabeth McCarney Palmer Born Feb 12<sup>th</sup> 1864





## Sharon Brown and the UDC

Sharon Brown Miller, President of the James L. Orr Chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy (UDC) was our guest speaker for October. She explained that the UDC was chartered in 1917 and is a nonprofit organization that seeks to honor, protect and preserve their Confederate heritage so that their ancestors' sacrifices are not forgotten.

She discussed the UDC's long history of recognizing and assisting all veterans as well as active duty members.

Miller, a retired biology teacher, explained some of the objectives of the organization which include preserving, restoring and marking Confederate sites and monuments. She noted their scholarship program, charitable projects and recommended that members might enjoy visiting the South Carolina Confederate Relic Room and Military Museum in Columbia.

### Inquiries and Notes From the Editor

Louis Smith attended our 100 Year Reunion, is part of the local Smith clan and a member of the Old Pendleton District Society. Louis Smith, who is a South Carolinian but lives in Hattiesburg, MS wants to know where you locate any **Orphan Records for Old Pendleton District?** [Louis@headricks.com](mailto:Louis@headricks.com)

Carolyn Cobb James who lives in Florida is related to the Cobb family near Holly Springs Baptist Church on Long Creek Highway and whose Revolutionary ancestor is Rev. John Cobb and Frances Smith. Frances Smith's father was Christopher Smith. Needs help researching the Christopher Smith family and whether he was a Revolutionary War soldier. [Cjames1331@hotmail.com](mailto:Cjames1331@hotmail.com)

### Donations to the Faith Clayton Room

*Cemetery Inscriptions of Lower Colleton County, South Carolina* by the Members of Old St. Bartholomew Chapter, SCGS, Walterboro, SC 2000.

*James Osborn and Patsy (Terrel) Osborn and Their Children*. Also included, Joshua Dyer, Guardian of Patsy Terrell. Compiled by Patricia Brown Musselman, Fort Worth, Texas, March 2011.

Microfilm from the South Carolina State Archives. Confederate Home Records (6 rolls). Donated by G. Anne Sheriff



Rampe

# The Rampey Families of Pickens County

## PART TWO

By **CHARLES H BUSHA** and  
**JOSEPH DONALD RAMPEY**



Rampe

### THE PAUL SPENCER RAMPEY FAMILY

The late **Paul Spencer Rampey** (1913-1998), a former resident of Easley, was perhaps the most outstanding athlete born thus far into the Rampey clan of Pickens County, South Carolina. Born on October 13, 1913, he was a son of **Arthur Joseph Rampey** (5 Feb 1882-21 Oct 1930) and **Susie Elizabeth Roper Rampey** (7 Sept 1883-11 Jan 1975); both of whom were buried at Mountain View Church in Pickens County, South Carolina. Paul Rampey was a grandson of **Levi McDuffie "McDuff" Rampey** (1854-1887) and a great-grandson of **John "Jackson" Rampey** (1811-1891).

In 1936 Paul Rampey graduated from Easley High School where he played football, baseball and basketball. Moreover, he ran track while in high school. He received an athletic scholarship to the University of South Carolina. And he later played professional baseball for the Boston Braves (now the Atlanta Braves). Paul Rampey also played baseball in the popular South Carolina Textile League. In recognition of his athletic proficiency, he was selected a charter member of the Easley City Athletic Hall of Fame and as a first-year member of the Easley High School Athletic Hall of Fame.

On March 28, 1939, Paul Rampey married **Sarah Theodora Tilson** (b. 20 Apr 1920), and the couple had the following children:

1. **Daniel Hershel Rampey** (b. 4 Oct 1942), who married **Elizabeth Brown** (b. 30 Oct 1948) on March 17, 1966.
2. **Gail Elizabeth Rampey** (b. 15 Dec 1948), who married **William Christopher Nicholson** (b. 4 Jun 1951) on September 27, 1975.
3. **Paula Sue Rampey** (b. 7 Oct 1952), who married **Bennett Elvin Gantt** (b. 17 Mar 1950) on May 5, 1971.

Paul Rampey was a member of Bates Masonic Lodge and Chapter 200 of the Eastern Star in which he became a Worthy Patron several times. He once served on the Easley City Council and was a member of St. Andrew United Methodist Church. He retired from the Woodside Plant of Dan River Mills. Paul Rampey died on Sept 18, 1998, and was buried in Greenlawn Memorial Park at Easley, South Carolina. In addition to his wife of fifty-nine years and to his three children, he was survived by one brother, **William Oscar Rampey** (b. 25 Jul 1909) and the following three sisters: **Pearl Josie Rampey Suddeth** (b. 29 Aug 1915), wife of **Herman F. Suddeth** (b. 2 May 1910); **Nina Belle Rampey Ross** (b. 22 Jun 1919), wife of **James Henry Ross** (b. 5 May 1920); and **Bertha Modenia Rampey Hughes** (b. 5 May 1926), wife of **Captain James Clero ("J.C.") Hughes**, a retired U.S. Navy officer.

## THE DENNIS HOLSTON RAMPEY FAMILY



Dennis Holston Rampey (b. 1899) and his wife, Edna Ida Kelley Rampey (b. 1904). Mr. Rampey was elected coroner in the 1930s, and he served in that Pickens County office for 12 years. He was a direct descendant of John "Jackson" Rampey, first Rampey in the county.

Born on October 5, 1899, in the Cateechee community of Pickens County, **Dennis Holston Rampey** was a son of **William John "Bill" Rampey** (12 Jun 1876 - 14 Nov 1965) and **Nancy Jane Langley Rampey** (12 Aug 1881-14 Jan 1965). He was a grandson of **Levi McDuffie "McDuff" Rampey** (1854-1887) and a great-grandson of **John "Jackson" Rampey** (1811-1891). On January 18, 1920, Dennis married **Edna Kelley** (31 Mar 1904-10 Jan 1973) of Six Mile, South Carolina. She was a daughter of **Thomas Monroe Kelley** (15 Jul 1875-17 Jun 1962) and **Nancy Kay Kelley** (5 Sept 1877-17 Nov 1965). On November 2, 1974, Dennis Rampey married his second wife, **Bessie Elliott Phillips** (b. 9 Jan 1900). The nine children of Dennis and his first wife are:

1. **Alvin Holston Rampey** (b. 20 Mar 1922), who, on June 8, 1946, married **Edna Florence Maw** (b. 21 Mar 1922).
2. **Weldon William Rampey** (b. in Apr 1924), who married **Betty Hendricks**.
3. **Edna Hazel Rampey** (b. 9 Feb 1926) who, on December 21, 1946, married **Rayburn Andrew Miller** (b. 6 Mar 1916).
4. **Blanch Kelley Rampey** (b. 3 Feb 1929), who married **Bobby Rowland Jones** (b. in Jan 1926).
5. **Betty Jean Rampey** (b. 21 Oct 1931), who first married **James Francis Horton**; her second husband was **Raymond Griffin**; her third husband was **Richard Valeta**.
6. **Dennis Arnold Rampey** (b. 27 Sept 1939), who married **Betty Lynch Bagwell**.
7. **Mary Julia Rampey** (b. in Apr 1941), who married **James E. Addis**.
8. **Margaret Gwendolyn Rampey** (b. in Jan 1942), who was thrice married to the following husbands: **J.M. Johnson**, **Oscar Lee Abercrombie** and **John Cooper**.
9. **Elizabeth Ann Rampey** (b. 7 Sept 1944), who married **Cless Franklin Porter** (b. 9 Oct 1938).



Dennis Holston Rampey was employed by Alice Manufacturing Company in Easley for many years, and he also once worked in Greenville, South Carolina at Woodside Mills, from which he retired. Mr. Rampey served as coroner of Pickens County, South Carolina, for twelve years, but he decided in 1948 not to seek re-election to that position. He was widely known as a gospel singer. For many years he led a well-known gospel group, Dennis Rampey Family Singers. That group performed at many churches in Pickens County and also sang hymns at numerous funerals. A member of Maranatha Baptist Church, situated at 258 Crosswell Road in Pickens County, where he served as a deacon and a Sunday School teacher. He died on June 8, 1993, at Baptist Medical Center, Easley and was buried in Hillcrest Memorial Park in Pickens County. He was survived by eight of his nine children, by one brother, **James Cleo Rampey** (b. 13 Sept 1914) of Easley and by three sisters: **Mrs. Essie Mae Rampey Ellenburg** (9 May 1919-24 Mar 1983) and **Mrs. Lila Belle Rampey Jones** (b. 17 Jun 1917), both of Easley, and by **Mrs. Lucille Virginia Rampey Waldrop** (b. 20 Jul 1921) of Greenville, South Carolina. He was predeceased by one daughter, **Betty Jean Rampey Horton**.



#### THE FAMILY OF WILLIAM JOHN "BILL" RAMPEY

**William John "Bill" Rampey** was a son of Levi McDuffie "McDuff" Rampey (1854-1887) and a grandson of John "Jackson" Rampey (1811-1891). He was born on June 12, 1876. On January 3, 1897, he married **Nancy Jane "Nannie" Langley** (12 Aug 1881 - 14 Jan 1965), and their children are listed below:

1. **Dennis Holston Rampey** (1899 - 1993), who first married **Edna Kelley** (1904-1973). His second wife was **Bessie Elliott Phillips** (b. 1900).
2. **Jolly Rampey** (27 Feb 1902 - 3 Dec 1959), who married **Essie Nicholson** (16 Jul 1907 - 2 Feb 1977).
3. **Lula Frances Rampey** (11 Feb 1909 - 3 Jul 1986), who, on July 6, 1941, married **Haskell G. Waldrop** (7 May 1917 - 18 Dec 1981).
4. **Walter Rudolph "Dock" Rampey**, who married **Lucy Smith**.
5. **James Cleo Rampey** (b. 13 Sept 1914), who, on November 11, 1934, married **Inez Crowe**.
6. **James Rampey**, who died in infancy.
7. **Joseph Rampey**, who died in infancy.
8. **Leila Belle Rampey** (b. 17 Jan 1917), who, on December 6, 1961, married **Reverend Thomas Jones** (22 Feb 1915 - 6 Mar 1987).
9. **Essie Mae Rampey** (9 May 1919 - 24 Mar 1983), who on April 30, 1939, married **LaFoy Ellenburg** (17 Aug 1917 - 24 Mar 1983).
10. **Lucille Virginia Rampey** (b. 20 Jul 1921), who, on July 13, 1967, married **Paul Waldrop** (b. 3 Mar 1921).
11. **Otto Rampey**, who died in infancy.

**William John "Bill" Rampey** and his wife, **Nancy Jane "Nannie" Langley Rampey** were buried at Camp Creek Church, situated north of Norris in Pickens County, South Carolina.



## THE FAMILY OF WALTER LEE RAMPEY

Born on February 28, 1872, Walter Lee Rampey was a son of **James Matheson Rampey** (1849-1924) and a grandson of **John "Jackson" Rampey** (1811-1891). He first married **Ola Gray** (1879-1914) who was buried at Ruhamah Methodist Church near Liberty, and was later married to **Della O. Boren** (18 Dec 1887 - 3 Mar 1980). His ten children are listed below:

1. **Thomas Dee Rampey** (12 Apr 1908 - 9 Jul 1960), who, on August 8, 1925, married **Sally Mae Pressley** (21 Apr 1908 - 11 Nov 1962).
2. **Arnold Monroe Rampey** (b. 27 Nov 1916), who, on December 21, 1940, married **Mary Katherine Rackley** (b. 11 Aug 1918), daughter of **James Walter Rackley** (28 Jan 1898 - 31 Jul 1983) and **Rose Anna Rothell Rackley** (b. 9 Jun 1898). The couple had six children.
3. **Lloyd Rampey**.
4. **Mary Evelyn Rampey** (b. 16 Aug 1919), who married **Ray R. Anthony** (b. 14 Jul 1914).
5. **Walter Lee Rampey, Jr.**, who died at the age of four years.
6. **Ola Floy Rampey** (d. in Feb 1980), who married **Iler Nations**.
7. **Floree Rampey** (d. in Feb 1983).
8. **Rose Rampey**, who married **Melvin Balding**.
9. **Roy Gray Rampey**, who married **Frances Crane**.
10. **Ethel Rampey**.

A memorial marker for Walter Lee Rampey is situated at Ruhamah Methodist Church (now a Baptist Church) near Liberty, but his grave is in the cemetery at Praters Creek Church in Pickens County, South Carolina.



**Arnold Monroe Rampey** (b. 1916) and his wife, **Mary Katherine Rackley Rampey** (b. 1918). Mr. Rampey was a longtime employee of the Pickens County Department of Public Works. He was a great-grandson of **John "Jackson" Rampey** (1811-1891).



## THE FAMILY OF HENRY SILAS RAMPEY

Henry Silas Rampey was born on December 9, 1879. He was a son of **Levi McDuffie "Duff" Rampey** (1854-1887) and **Frances Cansade Perry Rampey** (1855-1917), both of whom were buried at Ruhamah Methodist Church (now a Baptist church) near Liberty, South Carolina. Henry Silas Rampey's first wife was **Emma Lee Smith Rampey** (29 Apr 1883 - 20 Jul 1941). She was a daughter of **John Posey Smith** (1861-1963) and **Margaret Ward Smith** (1861-1947) of Liberty, South Carolina. His second marriage was to **Alma McCall**. The following fourteen children were the offspring of Henry Silas Rampey:

1. **John Duffie Rampey** (b. 20 Jun 1901).
2. **Freddy Rampey** (3 Jan 1903 - 3 Jun 1909).
3. **Mattie Frances "Maggie" Rampey** (b. 9 Sept 1963), who married **George W. Stansell** (29 Jan 1903 - 15 Mar 1963).
4. **Paul Graydon Rampey** (2 Apr 1905 - 23 Apr 1996), who first married **Rosa Pilgrim** (24 Jul 1903 - 4 Jan 1980); he later married **Lillie Mae Black Critiden**. Paul Graydon Rampey was a Baptist clergyman who resided at 108 N. Palmetto Street in Liberty, South Carolina. He retired as pastor of Fall Creek Baptist Church near Salem in Oconee County, South Carolina. He died on April 13, 1996, and was buried in Liberty Memorial Gardens in Pickens County. Among his survivors were a sister **Mary Jewell** of Six Mile, South Carolina, and three brothers, **James Rampey** of Greenville, **George Harold Rampey** and **Joe Henry Rampey**. He was also survived by seven grandchildren and thirteen great-grandchildren.
5. **Lee Ferrell Rampey** whose wife was **Aloe Barrett Rampey**.
6. **Desaree Rampey** (15 Mar 1910 - 19 Apr 1987) who married **Robert Jay Spearman** on June 11, 1926.
7. **Mary Leona Rampey** (b. 20 Nov 1911), who, on December 21, 1929, married **James Conrad Jewell** (b. 3 Sept 1909).
8. **Joe Henry Rampey** (b. 25 Oct 1913) who, on September 1930, married **Maggie Summey** (b. 21 Oct 1912).
9. **Edward Rampey** (16 Aug 1916 - 24 Oct 1916).
10. **Floyd Rampey** (8 Feb 1918 - 1 May 1920).
11. **James Andrew "Grover" Rampey**, who married **Evelyn Garland**.
12. **Clarence Rampey** (13 Dec 1923 - 16 Jul 1924).
13. **George Harold Rampey** (b. 29 Jun 1925), who first married **Vivian Palmer** and later married **Virginia Ann McMare**. Then on February 14, 1953, he married **Gwinn Whitworth** (b. 3 May 1935).
14. **Nancy Rampey**.

Henry Silas Rampey and his first wife, **Emma Lee Smith Rampey**, were buried in Mt. Zion Cemetery at Central, South Carolina.



## THE FAMILY OF WILLIAM OSCAR RAMPEY

A fourth-generation descendant of John "Jackson" Rampey (1811-1891), **William Oscar Rampey** was born on July 25, 1909. He was the fourth child born to **Arthur Joseph Rampey** (5 Feb 1882 – 21 Oct 1930) and **Susie Elizabeth Roper Rampey** (7 Sept 1883 – 11 Jan 1975). On June 1, 1929, **William Oscar Rampey** married **Geneva Crowe** (6 Aug 1910 – 20 May 1982), who was buried in the Liberty City Cemetery in Pickens County, South Carolina.

Mr. and Mrs. William Oscar Rampey had the following eight children:

1. **Helen Grace Rampey** (30 May 1930 – 15 March 1931).
2. **William Jackson "Jack" Rampey** (b. 26 Dec 1931), who on October 7, 1950, married **Lucille Gladys Herd** (b. 22 Feb 1933).
3. **John Lee Rampey** (b. 13 Feb 1933), who, on May 17, 1953, married **Patsy Jean Walker** (b. 5 Mar 1935).
4. **Joseph Donald "Joe" Rampey** (b. 5 Aug 1936), who on March 13, 1957, married **Nellie Grace Hughes** (b. 13 Feb 1939), daughter of **Joel Hughes Sr.** and **Delenia Ann Ellis Hughes** (b. 26 Jan 1896) of Liberty, South Carolina.
5. **Janice Rampey** (b. 11 Aug 1939), who, on October 20, 1962, married **Harold Judson Dickert** (b. 8 Aug 1937).
6. **Joan Rampey** (b. 28 Aug 1942), who first married **Howard R. G. Bryson** (9 Sept 1937) on July 6, 1965. Her second marriage was to **Charlie Moore**. She later married a **Florington**.
7. **Judy Ann Rampey** (b. 27 Jul 1945).
8. **James Arthur Rampey** (b. 10 Mar 1949), who, on July 22, 1966, first married **Mary Wakester** (b. 1951). He later (on February 7, 1977) married **Joyce Albertson Gantt** (b. 10 Feb 1956).



This photo of William Jackson "Jack" Rampey was made in 1950. He was born on Dec. 26, 1931, a son of Mr. and Mrs. William Oscar Rampey. He married Lucille Gladys Herd, and they have two sons, Larry Dean Rampey (b. 28 Jan 1953) and Steve Allen Rampey.

TO BE CONTINUED IN PART THREE



## Return of the Commissioners of Free Schools for Pickens District, 1845

	Where Situate	Teacher's Name	Rate of Tuition Yearly	No. of Scholars	Time Sent Months	Sums Contracted Each School
1.	Pickens C.H.	J.L. Kennedy	\$8.00	4	12	\$32
2.	Seneca Riv.	J.B. Ferrell	\$8.00	4	12	\$32
3.	Liberty	T.G. Boggs	\$8.00	4	12	\$32
4.	West Union	M.F. Berry	\$8.00	4	12	\$32
5.	18 Mile Cr.	E.H. Cox	\$8.00	4	12	\$32
6.	Bach. Retreat	J.H. Holland	\$8.00	4	12	\$32
7.	Liberty	J.B. Clayton	\$8.00	4	12	\$32
8.	Hepzibah	W. J. Woolbright	\$8.00	4	12	\$32
9.	Holley Springs	Nim <sup>d</sup> Sullivan	\$8.00	4	12	\$32
10.	Oconey Station	M.B. Morgan	\$8.00	4	12	\$32
11.	Wolf Creek	Miss D. S. Hunter	\$8.00	4	12	\$32
12.	12 Mile R.	A.E. McDonald	\$8.00	4	12	\$32
13.	Colonels Fork	T. W.? Harbin	\$6.00	4	12	\$24
14.	Dacusville	F.M. Reid	\$6.00	4	12	\$24
15.	Salem	W.M. Morton	\$6.00	4	12	\$24
16.	18 Mile Creek	Lem <sup>l</sup> Hendricks	\$6.00	4	12	\$24
17.	Cheohee	W.H. White	\$6.00	4	12	\$24
18.	Bethel	John Sharp	\$6.00	4	12	\$24
19.	Cedar Rock	A.S. Bird	\$6.00	4	12	\$24
20.	Oolenoy	W.A. White	\$6.00	4	12	\$24
21.	Martin Cr.	Geo. R. Elliot	\$6.00	4	12	\$24
22.	Beaverdam Cr.	Wm. Hunt	\$6.00	4	12	\$24
23.	18 Mile Creek	Sam Smith	\$6.00	4	12	\$24
24.	12 Mile R.	Geo Hendricks	\$6.00	4	12	\$24
25.	Pickensville	L.J.? Ariail	\$6.00	4	12	\$24
26.	Mt. Zion	O. L. Cann	\$6.00	4	12	\$24
27.	18 Mile Cr.	J.L. Howard	\$6.00	4	12	\$24
28.	Conneross	J.A. Moore	\$6.00	4	12	\$24
29.	Chauga Cr.	Wm. Lively	\$6.00	4	12	\$24
30.	Crow Creek	W.J. Parsons	\$6.00	4	12	\$24
31.	Saluda R.	D.H. Kennemore	\$6.00	4	12	\$24
					124	\$936

1. From the nature of the contracts with Teachers it is improper before the close of the year to specify the precise amount paid to each the amount herein stated is the highest allowance sometimes the Teachers do not make up the time they have the number of scholars allowed.

2. The number of Scholars to each school is limited this year to 4. But frequently double often three times the number come to make up the time so that a family allowed 1 scholar often have two or three taught a part of the year.

3. There is in our poor Mountainous District a great many more indigent children, orphans and those who have no means except what is made by the Legislature to obtain an education. Much more money might be employed in educating them.

4. We feel thankful to God that he did put into the hearts of our Legislators to make the provision which has been the means of preparing many young men for usefulness. We know many who have been taught by the Free School found in our District who are now doing business in the various relations of citizens with credit to themselves and honor to their Country.

5. We take much pleasure in bearing our testimony to the character of our Teachers who sustain the character of one our very best citizens with very few exceptions.

Signed J. Maxwell.



## Return of the Commissioners of Free Schools for Pickens District, 1838

	Where Situate	Teacher's Name	Rate of Tuition Yearly	No. of Scholars	Time Sent Months	Sums Contracted Each School
1.	Choestoe Cr.	Ebenezer P. Verner	\$10	8	6 + 3 mths	\$40 \$20 will be due
2.	Fair Play	J. Sinclair	\$10	8	9	Nothing paid Discontinued
3.	18 Mile Creek	David C. Templeton	\$10	8	9	\$60 only \$40 paid
4.	12 Mile R.	A. E. McDonald	\$10	8	9	\$60
5.	Cheohee	Drury Knox	\$10	8	9	\$60
6.	Martins Creek	Thomas Dawson	\$8	8	9	\$48
7.	Georges Creek	Ransom Mauldin	\$8	8	9	\$48
8.	Wolf Creek	Micajah Hughs	\$8	8	9	\$48
9.	Cane Creek	W.R. Williamson	\$8	8	9	\$48
10.	Goldens Creek	James A. Evett	\$8	8	9	\$48
11.	Woolenoy	Wm. A. White	\$8	8	9	\$48
12.	Little River	Eli Fitzgerald	\$8	8	9	\$48
13.	12 Mile	W.J. Parsons	\$8	8	9	\$48
14.	Richland	T.G. Lenox	\$8	8	9	\$48
15.	Keowee River	W.H. White	\$8	8	9	\$48
16.	Bachelors Retreat	L. H. Verner	\$8	8	9	\$48
17.	Beaver Dam	Philip Smith	\$8	8	9	\$48
18.	Rices Creek	J.L. Howard	\$6	8	9	\$36
19.	Choestoe	Levi Tannery	\$6	8	9	\$36
20.	Pickens C.H.	Manning Belcher	\$10	4	6	\$20
21.	Pickens C.H.	Susan Belcher	\$10	4	6	\$20
22.	Pickensville	Tho. J. Zachery	\$10	4	6	\$20
23.	Liberty	John O. Smith	\$8	4	6	\$16
24.	Whetstone	Abel Robins	\$8	8	3?	\$16
25.	Crow Creek	James Chandler	\$8	4	4	\$16
26.	Conneross	William Frazer	\$8	4	4	\$16
27.	Oolenoy	Burgess Smith	\$8	4	4	\$16

Note on school No. 1. This school like the others located this year for 8 scholars at 9 months

The Commissioners of Free Schools for this District have been in the habit of paying Teachers for the full amount of their locations where the Trustees have certified that the Teacher had done his duty and two thirds of the children came the full time or in that proportion, although some might not have attended.

A majority of our Board were opposed to that Resolution and we only paid for those who came two thirds of their time or more.

But at our late meeting a Majority have again Resolved to pay where by adding all the time the scholars attend together it makes two thirds they will pay – a minority think it wrong to pay 1/3 more for teachers than contracted for those who came continued believing the 1/3 is enough to deduct or pay for to those who neglect. We are desirous that the Legislature would express their opinion.

Joseph Grisham, Chairman  
W.L. Keith, Secretary

**Keowee Courier Newspaper  
Walhalla, South Carolina**

**Missing July 1, 1868 Issue**

**Missing July 9, 1868 Issue**

**Missing July 16, 1868 Issue**

**July 24, 1868 Issue**

Page 2. Our thanks are returned to the Democratic Club at the **Trapp** for their invitation to a Pic-Nic dinner to be given on the 18<sup>th</sup> of \_\_\_\_\_. Also to the Democratic Clubs at **New Pickens** \_\_\_\_\_.

We notice in the late balloting for the US Senators, that among the five in the House who voted in the last for the Democratic nominees were Messrs: **Keith and Doyle** of Oconee.

One **W. G. Cooper**, originally of Georgia was arrested and lodged on Saturday last, charged with having committed forgery on **Ransom Hunt** of this County. The orders, we understand, were signed in **Mr. Hunt's** name, and directed, one to Messrs. **McMillan & Pitchford**, the other to **Mr. D. Biemann**.

Religious services in the English language at the Evangelical Lutheran Church. Time 10:30. Strangers cordially invited.

The former proprietor of this paper having disposed of a part of his interest therein, takes this opportunity of informing his patrons that settlements on old books can be made to **Mr. Symmes**, at his office, corner Main and Catharine streets, or at the Courier office.

**Gov. Scott** is reported, through private sources, that he desires to visit our town and parts of the adjacent country in a few days.

The dwelling of the **Messrs. Tietjen**, the large and commodious addition by **Mr. Knee**, and the erection of the Female Seminary, pleasantly and attractively located, are all objects pleasing to the eye, and bespeak much for the for the energy and enterprises of our citizens.

The whiskey, mules, wagon and etc. belonging to **Sam'l A. Dike**, seized for violation of Internal Revenue laws, was sold on Monday last by **Deputy Brown**. The whiskey sold for \$2.00 per gallon. The mules, wagon, & etc. brought \$5.00.

Meeting was held on the 20<sup>th</sup> of June last, on **Cedar Creek**, Pickens County, forming a Democratic Association. Appointed **James. A. Moore** to act as Chairman and **Jacob King** to act as Secretary. Appointed as Executive Committee: **M. Leach, John A. Murphy and Levi Robins**. Lists their constitution.

Order from Headquarters, 2<sup>nd</sup> Military District, Charleston. July 13, 1868. Lists 14 orders.

Proceedings of the Legislature, Columbia, July 18, 1868. Reports of the Boards of Commissioners of Pickens and Oconee Counties, appointed by the late Constitutional Convention, in reference to the boundary lines of those Counties.

United States. A Bill to Provide for the Encouragement of Emigration to the United States. Duty of Consuls of the United States in Great Britain and Ireland, the North German Confederation, the empire of Austria, and the kingdom of Sweden and Norway to encourage persons of capital, industry or skills to emigrate to the States and Territories. . . . Publish books for pamphlets for encouragement of emigration. [more information]

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Subscriptions to Keowee Courier: **L.H. Cramer, G.H.D. Cramer, Ransom Duke, I.F. Alexander, Elias Miller, O.J. Walker, P.J. Miller, Daniel S. Smith, A.P. Harbin, John A. Amick.**

Advertisement. Ladies' Education Society. Entertainment on Friday evening next, the 24<sup>th</sup> of July, at Society's Hall (**Ansell's**) "the Loan of a Lover".

Advertisement. Stock for Sale. Horses, mules. **Thompson's** Livery Stables.

Advertisement. Guilett's Patent. Steel Brush Cotton Gin. \$6.00 per saw. C. Graveley, No. 52, East Bay, South of the Old Post Office, Charleston, SC.

State of SC, Pickens, Equity, **Francis M. Adams**, et. als vs. **Pacidia Adams**, etc. als. Bill for Account Relief at June Term 1868. Keowee Courier publish for 40 days that **F.M. Adams** should appear. **Robert A. Thompson**, Court's Office.

Pickens. Court of Equity, June Term 1868. **Wm. D. Deaton**, Administrator, et.als vs. **Salina Spencer**, et.als. Bill for Partition, Account. **Robert Spencer** to appear before 24<sup>th</sup> of August. Signed **J.H. Whitner**, Special referee. Published 13 Jul 1868.

Pickens District. Equity Court, Bill for Relief. **Eliza A. Latham** vs. **R.A. Thompson**, Administrator, et.als. Notice to creditors of **William W. Latham**, deceased. Signed **Robert A. Thompson**, Court's Office, July 1868.

Pickens. Equity Court. Bill to Marshal Assets, etc. **Craig & Hagood**, Executors vs. **Sarah Craig** and others. Creditors of **L.C. Craig**. Signed by **Robert A. Thompson**, Commissioners Office, 6 Jul 1868.

Advertisement. **Reed & Symmes**, Attorneys at Law in Walhalla. **J.P. Reed**, Anderson C.H. and **Whitner Symmes** in Walhalla. 6 Jul 1868.

**McGowan & Adams**, Attorneys at Law and Solicitors in Equity. Office at Pickens C.H., **Samuel McGowan** and **J.M. Adams**. 8 Jul 1868.

Advertisement. Wagons for Sale. **James White**, Falls, Pickens dist. 14 Jul 1868.

District Court of US, South Carolina. **Martin Manley**, Bankrupt. At Yorkville on 3 Jul 1868, Martin Manley of Pickens District declared Bankruptcy. Inserted in newspaper 14 Jul 1868.

Advertisement. **James M. Sloan, M.D.** advertises services at Pickens C.H. Inserted in newspaper Nov 1866.

Equity Court, Pickens. **Samuel Knox** vs. Heirs of **A.P. Knox**. Bill for Construction of will, Partition, etc. June Term 1868. Heirs-of-law of **Andrew P. Knox**, deceased to appear within the year at court and identify

themselves as heirs-at-law to receive money from sale of Real Estate. **Robert A. Thompson**, Commissioners Office, 17 Jul 1868.

Equity Court. Bill for Partition, etc. **John C. Neville** vs. **C. Sahnann**, et. als. June Term 1868. Sell at West Union on 4<sup>th</sup> of August 18 lots of 1 ¼ to 2 acres each. Situated between the flourishing town of Walhalla and the depot and for building sites cannot be surpassed. **Robert A. Thompson**, Commissioner's Office, 6 Jul 1868.

Equity Court. Bill to Marshal Assets, etc. **Craig & Hagood**, Executors vs. **Rachel Craig** and others. Sell at Pickens C.H. on saleday in August the real estate of L.C. Craig, deceased.

Tract 1. **Howard Tract**, 800 acres adjoining lands of **John Howard**, **Looper** and others.

Tract 2. 35 acres adjoining lands of **Robert Craig** and others.

Tract 3. Undivided 1/4<sup>th</sup> in the house and lot in the village of Pickens occupied by **Mrs. Lawrence**.

**Robert A. Thompson**, Commissioner's Office, 6 Jul 1868.

Equity court. Pickens. **J.N. Brown**, Executor. Petition for Relief. Will sell at Pickens C.H. on saleday in August, The **Rowland Cox Tract** of land containing 200 acres and belonging to **Charles Bruce**, Lunatic. Tract near Townville.

Sale of Personal Property. Equity Court. Pickens. **Craig & Hagood**, Executors vs. **Rachel Craig** and others. Bill to Marshal Assets, etc. Personal Property of **L.C. Craig**, deceased. Two horse wagon, two buggies, 3 mules & one horse, double and single harness, silver watch and gold chain, cattle, hogs & sheep, farming tools, house and kitchen furniture. **Robert A. Thompson**, Commissioner's Office, 6 Jul 1868.

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**B.F. Reeder** of Oakway is selling his property. **Snow Creek**, waters of Coneross. 268 acres, 40 acres of good land. Dwelling House and all necessary outbuildings. No. 1 Thrasher. Excellent spring. Good neighborhood, churches and schools nearby. Nearby a good grist and saw mill and wool factory. Good range for Stock. Address is Oakway. Inserted 8 Jul 1868.

**Lay**, Executor vs. **M.R. Hunnicutt**. These estate is selling a **bark mill in Walhalla** on 4<sup>th</sup> of August. Can be seen at **Lay & Lovingood's Tannery**, near **Hunnicutt's Crossing**. **Robert A Thompson**, Commissioner's Office. Inserted 6 Jul 1868.

**Leander Jones & Wife**, et.als. In re **Dorcas P. Jamieson** vs. **John Jamieson**, et.als. Bill for Relief and Partition. Creditors of **Joseph Sanders**, deceased, need to contact office. **Robert A Thompson**, Commissioner's Office. Inserted 6 Jul 1868.

**Ezekiel Kelly**, et.als, vs. **Eliza Rankin**, et.als. Bill for Partition. Creditors of **James Eaton**, deceased, need to contact office. **Robert A Thompson**, Commissioner's Office. Inserted 6 Jul 1868.

**Thos. J. Pickens**, Ex'or vs. **F.W. Pickens**, et.als. Bill to Marshall Assets, & c.. Creditors of **Eliza Pickens**, deceased, need to contact office. **Robert A Thompson**, Commissioner's Office. Inserted 6 Jul 1868.

Advertisement. **F.M. Morgan** is advertising repairing watches, clocks, jewelry and musical instruments. Inserted 4 Apr 186\_

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On August 2, 1868 services to commemorate the 350 anniversary of the Reformation will be held at the Evangelical Lutheran Church. Morning services at 10:30 in the German Language. Afternoon services at 4:30 in the English language. **Rev. T. S. Boinest**, of Pomaria, will preach the memorial sermon.

**Hon. A. Burt** was a recent visitor to Walhalla. **Gen Hampton** will soon follow.

**Ransom Ramsy**, a colored boy was brought here Tuesday evening and placed in the custody of **Deputy Wiedens**, charged with one of the gravest offences known to our law.

**Mr. Keith** and other citizens of Pickens County petitioned to establish an election precinct at **Colonel Hoke's**, to be known as **Six Mile Election Box**, and **Pickens Court House**; and to discontinue the **Wolf Creek** election precinct, and to appoint **A. Ramsay, Jr.**, **J.W. Lawrence** and **T.J. Boggs**, Managers of Elections for **Six Mile** precinct, and to continue the present Managers of **Wolf Creek** precinct in office as Managers at Pickens Court House.

**"B"**, an experienced California miner, has several specimens from a mine within four miles of this place. Since penning the above, noticed received from respected citizen in an adjoining District, who has discovered gold on his place.

Article on gold by **"B"**.

Bill to amend an Act to Incorporate the **Air Line Railroad** Company in SC was read a second time and referred to the Committee on Railroads. [Railroad from Charlotte to Atlanta].

The following paid for subscription to the Keowee Courier: **Emory Moore, B. Holder, B.W. Burns, J.P. Palmer, R.E. McWhorter, W. Korber**.

Advertisement. Ladies Educational Society. Dinner on August 6<sup>th</sup>. Delicate and elegant refreshment. Inserted 28 Jul 1868.

Meeting of Democrat Central Club is August 1. Auxiliary Clubs to nominate delegates to the State Convention. Inserted 29 Jul 1868.

Lord's Supper in Bethel Presbyterian Church on August 30. **Rev. David Humphreys** and **Rev. Hugh McLees**. Inserted 29 Jul 1868.

**John Clardy** is selling a piece of land where a Gold Mine is located. Few miles from the New Pickens C.H. Signed by **John B. Clardy**. Inserted 28 Jul 1868.



## Pickens County Confederate 150 Project Report

The group met at Shady Grove Baptist Church on October 20, 2011 at 10:00 a.m. The following were present: Anne Sheriff, Judy Long, Brenda Myers, Miriam Whitehurst, Wayne Kelley, Ed and Jane Crawford, Jim Bay. The group surveyed Shady Grove Baptist Church, Mile Creek Baptist Church and Keowee Baptist Church.

### Possible Confederate Soldiers at Shady Grove Baptist Church.

**Catherine F. "Katie" Crenshaw** (Dec 1836-Mar 1920) married the third time **William M. 'Hopping Billy' Alexander**. Cannot connect her to a Confederate soldier but she was born during the time period.

**James Daniel Alexander** (1849-1891) was married to **Amanda E.** Have not proven he was a soldier.

**Alexander, William Harrison** (12 Nov 1841) (1 May 1908) was married to **Marrie E.** Have not proven he was a soldier.

**Collins, D.L.** (1849) (7 Nov 1902) was married to **Dina H. Collins** (1848-1936). Have not proven he was a soldier.

**Durham, Catherine Davidson.** (22 Nov 1834) (11 Sep 1930) was married to **David Jasper Bowling** (1823-1863) and **Carter Durham** (1823-1901). Carter Durham (CO I, 3 REGT 1<sup>st</sup> SC Reserves is not buried at Shady Grove. Cannot locate information on David Jasper Bowling.

**Ellenburg, Francis Marion.** (24 Apr 1836) (20 Oct 1896) was married to **Ellenburg, Rebecca** (2 Mar 1856) (4 Oct 1925). Confederate soldier – CO F 22<sup>nd</sup> SCV.

**Gilstrap, John M.** (1847) (1929) was married to **Gilstrap, Isabell B.** (1857) (1932). Confederate soldier – CO C Rutledge's REGT CAV and CO C, 4<sup>th</sup> REGT SC CAV.

**Powell, Harrison.** (1821-1897) was married to **Angeline.** Not sure he is considered a Confederate soldier – CO B 1<sup>st</sup> State Troops. On the record, he did not report for service.

**Stewart, Richard A.** (25 Nov 1846) (6 Nov 1888) was married to **Stewart, Mary E.** (24 Aug 1852) (8 Oct 1889). Confederate Service – 22<sup>nd</sup> INF, CO F

**Winchester, M.C.** (Reverend) (5 Jan 1848-11 May 1904) married **Nancy Rice** (29 May 1847) (18 Jul 1928). Confederate Soldier – CO D 1<sup>st</sup> SC INF

### **Possible Confederate Soldiers at Mile Creek Baptist Church.**

**Cassell, Ben A.** (7 Apr 1841) (27 Sep 1929). Married Rebecca Chastain. Confederate Soldier - **CO K, 62<sup>nd</sup> NC INF**

**Dalton, Lewis R.** (17 May 1846) (23 Oct 1914) married Wife is Dalton, Dorcas J. Bowen. (25 Oct 1851) (1 Apr 1911). Confederate Soldier - **CO F, Hampton Legion**. Has Confederate Cross.

**Hall, Robert.** (26 May 1844) (1 Sep 1931) married **Hall, Martha** (28 Mar 1848) (14 Dec 1925). Have not proven he was a soldier.

**Parsons, F.C.** (5 Sep 1828) (1 Jan 1905) married **Mary Jane Allgood**. (16 Feb 1845) (18 Mar 1909). **CO F, 22<sup>nd</sup> SC INF**

### **Possible Confederate Soldiers at Keowee Baptist Church.**

**Alexander, Elijah E.** (7 Oct 1818 tombstone or 1819-Bible) (21 Mar 1866 . Wife was **Vinetta Norton** (29 Dec 1812) (9 Jan 1889) on 28 Jan 1845. Have not proven he was a soldier.

**Alexander, Elisha M.** (1819) (1892) married **Sarah G.** Have not proven he was a soldier.

**Alexander, William Ervin.** (29 Jun 1844) (14 Jun 1901) married **Alexander, Caroline Elizabeth.** (21 Jan 1854) (4 Aug 1900). Confederate Soldier - **CO B 2<sup>nd</sup> SC**

**Finley, Charles Bryant.** (15 Mar 1841) (11 Nov 1926) married **Finley, Elizabeth Alexander.** (18 Oct 1839) (10 Oct 1894). Confederate Soldier **CO C Orr's Rifles 2<sup>nd</sup> SC.**

**Miller, Emily.** (d. 1 Apr 1879) Aged abt. 57 years. Husband was **Miller, Morris.** Have not proven he was a soldier.

**Murphree, J[ames] N[immons]** (28 May 1835) (6 Feb 1903) married **Murphree, Nancy E.** (15 Jan 1828) (9 Sep 1913). Confederate Soldier - **CO A, 1<sup>st</sup> Orr's SC Rifles**

**Newton, J[ohn] T[homas]** (1 Feb 1837) (14 Feb 1914) married **Newton, Emily.** (5 Feb 1837) (8 Dec 1891). Confederate Soldier - **CO A, 1<sup>st</sup> Orr's SC Rifles**

**Smith, Lena.** (15 Apr 1815) (21 Nov 1896). Husband is **Smith, John.** Have not proven he was a soldier.

**Smith, W.N.** (12 Nov 1834) (5 Jul 1887). **Smith, Rebecca Alexander.** (14 Feb 1838) (1 May 1918). Confederate Soldier - **CO B, 16<sup>th</sup> SC INF, Greenville Regiment**

**Steele, R.E.** (7 May 1835) (23 Jan 1919) married **Miller, Georgia Ann.** (1 Mar 1846) (17 May 1916). Confederate Soldier - **CO F, 22<sup>nd</sup> SC INF**

**Stewart, Robert (Junior).** (15 Jun 1815) (6 Jan 1886) married **Stewart, Elizabeth Durham.** (26 Nov 1818) (12 Nov 1902). Confederate Soldier - **CO B, 2<sup>nd</sup> SC Rifles**

# Using the Internet

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**Anderson-Oconee-Pickens County GenWeb Project Coordinator**

**Old Pendleton District Chapter.** <http://www.oldpendleton.scgen.org>

Correction or additions to **Old Pendleton Data Base:** No corrections being made

**Faith Clayton Genealogy Room at Southern Wesleyan University**

<http://www.swu.edu/library/about/claytonroom.htm>

[http://www.oldpendleton.scgen.org/clayton\\_rm/index.html](http://www.oldpendleton.scgen.org/clayton_rm/index.html)

### Anderson County

**Homestead:** <http://rootsweb.ancestry.com/~scandrsn/>

**Holdings:** <http://rootsweb.ancestry.com/~scandrsn/holdings.html>

**Mapping:** [http://rootsweb.ancestry.com/~scoconee/Cemetery\\_GPS/04-anderson.html](http://rootsweb.ancestry.com/~scoconee/Cemetery_GPS/04-anderson.html)

**Tombstones:** <http://rootsweb.ancestry.com/~scandrsn/cemetery-html/anderson.html>

### Oconee County

**Homestead:** <http://rootsweb.ancestry.com/~scoconee/>

**Holdings:** <http://rootsweb.ancestry.com/~scoconee/holdings.html>

**Mapping:** [http://rootsweb.ancestry.com/~scoconee/Cemetery\\_GPS/37-oconee.html](http://rootsweb.ancestry.com/~scoconee/Cemetery_GPS/37-oconee.html)

**Tombstones:** <http://rootsweb.ancestry.com/~scoconee/cemetery-html/oconee.html>

### Pickens County

**Homestead:** <http://rootsweb.ancestry.com/~scpicke2/>

**Holdings:** <http://rootsweb.ancestry.com/~scpicke2/holdings.html>

**Mapping:** [http://rootsweb.ancestry.com/~scoconee/Cemetery\\_GPS/39-pickens.html](http://rootsweb.ancestry.com/~scoconee/Cemetery_GPS/39-pickens.html)

**Tombstones:** <http://rootsweb.ancestry.com/~scpicke2/cemetery-html/pickens.html>

**Pickens County Index** of names for people listed in the **Pickens County Cemetery Books**

Published by Old Pendleton Genealogical Society:

<http://www.oldpendleton.scgen.org/Surnames/summary-az.txt>

<http://www.footnote.com/>: Compiled Service Records for Civil War. Revolutionary War Pensions.

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## Old Pendleton District 2011 Publications

	Pages	Price Includes Postage
<b>Family History</b>		
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The Old Pendleton District Chapter of the South Carolina Genealogical Society, is a non-profit, (12-36-2120(41) educational society organized for the purpose of uniting people interested in Pickens and Oconee Counties, South Carolina history and family genealogy, encouraging preservation of records, promoting educational programs and publishing literature related to local records and genealogies. Our prime aim is to help others to find and identify their ancestors and origins of birthplace.

Our genealogical and historical files are located at the Clayton Room 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 2011

January 18, 2011	Littlejohn's Grill by Vince Jackson
February 15, 2011	Cherokees in Upstate South Carolina by Luther Lyles
March 15, 2011	National Genealogical Conference in Salt Lake City, Utah
March 26, 2011	100-Year Family Reunion at Southern Wesleyan University Major Sponsors: Old Pendleton Genealogical, Southern Wesleyan University and Birchwood Center for Arts and Folklife
April 19, 2011	Pendleton District & South Carolina Archives by Dr. Eric Emerson
May 11-14	National Genealogical Society Conference in Charleston, SC
May 17, 2011	Dinner Meeting at Soapstone Church, Pumpkintown Community
June 21, 2011	Ken Nabors. The Beginning of the Conflict in South Carolina.
September 20, 2011	The Boggs Family by Beverly Cureton
October 18, 2011	The United Daughters of the Confederacy by Sharon Miller
October 28, 29, 2011	SC Genealogical Society Annual Meeting in Central, SC.
November 15, 2011	Dinner at Trinity Wesleyan Methodist Church
No Meeting in December	
June 23, 24, 2012	100 Year Family Reunion at Southern Wesleyan University