



October Meeting

October 16, 2012

(3rd Tuesday) 7:00-9:00 pm

Central Clemson Library, 105 Commons Way

Central, SC 29630

(Hwy 93 next to Duckett-Robinson Funeral Home)

The Revolutionary War in Upcountry South Carolina

Presented by Scott Withrow

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SEPTEMBER OPD CHAPTER MEETING SPEAKER

MIKE BECKNELL: "IS GRANNY CRAZY?"

Mike Becknell, First Vice President of the South Carolina Genealogical Society from Jonesville, SC made a presentation at our September meeting on locating records associated with mental illness and insanity when researching family history.

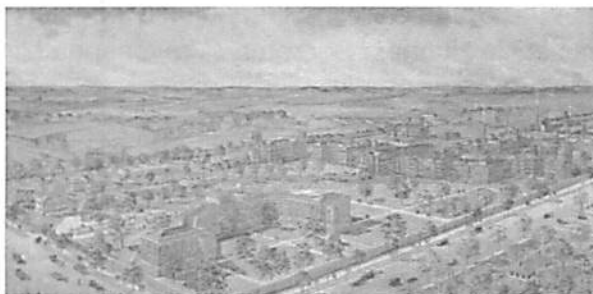
His information was broken into three areas for locating documents.

1. County records that included probate court records, court of equity records, commissioners of the poor reports and coroner's inquisition. If your ancestor had an unsound mind, the will would not be recorded and declared invalid. The Pendleton County Poor House report was listed in the newspaper for the years 1808-1925 in which others in the community were paid to care for the paupers (indicating a possible mental disorder). The coroner's inquisition would state if there was a suicide or murder indicating a possible mental problem.
2. State records that included the South Carolina lunatic asylum admissions books 1828-1947. Information can be found in Brent Holcomb's South Carolina Magazine of Ancestral Research Vols. 27-33; 1999-2005, Record of Admissions to the State Hospital.
3. Federal records that included population schedules 1840-1880 and the 1880 3-D Census-Dependent, Defective and Delinquent census composed of seven supplemental schedules:
 - 1) Insane 2) Idiots 3) Deaf-mutes 4) Blind 5) Homeless children 6) Inhabitants in prison
 - 7) Paupers and the indigent.

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Mike recommended reading material: Tinkley, Michael and Debi Hacker: Dealing with Death: The Use and Loss of Cemeteries by the SC State Hospital in Columbia, South Carolina. (Columbia, SC: Chicora Foundation; 2001) and McCandless, Peter: Moonlight & Madness: Insanity in South Carolina from the Colonial Period to the Progressive Era. (Chapel Hill: University of North Carolina Press; 1996).



Rendered during 1916, this highly detailed panoramic view of the Bull Street campus illustrates the facility's size. Image courtesy South Carolina Department of Mental Health.

MINUTES FOR THE MEETING SEPTEMBER 18, 2012

The meeting of the Old Pendleton District Chapter of the SCGS was called to order at 7:00 PM at the Central-Clemson Branch of the Pickens County Library on Tuesday September 18, 2012. Judy N. Long called the meeting to order and welcomed our visitors: Marion Whitehurst researching the Alexander, Whitehurst and 86 other families; Bill McClellan researching Robert McClellan; and Carl and Doris Waldrop researching the Campbell and other families.

Judy reminded us that it isn't too late to plan to go to the SOUTHERN STUDIES SHOWCASE to be held Fri.-Sat., September 28-29, 2012 at the D.A. Tompkins Library, Edgefield, South Carolina. An agenda and registration form appear in the September 2012 issue of the OLD PENDLETON DISTRICT NEWSLETTER on pages 7 & 8.

Also the 2012 ANNUAL MEETING SOUTH CAROLINA GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY to be held Fri.-Sat., October 12-13, 2012 in Union, S.C. hosted by the Pinckney Chapter SCGS. The agenda and registration forms also appear in the September 2012 issue of the OLD PENDLETON DISTRICT NEWSLETTER on pages 9 & 10.

The nominating committee reported that they would like to put the name of Jim Hayes in nomination for the office of Vice President of Old Pendleton District Chapter.

Vice President, Keith Brown had no report.

Anne Sheriff made a motion that the minutes of the last meeting be accepted as written in the newsletter. J.D. Norris seconded the motion, after a vote, the motion carried. LaMarr Brooks gave the following treasurer's report:

Beginning bank balance	\$11,366.54	Expenses: July and August	
Ending bank balance	\$11,367.74	Newsletter printed	\$ 86.21
Income:		Postage to mail newsletter	85.26
Membership Dues Paid	\$ 445.00	Postage to mail Books	.00
Book Sales	249.00	Dues to the State	96.00
Metal Badges	20.00	Meetings Food Supplies	53.23
Interest income July and Aug.	<u>.38</u>	Metal Badges for members	294.79
Total income	\$ 714.38	Mailing newsletter supplies/dots	45.69
		Post Office Box – Year	<u>52.00</u>
		Total expenses	\$ 713.18

Brenda Meyer made a motion that the treasurer's report be accepted as written. The motion was seconded and approved by the membership.

Darrel Long, Director (State Representative) gave the following report: The quarterly Meeting of the Board of Directors of the South Carolina Genealogical Society was called to order at 12:45PM at the SC Archives by President Jackie Hughes. Secretary, Wevonneda Minis read the minutes of the last meeting and they were approved.

There were 20 in attendance.

Mike Becknell, Chairman reported for the Nominating Committee the following slate of Officers: Mike Becknell, President; Jackie Hughes, Vice President; Lesley Craddock, 2nd Vice President; Treasurer, Larry Ulmer; and Tanya Browder, Archivist. The election of officers will take place at the annual meeting.

Brenda Meyer made a motion that the board vote to have Larry Ulmer give Judy Long, Editor of the CAROLINA HERALD, the information needed to contact the publisher and have the newsletter in the hand of the members in a more timely fashion because of the time sensitive nature of some of the information it contains. Shelby Lollis and Lesley Craddock 2nd. The motion and by a vote of 17 to 2 the motion was approved.

Corresponding Secretary, Frances Osborn reported on a trust fund established as a memorial fund by the SCGS Board many years ago. After much research, she found that the funds have since been comingled with other SCGS funds. After discussion, Frances made a motion that \$12,000 be taken from an existing CD with a balance of \$24,032.62 to create a new CD. The interest of this CD will be earmarked and governed by certain guidelines, to be given to other genealogical entities. The motion was seconded and passed by a vote of 17 to 2.

Larry Ulmer reported that the total of all bank accounts of the Society was \$39,763.42.

President Jackie Hughes called of a special meeting to be held August 11 from 10 AM

To 1 PM at the SC Archives to discuss and vote on the proposed changes to the SCGS Constitution and Bylaws (to be presented to the membership at the annual meeting) by The Bylaws Committee. Jackie reminded us that the members need to have the proposed changes to read and study before the annual meeting. She said we would also go over the critiques of the Work Shop at the Aug. 11th meeting.

There being no further business to discuss, the meeting was adjourned.

It was announced from the floor that there will be the following reunions coming soon.

Bagwell/Lesley Reunion at Easley Church of God and the Bowen Reunion at Six Mile

Anne Sheriff made an announcement that the Clayton Room at Southern Wesleyan University Library has moved to the basement of the Library where there will be much more space for the research material.

Marion Whitehurst announced that Clemson University is planning a family reunion for all the families affected or involved with the buildings on the grounds of the University in July 2013. She will keep us informed as plans are made.

The being no further business, President Judy Long introduced the speaker for the evening, Mike Becknell. The title of Mike's presentation "Is Granny Crazy?" introduced us to the history and practices of what happened to people when they were poor, mentally and physically ill, or indigent. He informed us of the many records that are available to be researched.

The meeting was adjourned.

Refreshments were furnished by Keith Brown and Janet Norris.

Respectfully submitted by

Brenda Meyer, Secretary, OPD Chapter

Did you know:

OCTOBER IS FAMILY HISTORY MONTH.

Time to catch-up on our lineage charts, pedigree charts, and family history to share with family during the upcoming holidays.

CALL FOR NEWSLETTER SUBMISSIONS

The next issue of the OPD Newsletter will be **November 2012**.
DEADLINE FOR THE OCTOBER ISSUE is October 20, 2012.

Send Submissions to llcraddock@gmail.com

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REFRESHMENTS

January: Brenda Meyer & Judy Long	April: Katie Gillespie, Marilyn Boren and Nancy Holcombe	September: Keith Brown & Janet Norris
February: Judy Long		October: JoAnn Brewer & Judy Ballard
March: Ernest Lanier, Ellen Neal and Kathleen Williard	May: Dinner at local historical site	November: Pot Luck at Trinity Wesleyan
	June: LaMarr Brooks	

Refreshment Chair responsible for drinks, plates, cups for each meeting

NEXT CHAPTER MEETING :

OCTOBER 16, 2012 7:00-9:00 PM SPEAKER: SCOTT WITHROW
THE REVOLUTIONARY WAR IN UPCOUNTRY SOUTH CAROLINA

Scott Withrow, a native of Rutherford County, North Carolina, has lived in Greenville County since 1989. He has had a varied career in teaching and other work. His first teaching position was at T. L. Hanna High School, Anderson, in 1966. Now semi-retired, he teaches continuing education classes at Furman University and Anderson University, works part-time as a park ranger at Cowpens National Battlefield, and is also an adjunct instructor at North Greenville University.

His historical interests include the American Revolution, the Cherokee, the Melungeons, the Scotch-Irish, the Appalachians, and historic trails. Currently, he is researching the Great Wagon Road and will teach a continuing education program on the same at Anderson University this October-November.

QUERIES

The Pickens County Heritage Book (1995, page 41) gives the story of the **BAKER FAMILY, William and Elizabeth Brown Baker**. The article mentions four (4) sons and five (5) daughters, but only discusses two (2) sons and two (2) daughters. Murphree Family Genealogical Society records show Mary Baker Murphree Alexander (1800-March 9, 1891) as a daughter of William and Elizabeth Baker. I wrote the author, Craigie Baker, but the letter was returned "undeliverable."

Does anyone know how I can get in touch with other descendents to find where the information is recorded?

Lynn Morris

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I am looking for anyone with information on **HUMBERT CROSBY** and **SALLY SAULS**, thought to possibly be parents of Humphrey Crosby b. abt 1800. Sally is a nickname for Sarah.

I've often wondered if Sarah Savage had been previously married and had Henry Cotesworth from another husband... perhaps she had married a Savage and her maiden name was Sauls??? And Humbert could just be a misspelling of Humphrey. So, to summarize, the lady who came up with Humbert Crosby and Sally Sauls may have actually been talking about Sarah Savage and Humphrey Crosby. I've done several genealogical searches and cannot find anything in the censuses or family history on anyone by either of those names. Any information would be appreciated.

Jennett Crosby Pearson
jennettp@att.net

I am descended from the Andrew Hughes who bought 600 acres of land along Brushy Creek in September 1787 and died in the house of his son, Charles Hughes, in 1843. In particular, my Hughes line is descended from Andrew's son, Elisha Hughes (1800 - about 1839). Elisha had a son named James Thompson Hughes who was living in the Southern District, Pickens, Alabama by 1850. I grew up in Alabama myself, and most of my closest Hughes relatives still live in Alabama. I would love to hear from other Hughes families who are also descended from Andrew Hughes, especially if they are descended from Elisha. They are welcome to contact me by email at tahughesnc@gmail.com.

Best regards,
Tom Hughes
Durham, North Carolina

Chapter archives: missing newsletters:

The Old Pendleton District Chapter of the South Carolin Genealogical Society is searching for copies certain issues to round out our collection of OPD Newsletters. Please contact Lesley Craddock or Paul Kankula if you have any of the following newsletters that we could make duplicates for the Chapter Achives.

1976 – October and 1977 - January - February - March - April - July - August – November

Your assistance would be greatly appreciated. All originals will be returned to their owner. Paul M Kankula
kankula@bellsouth.net



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Pedigree Chart of THOMAS FREDERICK.(FRÉD) BROOKS

<p>4 John Thomas , Sr. Brooks B: 10 Feb 1868 P: Cokesbury Twp., Abbeville Dist., SC M: 22 Jun 1893 P: Laurens, SC D: 29 Nov 1960 P: Laurens Co, SC buried at Canon Cem.</p>	<p>8 Thomas Warren , Jr., Brooks B: 15 Aug 1844 P: Abbeville Co., SC, now Greenwood Co M: 1865 P: Abbeville Dist., SC D: 17 Dec 1927 P: Cornelia, GA.</p> <p>9 Cynthia Jane Strawnhorn B: 11 May 1847 P: Abbeville Co., SC, now Greenwood Co D: 7 Jan 1889 P: Greenwood, SC</p>	<p>16 Thomas Warren , Sr. Brooks B: 1816 cont. ____ D: 1892</p> <p>17 Elizabeth (Lizzie) Ann Pulliam B: 1816 cont. ____ D: 22 Feb 1892</p> <p>18 James R. Strawnhorn B: 28 Aug 1821 cont. ____ D: 23 Feb 1908</p> <p>19 Louany Elizabeth Ellis B: 15 Mar 1823 cont. ____ D: 28 Apr 1866</p>
<p>2 Alexander Lake , Sr. Brooks B: 10 Aug 1895 P: Ownings, Laurens Co., SC M: 23 Dec 1919 P: D: 5 Apr 1929 P: Ebenezer, F</p> <p>5 Rachel Isabella Stoddard B: 27 Mar 1873 P: Laurens Co., SC D: 8 Feb 1947 P: Laurens Co., SC buried at Canon Cem.</p>	<p>10 Alexander (Alec) Stoddard B: 25 Jul 1833 P: Laurens County, SC M: 14 Feb 1872 P: D: 19 Nov 1909 P: Laurens, SC</p> <p>11 Nancy Ross (Nannie) Stewart B: 19 Feb 1831 P: Bethany Community, Laurens Co. S.C. D: 23 Jan 1906 P: S.C.</p>	<p>20 David III Stoddard B: 8 Jun 1808 cont. ____ D: 12 May 1889</p> <p>21 Hannah Taylor B: 2 May 1802 cont. ____ D: 3 Jun 1883</p> <p>22 Robert Stewart B: 8 Aug 1790 cont. ____ D: 24 Mar 1845</p> <p>23 Rachel Gilliland B: 12 Jun 1804 cont. ____ D: 26 Sep 1867</p>
<p>1 Thomas Frederick (Fred) , Brooks B: 4 Oct 1926 P: Dovesville, Darlington Co., SC M: 30 May 1949 P: Greenwood, Greenwood Co., S.C. D: 15 Jan 1990 P: SC buried @@ Overbrook Cem.</p> <p>6 Samuel Eliphas Gary Jeffords B: 10 Apr 1870 P: Palmetto, Darlington Co., SC M: 20 May 1891 P: Timmons ville, Florence Co., SC D: 8 Dec 1941 P: SC buried @@ Pisgah Meth. Ch.</p>	<p>12 Eliphas (Rufus) Gary Jeffords B: 1840 P: Darlington Co., SC M: 1867 P: D: 30 May 1919 P: Palmetto, Darlington Co., SC</p> <p>13 Martha (Mattie) Ann Reynolds B: 6 Sep 1847 P: Darlington, SC D: 8 Jun 1918 P: Darlington, SC</p>	<p>24 Samuel King Jeffords B: 21 Jan 1796 cont. ____ D: 5 Apr 1857</p> <p>25 Sarah Susannah Severance B: 2 Jan 1802 cont. ____ D: 24 Jun 1870</p> <p>26 John William Reynolds B: 1814 cont. ____ D: 1863</p> <p>27 Cynthia Reynolds B: 1822 cont. ____ D: 1871</p>
<p>3 Viola Mattie Jeffords B: 11 Nov 1897 P: Timmons ville, Florence Co., SC D: 7 Jun 1965 P: Florence Co., SC, buried at Byrd Cem.</p> <p>7 Lola Mozell Gee B: 24 Sep 1873 P: Ebenezer, Darlington Co., SC D: 30 Dec 1924 P: Ebenezer, Florence Co., SC</p>	<p>14 William Robert Preston Gee B: 7 Aug 1844 P: Darlington Co., SC M: P: D: 27 Sep 1893 P: Ebenezer, Florence, SC</p> <p>15 Elizabeth R. Hewitt B: 25 Jun 1848 P: Ebenezer, Florence, SC D: 3 Nov 1911 P: Ebenezer, Florence, SC</p>	<p>28 William , Jr. Gee B: 18 Feb 1798 cont. ____ D: 1 Dec 1857</p> <p>29 Elizabeth Ham B: 11 Jul 1806 cont. ____ D: 28 Jun 1866</p> <p>30 Thomas N. Hewitt B: 1813 cont. ____ D: 1868</p> <p>31 Eliza Ham B: 1811 cont. ____ D: 1859</p>

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LaMarr Brooks

Pedigree Chart of JULIA ANN QUARTERMUS

<p>4 James Benjamin, Sr. Quartermus B: 1 Nov 1839 P: Jamesville, Martin Co., NC M: 8 Jun 1871 P: NC D: 6 Oct 1920 P: Norfolk, VA</p>	<p>8 James Thomas Quartermus B: 1809 P: NC M: 18 May 1837 P: Greenville, Pitt County, NC D: 15 Jul 1890 P: Jamesville, Martin Co., NC</p> <p>9 Rutha R. C. M. Atkinson B: 1813 P: Greenville, Pitt Co., NC D: 18 May 1910 P: Greenville, Pitt Co., NC</p>	<p>16 Thomas Quartermus B: abt 1780 cont. ____ D: ____ 17 B: ____ cont. ____ D: ____</p> <p>18 Jacob Atkinson B: 12 Apr 1776 cont. ____ D: 1837</p> <p>19 Mary (Polly) Roundtree B: 24 Dec 1784 cont. ____ D: Oct 1854</p>
<p>2 James Benjamin Quartermus B: 6 Mar 1884 P: Williamston, Martin Co., NC M: 30 Jun 1909 P: Westminster, Oconee Co., SC D: 1 May 1947 P: PA buried @@ Oxford or Dover, PA</p> <p>5 Elizabeth (Lizzie) Ann Newmans B: 13 Nov 1845 P: Washington, Beaufort Co., NC D: 27 Sep 1927 P: NC buried @@ Oakwood Cem.</p>	<p>10 William Newmans B: Jun 1821 P: Beaufort Co., NC M: abt 1845 P: ____ D: bef 1870 P: ____</p> <p>11 Mary Hasel Peed B: 1824 P: McDowell Co., NC D: ____ P: ____</p>	<p>20 William Newmans B: abt 1795 cont. ____ D: ____ 21 B: ____ cont. ____ D: ____</p> <p>22 Henry Peed B: abt 1800 cont. ____ D: ____ 23 B: ____ cont. ____ D: ____</p>
<p>1 Julia Ann Quartermus B: 4 Nov 1928 P: Upland, Delaware Co., PA-in hospital M: 30 May 1949 P: Greenwood, Greenwood Co., S.C. D: ____ P: ____</p> <p>6 Joseph Parker, Sr. McDonald B: 15 Jul 1848 P: S.C.) M: 26 Dec 1872 P: SC By Rev. D. L. Whittaker D: 4 Oct 1906 P: SC</p>	<p>12 Henry Duffie McDonald B: 11 Apr 1817 P: Oconee Co., SC M: 8 Feb 1838 P: Anderson Co., SC D: 26 Feb 1882 P: Westminster, Oconee Co., SC</p> <p>13 Amelia "Milly" Kelley B: 5 Mar 1817 P: Toccoa, Franklin Co., Ga. D: 13 Jul 1886 P: Oconee Co., SC</p>	<p>24 William Henry McDonald B: 1790 cont. ____ D: 23 Nov 1848</p> <p>25 Fannie Susanah Crenshaw B: 1790 cont. ____ D: 4 Nov 1871</p> <p>26 Joel James Kelley B: 1785 cont. ____ D: ____</p> <p>27 Martha B: ____ cont. ____ D: ____</p>
<p>3 Susan Beulah McDonald B: 6 Nov 1889 P: Westminster, Oconee Co., SC D: 11 Jun 1969 P: Seneca, Oconee Co., SC</p> <p>7 Julia Ann Sarepta Frances Winter B: 12 Nov 1852 P: Anderson Co., SC D: 8 Jan 1926 P: Westminster, SC</p>	<p>14 James Cook, Sr. Winter B: 2 May 1819 P: Pendleton Dist., Anderson Co, SC M: 20 Dec 1850 P: Anderson Co., SC D: 25 Oct 1896 P: Anderson Co., SC</p> <p>15 Sarepta Ann Glenn B: 26 Oct 1816 P: Pendleton Dist., (Anderson Co.), SC D: 2 May 1901 P: Westminster, Oconee Co., SC</p>	<p>28 Jeremiah, Rev. Winter B: 1 Jan 1770 cont. ____ D: 1 Apr 1826</p> <p>29 Dinah Storey B: 1776 cont. ____ D: 19 May 1842</p> <p>30 William, Rev. Glenn B: 17 Nov 1793 cont. ____ D: 1 Jul 1874</p> <p>31 Mildred (Milley) Alexander B: 31 May 1798 cont. ____ D: 10 Apr 1868</p>

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LaMarr Brooks

Pedigree Chart of CHARLES HARRISON QUARLES

4 Robert Harrison (Bob), Quarles B: 4 Nov 1862 P: Edgefield Co., SC M: 4 Dec 1890 P: South Carolina, by Rev. P.P. Blalock D: 13 Apr 1946 P: Liberty Hill, McCormick Co., SC	8 William Yeldell (Choppa) Quarles B: 11 Jan 1834 P: Edgefield Co., SC M: 25 Nov 1858 P: Liberty Hill, by Rev. P. P. Blalock D: 16 Jan 1913 P: Liberty Hill, Edgefield Co., SC	16 Hugh Middleton Quarles B: 3 Jul 1805 D: 5 Nov 1844
2 William Yeldell, Sr., Quarles B: 28 Oct 1891 P: Edgefield Co., SC M: 24 Dec 1920 P: Iva, South Carolina D: 27 Jul 1967 P: Liberty Hill, McCormick Co.	9 Argyra B. Harrison B: 18 Jan 1839 P: Edgefield Co., SC D: 12 May 1870 P: Edgefield Co., SC	17 Mary Ann Yeldell B: 16 Dec 1811 D: 16 Feb 1886
5 Mary Carolina Cheatham B: 29 Apr 1866 P: Edgefield Co., SC D: 4 Apr 1948 P: Liberty Hill, McCormick Co., SC	10 John Terry, Col. Cheatham B: 23 Sep 1827 P: Edgefield Co., SC M: 1 Nov 1854 P: Edgefield, SC by Rev. D.D. Brunson D: 7 Nov 1878 P: SC buried @@ Bethany Baptist Church	18 Wiley Harrison B: 3 Jun 1807 D: 11 Mar 1879
1 Charles Harrison Quarles B: 17 Jul 1932 P: Abbeville Co., SC M: 20 Dec 1953 P: Elberton, Elbert Co., Georgia D: 29 Mar 1989 P: SC buried @@ Bethany Baptist Ch Cem	11 Sarah (Sallie) Douglas Adams B: 24 May 1831 P: D: 22 Apr 1918 P: SC buried @@ Gilgal Baptist Church	19 Caroline (Carrie) Talbert B: 22 Jul 1822 D: 25 Dec 1854
6 Lemuel, Jr. Reid B: 24 Dec 1866 P: Abbeville Co., SC M: 24 Dec 1894 P: Iva, Anderson Co., SC D: 9 May 1930 P: Iva, Anderson Co., SC	12 Lemuel, Sr. Reid B: 26 Oct 1818 P: M: 18 Oct 1840 P: D: 17 May 1867 P: Abbeville Co., SC	20 Gutheridge, Col. Cheatham B: May 1804 D: 28 Sep 1873
3 Mabel Reid B: 1 Sep 1895 P: Iva, Anderson Co., SC D: 14 Nov 1974 P: Liberty Hill, McCormick Co.,	13 Sophia Weston White B: 18 Jan 1824 P: D: 23 Nov 1896 P: Abbeville Co., SC	21 Sarah (Sally) Terry B: Apr 1808 D: 20 Nov 1858
7 Lula Sherard B: 28 Nov 1867 P: Moffettsville, Anderson Co., SC D: 28 Nov 1953 P: Abbeville Co., SC	14 David Josephus Sherard B: 28 Oct 1835 P: Moffettsville, Iva, Anderson Co., SC M: 21 Feb 1867 P: Cabarrus County, near Concord, N.C. D: 8 Mar 1912 P: Iva, Anderson Co., SC	22 Abraham (Abram) Adams B: 1796 D: 1875
Prepared 25 Sep 2012 by: LaMarr Brooks	15 Margaret (Maggie) Woodside B: 5 Sep 1841 P: NC/Cabarrus Co., near Concord, N.C. D: 7 Jul 1907 P: Iva, Anderson Co., SC	23 Letitia Nicholson B: 1797 D: 1875
		24 Samuel Reid B: 10 Aug 1788 D: 24 Jul 1857
		25 Elizabeth Ann Wilson B: 4 Feb 1796 D: 12 Dec 1872
		26 John Martin White B: 13 Oct 1784 D: 1 Sep 1839
		27 Elizabeth Jones B: 27 Jan 1784 D: 9 Jul 1852
		28 William Sherard B: Sep 1800 D: 15 Dec 1861
		29 Phoebe Hardin Beaty B: 4 Feb 1798 D: 18 Sep 1872
		30 Archibald McDowell Woodside B: 12 Aug 1794 D: 25 Aug 1844
		31 Cornelia Curry B: 19 Jan 1803 D: 4 Jul 1850

Pedigree Chart of HAZEL REEVES GILLIAM

16 James Mason Gilliam

B: 20 Aug 1820 cont. ____
D: 26 Oct 1891

17 Mary Ann Robeson

B: 8 Jun 1831 cont. ____
D: 14 Feb 1892

18 David Knox

B: 22 Aug 1820 cont. ____
D: 7 Mar 1864

19 Nancy Blair

B: Aug 1819 cont. ____
D: 26 Jun 1883

20 L. Marion Reeves

B: 1836 cont. ____
D: 2 Apr 1922

21 Elizabeth E. Hand

B: 1842 cont. ____
D: 1911

22 Francis Drake Locke

B: 26 Dec 1813 cont. ____
D: 8 Jun 1890

23 Sarah Lynn Hicks

B: 7 Jun 1840 cont. ____
D: 1 Feb 1913

24 John Talbert, Sr. Cheatham

B: 25 Apr 1808 cont. ____
D: 20 Mar 1867

25 Caroline A. Lyon

B: 4 Mar 1812 cont. ____
D: 14 Jun 1892

26 Thomas Jefferson, Dr. Mabry

B: 16 Nov 1815 cont. ____
D: 26 Oct 1896

27 Frances Eliza Boyd

B: 14 Nov 1829 cont. ____
D: 22 Mar 1901

28 George William Cobb

B: Mar 1825 cont. ____
D: aft 1900

29 Laura Annie J. West

B: 21 May 1835 cont. ____
D: 8 Oct 1899

30 Thomas Hartwell Walker

B: 3 Jul 1837 cont. ____
D: 25 Apr 1902

31 Matilda Elizabeth Griffin

B: 30 Jun 1842 cont. ____
D: 16 Dec 1912

8 James Andrew (Jim) Gilliam

B: 1 Jan 1856
P: Abbeville Co., SC
M: 29 Jan 1878
P: SC by Dr. J. F. Gibert at the bride's home in Abbeville
D: 30 Jul 1933
P: Abbeville Co., SC

9 Jenny Moore Knox

B: 15 Mar 1854
P: Abbeville Co., SC
D: 29 Mar 1930
P: Abbeville Co., SC

10 William Braton, Sr. Reeves

B: 1866
P: Alabama
M: 1887
P: Cedartown, Polk Co., Georgia
D: 1907
P: GA buried @ Greenwood Cem.

11 Laura Cornelia Locke

B: Aug 1867
P: Gordon Co., GA
D: 12 Dec 1941
P: GA buried @ Greenwood Cem.

12 John Talbert, Jr. Cheatham

B: 8 Nov 1851
P: Edgefield Co., SC
M: 1 Dec 1881
P: Abbeville Co., SC
D: 21 Feb 1924
P: Abbeville Co., SC

13 Frances Lucian (Sweet) Mabry

B: 2 Jan 1863
P: Abbeville Co., SC
D: 28 Apr 1946
P: Abbeville Co., SC

14 William Carroll (Dad Cobb

B: 4 Nov 1862
P: SC 4 miles south of Belton
M: 11 Jun 1890
P: Greenville County
D: 27 Mar 1944
P: Ware Shoals

15 Ella (Buddy) Perrin Walker

B: 1867
P: Dail Township, Laurens Co., SC
D: 18 Oct 1935
P: Ware Shoals

4 Albert Lamar, Sr. Gilliam

B: 12 Feb 1885
P: Abbeville Co., SC
M: 26 Dec 1910
P: Cedartown, Polk Co., GA
D: 5 Mar 1960
P: SC buried @ Long Cane Cem.

2 Albert Lamar, Jr. Gilliam

B: 13 Feb 1914
P: Abbeville Co., SC
M: 22 Oct 1936
P: Columbia, SC home of Aunt
D: 1 Feb 1984
P: Abbeville Co., SC

5 Ovelle Vondene Reeves

B: 30 Apr 1890
P: Cedartown, Polk Co., GA
D: 6 Feb 1960
P: Abbeville Co., SC

1 Hazel Reeves Gilliam

B: 26 Dec 1937
P: Abbeville Co., SC
M: 20 Dec 1953
P: Elberton, Elbert Co., Georgia
D:
P:

6 John Tompkins (John Cheatham

B: 4 Mar 1888
P: Abbeville Co., SC
M: 23 Jul 1912
P: SC by Rev. George C. Leonard
D: 18 Jul 1951
P: SC buried @ Sharon Methodist Ch. Cem.

3 Frances Perrin Cheatham

B: 5 Dec 1914
P: Abbeville Co., SC
D: 11 May 1997
P: Abbeville, SC

7 Hazel Stimpson Cobb

B: 14 Mar 1896
P: Pelzer, Anderson Co., SC
D: 14 Jul 1951
P: SC buried @ Sharon Meth Ch Cem

Prepared 25 Sep 2012 by:
LaMarr Brooks

LETTER TO OUR READERS:

DOCUMENTING THE MEN OF THE 20TH SOUTH CAROLINA INFANTRY

Dear South Carolina Genealogy Researchers:

April 16, 2012

About 2 years ago, I began a project to document the men and events of the 20th South Carolina Infantry regiment that fought during the American Civil War in Charleston, Virginia and North Carolina. At that time, in letters to editors of local newspapers, I requested that descendants and others who might have letters, diaries, photographs and stories about the men who served from your area of South Carolina please share copies of this information with me to be included in my forthcoming book, *A History of the 20th South Carolina Infantry: 1861-1865*.

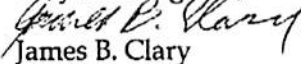
I am pleased to report that the response from local newspaper readers was excellent and I received valuable information about the men who served in the 20th South Carolina Infantry. Meanwhile, I have transcribed the Compiled Service Records (CSR's) of these men for the roster in my forthcoming book. This information comes from the official Confederate records in the National Archives in Washington, DC and includes the Companies in which they served, when and where each man enlisted for service, where they served during the War, when they were sick, wounded or killed in action and additional valuable military information. Using this official information and family information received from local newspaper readers and, with a great deal of assistance from several South Carolina genealogists and historians, I have been able to compile an initial roster of the 2,381 men who served in the 20th South Carolina Infantry. A final roster, along with an almost day-by-day account of the actions of the regiment, is being compiled into a book that will be published by America's leading Civil War book publisher, Broadfoot Publishing of Wilmington, NC. This book will be part of a series books about each of the infantry, cavalry and artillery units that served from South Carolina including my first regimental history book.¹

Enclosed is a copy of a portion of the roster of the men, as it presently exists, for your area of South Carolina. As you will see, there is family information for many of the men. However, similar information about other men is missing. To help gather this additional information, I will greatly appreciate it if you will publish the enclosed company roster(s) in your newsletters and/or discuss these men at your meetings in hopes that your members will recognize some of the names and forward additional family information to help create a more complete roster for my forthcoming 20th South Carolina Infantry history book. Specifically, I am looking for each soldiers' birth and death dates, parents' names, wives' names, number of children, burial places and copies of any letters, diaries or photographs your members may have, or know about, to help complete the contents of this roster. By so doing, together we can more fully document and honor the men from your area of South Carolina who served in the 20th South Carolina Infantry during the American Civil War.

I may be contacted by telephone at 919 467-2108, via the US Postal Service at James B. Clary, 232 Beachers Brook Lane, Cary, NC 27511 or by email at jclary@mi-corporation.com. All information will be greatly appreciated, acknowledged and will add significantly to the usefulness of this information to genealogists and historians.

Thank you very much for your help in more fully documenting the men from your area of South Carolina who served in the 20th South Carolina Infantry.

Very Best Regards,


James B. Clary

¹ *A History of the 15th South Carolina Infantry: 1861-1865*, published by Broadfoot Press, Wilmington, NC 2007

20TH SOUTH CAROLINA INFANTRY REGIMENT

1861-1865

Co. A from Pickens District

- 1 Alexander, David A., Co. A, Enl Pvt.. 2/12/62 at Pocatigo
- 2 Alexander, Jordan, Co. A, Enl Pvt.. 6/16/64 at Petersburg
- 3 Alexander, Sargent, Co. A, Enl Pvt.. 2/12/62 at Pocatigo
- 4 Anderson, John, Co. A, Enl Pvt. 12/17/61 at Abbeville
- 5 Anderson, R., Co. A, Enl Pvt. 2/12/63 at Pocatigo
- 6 Anderson, William, Co. A, Enl Pvt. 2/12/62 at Pocatigo
- 7 Ansel, Harmon, Co. A, Enl 4th Cpl at Walhalla
- 8 Appleton, William L., Co. A, Enl Pvt. at Mt. Pleasant
- 9 Atkinson, Thomas T., Co. A, Enl Pvt. at Mt. Pleasant
- 10 Babb, Sampson, Co. A, Enl Pvt. Pocatigo
- 11 Bachman, Sr., Charles Augustus, Co. A, Enl Pvt. Lexington Dist.



This undated image shows Pvt. Charles Bachman, Co. H, 20th South Carolina Infantry. Bachman was killed at Cedar Creek in October 1864.

Military Images, May-June 1990; collection of Helen Wilson.

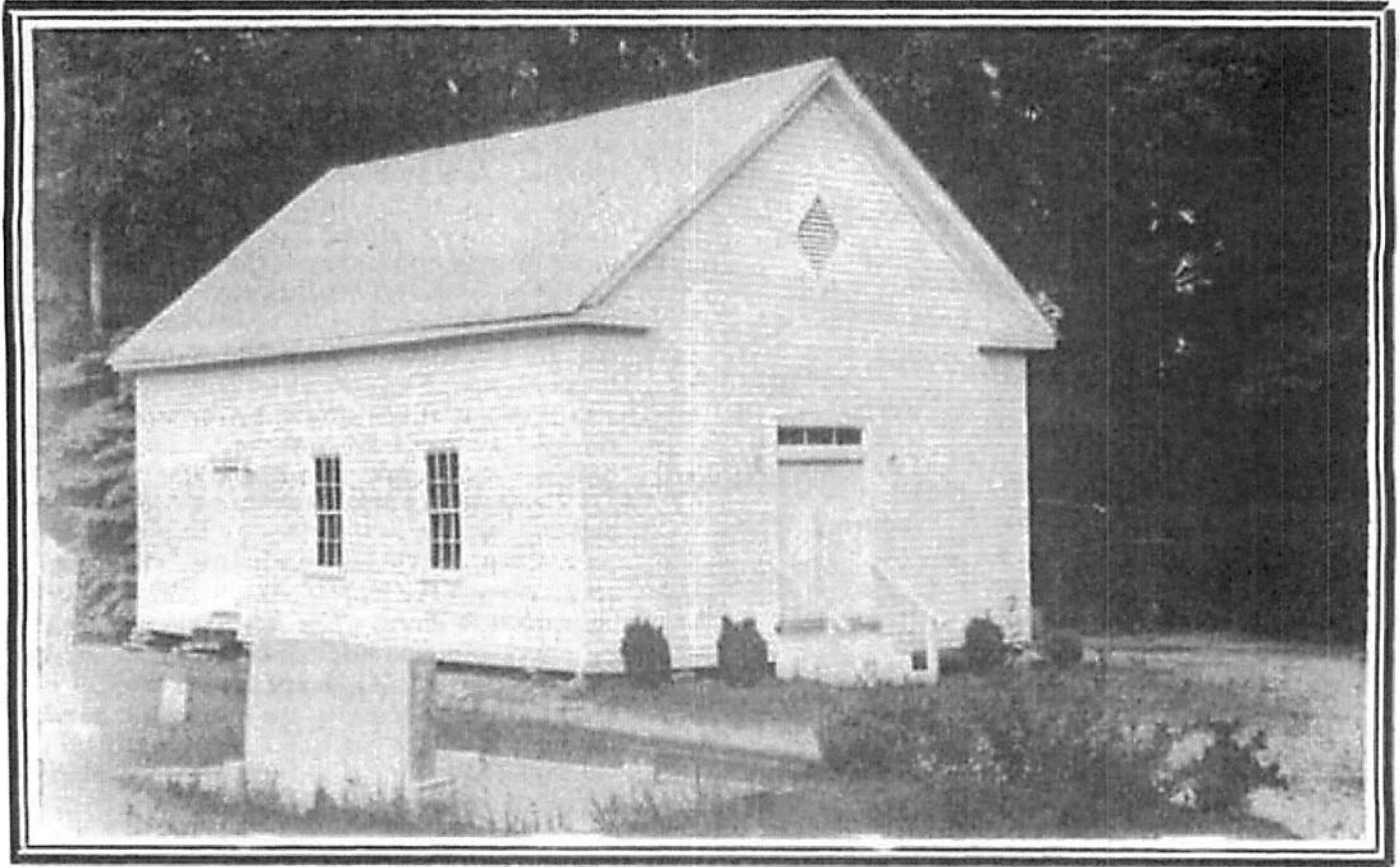
- 12 Ballinger, William D., Co. A, Enl Pvt. Walhalla
- 13 Barr, Samuel A., Co. A, Enl Pvt. Pocatigo
- 14 Beaufort, Moses B., Co. A, Enl Pvt. Walhalla
- 15 Beck, M. J., Co. A, Enl Pvt. Walhalla
- 16 Bias, Thomas, Co. A, Enl Pvt. South Carolina 12/1/61

- 17 Bieman, Henry, Co. A, Enl Pvt. Walhalla
- 18 Bowen, John G., Co. A, Enl Pvt. Walhalla
- 19 Bowling, George E., Co. A, Enl Pvt. Walhalla
- 20 Bowling, William T., Co. A, Enl Pvt. Walhalla
- 21 Boyd, John H., Co. A, Enl Pvt. Pocatigo 2/12/63
- 22 Bramblett, William B., Co. A, Enl Pvt.. Pocatigo
- 23 Brewer, John S., Co. A, Enl Pvt. Pocatigo
- 24 Brown, A. B., Co. A, Enl Pvt. Walhalla
- 25 Brown, Leander, Co. A, Enl Pvt.. Walhalla
- 26 Bruce, George W., Co. A, Enl Pvt. Pocatigo
- 27 Brucke (Bruckey), Henry, Co. A, Enl Pvt. Walhalla
- 28 Burrell, Butler, Co. A, Enl Pvt. Pocatigo
- 29 Burrell, Joseph, Co. A, Enl Pvt.. Pocatigo
- 30 Burrell, Miles B., Co. A, Enl Pvt. Pocatigo
- 31 Butler, Aaron Claine, Co. A, Enl 5th Sgt Jackson
- 32 Butler, Levi, Co. A, Enl 1st Cpl. Jackson
- 33 Cannon, Samuel C., Co. A, Enl Pvt. Anderson
- 34 Capps, Berry, Co. A, Enl Pvt. Pocatigo
- 35 Capps, Henry, Co. A, Enl Pvt. Walhalla
- 36 Carpenter, Joseph, Co. A, Enl Pvt. Walhalla
- 37 Carpenter, William, Co. A, Enl Pvt. Walhalla
- 38 Carson, Joseph, Co. A, Enl Pvt. N. C. 1/13/62. (CSR)
- 39 Carver, Robert, Co. A, Enl Pvt. 4/1/63. (CSR)
- 40 Chamblor, W. W., Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Pocatigo
- 41 Chandler, William, Co. A, Enl Pvt. Walhalla
- 42 Chastain, M. F., Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Walhalla
- 43 Childers, Berry, Co. A, Enl Pvt. Walhalla
- 44 Childers, John H., Co. A, Enl. Pvt. At Pocatigo
- 45 Coffey, J. H., Co. A, Enl Pvt Charleston
- 46 Cornett, John, Co. A, Enl Pvt in GA 10/17/61
- 47 Cowan, James C?., Co. A, Enl Pvt Walhalla
- 48 Cox, John P., Co. A, Enl Pvt Walhalla
- 49 Cox, James P. , Co. A,
- 50 Craig, George, Co. A, Enl Pvt Mt. Pleasant
- 51 Crain, W. J., Co. A, Enl Pvt. Walhalla
- 52 Crain, Evan, Co. A, Enl Pvt Walhalla
- 53 Crenshaw, A. W., Co. A, Enl Pvt Walhalla
- 54 Crenshaw, H. M., Co. A, Enl Pvt Walhalla
- 55 Crow, Isaac, Co. A, Enl Pvt Walhalla
- 56 Dacus, William, Co. A, Enl Pvt Pocatigo
- 57 Darby, Thomas J., Co. A, Enl Pvt Walhalla
- 58 Davidson20, Noah, Co. A, Enl Pvt Pocatigo
- 59 Davis, James, Co. A, Enl Pvt Walhalla
- 60 Davis, John G., Co. A, Enl 2nd Lt Walhalla
- 61 Dawkins, Austin B., Co. A, Enl Pvt Walhalla
- 62 Dawkins, Levi, Co. A, Enl Pvt Camp Hampton
- 63 Deleslie, John, Co. A, Enl Pvt Charleston
- 64 Elbrook, William, Co. A, Enl Drummer Sullivans ls.

65	Ellenburg, Marcus Lafayette, Co. A, Enl Pvt Walhalla	117	Ivestor, Anderson, Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Walhalla
66	Ellenburg, John, Co. A, Enl Pvt Pocotaligo	118	Jackson, A. W., Co. A, Enl. Pvt Pocotaligo
67	Ellenburg, John C., Co. A, Enl Pvt Walhalla	119	Jamerson, McElroy, Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Pocotaligo
68	Ellenburg, Nathanael Greene, Co. A, Enlisted Walhalla	120	Jennings, W. H., Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Walhalla
69	Ellis, Gideon, Co. A, Enl Pvt Pocotaligo	121	Johnson, W. B., Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Pocotaligo
70	Elrod, Nelson, Co. A, Enl Pvt Walhalla	122	Jones, Steven, Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Pocotaligo
71	Entriiken, James M., Co. A, Enl Pvt. Pocotaligo	123	Jones, Tandy W., Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Pocotaligo
72	Erwine, T. A., Co. A, Enl Pvt Pocotaligo	124	Kelley, Miles N., Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Jackson
73	Erwine, William, Co. A, Enl Pvt Pocotaligo	125	Kelley, William A., Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Sullivans Is.
74	Extine, Andrew, Co. A, Enl Pvt Walhalla	126	Kelly, J. W., Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Greenville C. H.
75	Fant, Jesse R., Co. A, Enl Pvt Pocotaligo	127	Kelly, James, Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Pocotaligo
76	Fischer, A, Co. A, Enl Pvt Walhalla	128	Kelly, James J., Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Walhalla
77	Fisher, James, Co. A, Enl Pvt Walhalla	129	King, Ephraim, Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Mt. Pleasant
78	Fisher, William, Co. A, Enl Pvt Jackson	130	Knee, H. C., Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Walhalla
79	Fitzgerald, Eli, Co. A, Enl Pvt Walhalla	131	Knight, John F., Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Walhalla
80	Foster, Arthur G., Co. A, Enl Pvt Sullivans Is	132	Land, William Byrd, Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Walhalla
81	Freeman, William, Co. A, Enl Pvt Pocotaligo	133	Langston, F. M., Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Walhalla
82	Gazaway, John W., Co. A, Enl Pvt Mt. Pleasant	134	Lee, Henry, Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Columbia
83	Glazener, Samuel K., Co. A, Enl Pvt Pocotaligo	135	Lee, J. Q., Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Mt. Pleasant
84	Godwin, L. B. J., Co. A, Enl Pvt. Walhalla	136	Lee, James, Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Walhalla
85	Graham, Thomas, Co. A, Enl Pvt Walhalla	137	Lee, Richard, Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Walhalla
86	Graveley, Joseph, Co. A, Enl Pvt. Pocotaligo	138	Lee, John, Co. A, Enl. Pvt. South Carolina 12/30/61
87	Hall, John, Co. A, Enl. Pvt.	139	Littlejohn, Asa, Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Walhalla
88	Hall, Lent, Co. A, Enl Pvt. Walhalla	140	Littlejon, Thomas, Co. A, Enl. Pvt.
89	Hancock, Thomas A., Co. A, Enl Pvt. Walhalla	141	Lockhart, Anderson, Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Pocotaligo
90	Hancock, Thomas A., Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Walhalla	142	Lusk, Jasper, Co. A, Enl. Pvt Jackson
91	Hancock, Thomas J., Co. A,	143	Lusk, John, Co. A, Enl Pvt. Sullivans Is.
92	Hays, Drury T., Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Walhalla	144	Lusk, Newton, Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Walhalla
93	Hays, James, Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Walhalla	145	Lusk, W. J., Co. A, Enl. Pvt. North Carolina 1/12/62
94	Hays, John, Co. A, Enl Pvt. Walhalla	146	Lusk, William, Co. A, Enl Pvt. Walhalla
95	Hayes, John, Co. A, Enl Walhalla	147	Lyda, John, Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Walhalla
96	Head, John W., Co. A, Enl Pvt Walhalla	148	Mann, Aaron, Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Pocotaligo
97	Head, W. R., Co. A, Enl Pvt. Pocotaligo	149	Martin, Benjamin F., Co. A, Enl Pvt South Carolina 12/1/61
98	Headden, W. N., Co. A, Enl. Pvt. in Georgia 10/17/61	150	Martin, T. M., Co. A, Enl Pvt. Wahalla
99	Hedden, Benjamin D., Co. A, Enl. Cpl. Rabun	151	Massingill, W. F., Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Pocotaligo
100	Hedden, Isaac V., Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Rabun	152	Maulden, John, Co. A, Enl Pvt Pocotaligo
101	Hedden, John, Co. A, Enl Pvt. Walhalla	153	McCrackin, Joseph, Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Walhalla
102	Hedden, Elisha, Co. A, Enl Pvt	154	McLeskey, W. H., Co. A, Enl Pvt Walhalla
103	Hedden, Joseph P., Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Rabun	155	McWhorter, Martin M., Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Walhalla
104	Hedden, W. N., Co. A, Enl. Pvt. GA	156	Meeks, Leander G., Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Pocotaligo
105	Hembree, William, Co. A, Enl. Walhalla	157	Miller, James B., Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Walhalla
106	Henry, William (F. Wilden), Co. A,	158	Minyard, Thomas, Co. A, Enl Pvt. Walhalla
107	Hightower, W. J., Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Walhalla	159	Moore, John M., Co. A, Enl Pvt. Walhalla
108	Hill, Harlem B, Co. A, Enl. Pocotaligo	160	Murphey, John, Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Walhalla
109	Hindman, Thomas, Co. A, Enl Pvt Pocotaligo 2/12/62	161	Nations, Madison, Co. A, Enl Pvt Pocotaligo
110	Hoaps, Henry, Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Walhalla	162	Nicholson, William, Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Hardeeville
111	Holcombe, Francis M., Co. A, Enl. Pocotaligo	163	Norrell, John E., Co. A, Enl. Walhalla
112	Holley, William, Co. A, Enl Pvt Pocotaligo	164	Norton, E. R., Co. A, Enl 1st Sgt. Jackson
113	Holley, James, Co. A, Enl Pvt Walhalla	165	Oakly, John, Co. A, Enl Pvt Walhalla
114	Holt, Marion J., Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Rabon	166	Owen(s), William Riley, Co. A, Enl Pvt Walhalla
115	Hood, Enoch, Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Greenville C. H.	167	Owens, John L., Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Jackson
116	Hopkins, Martin, Co. A, Enl Pvt. Camp Hampton 1/10/62	168	Owens, John, Co. A, Enl. SC 12/1/61
		169	Parish, John B., Co. A, Initially enlisted Pvt. at Rock Hill

170	Partlow, John Marshall, Co. A,	221	Smith, John T., Co. A, Enl Pvt Walhalla
171	Patterson, G. B., Co. A, Enl Pvt. N. C. 12/1/61	222	Smith, John, Co. A, Enl Pvt Walhalla
172	Patterson, Jr., Wesley, Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Jackson	223	Smith, John, Co. A, Enl Pvt Walhalla
173	Pearson, David M., Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Walhalla	224	Sneed , S. G., Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Walhalla
174	Perry, Ephraim M., Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Walhalla	225	Snipes, James C., Co. A, Enl. Pvt Walhalla
175	Perry, W. D., Co. A, Enl Pvt. Walhalla	226	Stancil, W. H. Co. A, Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Walhalla
176	Pool, 49 Felix, Co. A, Enl Pvt. Stateburg	227	Steadman, M. K, Co. A, Enl Pvt Pocotaligo
177	Powell, Ashley, Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Rabun	228	Stewart, A. Berryman, Co. A, Enl. 1st Cpl. Pocotaligo
178	Powell, J., Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Pocotaligo	229	Stewart, Berryman, Co. A, Enl Pvt. Walhalla
179	Quinton, Andrew, Co. A, Enl Pvt Pocotaligo	230	Stewart, John, Co. A, Enl. Pvt Walhalla
180	Rackley, Walter, Co. A, Enl Pvt Walhalla	231	Stowe, (no 1st name listed), Co. A,
181	Randolph, S. Hawe, Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Walhalla	232	Summer, Sr., J. W., Co. A, Enl Pvt Lexington
182	Reaves, Levi, Co. A, Enl Pvt Pocotaligo	233	Summy, James, Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Sullivans Is.
183	Redman, J. L, Co. A, Enl Pvt. Rabun	234	Talley, Dyer, Co. A, Enl 1st Lt. Walhalla
184	Reed, W. Massey , Co. A,	235	Tally, Evan, Co. A, Enl 3rd Sgt North Carolina 10/17/61
185	Reid, William M., Co. A, Enl. Walhalla	236	Teague, Isaac, Co. A, Enl Pvt Rabun
186	Reid, Evan, Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Sullivans Is.	237	Teague, J. W., Co. A, Enl Pvt Rabun
187	Reid, George W., Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Walhalla	238	Teague, William, Co. A, Enl Pvt Walhalla
188	Reid, James M., Co. A, Enl Pvt Walhalla	239	Thomas, Henry P., Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Hogback Valley
189	Reid, John H., Co. A, Enl Pvt Sullivans Is	240	Thompson, J. W. F., Co. A, Enl Pvt Walhalla
190	Reid, Nathan W., Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Jackson	241	Tolerson, John, Co. A, Enl Pvt Walhalla
191	Reid, Samuel W., Co. A, Enl. Pvt Jackson	242	Turner, Pickens T., Co. A, Enl Pvt Walhalla
192	Reves, John, Co. A, Enl Pvt Jackson	243	Ursery, John, Co. A, Enl Pvt Pocotaligo
193	Revis, Jeremiah, Co. A, Enl Pvt Walhalla	244	Vinson, David, Co. A, Enl Pvt Walhalla
194	Rice, John, Co. A, Enl Pvt Walhalla	245	Vinson, John T., Co. A, Enl. Pvt Jackson
195	Richards, John C., Co. A, Enl Pvt Walhalla	246	Walker, James C., Co. A, Enl Pvt. Pocotaligo 2/12/63
196	Richards, Joseph, Co. A, Enl Pvt. Walhalla	247	Ward, Nathan, Co. A, Enl Pvt. Walhalla
197	Richey, David L., Co. A, Enl Pvt Walhalla	248	Water, E., Co. A, Enl Pvt. Sullivans Is.
198	Ridley, N. B., Co. A, Enl Pvt Walhalla	249	Watson, Thomas, Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Walhalla
199	Ridley, W. L. Co. A, Co. A, Enl Pvt Walhalla	250	White, Woody W., Co. A, Enl Pvt Walhalla
200	Rily, John H. Co. A, Co. A, Enl Pvt. Walhalla	251	Wilcox, Hezekiah J., Co. A, Enl 3rd Cpl Anderson
201	Robinson, William W., Co. A, Enl. Walhalla	252	Williams, David O., Co. A,
202	Rochester, William T., Co. A, Enl. Walhalla	253	Williams, John J., Co. A, Enl Pvt. Pocotaligo 2/12/63
203	Rockley (Reckley) W., Co. A,	254	Williams, Thomas J., Co. A, Enl Pvt. Pocotaligo
204	Rogers, Patten, Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Walhalla	255	Willson, T., Co. A,
205	Rohlter (Rholette Joseph Berry, Co. A, Initially Enl. Pvt. Jackson	256	Wilson, John F. W., Co. A, Initially enlisted in Co. F
206	Ross, George F, Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Walhalla	257	Wilson, A. Mc., Co. A, Enl Pvt. Rabun
207	Ross, John, Co. A, Enl. Pvt. S. C. 12/27/61	258	Wilson, Houston M., Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Walhalla
208	Sanders, Elijah, Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Walhalla	259	Wilson, Jeremiah, Co. A, Enl Pvt. Walhalla
209	Satterfield, Daniel D., Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Pocotaligo	260	Wilson, P. B., Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Walhalla
210	Shaw, Robert W., Co. A, Initially Enl Pvt 1st SC Cav. Rock Hill	261	Wilson, Samuel, Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Mt. Pleasant
211	Siddall, John, Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Pocotaligo	262	Wise, Richard, Co. A, Enl Pvt. Sullivans Is.
212	Sloan, A. J., Co. A, Enl Pvt. Present 1/2/62. (CSR)	263	Wise, Thomas, Co. A, Enl Pvt. Sullivans Is.
213	Sloan, Alfred B., Co. A, Enl Pvt Walhalla	264	Wooden, Charles H. A., Co. A, Enl. Walhalla
214	Sloan, Thomas J., Co. A, Enl Pvt Walhalla	265	Wootten, Enoch, Co. A, Enl Pvt. Walhalla
215	Smith, Ezekiel, Co. A, Enl. Pvt. Pocotaligo	266	Wright, Lemuel W., Co. A, Enl Pvt (conscript) Columbia
216	Smith, Capers M., Co. A, Enl Pvt Walhalla		
217	Smith, David (Davis) W. S., Co. A, Enl Pvt Pocotaligo		
218	Smith, J. S., Co. A, Enl Pvt Pocotaligo		
219	Smith, James A., Co. A, Enl Pvt. Pocotaligo		
220	Smith, Joel R., Co. A, Enl Pvt Walhalla		
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MCKINNEY'S CHAPEL IN NORTHWESTERN PICKENS COUNTY



Cradle of History! Nestling in a quiet cove of the Big Eastatoe section of Pickens County is McKinney's Chapel, a little church with a history older than the county. John McKinney, grandfather of the late Pickens County Supervisor Tom McKinney, settled here in 1790 and built an early log structure used as school and church.

McKinney, from Virginia and North Carolina, was the husband of Ratliff Boon's sister. The family was prominent in the area and the McKinney settlement was marked on early maps of the old Pendleton District which once comprised this area of the upstate. This little frame building, which succeeded the log structure, was constructed in 1890-91. It's still used for worship services.

McKinney's Chapel is today cut off by Lake Jocassee from the beautiful Keowee River and Jocassee River Valleys it once served. It stands on a high, wooded hill not far from the lake. The old road that once twisted its way up the mountain, has long since been lost and overgrown. Today the chapel can be reached from Pickens County Scenic Highway 11 in the Sunset Community near Antioch Church. There are many unmarked grave stones in the little cemeteries beside the church and it is just possible that Ratliff Boon could be there. Other indications are that Ratliff may be buried in the Jocassee Valley area and if so, his grave is inundated by 300 feet deep Lake Jocassee.

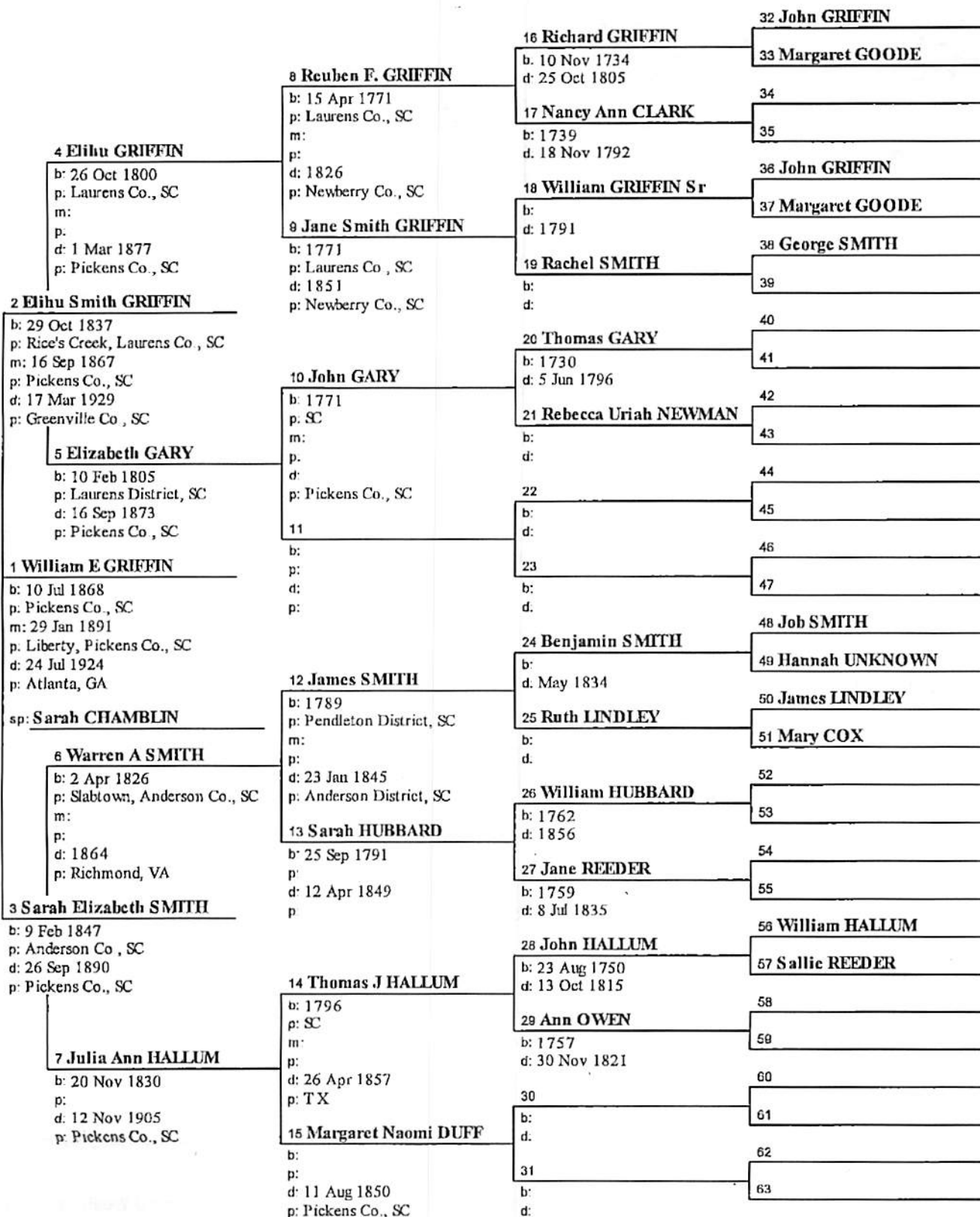
- By Jerry Alexander (submitted by Paul Kankula)

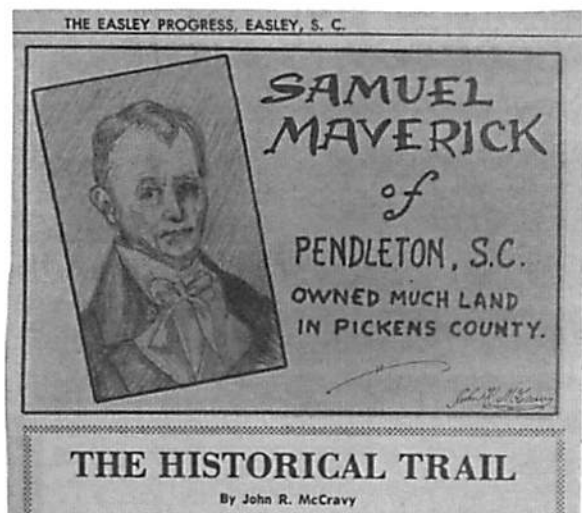
Pedigree Chart of WILLIAM E. GRIFFIN buried at West View Cemetery in Liberty

Submitted by Ann Sheriff

Pedigree Chart - William E Griffin

25 September 2012





SAMUEL MAVERICK OF PENDLETON, S.C. OWNED MUCH LAND IN PICKENS COUNTY

The Historical Trail

By: John R. McCravy

Another letter from Ted Phillips of Charleston mentions Samuel Maverick, who lived near Pendleton. Ted, I'm glad you asked about this prominent man and I believe you can find a lot about him in Charleston, as he was born there in 1772.

He grew up and became a successful planter, merchant and exporter. He became a wealthy man and came to Pendleton after his widowed mother had married Gen. Robert Anderson. General Anderson's daughter, Elizabeth (Betty), was attractive and talented and it was not long before Samuel asked her for her hand in marriage.

It was not unusual for people to marry their stepsisters and brothers in that day anymore than it is today. This union proved to be a great success as Betty was a wonderful helpmate.

Samuel was persuaded to sell his large export-import mercantile business in Charleston and came to Pendleton and named it Montpelier. (This large home with its stately white columns can be seen today, as it has been restored by its present owners.)

With the great wealth he brought from Charleston, he soon began buying all of the land he could get. It will be remembered that the government gave land to the soldiers who fought in the Revolution and many of them sold hundreds of acres to Mr. Maverick.

As he bought land, he put it into production and with the proceeds he bought more land. Old courthouse records show that he owned many thousands of acres here in Pickens County, for some of which he paid as little as 50 cents per acre.

Records show that he sold much of this land for ten times what he had paid for it, taking the profit and putting it back into real estate. He took a partner in his business for a time, who was Major Andrew Fielding Lewis of Pendleton (Major Lewis was a grandson of President George Washington's sister). Together they owned much land.

Ted, I wish to tell you about Samuel Maverick's son Gus. He attended Yale and studied law. He took care of his father's legal work for a time and looked after many of his farms. Gus had a desire to go to the new territory of Texas and in 1835 he came to Velasco, Texas. He later moved to DeCrow's Point, where he had a nice law practice.

An old story relates that he accepted several hundred cows in payment for his services and placed them in the care of an old man who was to take care of them on his rolling ranches of Texas. Many of the calves were never branded so the term "maverick" was given to a cow when had not been branded, and even today unbranded cows are called mavericks.

Afterthought; many of you who will read this in today's Easley Progress are living on land once owned by Samuel Maverick. It is believed that at one time Samuel Maverick owned more land than any other individual in our state.

- Original article can be found in the Faith Clayton Family Research Center at Central Wesleyan University

HOPEWELL BAPTIST CHURCH

Historian: Mrs. Willie Mae Corbett

This record can be found at the Clayton Room at Southern Wesleyan University

In Oconee County near Seneca, S.C. lived Mr. William Washington Abbott. Being called to preach the Gospel and his community having no place to worship, on May 10, 1858. Mr. Abbott founded Hopewell Baptist Church. He gave a plot of land to be used for a place of public worship. If there ceased to be public worship there the land was to be returned to his Estate. This remained in effect until 1955 when a clear title was obtained. Mr. Abbott was the first Pastor of Hopewell Baptist Church. He gave timber for the Church Building, a one room building. The foundation was hewn logs put together with wooden pegs, a door in each end and shutters on the windows.

Rev. Abbott often preached and the Spirit was so real he pulled his long flowing, whit beard unconsciously. The Baptismal Pool was built on a branch near by and water was later destroyed by one of Rev. Abbott's brothers. Mr. J. L. Gilstrap gave permission to build a new pool on his property near the church. The members were few and came to church on foot on wooded trails, horseback, or ox carts. The men hitched their horses to trees in the Churchyard and greeted each other as Brothers.

Church Conferences were held on Saturdays and disturbances, debts and moral obligations were settled, church discipline was very strict. A Church Committee was appointed to contact members living in sin. The Committee reported their findings and the accused were often brought before the Church to state if they were guilty of the charge. Church Services were held once or twice monthly. The Pastor served for little or no money, but members gave meat, meal or even a bundle of broom straw. The music was directed by Mr. Ike Hopkins using a tuning fork to give the pitch.

Rev. Abbott was ordained December 1, 1865. He married 555 couples and baptized many more. He died May 5, 1912 and was buried in his beloved Church Cemetery. George L. Abbott, son of Rev. Abbott gave the Church the first organ. Mr. Abbott and his daughter, Ruby (Mrs. Marshall Ellenburg) gave many messages in song to the Church members. Some of the early ministers who served Hopewell were: Rev. Johnson Sheriff, Z. I. Henerson, John Stone, Bedford Waite, and Rev. Ledford, Rev.

McGuire, Elford L. Bolding, Clarence Craig, Billy Fallow, W. W. Leathers, Rev. McGuffin, Rev. Willis Abbott, son of Rev. William W. Abbott, preached on many occasions. Rev. Herman Alley and W. M. Thompson. Families serving the Church at the turn of the century were: G. L. Abbott, Cleveland Ellenburg, Gillespie Sheriff, and J. L. Abbott, Davis, McKern, Gilstrap, Stone, Brewer, Kowns, Franks, J. M. Nix, Sanders, Spiva and W. N. Thompson.

Under the Ministry of Reverend W. T. Land in 1906 the first Sunday school was organized. In 1917 Rev. Thompson held services once or twice each month. In 1920 an addition to each side of the present building was added. The entrance was changed from facing the cemetery, to facing the highway, windows were added and the building was painted for the first time. Mr. C. D. Gillespie gave five gallons of interior paint and the gas lamps replaced the kerosene wall reflector lamps. The bugs came into open windows and crushed the lamp mantles putting out the lights during service. Mr. took off the lamps W. O. Ellenburg and Henry Mize. At the back pf the pulpit hung the 8-day clock and was kept running by S. P. Sanders.

Mrs. S. P. Sanders kept fresh white scarfs across the pulpit and table in front of the pulpit. A bucket of fresh water sat on a shelf by the side door, brought from the well of Mr. Fleet McLeese. The first member to arrive at the Church would seep the floor and build a fire during the cold weather in a wood stove.

About August of each year patricked meeting was held each day for a week. The visiting Minister usually visited member's homes for lodging and meals. Quilts were placed under the pews for small children to sleep or rest. The front pew was known as the Amen Corner and was filled with men who shouted praise and Amen's; also Mrs. Margaret Abbott was known to shout.

The Sunday school records kept by Mrs. Lillian (W. O.) Ellenburg, March 25, 1924 reveals there were four Sunday School Classes taught by Mrs. C. D. Gillespie, Mrs. S. P. Sanders, and Mrs. J. M. Abbott and Mrs. L. O. Nickelson. The total amount of

collections that was taken this day was 64 cents and cash on hand was \$3.32. Oscar (Buck) Ellenburg, who was the Sunday School Superintendent, ask for a little more offering to buy Sunday School Literature. Mrs. Ellenburg served 14 years as Sunday School Secretary.

The members were always concerned about the children who lived at Connie Maxwell 's Children Home and would donate regularly. In 1927 Rev. A. P. Marett was the Pastor and received the collection of the day as his pay, which was usually 2 or 3 dollars. Mrs. Charles Knox organized the first B. Y. P. U. in 1927. From 1927-37 the following Pastors served Hopewell: Rev. C. B. Garrett, M. F. Julian, P. F. Capell, M. F. Julian and Preston Garrett. Mr. Garrett met Miss Elizabeth Mattison, a musician here and she became his wife.

Mrs. C. A. Mattison worked to organize a Woman's Missionary Union but was not successful at this time. The mid week services were started in 1938 and Rural Electricity came to the community. In 1943 Rev. Thompson returned as Pastor for the third time, although he was retired and lived in Greenville. He came to Seneca by bus because of gas rationing.

In 1946 Rev. Claude Landreth became the Pastor for mid week services, W. M. U. and auxiliaries for young people began growing and a bus was purchased. Then in 1949 a new church building was built and the old building was sold and torn down. The new building consisted of an Auditorium, 10 Sunday school rooms, a small nursery and a library. The first service was held July 2, 1950. The land was purchased in 1951 for a 7 room brick Pastorium.

The Rev. R. E. Pumpkin came August 30, 1953 as Supply Pastor and Rev. E. A. Osborne came October 4, 1953 as Pastor. Mission work was started in the Bounty Land Community April 4, 1955 and members at their request left Hopewell to organize a Church. In 1955 plans were made to build a recreation center and the land was bought for a parking lot, 11 additional Sunday school rooms and a new Auditorium was built and a Hammond Organ was purchased. The membership increased to 390 members.

The year 1958 was a special time for Hopewell. Sunday, May 18th was the 100th Birthday Celebration with the Rev. Z. I Henderson, who had been the Pastor 43 years ago, brought the morning Message. Mrs. Ora Johnson baked a 30-pound cake for the celebration and a tuning fork was used for the afternoon singing.

Then in 1959 a set of By Laws was set up, such as Church Discipline, granting letters and electing officers. Those to serve on Committees were Wilson Richardson, Ira Gibson, and Mrs. F. E. Gaines, Mrs. W. W. Cromer and the Pastor. The Church furnished a room at Oconee Memorial Hospital.

Then in 1960 John Sanders, son of Dillard and Marty Sanders was ordained a Deacon and was now serving as a Chaplin in the Air Force. Rev. A. E. Osborne resigned September 25, 1960 as Pastor and Rev. Harold Howard was elected Interim Pastor. Rev. C. F. Candler came March of 1961 as Pastor. On September 17, 1962 the Mortgage on the Fellowship Building was burned and September Mrs. E. A. Corbett, W. M. U. President presented awards for Hopewell's First Coronation to Patti Bowen, Sandra and Dianne Spiva, Sharon Jones, Jane Bryant, Debbie Hopkins, and Rebecca Liner.

The Mortgage on the Church and organ was burned August 15, 1965. In July 1966 Conference a vote was taken on remodeling the old Auditorium. Rev. Harry Floyd was elected as Pastor on August 31, 1969 and a new pipe organ was installed January 2, 1970. On March 5, 1970 land was bought in front of the church. Plans were made in 1971 for a new Pastorium to be started and ground was broken April 5, 1972 then open house was held September 9, 1973. Later on October 14, 1973 land was purchased for a recreation area and on August 3, 1977 plans to renovate both Auditoriums were made and on April 9, 1978 the first service was held in the newly renovated Auditorium.

Rev. Floyd retired July 31, 1981 as Pastor and Rev. Ronnie Cox came as Pastor and Education and Music Director served Mrs. Kay Cox and Mrs. Winnie Pace served as interpreters for the deaf. Rev. Jack B. Mullinax came as present Pastor, March 27, 1988

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Submitted by Anne Sheriff

Possible Confederate Soldiers buried at Carmel Presbyterian Church

110 Carmel Church Road, Liberty, SC 29642 864-859-6513

N34 52.336 x W82 36.522

claytonroom@swu.edu

Barkley, John W. (25 Nov 1832) (25 Jun 1901)

Barkley, Elizabeth (27 Feb 1837) (30 Aug 1901)

Carmel Presbyterian Church

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Pickens Cem. II, p. 168. (GenWeb Project, P026)

N34 45.330 W082 38.547

Co. F, 1st SC Cavalry. Age is 25 at enlistment

Discharged by Surgeon 28 May 1863.

Born in Anderson District, 27 yrs old, 21 May 1863.

Needs further research because of age difference.

Census: 1860, 1870, 1880, 1900



Boggs, Joseph Addison (11 Feb 1825) (10 Jan 1894)

Boggs, Jane Sabema Tempton (31 Oct 1829) (1 Oct 1855) (no tombstone)

Boggs, Eunice Pauline Templeton (d/o Walter & Sallie Templeton Stewart)

Carmel Presbyterian Church

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Pickens Cem. II, p. 166. (GenWeb Project, P026)

N34 45.337 W082 38.540

J. A. Boggs. Co. D, "Gist's Rifles", Hampton Legion Infantry

Served in First Battle of Bull Run

Captured in Richmond at Jackson Hospital 3 Apr 1865, VA.

Trans. from Libby Prison to Newport News on 23 Apr 1865.

Oath of Allegiance at Newport News, VA on 26 Jun 1865. Residence

is Anderson District, light complexion, light hair, blue yes, 5 ft. 9 inches tall.

"T. Addison Boggs of Liberty, SC died at his home the 10 Jan 1894."

People's Journal Newspaper, 18 Jan 1894.

"Mrs. J. Addison Boggs died at her home near Liberty, SC the 19 Apr and was buried at the cemetery in Liberty." *People's Journal Newspaper*, 26 Apr 1900.

Census: 1850, 1860, 1870, 1880



Boggs, Thomas Edward (2 Oct 1847) (2 Dec 1877)

Carmel Presbyterian Church

110 Carmel Church Road, Liberty, SC 29642

Pickens Cem. II, p. 167. (GenWeb Project, P026)

N34 45.308 W082 38.532

Citadel cadet during war. Source: *The Scotch-Irish and Carmel Presbyterian Church in Old Pendleton District of South Carolina, 1775-1785*, p. 61, by Charles Busha.

Census: 1850, 1860, 1870



Boggs, Thos. Hamilton LT COL (6 May 1823) (6 JUL 1862)
 Boggs, Martha Ann Hamilton (19 Jun 1821) (7 Jun 1892)
 Carmel Presbyterian Church
 110 Carmel Church Road, Liberty, SC 29642
 Pickens Cem. II, p. 167. (GenWeb Project, P026)
 N34 45.305 W082 38.526
 Organized 5h SC Rifle Battalion that evolved into
Co. E, 2nd SC Rifles Infantry. Lieutenant Colonel.
 Battle of Fair Oaks/Seven Pines, Wounded
 Died at home of "malignant fever" 6 Jul 1862.
 Census: 1850, 1860



Boggs, Thomas K. (1844-1925) (Plaque says T. R. Boggs)
 Carmel Presbyterian Church
 110 Carmel Church Road, Liberty, SC 29642
 Pickens Cem. II, p. 0. (GenWeb Project, P026)
Co. D, Hampton Legion

T.R. Boggs appears on the Civil War marker at Carmel Presbyterian Church, but it probably should be Thomas K. Boggs who served in Co. D (Gist Rifles), Hampton Legion. (Busha, 62)
 Census: 1850, 1860,



This could be Thomas Kennedy Boggs buried at Decatur City Cemetery in Decatur, AL. One database reports he died on 19 Sep 1926 in Albany, Alabama. Further research is needed.



Thomas Hamilton Boggs
 Find a Grave Website

Bramlett, Elizabeth (6 Mar 1832) (8 Feb 1905)
 Who is her husband?
 Carmel Presbyterian Church
 110 Carmel Church Road, Liberty, SC 29642
 Pickens Cem. II, p. 166. (GenWeb Project, P026)
 N34 45.321 W082 38.535



Brown, Mary H. Earle (6 Dec 1847) (7 May 1890)

Richard S. Brown (No tombstone)

Carmel Presbyterian Church

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Pickens Cem. II, p. 171. (GenWeb Project, P026)

"Mrs. Mary Brown, wife of Richard Brown, died at the home of her husband near Slabtown on the 7th instant. She was the daughter of D.J.W. Earle and sister of Dr. George W. Earle. The funeral was held at Carmel." *Pickens Sentinel* Newspaper, 15 May 1890.

Possible Confederate Service:

7th Cav., Co. K; 1st (Butler's) Inf., Co. I; Hampton Legion,

Co. G; 7th Cav., Co. F; Lt. Arty. 3rd (Palmetto), Co. E, G;

8th Bn., Co. D; 19th Inf., Co. E; 26th Inf., Co. E.

Cannot locate census records.



Davis, J. O.

Plaque to soldiers buried in Carmel Cemetery

Cannot locate the grave

Earle, James Washington (Dr.) (26 Dec 1812) (5 Jul 1899) Artist and Musician

Earle, Amanda M. [Benson] (b. 9 Mar 18__) (__ 12, 1890)

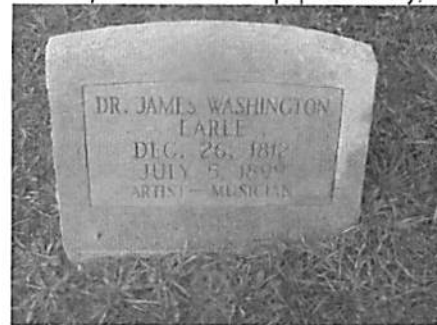
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Pickens Cem. II, p. 171. (GenWeb Project, P026)

N34 45.355 W082 38.507

The Peoples Journal Newspaper obituary, 13 Jul 1899.



Ellenberg, H.J.

Plaque to Soldiers Buried in Carmel Cemetery

Cannot locate the grave

Chapman, Sarah K. Smith (5 Sep 1834) (19 Nov 1901)

Chapman, Sarah K. Smith (30 Aug 1825) (7 Apr 1901) according to Busha Book, p. 61.

Chapman, William Asberry (1826) (17 Jan 1864)-No Tombstone

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Pickens Cem. II, p. 166. (GenWeb Project, P026)

N34 45.323 W082 38.537



Ellenburg, Hezekiah Watson (7 Dec 1846-in Edgefield) (25 Feb 1920) CSA. Census indicates he was born 8 Dec 1846.

Ellenburg, Lucinda Bailey Green (8 Nov 1848) (31 Jul 1914)

Carmel Presbyterian Church

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Pickens Cem. II, p. 172. (GenWeb Project, P026)

N34 45.354 W082 38.496

H. Ellenburg, Co. E, 1st (Butler's) Infantry

H. Ellenburg, H. 1st (Butler's) State Troops, Co. E.

Surrendered at Augusta, GA on 18 May 1865

Paroled at Augusta, GA, 18, 1865.

Listed as a Confederate Soldier on 1910 Census

SC Confederate Pension, 1919. Co. K, 1st SC Troops

Census: 1850, 1860, 1880, 1900

SC Death Certificate, 1920





Hezekiah & Lucinda Ellenburg
Ancestry.com

Fennell, Frederick G. (b. ca. 1845) (d. 27 Jul 1864)

No Tombstone

Son of Hardy J. & Mahala Garner Fennell

Carmel Presbyterian Church

110 Carmel Church Road, Liberty, SC 29642

Pickens Cem. II, p. 169. (GenWeb Project, P026)

Fennell, F.G. Co. I, Palmetto Sharpshooters

Enlisted at Pendleton 1 Aug 1863 and reenlisted at Morristown, TN on 15 Jan 1864.

Wounded at Wilderness 6 May 1864.

Died of acute dysentery at Gordonsville Hospital on 27 Jul 1864.

Charles Busha's reports in his book on Carmel Church (p. 63) that this brother of Tillman G. Fennell died during the Civil War.

Do not know where he is buried.

Fennell, Henry L. (d. 4 Aug 1864)

No Tombstone

Son of Hardy J. & Mahala Garner Fennell

Carmel Presbyterian Church

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Fennell, H.L. Co. G, 22nd SC Infantry

Detailed to Fort Sumter since 21 Feb 1864.

Died at Jackson Hospital in Richmond, VA on 4 Aug 1864 of acute diarrhea. He was in Elliott's Brigade.

Do not know where he is buried.

Fennell, Tillman Garner (13 Sep 1830) (18 Feb 1915) CSA

Son of Hardy J. & Mahala Garner Fennell

3rd Marriage. Fennell, Nettie

Carmel Presbyterian Church

110 Carmel Church Road, Liberty, SC 29642

Pickens Cem. II, p. 169. (GenWeb Project, P026)

N34 45.321 W082 38.532

Tilman G. Fennell. Co. I, 4th SC Infantry

Co. K, Huff's Mounted Battalion under Cpt. Goodwin

Paroled at Appomattox Court House on 9 Apr 1865

Listed on 1910 Census as Confederate Soldier

Census: 1850, 1860, 1870, 1880, 1900, 1910



Fennell, William M. (1833-6 Sep 1864)

(No Tombstone)

Son of Hardy J. & Mahala Garner Fennell

Fennell, Mary A. (b. ca. 1841-1860 Census)

Carmel Presbyterian Church

110 Carmel Church Road, Liberty, SC 29642

Pickens Cem. II, p. 169. (GenWeb Project, P026)

W.M. Fennell, Co. G, 22nd Infantry

Enlisted 17 Jan 1862.

Parole of Prisoners taken by Maj. Gen. J.G. Foster. Parole at Kinston, NC on 15 Dec 1862.

Detailed in Fort Sumter since 21 Feb 1864.

Captured in front of Petersburg, VA, 30 Jul 1864.

Arrived at City Point 5 Aug 1864; Point Lookout, MD; transferred to Elmira, NY, 8 Aug 1864. Died 6 Sep 1864 of chronic diarrhea.

Buried 173 Section, G?, Woodlawn Cemetery.

Fowler, Charlotte (1 Aug 1840) (30 May 1908)

Fowler, John T. (b Aug 1840-1900 Census) (No tombstone at Carmel)

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Pickens Cem. II, p. 169 (GenWeb Project, P026)

N34 45.314 W082 38.520



Grice, Daniel MAJ. CSA (20 Jul 1826) (19 May 1896)

Grice, Isabella C. Boggs (7 Aug 1836) (20 Mar 1909)

Carmel Presbyterian Church

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Pickens Cem. II, p. 168 (GenWeb Project, P026)

N34 45.331 W082 38.543

D. Grice. Co. F & S, 3rd SC Reserves (Major Grice)

Further research is needed on this soldier.

"He was born in Georgia and married Miss Boggs." details. *People's Journal Newspaper*, 1 Oct 1896.



Hamilton, John Archibald. (b. ca. 1836) (d. 21 Sep 1862)

Son of Lemuel Greenlee and Climelia Abigail Ariail Hamilton

Carmel Presbyterian Church

110 Carmel Church Road, Liberty, SC 29642

Pickens Cem. II, p. 167

(GenWeb Project, P026)

N34 45.304 W082 38.530

John A. Hamilton, Co. I, 4th SC Vols., 2nd Lieutenant

J.A. Hamilton, 6th SC Cavalry (Aiken's Reg't Partisan Rangers)

Remarks: "Sent home from Camp Preston. Died the 21st of Sept., 1862."

Census: 1860



Hamilton, John C. (27 Sep 1831- 28 Apr 1861)

Name is on plaque of soldier at Carmel Church.

Co. G, 27th SC Infantry (Volunteers)

He is buried at Enon Baptist Church Cemetery

Hamilton, Lemuel G. (b. 8 Dec 1810) (12 May 1889)

Hamilton, Climelia (b. 1 Oct 1814) (d. 18 Mar 1896)

Listed on the plaque at Carmel as soldier.

In 1861 he would have been 51 yrs. old.

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Pickens Cem. II, p.

(GenWeb Project, P026)

Census: 1850, 1860, 1870, 1880



Hinton, Jeremiah/John Thompson (23 Mar 1835) (9 Jul 1908)

Hinton, Emily C. Verillion (d. 16 Jun 1858)

Hinton, N. Elizabeth Fennell. (21 Jan 1835) (6 Oct 1897)

Carmel Presbyterian Church

110 Carmel Church Road, Liberty, SC 29642

Pickens Cem. II, p. 169 (GenWeb Project, P026)

N34 45.316 W082 38.530

Co. I, (Pickens Guards) 4th SC Volunteers (Infantry) Corporal

Gun Shot Wound Apr 1861.

Discharged 6 Dec 1861. Born in Anderson Dist., 5' 10" tall, dark complexion, dark eyes, dark hair. Gun Shot wound at Manassas in left shoulder on 21 Jul 1861.

Census: 1850, 1860, 1880, 1900



Hunt, William Pickens (18 Aug 1838) (23 Aug 1864)
 Son of Ransom and Martha Hunt (Source: 1850 Census)
 Carmel Presbyterian Church
 110 Carmel Church Road, Liberty, SC 29642
 Pickens Cem. II, p. 167 (GenWeb Project, P026)
 N34 45.304 W082 38.530
 Written on the Tombstone: "Fell at Gravel Run VA on 23 Aug 1864"
 in the 26th year of his age.



Knight, John Warren (4 Mar 1844) (13 Nov 1894)
 Son of Warren & Amanda Knight
 Never Married
 Carmel Presbyterian Church
 110 Carmel Church Road, Liberty, SC 29642
 Pickens Cem. II, p. 168 (GenWeb Project, P026)
 N34 45.328 W082 38.546
 Co. C, 4th SC Cavalry
 Census: 1850, 1860, 1880



Kelly, W. Jasper, (15 Feb 1844) (13 Feb 1891)
 Carmel Presbyterian Church
 110 Carmel Church Road, Liberty, SC 29642
 Pickens Cem. II, p. 166 (GenWeb Project, P026)
 N34 45.329 W082 38.547

The following is information on William J. Kelley who joined in Walhalla and seems to be from Eastatoe. Author unable to make a connection to the Carmel Region.

*William J. Kelley. Co. G, 12th Infantry
 Hospital at Culpepper, VA on 29 Sep 1862.
 Nov/Dec 1862. Wounded in Battle of Manassas & furloughed home.
 Jul/Aug, 1863. Left in PA to nurse wounded.
 Captured 4 Jul 1863, Gettysburg, PA.
 Received at Fort Delaware during Aug 1863 from Ft. McHenry, MD.
 Oath of Allegiance at Fort Delaware, Delaware
 Residence, Pickens, SC. Fair complexion, light hair, blue eyes, 5' 8" tall. Released 10 Jun 1865.
 More research is needed on this soldier.*

Knight, Warren W. (4 May 1816) (30 Aug 1902)
 Knight, Amanda Robinson (19 Jan 1819) (22 Nov 1899)
 Carmel Presbyterian Church
 110 Carmel Church Road, Liberty, SC 29642
 N34 45.327 W082 38.547
 Pickens Cem. II, p. 168 (GenWeb Project, P026)
 [Cannot locate a record. He would have been 46 years old in 1861.]



Lay, Charles Middleton (4 Jan 1820) (6 Dec 1863)
 Lay, Elizabeth Boggs d. 90 years.
 Carmel Presbyterian Church
 110 Carmel Church Road, Liberty, SC 29642
 Pickens Cem. II, p. 167 (GenWeb Project, P026)
 Plaque at Carmel Presbyterian as Confederate Soldier
 N34 45.306 W082 38.515

Unsure of service
 Co. C, 27th SC Infantry-Reports after Dec 1863.
 Charles Lay died 6 Dec 1863.
 Co. F, 1st Charleston Batt'n, SC Inf. Enlisted at 28 yrs. Not
 correct age.
 More research is needed on this potential soldier.



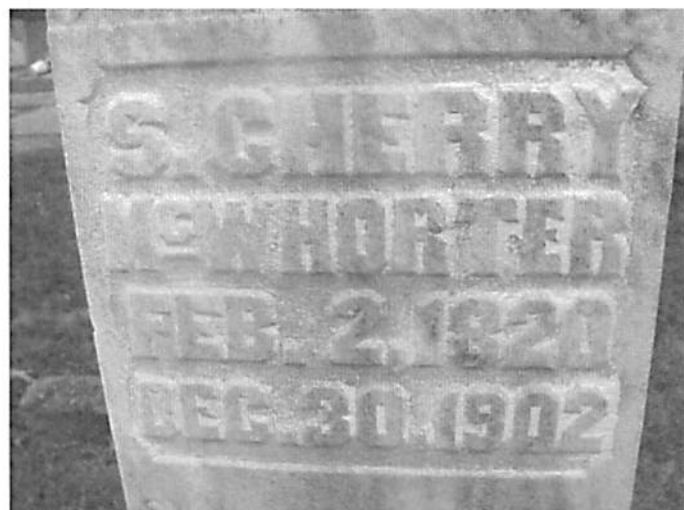
McWhorter, James Alva (1839-1915)
 4 Years Confederate Army
 McWhorter, N.E.O. Young. (22 Mar 1842) (8 Jun 1908)
 Carmel Presbyterian Church
 110 Carmel Church Road, Liberty, SC 29642
 Pickens Cem. II, p. 171 (GenWeb Project, P026)
 N34 45.351 W082 38.504
 Co. I, 4th SC Volunteers (Infantry)
 Co. E, 2nd SC Rifles
 First Battle of Bull Run at Manassas
 Surrendered at Appomattox Court House, 9 Apr 1865
 Census: 1860, 1880, 1900, 1910



McCann, Robert Julius Walker (23 Feb 1845) (11 Aug 1871)
 Carmel Presbyterian Church
 110 Carmel Church Road, Liberty, SC 29642
 Pickens Cem. II, p. 169 (GenWeb Project, P026)
 N34 45.311 W082 38.520
 Co. F, 1st Cavalry
 Census: 1850, 1860, 1870



McWhorter, S. Cherry (2 Feb 1820) (30 Dec 1902)
 McWhorter, Sarah Jane. (11 Sep 1835) (10 Mar 1918)
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 Pickens Cem. II, p. 172 (GenWeb Project, P026)
 N34 45.356 W082 38.503
 Co. F, 1st Cavalry. Samuel Y. McWhorter in this outfit but could not
 locate a Samuel C. McWhorter.
 Census: 1860, 1880, 1900



Richardson, Charles Pinckney (7 May 1837) (30 Apr 1864)

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N34 45.328 W082 38.546

Charles P. Richardson. **Co. D, Hampton Legion. Age 22**

C.P. Richardson. **Co. I, Palmetto Sharp Shooters**

Wounded 20 Jun 1862 (7 day battles before Richmond)

Wounded and in hospital. Sep/Oct 1863

Jan/Feb 1864. Reenlisted at Morristown, TN on 16 Jan 1864. (Third Enlistment)

"Charles Pickney died of wounds received in the battle of Fraser's Farm, VA, also called the Battle of Glendale." Source:

<http://freepages.genealogy.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~katy/murphy/b19763.html>

He died at home. Mrs. Hester Richardson, his mother, filed death claim on 14 Nov 1864.



Richardson, Noah T. (15 Apr 1812) (18 Aug 1862)

Richardson, Hester (5 Jan 1814) (25 May 1896)

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Richardson, William Ezekiel Murphy (13 Dec 1840) (30 Jun 1862)

[Burial site is unknown]

s/o Noah Tindall & Hester Charity Murphy Richardson

Co. I, "Pickens Guards", 4th SC Infantry

Co. I, Palmetto Sharp Shooters, Sergeant (Age 21)

Missing on 29 Aug 1861 after Battle at Manassas, VA on 21 Jul 1861

Died of wounds received on 30 June 1862. Report indicates he was born in Anderson, SC.

Died in Seven-Day battles before Richmond, VA.

Census: 1850, 1860

Robinson, James K. (16 Nov 1842) (24 Apr 1900)

Robinson, Sarah E. (1846) (27 Oct 188_)

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Roberson, J.K. (See James K. Robinson). When you go to that place, you cannot locate the Compiled Service Record.

First Co. H, 7th SC Infantry (First Sergeant) (Written as 2nd Co. H. in Broadfoot's Book, p. 414)

Richardson, John Franklin (25 Sep 1836) (5 Apr 1878)

Richardson, Hattie A. (4 Oct 1840) (21 Aug 1865)

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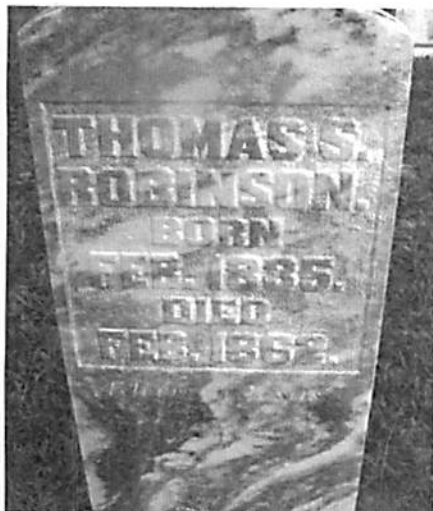
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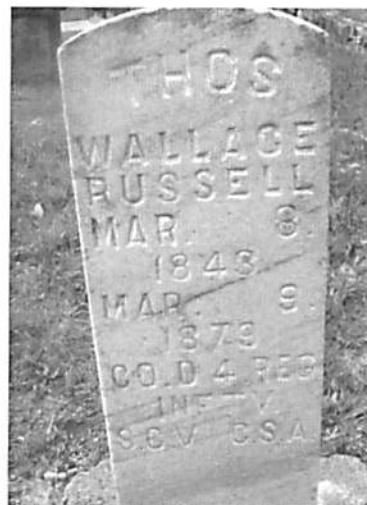
Unable to prove Confederate service.



Robinson, Thomas S. (Feb 1835) (Feb 1862)
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 Pickens Cem. II, p. 170 (GenWeb Project, P026)
 Unable to locate Confederate Service



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 Pickens Cem. II, p. 169 (GenWeb Project, P026)
 N34 45.318 W082 38.534
 Thomas Wallace Russell, Co. D, 4th SC Infantry
 Slightly wounded at Manassas on 29 Aug 1861.
 Discharged from Co. D, 4th SC Infantry 30 Apr 1862.
 T.W. Russell, Co. D, Hampton Legion (2nd LT)
 Paroled at Appomattox Court House, VA
 Census: 1850, 1860, 1870



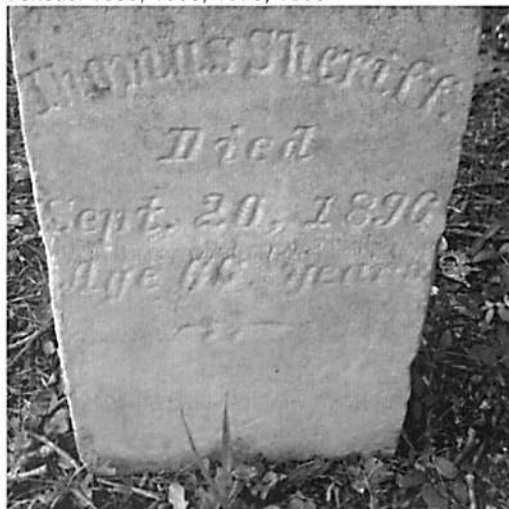
Russell, Thomas H. (Major) (10 Sep 1820) (24 Jul 1905)
 Russell, Martha J. Hamilton (25 Jan 1823) (31 Mar 1885)
 Russell, Eliza A. (1830) (1897). 2nd wife
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 Pickens Cem. II, p. 169-170 (GenWeb Project, P026)
 N34 45.321 W082 38.534
 T.W. Russell, Co. F, 1st SC Cavalry. Lieutenant
 Thomas Russell, Co. A, Robert's Regiment, Commander
 Census: 1850, 1860, 1870



Sheriff, Thomas (d. 20 Sep 1896) (d. 66 years old)
 Sheriff, Sisroe (d. 1 Dec 1916) Age 51 years old.
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 Pickens Cem. II, p. 171 (GenWeb Project, P026)
 N34 45.2998 W082 38.508

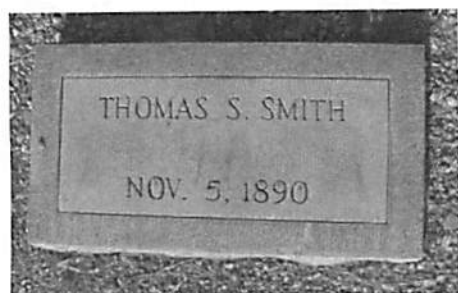
Information below from Busha's book on Carmel Church
"Sheriff had a physical disability caused by a lame leg and was exempted from military service in 1864. But during the Civil War, he helped to search for Confederate deserters and worked at a gunpowder factory in the Powdersville area of Anderson County, SC."

Census: 1850, 1860, 1870, 1880



Russell, Thomas Wallace (8 Mar 1843) (9 Mar 1879)
 Russell, Alice Melvina Earle (11 Feb 1845) (21 Dec 1920)
 Thomas Russell & Alice Earle married 30 Nov 1865
 Alice Earle Russell married T.F. Bruce and is buried in West View cemetery in Easley, SC.
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Smith, Thomas (d. 5 Nov 1890)
 Smith, Jane O. (26 May 1842) (6 Jul 1920)
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 Unable to locate Confederate Service



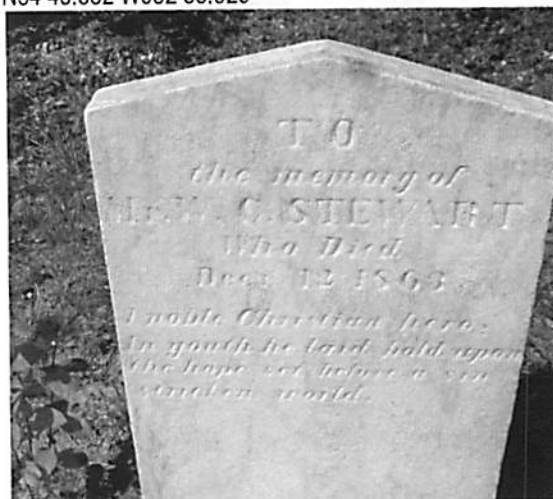
Stewart, J.P. (19 Feb 1837) (14 Feb 1874)
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 Pickens Cem. II, p. 167 (GenWeb Project, P026)
 Stuart, J.P. Co. K, Hampton Legion. Enlisted in York by Bowen.
 Samuel Stewart and W.C. Stewart are in Hampton Legion in Co. D.
 Unable to verify Confederate Service



Stewart, Samuel Dixon (4 Mar 1840) (25 Mar 1923)
 Stewart, Esther Catherine "Kate" Templeton (1837/8-1919)
 Both buried in an unmarked graves at Carmel.
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 Pickens Cem. II, not listed (GenWeb Project, P026)
 Co. D "Gist Rifles", Hampton Legion-Sergeant
 Enlisted 12 Jun 1861 in Columbia by Capt. Calhoun (1 yr.)

Mustered in Bacon Race, VA on 28 Aug 1861
 Wounded at Sharpsburg, MD on 23 Sep 1862

Stewart, W.C. (d. 12 Dec 1863)
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Taylor, Anna Boggs (2 Aug 1820) (4 Sep 1895)
 Husband is Taylor, George W. (b. ca. 1825-1860 Census)
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 George W. Taylor is listed on 1860 census with his wife and children but not 1870.
 Taylor, G.W., Co. E, 2nd SC Rifles. Jan/Feb 1865. "Detailed as blacksmith in Pickens Dist., SC until 1 Mar 1865 under Sec. of War." Samuel F. Templeton and other Pickens County Soldiers are in this unit.
 Unable to verify service and when he died. There are several G.W. Taylor's and one George W. Taylor. A George Taylor (Co. H, 14th SCVI) died on 10 Jun 1862 in Richmond, VA. He is buried in Hollywood Cemetery, P173. Unable to locate one that died in service. More research is needed.



Templeton, Samuel Fairburne (1842) (d. 12 Dec 1863)
"A wife's tribute, 35 years of age."

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Pickens Cem. II, p. 167 (GenWeb Project, P026)
Co. E, 2nd SC Rifles. Mar/Apr 1863. "Dropped from Company Rolls.
Belongs to the Band."

Musician, 2nd SC Rifles
Mar/Apr 1864. "Absent on furlough of indulgence."
Paroled at Appomattox Court House, 9 Apr 1865.
If Samuel Templeton died 12 Dec 1863, then the above is not the correct soldier.

Revolutionary War Soldiers Buried at Carmel Presbyterian Church

Hamilton, Thomas (4 Jul 1758) (d. 2 May 1856) (94 yrs. of age)
Hamilton, Ann Kennedy (d. 24 Mar 1836) (76 yrs. old) – Buried
about four miles from site.

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Hamilton, Ann Kennedy (d. 24 Mar 1836) (76 yrs. old) – Buried
about four miles from site.

Lived at Hamilton's Ford on the Broad River during War.

Hamilton, David (Sr.) 3 Jan 1750) (4 Oct 1837) (Lieutenant)

Born in Scotland

Revolutionary War, SC Militia

Private two years & 6 months

Lieutenant for five months

Battles: Rocky Mount, Hanging Rock, Blackstocks, Shuebricks
Plantation, Shumates



Florida War Soldier Buried at Carmel Presbyterian Church

Hamilton, David K. (Colonel-Tombstone) (22 Feb 1793) (18 Mar
1873)

Hamilton, Jane E. (23 Feb 1792) (10 Aug 1872)

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Charles Busha writes in his book that David Kennedy Hamilton served
in the War of 1812 under General Andrew Jackson. (Busha, 51)



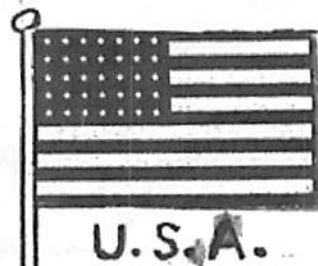
CIVIL WAR

GUS DEAN'S RECOLLECTIONS

By Augustus Aaron Dean

Notes by Charles H. Busha

PART SIX



(Note: Gus Dean continues to discuss events during the Battle of the Wilderness in this part of his memories of the Civil War.)

A few minutes after we were ordered forward, we turned and went out into the road. Our men were driving the Yankees back so fast. Gen. Longstreet was at the front of our regiment with his staff. Some Virginians mistook us for Yankees, fired on us, and killed Gen. Jenkins. His horse ran about twenty steps and Gen. Jenkins fell off. Gen. Longstreet was (also) wounded badly. He turned, rode back, and just as he got to the rear of our regiment, he fell from his horse, but Cannon Cox, a man that belonged to our company and was on the Ambulance Corps, caught him before he got to the ground. Gen. Lee came right up to where we were in a few minutes, and (he) asked, "Who commands here?" Col. Bowen (39) said, "I command this regiment, General, but I am not the Senior

NOTE

(39) Col. Robert Esli Bowen (1830-) was a native of the Georges Creek section of Pickens District, S.C. He was a son of John T. Bowen (1801-1871) and Elvira Hunt Bowen (1811-1900), and he attended an old field school then studied survey techniques under his father's direction. He was also a successful farmer who entered Confederate military service as a first lieutenant in Company E, 2nd S.C. Rifle Battalion, which was soon reorganized as the 2nd S.C. Rifle (Moore's Regiment). Bowen was promoted to captain December 19, 1861 and to lieutenant colonel November 13, 1863. By January 12, 1864 he had been elevated to the rank of full colonel. Bowen participated in the Virginia campaigns of 1862-1863 and was wounded during the Wilderness campaign. His regiment was later sent to northern Georgia and to Tennessee. He was wounded in action at Lookout Mountain. Later, he led troops in Virginia until the end of the Civil War. Col. Bowen's wife was Martha Antionett Alaliza Oliver Bowen (1835-1907), daughter of Dr. James Oliver and Martha Leech Oliver. After the Civil War, Col. Bowen served in the S.C. House of Representatives (1864-1867) and the S.C. Senate (1874-1878). He was also active in the promotion and development of railroads in the upstate area of South Carolina. Bowen and his wife were buried in the old Pickens Family Cemetery situated in northern Anderson County at the original site of Carmel Presbyterian Church that eventually moved to Pickens County.




Colonel of the brigade." Gen. Lee said, "Send a courier for him." And when Col. Bratton (40) came, Gen. Lee said, "Colonel, take your men back on the right of the road again; I have no support there." We went back to the right. The fighting all stopped then for two hours or more. Our men were driving the Yankees back very fast till Gen. Jenkins was killed and Gen. Longstreet (was) wounded. If it was not for that the results of that battle would have been very different from what it was.

While the battle was stopped, the Yankees had time to reform their lines, get their men in good shape, and make breastworks so that when we attacked them later in the day, they were ready for us. Though they were driven out of some of the breastworks, yet that did not amount to much. A part of our brigade ran the Yankees out of their breastworks, and a part did not. Our regiment and the Palmetto Sharpshooters did not. We got very close to the Yankees but could not see them. We were at a little branch, and I was shooting when Capt. Philpot of Co. H was wounded a few steps from me, and (he) asked me to stop shooting. He was down and badly wounded. I suppose he thought if we stopped shooting the Yankees would too. There was a large dead tree behind me; a grape shot from a Yankee gun struck in a foot or two of me and went through the side of the tree. Col. Bowen was standing behind it, and I thought, "Poor fellow, you are gone." I thought he was killed, but he stepped out from behind the tree, brushed the bark and rotten wood off his clothes, and walked off down the line just as if there was no danger at all; yet the balls were coming like hail. They shot out a part of his coat tail off, almost as straight as if it had been cut with a pair of scissors. The firing ceased directly—we and the Yankees stopped. We remained there for a while and then went back up the hill and remained there that night and the next day, so (General) Grant had a chance to attack us again if he wished. But he concluded that there was a better way to Richmond than that (the Wilderness battlefield).

And now a few words about the number of men that (General) Grant had and the number of (General) Lee's army. Grant's available force, present for duty, May 1st, 1864, was by the official statement of the Federal Secretary of War, one hundred and forty-one thousand, one hundred and sixty-six men. During the month of May (1864), reinforcements to repair the losses of the Army of the Potomac, as the Yankee army was called, constantly arrived, making the number of Grant's force nearly or quite two hundred thousand men. Lee had present for duty at the same time, as the roll of the army


NOTE

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- (40) Confederate Gen. John Bratton (1831-1898) of South Carolina was born in Winnsboro. He fought in both the eastern and western theaters of the Civil War and rose from the rank of private to brigadier general. After General Micah Jenkins died of a battle wound, Gen. Bratton was placed in command of the fallen officer's former command which was the largest brigade in the Army of Northern Virginia. General Bratton was wounded at Appomattox, but he survived the war.


will show, fifty-two thousand, six hundred and twenty-six. Gen. Pickett (41) and Gen. Breckenridge (42) brought him afterwards probably ten thousand men. With about sixty-two thousand troops of all arms Lee fought from the Rapidan River to Petersburg, repulsing the assault of nearly or quite two hundred thousand.

As stated above, we remained there (at the Wilderness) all next day; soon after dark we left there, and after going a mile and a half or two miles there was a detail sent back to get the baggage that was on the battlefield, and I was one of the detail. We had to carry the extra baggage and (then) overtake our regiment. We had to march all night, and the woods had just been burned off. There were dead trees, stumps and logs still burning,

NOTES



(41) Confederate General George Edward Pickett (1825-1875) was a native of Norfolk, Virginia. He graduated from the U.S. Military Academy in 1846 and soon fought with distinction in the Mexican-American War. Later, he was commissioned as a colonel in the Confederate States Army. In February 1862 he was elevated in rank to brigadier general. Pickett was a gallant leader at Seven Pines and Gaines' Mill in Virginia, after which he was promoted to major general and commanded a division of Virginia troops. During the Battle of Gettysburg, he was ordered by General Lee to assault the Union army's center line with 4,500 troops on July 3, 1863. The troops were raked with gunfire and artillery shells and three quarters of them were killed during what became known as Pickett's Charge. On April 1, 1865, General Pickett participated in the greatest military quest of his career at the Battle of Five Forks in Virginia. The battle took seven days before the war ended in northern Virginia.




(42) Major General John Cabell Breckenridge (1821-1875) served as vice president of the United States in 1857-1861 under President James Buchanan. He was born in Lexington, Kentucky and into a prominent family that expected greatness from each of its members. He graduated from Centre College in Danville, Kentucky when he was eighteen. When Kentucky abandoned its first position of neutrality regarding the North-South military conflicts, Breckenridge fled his native state and joined the Confederacy. Despite a lack of military training and experience, he obtained a commission as a Confederate brigadier general and also commanded a division as a major general. He served ably in many Civil War battles, including Shilo, Vicksburg, Baton Rouge, Murfreesboro, Chickamauga, Missionary Ridge and Cold Harbor. Shortly before the end of the Civil War, General Breckenridge was appointed Confederate Secretary of War by President Jefferson Davis.

making it very smoky. There was a creek to cross—a bad crossing. The men would crowd up; those in the rear would have to go a few steps at a time and stop for an hour and a half or two hours. I got so tired and wanted to sit down, but the place where it had been burned over was black that I didn't want to sit down in it. After crossing the creek, we marched very fast to close up, and by that time it was daylight.

After the Battle of the Wilderness, when (General) Grant started to Richmond, he tried to go around us and beat us to Richmond. But when he got to Spottsylvania, he found a part of our army in front of him. There was a big battle there. Grant could not go on that way, so he tried to go around us again, but when he got to Hanover Junction, he found us in front of him again. He concluded that was not a good place for a fight, so he tried another route to Richmond. By the time he got down in front of Richmond, he had lost about sixty thousand men—about as many as Gen. Lee had, and Gen. Lee received but few reinforcements. Though Grant received so many and his army kept so large, it took him nearly a year to overpower us. After both armies got down in front of Richmond, there was more or less fighting somewhere along the line almost every day till the next winter.

Our command was in the Battle of Spottsylvania. (43) We were on the left and in the breastworks, and the enemy attacked us - - but it didn't amount to much. There was a field in our front, and we could see the Yankees when they were a way over on a hill. They came down into a hollow, so we could see them again till they came up to within about a hundred yards of us. Not many of them did that; most of them stopped before they got to where we could see them again. The Yankees attacked our men on the right that morning as soon as it got light enough to see. It was foggy, and they got close to our pickets before our pickets could see them. When our pickets got back to the breastworks, the Yankees were right behind them. Many of our men were asleep and were taken prisoners without firing a gun. Our men and the Yankees fought there all day. The Yanks (were) on one side of the breastworks, and our men on the other. There was a live oak tree twelve or fourteen inches in diameter that was shot down with minie balls and fell on the side of our men. James Moore was captain of A Company (and) was wounded and fell. Another man was either killed or badly wounded (and) fell across him, and the tree fell on them. They had to lie there the rest of the day and all night (on the Spottsylvania battlefield). ■

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- (43) The Battle of Spottsylvania Court House was fought in Virginia on May 18-19, 1864. After Union troops vacated the Wilderness battlefield on May 7, 1864, and moved toward Spottsylvania, they were sometimes hampered by Confederate cavalry forces. Moreover, Southern troops had already constructed extensive breastworks and other field fortifications near Spottsylvania in order to stop or impede the enemy's advance. Thus, a fierce and bloody engagement took place in the area. Union General U.S. Grant's forces were still attempting to reach and capture Richmond.

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February 21, 2012	Death, Burial, and Mourning Customs in the 18 th and 19 th Century by Dr. Tim Drake
March 20, 2012	Scott Alexander, Oconee Station
April 17, 2012	South Carolina Digital Information Project
May 9-12, 2012	National Genealogical Society Family History Conference in Cincinnati, Ohio
May 19, 2012 (Saturday)	Tour of Oconee Heritage Center and Dinner at the Center in Walhalla
June 19, 2012	Bruce Pruitt, South Carolina Land Grants
June 22, 23, 2012	100 Year Family Reunion at Southern Wesleyan University
July 13-14, 2012	South Carolina Genealogical Society State Conference
September 18, 2012	Mike Becknell, "Is Granny Crazy"

October 16, 2012	Scott Withrow, Cowpens, A Revolutionary War Battle
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November 20, 2012	Pot Luck Christmas Dinner at Trinity Wesleyan Church
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