

Old Pendleton District Messenger

Our Next Meeting

Tuesday, January 17, 2016 at 7 p.m.
Central Clemson Library
105 Commons Way
Central, SC

"Viewing Child Labor in the South
Through the Lens of Lewis Hine"

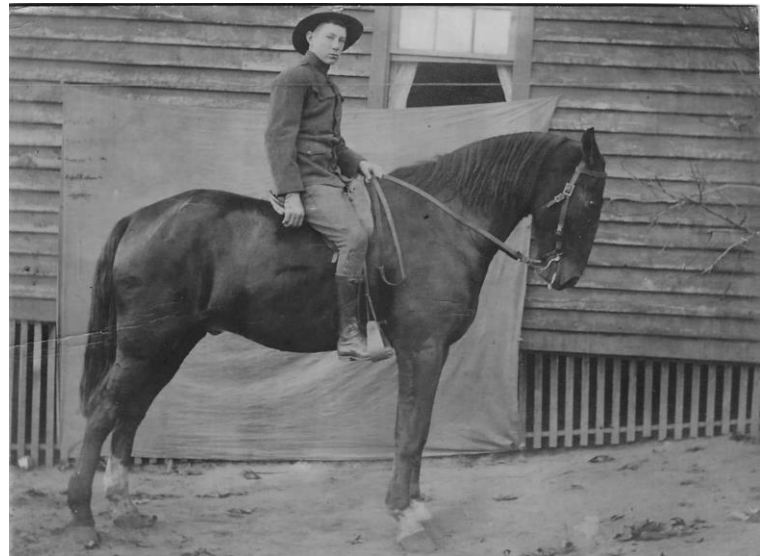
Speaker: Nan Jones

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Picture of Henry Cureton

**MEMBERS:
IT IS TIME TO RENEW YOUR
MEMBERSHIP FOR 2017.**

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About Our Newsletter

The Old Pendleton District Newsletter is published nine times a year: January through June and September through November; we do not publish in July, August and December. Please submit materials by the 23rd of each month. Submissions by our members are encouraged and will be used as space permits.

Send items to Barbara Clark at bscout279@att.net

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About Our Chapter

The Old Pendleton District Chapter of the South Carolina Genealogical Society is a nonprofit, 12-36-2120(40), educational organization designed to unite those interested in the Pickens and Oconee Counties, South Carolina history and family genealogy; to encourage the preservation of documents and records; to promote educational programs; and to publish local records, history and family genealogy. The Chapter's primary goal is to assist others in their search for their ancestors and origins of birthplace.

The Chapter meets every month, except July, August and December. Meetings are held on the third Tuesday of the month from 7 to 9 p.m. at the Central-Clemson Library.

The Chapter's genealogical and historical archives are housed at the Clayton Family History Center, located in the lower level of the Rickman Memorial Library on Southern Wesleyan University campus in Central, SC. This collection contains about 3,500 books and files on family histories, state and county sources, military histories, cemetery records, immigration and passenger lists. For more information send email to claytonroom@swu.edu.

The public is welcome to visit the Clayton Center anytime the Library is open. Normal operating hours are 7:45 a.m. to 11 p.m., Monday through Thursday, 7:45 to 5 p.m. on Friday, 1 to 5 p.m. on Saturday and 6 to 10 p.m. Sunday. Hours vary during summer, for holidays and during breaks in the school year. For more information call 864-644-5074, send email to library@swu.edu, or check their website at <http://www.swu.edu/academics/library/>

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Refreshments

January: LaMarr Brooks & Janet Norris

February: Quintell Walker

March: Needed

April: Katie Gillespie & Nancy Holcombe

May: Dinner (To be Determined)

June: Keith Brown & Anne Sheriff

September: Brenda Meyer

October: Barbara Clark and Mildred Brewer

November: Pot Luck Dinner at Trinity Wesleyan Church

Please notify Barbara Clark of any changes to this refreshment schedule. Drinks, plates, cups and eating utensils are provided.

Schools and Teachers in 1873

Source: Pickens Sentinel, 21 Jul 1887, p. 3

Easley Township

Holly Bush – J.F. Singleton
Oak Grove – Miss Sallie Mullikin
Cross Plains – Miss Rebecca Hunt
Turne's Hill – Miss Flora Richey
Easley – Prof. D.C. Lake
Barton – Miss Nettie Barton
Rock Springs – Rev. E.M. Merritt
Ballentine – Miss Lidie Robinson
George's Creek – Miss Minnie Bowen
Gossett School House – J.P. Freeman

Liberty Township

Flat Rock – J.A. McWhorter
Zion – Miss Lula Wyatt
Eighteen – Mrs. Mamie Bryant
Upper Eighteen – Miss Bettie Field
Liberty – Prof. D. Grice
Cross Roads – Miss Nannie Cox
Enon – Mrs. T.H. McWhorter

Central Township

Johnston – Mrs. Maggie Johnston
Central – Prof. C.W. Moore
Long Branch – Miss Hester Lewis

Hurricane Township

Palestine – Noah R. Hendricks
Six Mile – Miss Laura Thompkins
Praters – Miss Kanne Zachary
Flower – Miss Mary Allgood
Gap Hill – L.C. Craig
Crow Creek – Miss ____ Norris
Martin – G.A. Ellis
Nine Mile – Mrs. S.E.S. Stewart
Mile Creek – Miss Lidie Bowen

Pickens Township

Six Mile – Nannie Kirksey
Bethlehem – T.J. Mauldin
Tabor – Ed. Wyatt
Piney Grove – Robt. J. Kirksey
Porters Academy – Joel R. Griffin

Dacusville Township

Clear Creek – A.L. Springfield
Chapman & Centerville – John O. Davis
Cross Roads – W.W. F. Bright
Dacusville – Miss Mamie Philpot
Peter's Creek – Prof. J.O. Hanlon
Clark School House – Oscar Allgood

Pumpkintown Township

Oolenoy – Miss Laura Ellis
Pleasant Grove – W.F. Hendricks
Ambler – Willie H. Ambler

Eastatoe Township

Holly Springs – Mrs. J.T. Price
Rocky Bottom – D. Boroughs
Hampton – John Edens
Antioch – Hugh Murchison
Cane Creek – Not reported with teachers
Horse Pasture – Not reported with teachers
Shady Grove – Miss Corrie Ellis
Bethel – Joel Bowen

"Some of the schools have been taught out and some only a portion of the time allotted has been taught. Those in Pumpkintown and Eastatoe have their whole time to run. Eastatoe pays teachers by the month at the rate of \$23, \$18, and \$12, according to grade. The other townships pay \$25, \$20 and \$15 per month.

The names of teachers in colored public schools have not been reported. There are fifteen colored schools in the county."

South Carolina Reports and Resolutions

1869-1870

Pickens County

Oconee County report not received for inclusion

*Occupied by Students

Township 1

***Antioch School**, located in Township No. 1, supported by white citizens of the vicinity, for white pupils.

Cedar Rock School House, condition indifferent, constructed of logs, owned by the citizens of the vicinity, located in Township No. 1

***George's Creek Academy**, Township 1, supported by white citizens of the vicinity, for white pupils. **George's Creek Academy**, condition good, constructed of wood, framed and weather-boarded, owned by the citizens of the vicinity, located in Township No. 1. The house was built for the purpose of a Presbyterian Church and a school-house.

Watson's Union, condition good, constructed of wood, framed and weather-boarded, owned by the citizens of the vicinity, located in Township No. 1.

Township 2

Bradley's School House, condition indifferent, constructed of logs, owned by the citizens of the vicinity, located in Township No. 2.

***AEnon Academy**, Township 2, supported by white citizens of the vicinity, for white pupils.

AEnon School House, condition tolerably good, constructed of wood, framed and weather-boarded, owned by the citizens of the vicinity, located in Township No. 2.

Liberty School House, condition tolerable good, constructed of logs, owned by the citizens of the vicinity, located in Township No. 2.

***Shady Grove School**, Township No. 2, supported by white citizens of the vicinity, for white pupils.

Shady Grove School House, condition indifferent, owned by the citizens of the vicinity, located in Township No. 2, constructed of wood, framed and weather-boarded.

***Zion School**, Township No. 2, supported by white citizens of the vicinity, for white pupils.

Zion School House, condition good, constructed of logs, owned by the citizens of the vicinity, located in Township No. 2.

Township 3

Holly Springs School House, condition good, constructed of wood, framed and weather-boarded, owned by the citizens of the vicinity, located in Township 3.

***Philpot Academy**, Township No. 3, supported by white citizens of the vicinity, for white pupils.

Old Field Seminary, condition indifferent, constructed of logs, owned by the citizens of the vicinity, located in township No. 3.

Township 4

***Gap Hill School**, Township No. 4, supported by white citizens of the vicinity, for white pupils.

Gap Hill School House, condition bad, constructed of logs, owned by the citizens of the vicinity, located in Township No. 4.

Township 5

***Mountain Grove School**, Township No. 5, supported by white citizens of the vicinity, for white pupils.

Mountain Grove School House, condition indifferent, constructed of logs, owned by the citizens of the vicinity, located in Township No. 5.

Philpot Academy, condition good, constructed of wood, framed and weather-boarded, owned by citizens of the vicinity, located in Township 5.

***Tabor School**, Township No. 5, supported by white citizens of the vicinity, for white pupils.

Tabor School House, condition indifferent, constructed of logs, owned by the citizens of the vicinity, located in Township No. 5.

Wolf Creek Academy, condition good, constructed of wood, framed and weather-boarded, owned by citizens of the vicinity, located in Township No. 5.

Wolf Creek School House, condition indifferent, owned by the citizens of the vicinity, located in Township No. 5.

Township 6

***Cross Roads School**, located in Township No. 6, supported by white citizens of the vicinity, for white pupils.

Cross Roads School House, condition indifferent, constructed of logs, owned by the citizens of the vicinity, located in Township No. 6.

Dacusville Academy, condition good, constructed of wood, framed and weather-boarded, owned by the citizens of the vicinity, located in Township No. 6.

***Graball School**, Township 6, supported by colored citizens of the vicinity, for colored pupils. **Graball School House**, condition very bad, owned by colored citizens of the vicinity, located in Township No. 6.

Glassy Mountain School House, condition medium, constructed of logs, owned by the citizens of the vicinity, located in Township No. 6.

***Hendricks' School**, Township No. 6, supported by white citizens of the vicinity, for white pupils. **Hendricks' School House**, condition indifferent, owned by the citizens of the vicinity, located in Township No. 6, constructed of logs.

Peter's Creek School House, condition bad, constructed of logs, owned by the citizens of the vicinity, located in Township No. 6.

Township 7

Olenoy [sic] School House, condition good, constructed of wood, framed and weather-boarded, owned by the citizens of the vicinity, located in Township No. 7.

Township 8

***Laurels Springs School**, Township No. 8, supported by white citizens of the vicinity, for white pupils.

Laurel Springs School House, condition good, constructed of logs, owned by the citizens of the vicinity, located in Township No. 8.

Township Unknown

Mount Carmel School House, condition indifferent, constructed of logs, owned by citizens of the vicinity.

There are twenty-five school-houses in the County, and only thirteen of them occupied at the present time, leaving twelve unoccupied.

Dot Jackson Obituary

Dorothea Jackson, age 84, of Newland passed away on December 11, 2016 at her residence.

She was born August 10, 1932 in Dade County, FL. the daughter of the late Walter Woodin and Doretta Thode Mauldin.

Her parents came from the Mauldins, Garvins and Boggses of this region and had married against family wishes, finally having to flee the community after an uncle shot her daddy. But they stayed here in spirit and never really settled anywhere else.

Dorothea was a writer and wrote for The Charlotte Observer along with several other newspapers. She was inducted into the South Carolina Academy of Authors and the NC Journalism Hall of Fame. She was the winner of the National Conservation Writer of the Year Award, received the Order of the Silver Crescent and was nominated for a Pulitzer Prize.

While at the Charlotte Observer, she was instrumental in having the New River in North Carolina receive federal designation as a Wild and Scenic River, saving it for posterity. Her series of articles with Frye Gaillard of the Observer about the Catawba River and the people who lived along it culminated in a book, "The Catawba River," published in 1983.

She was on the board of the South Carolina Academy of Authors, was awarded South Carolina's Order of the Palmetto and produced a novel, "Refuge," published in 2006 and winner of the Novello Prize, by the Novello Festival Press of the Charlotte-Mecklenburg Public Library. It won the 2006 Weatherford Award and the Appalachian Book of the Year Award.

She was passionate about the environment and the conservation of natural resources, preservation of wildlife and folkways of rural Appalachia.

She was one of the original founders of the Birchwood Center for Arts and Folklife and was a moving force in its mission to preserve the heritage of the region. Her efforts to restore the Sutherland-Masters House on Birchwood property near Table Rock continued until her death, and although she did not live to see it finished, she did know it was well on its way.

She was a member of St. Johns Lutheran Church in Walhalla, SC.

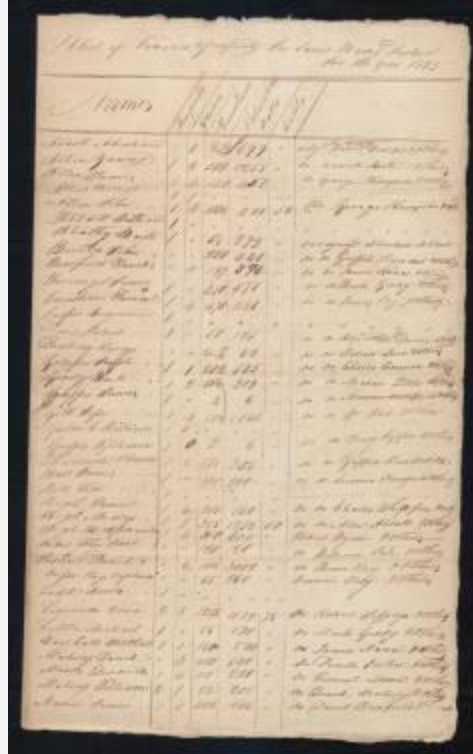
Words of comfort and memories may be shared with the family and viewed at www.rsfh.net.

Source: Reins-Sturdivant Funeral Home and *Pickens Courier* article by Olivia Fowler

North Carolina Tax Lists and Records

Posted by: **kevin** | January 3, 2017

Tax Lists and Records



Wake County tax list from the Treasurer & Comptroller Collection (Treasurer and Comptroller. State Archives of North Carolina.)

With tax season fast approaching, North Carolina State Archives unveils a new digital collection, entitled Tax Lists and Records, drawing from General Assembly, Treasurer & Comptroller and Secretary of State records. The bulk of the records are from the Colonial and Revolutionary War eras, but some lists date from as late as 1853.

Lists sent to the General Assembly are from various counties and give the names of the heads of households and others who were subject to taxation. Horses, cattle, livestock, and other luxury goods such as carriages and coaches are also often referenced. Information about slaves may also be present in these lists.

Tax records sent to the State Treasurer or Comptroller relate to the settlement of accounts between local officials and the state. These records generally include the names of the heads of households, acreage, valuation, and number of polls (a tax of a fixed amount levied on adult males, female heads of households and slaves) in the household (black and white). Horses, cattle, livestock, and other luxury goods such as carriages and coaches are also frequently referenced.

Thirty-four tax lists from the Secretary of State records list households subject to taxation in fifteen counties. Information in these records generally includes the name of the head of household, acreage, valuation, and number of polls in household (black and white). Counties included in these lists are: Beaufort, Bertie, Bladen, Brunswick, Camden, Carteret, Caswell, Chowan, Craven, Currituck, Dobbs, Gates, Granville, Halifax, Hertford, Johnston, Jones, Martin, Montgomery, Nash, New Bern District, Northampton, Onslow, Orange, Pasquotank, Perquimans, Pitt, Richmond, Rutherford, Sampson, Surry, Tyrrell, Warren, and Wilkes.

Source: North Carolina States Archives Blog dated January 3, 2017, <https://ncarchives.wordpress.com/2017/01/03/tax-lists-and-records>

Bible Record of the Ligon – McDaniel

Two pages – no title or copyright pages located.

Material is located in the Julia Alexander Collection in the Faith Clayton Room at Southern Wesleyan University, Central, SC.

Marriages

John T. Ligon and Frances, his wife was married July the 21. 1835

W.B. Ligon and Ellen Smith was married January 14. 1866 by Rev. Ballard

John T. Ligon and Emma Jane his wife was married 22nd 1866 by Rev. S C Freeman

J.B. Ligon and Annie his wife was married October 4th 1866 by Rev. Alexander Acker

J.H.G. McDaniel and Sallie J. Ligon was married Dec 16 1869 By Rev. William Ballard

Thomas. J. Ligon and Lizzie Garrison was married Dec 21st 1871. By Rev. Alexander Acker

Sarah Jane McDaniel wife of JHG McDaniel departed this life ~~December 6~~ November the 13th 1904/3

Florence Pauline McDaniel daughter of J.H.M and Sarah Jane McDaniel departed this life December 2nd 1903, age 22 years, 4 months and 8? Days.

Births

John T. Ligon Senr was, Born. June the. 8.th 1792

Frances. Ligon was Born August 22nd. 1808

James B. Ligon. Was, Born, August, 31st 1837

John. T. Ligon. Jnr was Born, March, 24th, 1839

William B. Ligon, was Born, May, 12 1841.

Edward. F. Ligon. Was. Born. Jany. The 3. 1843.

Thomas, J. Ligon was Born. Nov, the. 30. 1844

George . W. Ligon was Born. April. 8. 1847

Sarah Jane. Ligon. Was Born. Oct. 29. 1850

J.H.G. McDaniel was Born Nov 28th

Sallie. M. McDaniel was Born Oct 22 18__

Benjamin T. McDaniel was Born May 27th 187__

Edward G. McDaniel was Born November 30th 1872

Grace E. McDaniel was Born July 12 1874

Frances Elizabeth McDaniel Was Born October 28th 1876

Paul. P.M. McDaniel Was born September 9th 1878

Sarah McKenzie McDaniel was born Feby 18th 1880

Deaths

George Washington Ligon Departed this Life Jany. 13th 1849 aged 1 year 9 months & 5 days

John. T. Ligon Senr. Departed this life, aged 62 years June 29th 1857

Frances Ligon Departed this life Jany 19th 1891 aged 82 yrs. 4 months, 27 days Buried at Secona Baptist Church near Pickens C.H. SC

Sarah R/B McKenzie Departed this life February 2nd 1879 aged 89 years

Flora McBse? McDaniel Infant Daughters of Benj T. and Rosa Lee McDaniel Departed this life on the 8th day of January 1896, aged 4 months and 24 days, died at Ros___? Edgefield County, and buried by the side of her Gr and mother Ligon in Secona Baptist Church Pickens County S.C. Buried on 10 Jany 1896.

Remarks

W.B. Ligon. Enlisted Feb. 9th 1861

James B. Ligon Started to war 16th of April 1861

J.T. Ligon entered into hamptons Leagion May the 23, 1861

Edward F. Ligon volunteered in B goodletts company on the 17 of December 1861

T J? Ligon Started to war in Capt. (T.D.) Gruynus? Company May 6th 186? he entered in for during the war (1st Regt S.C. Vol. Col. Johnson Hagood Evans Brigade)

Parts of Bible Record Difficult to Read

The Consortium for Upstate South Carolina History

Battlefield Preservation

Posted: 05 Jan 2017 08:50 AM PST

We invite you to attend an Interest Meeting for the Upstate Battlefield Preservation Group. The purpose of the group is to discuss ways to preserve and protect land near these battlefield sites:

- Musgrove Mill State Historic Site
- Kings Mountain National Military Park
- Cowpens National Battlefield

Although our group will focus on these three battlefields, we anticipate our materials and resources will also be useful for other Revolutionary War preservation efforts in the Upstate.

The meeting will be held **Tuesday January 31 4-6pm** at [Musgrove Mill State Historic Site](#) located at 398 State Park Rd, Clinton, SC 29325. At this initial interest meeting, we will introduce the program and talk about the process of preserving land near these important sites and how you can help guide that process. We will also discuss how we can complement or enhance other Revolutionary War preservation efforts in the region. Please register to attend at Eventbrite: scbattlefieldmeeting.eventbrite.com.

We encourage you to share the attached invitation with your contacts through newsletters, email blasts, and by posting on your social media accounts. For more information, contact Andrew Waters andrew@spartanburgconservation.org 864.948.0000 or Alissa Duncan alissa@spartanburgconservation.org 864.804.8263.

We thank those who attended our first interest meeting at the beginning of December and wanted to offer a second meeting in case you were unable to attend the first time.

Edward G McDaniel Obituary

Edward G. McDaniel, 65, died at the home of his sister, Mrs. Greg T. Mauldin, Saturday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock (sic) following two months' illness.

He was born in Greenville County but was reared in Pickens, where he lived practically all his life. He was a farmer and was in the implement business.

His wife, Mrs. Hester Cureton McDaniel, died two years ago.

Surviving are two brothers, P P. McDaniel, Easley; and J. H. G. McDaniel, Pickens, and the following sisters, Miss Grace McDaniel, Mrs. C. L. Cureton, Mrs. Greg T. Mauldin, Mrs. R. E. Lewis, Mrs. W. F. Alexander, Pickens; Mrs. W. L. Matheney, Greenville, Mrs. George E. Holley, Atlanta, Ga.; Mrs. B. Gordon Moore, Forest City, N. C.

Funeral services were held from the home of Mrs. Mauldin, Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock by the Rev. C. D. Bessinger and the Rev. H. A. Knox.

Interment was in the Sunrise cemetery.

Pallbearers were nephews: James Henry Cureton, Robert Matheney, Harry McDaniel, Henry Earl McDaniel, David McDaniel and Vincent Alexander.

Printed in *The Greenville News* on May 8, 1938

Mrs Hester C McDaniel Obituary

Mrs. Hester Cureton McDaniel, 50, wife of Ed McDaniel died at an early hour Thursday morning, Nov. 15, at a Greenville hospital following an illness of a few weeks.

She was the daughter of the late. Dr. J. D. and Catherine Ladd Cureton and was a member of one of the county's most prominent families.

In her early years, she followed the profession of nursing and for a time was connected with the Henry Grady hospital in Atlanta, Ga. She was a member of the Secona Baptist Church.

In addition to her husband, she is survived by five sisters, Mrs. R. E. Yongue and Mrs. G. R. Hendricks., Pickens; Mrs. J. C. Squires, Conestee, Mrs. Josie Wilkes, Blairs; Mrs. J. D. Ratteree, Chester; two brothers, C. L. Cureton, Pickens; George D. Cureton, Denver, Colo.; a number of nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were conducted from the home of Mrs. and Mrs. G. R. Hendricks here Friday morning at 10 o'clock by the Rev. T. B. Lanham, assisted by the Rev. H. A. Knox. Interment followed in Sunrise cemetery.

Active pallbearers: Henry McDaniel, Harry McDaniel, Earle Lewis, James H. Cureton, Joab Mauldin and Webb Yongue.

Honorary escort: Ernest Folger, Dr. R. A. Kirksey, O. T. Hinton, A. J. Boggs, Sr., Parks Hammond, Guy Nealy, PH. A. Nealy, P. O. Hendricks, T. R. O'Dell, Andy Ross, T. B. Nalley, F. F. Williams, T. L. Bivens, Tom Ligon, B. C. Ligon and Frank McFall.

Printed in *The Greenville News* on November 16, 1934



Race Against Time at Fort Prince George By George E. Welborn

Pickens Sentinel, Thursday, August 18, 1966

Well, at last after two hundred thirteen years, 1753-1966 our archeologists have begun working at the site of the old historic Fort Prince George, to gather in some faded and rusty artifacts left and lost there more than two centuries ago. And we are in a hurry to outrun the ride of the wonderful Lake Keowee.

Dr. John Combes and wife, archeologists, and eight other assistants, including two other married couples, are living in the old Steele home, and on last Monday, August 8, 1966, started carefully on the northern margin of the site to shovel and screen dirt. This group of trained people will move carefully through the ground into the fossa (ditch around the palisaded fort wall) and into the interior, where we hope, many interesting and valuable relics will be located.

They will move straight ahead covering the whole area, square by square, and every cubic inch of the dirt will be sifted through the screens. Each rectangular block of dirt down as far as necessary will be sifted. Delicate fingers with sensitive touch will find everything in that dirt. Your author was greatly amused Tuesday, (8-8) while watching the six hands of the three young wives as they so carefully felt for the least artifact and most of the fat earthworms were carefully assorted into can and gourds for fishbait.

These fine young people and their leaders, Dr. and Mrs. Combes, will greatly appreciate any valuable suggestions and helps in their work. The author know well that visitors are welcome and he very respectfully requests that visitors not get too close and hinder the progress of the workers.

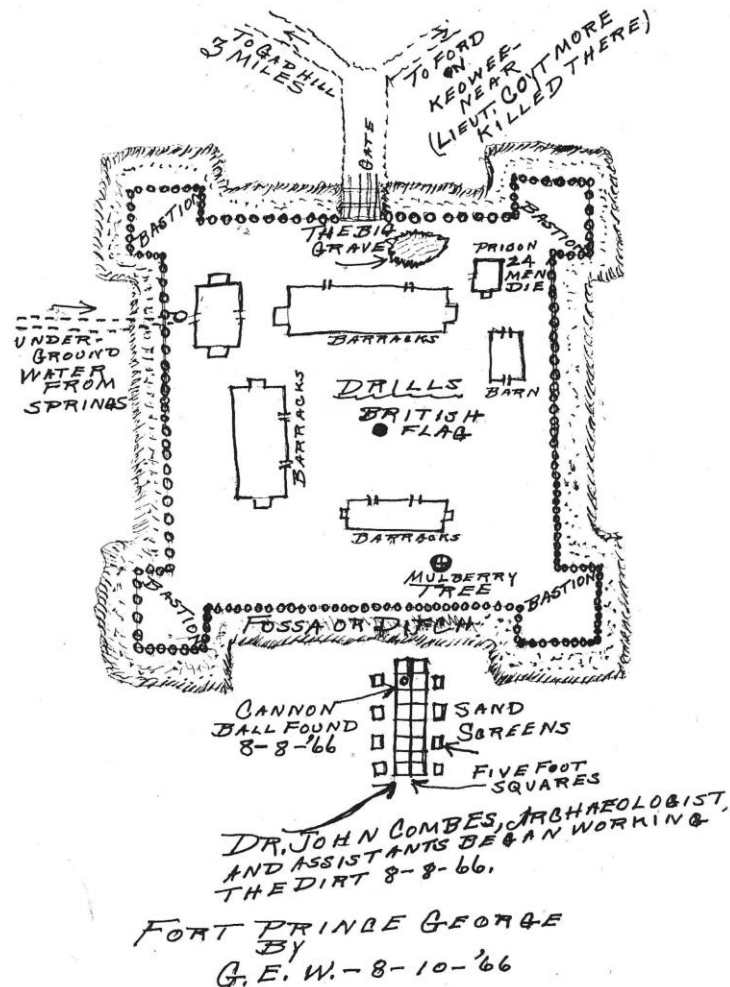
Soon after getting pretty deep into one of the squares, a chunk of metal made a distinct sound when struck by a worker's shovel, and there it was, a two-inch cannon ball, all coated over with rust.

When we reach the big grave on the south side of the fort area, on the righthand side of the big gate, we hope to salvage sacredly some segments from the bodies of twenty-six men who were killed that terrible day when the first Cherokee war opened at the fort.

That incapable governor, William H. Lyttleton, brought in chains twenty-two peace-loving and peace seeking chiefs to the fort and ordered them confined within the small fort prison. A few days later trouble arose out at the ford of the river between Chief Oconostota of Chostee and fort commander Lieut. Richard Coytmore when the chief's men hidden in the canes on the opposite bank of the river, at a signal fired, killing Lieut. Coytmore and Sgt. Bell. This set off the "fireworks" within the fort. Two of the chief's in desperation, killed two militiamen, causing other soldiers of the fort to rush in with fixed bayonets and stabbed to death all the chained chiefs, and there the fateful day that little prison floor flowed with the blood of twenty-four men. Within a few minutes, two more bodies were brought in from the ford, making twenty-six dead men. Outside great bands of yelling Indians were approaching the walls of the fort. Then, at the end of the day after dark, a big hole was dug on the west side of the date and the bodies were dumped into it and covered.

Please "drop by" speak to, and encourage the folks working in that Keowee River bottom dirt.

Typed and edited by Barbara Clark



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Fairfield County Family Histories by Faye Johnson. (No copyright date)
Flat Rock Elementary School (Pickens County), 1958. [Anne Campbell Sheriff taught her first year in 1963 at Flat Rock School. **It is now a museum**]
West End's Ole Time Favorite Recipes, 1985. West End School in Easley, SC. (Anne Campbell Sheriff also taught first grade at the Old West End School. **It is now a theatre**).

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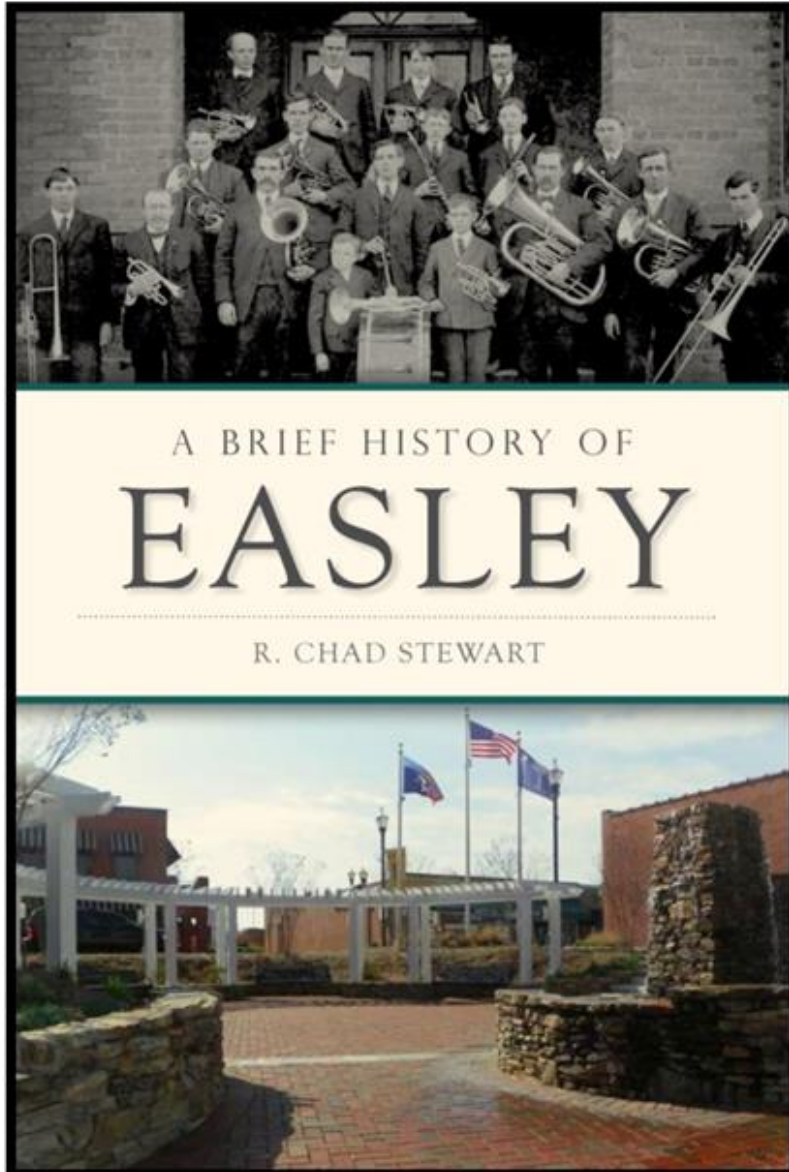
The Easley Friends of the Library invite you to the next programs
in their series about Pickens County

Chad Stewart & Quientell Walker

will speak about the

The Story of Easley

Tuesday, January 24 from 7-8pm



Chad Stewart and Quientell Walker will present a fascinating overview of the history of Easley. Chad will discuss his recently published book, *A Brief History of Easley*, which covers the history of Easley from the time of early settlement through modern day. Quientell will discuss Easley related materials within the Library's historical collection.

Books will be available for purchase and signing.

Free and open to the public.

Refreshments will be served.



Additional programs will be held in
February and March!

Look for more details to be available soon.

Gathering On Appalachian Life

Saturday, March 4, 2017

Based at Pickens Community Center (PCC)-129 Schoolhouse Rd, Pickens, SC

Registration—8:15-9:00-PCC-In foyer at back entrance. Sweet Potato Pie Kids will perform in the Auditorium from 8:30-9:05

Opening Session—9:00-10:00-At PCC-In Auditorium—All invited-Breakfast snacks and coffee served from 8:15-9:00 (for additional money)

1. **Presenter—Tom Cloer--** Tom's presentation will be titled, "Home-Rooted Language of Southern Appalachia". He will present some of the most salient features of the home-rooted language of the Southern Appalachian Mountains, handed down from one generation to the next as part of an inheritance.
2. **Presenter--Dennis Chastain-** What Did Our Ancestors Do For A Living? Dennis will share his thoughts on one of the common threads that link us to the past.

Session 1-(10:15-11:15)-Choose one

- ***Petroglyph Center** (Hagood Mill, limit 25-30) Visitors will enjoy a tour of one of the most impressive petroglyph sites discovered in South Carolina,
- **The Appalachian Roots of Country Music** (Heartstrings-Lib Porter) This is a program of the growth of what we know as "country music" with its early roots in predominantly Appalachian beginnings.
- **Jocassee Sampler** (Dennis Chastain) Dennis has chosen a representative sampling from nearly 3,000 slides that he has taken during his many adventures within the Jocassee Gorges region.
- **Hewing Logs**—(Les McCall at Hagood Mill, Limit 10, Sign waiver to try hewing.) Nothing says "Southern Appalachia" like hand hewed lumber, whether for a mantle or full cabin
- **DNA and Breaking Through Family Lines**—(LaMarr Brooks) How to use Y-Chromosome DNA when you hit a wall in family research.
- **Chair Caning** (Dale Harward)
- ***Tour of Pickens County Art and History Museum**
- ***Tour of Pickens**—Self-guided with map and brochure provided with registration.
- **Browsing Info Tables**—Participants are free to browse the informational tables during this time. (There may not be people to help you at the tables.)

Lunch/Storytelling and Music—11:30-12:30 (A lunch-11:30-12; B lunch-12-12:30) *Lunch menu*—Chicken pot pie, greens, apple crisp and drink. Cooked from scratch by Seniors at Pickens Senior Center (aka PCC) Before or after your lunch time, enjoy the stories and music of Nick Hallman—11:20-12:40, 11:50-12:10

Session II—12:45-1:45

- **Double Knitting** (Double session 2/3-Talley Parker, Andrea Hughes-Limit 6) Double Knitting is a knitting technique in which 2 separate layers are knitted at one time on one set of knitting needles **This is not a beginning knitting class. You must know how to knit, purl and cast on to take this class.** Limit 6 students.
- ***Moonshining**—(Robert Perry—at Hagood Mill)- See a real still and how moonshine was made.
- **SC Folk Music**—(Steve McGaha) Steve will talk about the history of folk music in SC, performing songs as he goes.

- **Storytelling in the Home-Rooted Language of Southern Appalachia**--(Tom/Elaine Cloer)—Tom and Elaine's workshop is based on his love of story-telling gatherings in sawmill camps before television.
- **Pioneer Mountain Farming Practices**—(Frank Porter at Hagood Mill)
- ***Tour of Oolenoy Baptist Church Cemetery**—(Anne Sheriff at Cemetery) The tour begins with a basic history of the church and its significance to Upcountry history.
- **Weaving Techniques**—(Pat Brown) Pat will demonstrate weaving techniques and explain our weaving program.
- ***Tour of Pickens**—See Session I
- **Browsing Info Tables**-See Session I

Session III--2:00-3:00

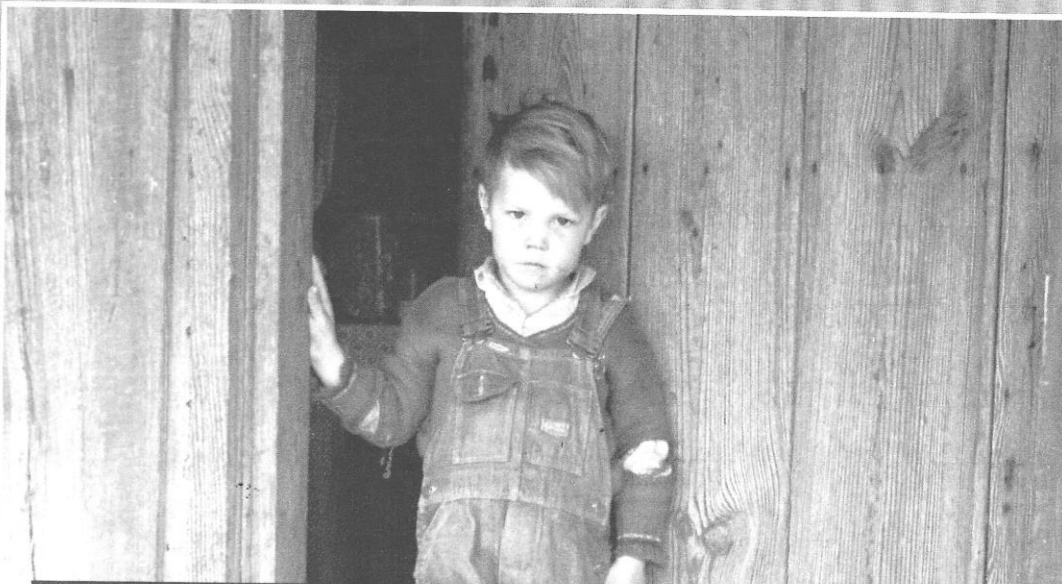
- **Double Knitting** (Double-2/3) See Session II
- ***Petroglyph Center** (Hagood Mill) See Session I
- **Bobbin Lace** (Patti Gonzalez-Double session-3/4, Limit 10) - During the session, you will be given all the instruction, materials and supplies needed to begin lacing Torchon ground, a ground frequently used in bobbin lace patterns. These supplies will be yours to take with you.
- ***Old Pickens Pres. Church/site of Old Pickens** (double session, 1/2-Jack/Martha Parris at OPPC)-- Today, 175 years after it was erected, the Old Pickens Presbyterian Church stands as a reminder of what was once the focal point of the town of Pickens Courthouse.
- ***Bee Keeping**--(Dale Harward in his barn)—“Garden Angels: Honeybees”--Session Location: Hay Day Farms During the session you will receive a list of resources for purchasing bees, beekeeping equipment, and general information relative to beekeeping. Suggested hive locations, needed equipment, and the procedures to extract and bottle honey will be demonstrated.
- **Mountain Herbal Medicine Chest**-(Joy Evans)
- ***Using Ancestry.com/Historical Room** (Easley Public Library-Quientell Walker, Double session-1/2, Limit 11)- This class covers some the contents of Ancestry as well as how to perform a basic and an advanced search.
- ***Tour of Pickens**—See Session I
- **Browsing Info Tables**-See Session I

Session IV-3:15-4:15

- **Bobbin Lace**-Double 3/4, See Session III
- **Appalachian Cooking** (Martha Parris) Kale Potato Cakes with Old-School Tomato Gravy--_Leftover mashed potatoes were often the base for the next meal, and kale was commonly grown in winter gardens. .
- **Old PP Church**—See Session III
- **Making Doll Clothes**—(Jacquie Moraska/Deb DeSalle) Jacquie and Deb will demonstrate making doll clothes, clothing accessories, and doll quilts for 18-inch and baby dolls. Deb and Jacquie make and donate items to the Butterfly Ministry.
- ***Appalachian Dance** (Roslyn Holcombe)
- ***Ancestry.com/Historical Rm** (Easley Library, Double 3/4, See Session III)
- **Early Southern Flintlock Rifles circa 1770**—(Don Bruton) He will be presenting a show & tell on early southern flintlock rifles with hunting pouch and horn.
- ***Tour of Pickens**—See Session I
- **Browsing Info tables**-See Session I

The Gathering ends after the last workshop session—4:15. You do not need to return to the Hagood Center.

*Away from Hagood Community Center



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INTERNET GENEALOGY RESOURCES

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ABBEVILLE COUNTY:

GenWeb Homestead: <http://www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~scabbevi/>

Cemetery GPS Mapping: <http://rootsweb.ancestry.com/~sccgpss/01-abbeyville.html>

GenWeb Tombstones: <http://www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~scabbevi/cemetery-html/abbeyville.html>

Abbeville Probate Wills: <http://www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~scabbevi/probate%20wills.html>

ANDERSON COUNTY:

ACC SCGS Society: <http://www.andersoncounty.scgen.org/index.html>

ACC SCGS Research Center: <http://www.andersoncounty.scgen.org/library/index.html>

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

Cemetery GPS Mapping: <http://rootsweb.ancestry.com/~sccgpss/04-anderson.html>

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

Ross Smith's Cemetery Survey: <http://rootsweb.ancestry.com/~scandrsn/ross.html>

OCONEE COUNTY:

OPD SCGS Society: <http://www.oldpendleton.scgen.org/>

OPD SCGS Research Center: http://www.oldpendleton.scgen.org/clayton_rm/index.html

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

Cemetery GPS Mapping: <http://rootsweb.ancestry.com/~sccgpss/37-oconee.html>

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

Ann Rogers' Cemetery Survey: <http://rootsweb.ancestry.com/~scoconee/inscriptions.html>

PICKENS COUNTY:

OPD SCGS Society: <http://www.oldpendleton.scgen.org/>

OPD SCGS Research Center: http://www.oldpendleton.scgen.org/clayton_rm/index.html

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

Cemetery GPS Mapping: <http://rootsweb.ancestry.com/~sccgpss/39-pickens.html>

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

Old Pendleton District GEDCOM Database: <http://rootsweb.ancestry.com/~scoconee/opdgs-db.html>

OPD Society Cemetery Survey Book Surname Index: <http://www.oldpendleton.scgen.org/surnames.html>

SOUTH CAROLINA:

Black Upstate Heritage: http://rootsweb.ancestry.com/~scoconee/Black_Heritage/

SC GenWeb Project: <http://www.scgenweb.org/>

SC GenWeb Tombstone Project: <http://usgw-tombstones.org/southcarolina/scarolina.html>

Cemetery GPS Mapping: <http://rootsweb.ancestry.com/~sccgpss/>

Searching Around SC: <http://rootsweb.ancestry.com/~scoconee/searching.html>

Old Pendleton District Publications

Family History	Pages	Price - Includes Postage	
Boggs Family (from OPD Database) 3 rd edition	330	\$35.00	
Bowen Family (from OPD Database) 2nd edition	513	\$45.00	
Chastain Family (from OPD Database) 2nd edition	626	\$45.00	
Kelley Family (from OPD Database) 3rd edition	344	\$36.00	
Mauldin Family (from OPD Database) 2nd edition	1,301	\$100.00	
Alexanders-Our Family Legacy by Jerry Alexander	352	\$32.95	
Ole Hopping Billy and His Early Alexander Kith and Kin by Jerry Alexander	274	\$32.95	
Families of Old Pendleton District South Carolina Vol. I Hard Back by Linda Cheek		\$50.00	
Families of Old Pendleton District South Carolina Vol. II Hard Back by Linda Cheek		\$50.00	
Families of Old Pendleton District South Carolina Vol. III Hard Back by Linda Cheek		\$50.00	
Smith Wills and Deeds and Family Histories Vol. I Hard Back by Linda Cheek		\$50.00	
Cemeteries			
African-American Cemetery, Anderson County, SC	105	\$20.00	
Oconee County, SC Cemetery Survey, Volume I	322	\$15.00	On Sale
Oconee County, SC Cemetery Survey, Volume II	240	\$12.50	On Sale
Pickens County, SC Cemetery Survey, Volume I	294	\$15.00	On Sale
Pickens County, SC Cemetery Survey, Volume II	277	\$14.00	On Sale
Pickens County, SC Cemetery Survey, Volume III	188	\$12.50	On Sale
Pickens County, SC Hillcrest Cemetery	154	\$20.00	On Sale
Greenlawn Memorial Park Cemetery Survey by Robert Dodson	147	\$15.00	
Liberty Memorial Gardens, Liberty, SC by Robert Dodson	38	\$10.00	
Supplement to the Pickens County Cemetery Surveys by Robert Dodson	244	\$25.00	
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Pickens District SC 1830 Census	84	\$10.00	
Pickens District SC 1850 Census: Eastern Division (Pickens County)	184	\$14.00	On Sale
Pickens District SC 1850 Census: Western Division (Oconee County)	199	\$14.00	On Sale
Pickens County SC 1870 Census		\$30.00	
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Pickens District SC 1866 Tax List	76	\$10.00	
Pickens District SC 1868 Voter Registration for Oconee & Pickens Counties	54	\$10.00	
Abstracts of Pickens District SC Deed Book A-1 1828-1831 Hard Back by Linda Cheek		\$25.00	
Abstracts of Pickens District SC Deed Book C-1 1834-1838 Hard Back by Linda Cheek		\$25.00	
Antebellum Old Pickens District, SC by Jerry Alexander	313	\$23.00	
Miscellaneous			
Once Upon a Time in Pickens County - Amos Ladd & Lewis Redmond Story	45	\$15.00	
Old Pendleton District Chapter Lineage Chart Book, Volume I	560+	\$45.00	
Twin Springs & A Grove of Trees: A History of Mt. Grove Baptist Church		\$23.00	
Upcountry Inquiry – Pendleton Teachers Write About Places		\$10.00	
Where Have All the Moonshiners Gone by Jerry Alexander	213	\$20.00	
Old Pendleton District Newsletter			
1999-2015 Old Pendleton District Chapter Newsletters (Price is per year)	240	\$23.00	

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2017 Old Pendleton District Chapter Membership Form

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Do we have permission to publish the above information in our Member List published in December? _____

Are you currently a member of the South Carolina Genealogical Society (SCGS)? _____

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Upcoming Events & Tentative Speakers

January 16, 2017	Nan Jones speaks on "Viewing Child Labor in the South Through the Lens of Lewis Hine".
February 21, 2017	Martha Parris "Historic Old Pickens" with Power Point presentation.
January 31, 2016	Battlefield Preservation
March 4, 2017	The Gathering in Pickens
March 21, 2017	Jerry Alexander - "The Cherokees".
April 18, 2017	Anne Sheriff speaks on "Bibles as a Research Tool".
April 29, 2001	Anderson County Genealogical Society Open House and Expo
May 10-13, 2017	National Genealogical Society Annual Conference, Raleigh, North Carolina