

Old Pendleton District Messenger

Our Next Meeting
Friday, May 19, 2017
at 5:30 p.m.
Meet at Hagood Mill and see the
petroglyphs
Dinner following at Pizza Inn in
Pickens.

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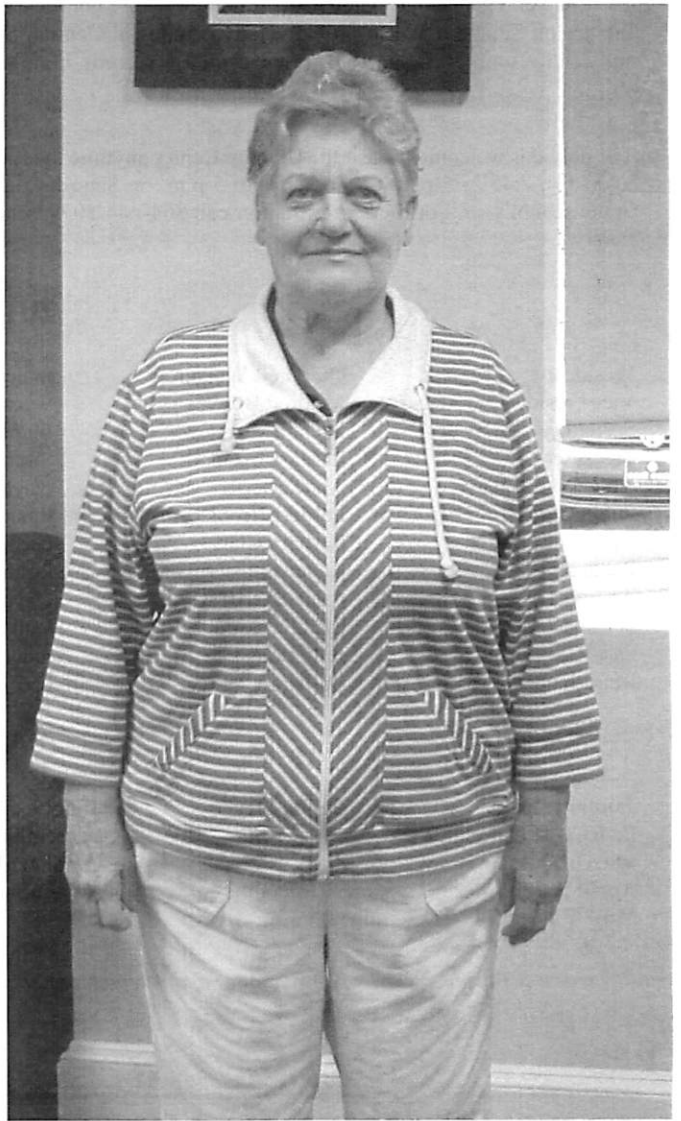


Photo: Barbara Clark

Members:

It is time to renew your membership for 2017.

Simply complete the form on page 31

Anne Sheriff, speaker, informed the genealogical group about using Bible records in conducting research.

About Our Newsletter

The Old Pendleton District Newsletter is published nine times a year: January through June and September through December; we do not publish in July and August. 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 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

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Refreshments

January: Barbara Clark and Brenda Meyer

February: Quintell Walker

March: LaMarr Brooks

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.

President's Message:

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Greetings to all! I want to thank our visitors and friends for attending our last meeting. We had a wonderful presentation from Anne Sheriff regarding how to use Family Bibles to add in genealogy research.

It is my hope that everyone will be able to attend our annual outing in May. This year Mildred Brewer has set up a delightful trip to the Petroglyphs site at the Hagood Mill beginning at 5:30 pm, afterwards we will be dining at the Pizza Inn.. Due to the outing we will not be meeting on Tuesday May 16th at the Central-Clemson Library.

On May 20th the James L. Orr Chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy will be celebrating its 100th anniversary. This event will begin at 11:00am at the Hagood-Mauldin House in Pickens

Minutes of the April 18, 2017 Meeting

The April 2017 Meeting of the Old Pendleton District Chapter of the SCGS was held at the Central-Clemson Branch of the Pickens County Library System, Hwy 93, Central, SC. President, Quientell Walker called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM.

Mr. Walker made the following announcements:

- May 19: Old Pendleton District Genealogical field trip to be held at the Hagood Mill at 5:30 and dinner to follow at the Pizza Hut in Pickens.
- The Board of Directors of the SCGS made changes in the by-laws. They will be published in the Carolina Herald and voted on at the annual meeting in October 2017. The SCGS Summer Work Shop will be held at the SC Archives and History Center July 7 & 8. Check the chapter newsletter for more information.
- April 29 Anderson County Chapter Expo will be held at the The Arts Center on Federal Street.
- A concert will be held May 5 & 6 at the Hagood Center in Pickens. Tickets are \$5.00. Proceeds go to refurbishing of the grand piano at the Hagood-Mauldin House.
- The Clemson Music Festival will be held April 24-26. Local fields were announced.
- Confederate Memorial Day will be held May 20th at the Hagood-Mauldin House, Lewis Street, Pickens beginning at 11:00 AM with dinner on the grounds. There will be a memorial service for the Confederate Soldiers of Pickens County, and the completion of the 7-year project of identifying and marking the graves with an iron cross of the

confederate veteran buried in Pickens County. It will also be a time of honoring the 100 birthday of the James L. Orr Chapter of the Daughters of the Confederacy.

The minutes of the March Meeting that appeared in the newsletter were approved. The following treasurer's report was read and approved:

Treasurer's Report prepared by LaMarr Brooks

Expenses:

Newsletter printed for April	\$228.00
Postage for mailing Newsletter for April	83.67
State Dues paid for nine Members	63.00

Total Expenses **\$374.67**

Income:

Membership Dues Paid	\$308.00
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Total Income **\$308.00**

Anne Sheriff, archivist and State Representative reported that the Federation of Genealogical Societies will hold their annual Meeting Aug.30-Sept. 2, 2017 in Pittsburgh, Penn. She also announced that Keith Brown has created a virtual cemetery on Find-a-Grave Website identifying 630 Confederate graves in Pickens County.

Our speaker for the evening was Anne Sheriff. Her presentation titled Research Using bibles and Other Sources was very informative and will be a great aid in our family research.

Katie Gillespie and Nancy Holcombe provided refreshments.

There were 21 in attendance.

Respectfully submitted,

Brenda Meyer, Secretary

**List of Pensioners on the Roll, January 1, 1883
Senate Resolution of December 8, 1882**

Pickens County (Look in Fold3 – Free access to Pension Records of War of 1812)

<http://www.fold3.com/image/271/83371351/#271/83371351/0>

No. of Certificate	Name of Pensioner	Post Office	Cause	Monthly Rate	Date of Original Allowance
13,188	Blassenganer, Elizab`h	Pickens C.H.	Widow 1812	\$8.00	Dec 1878 (Did not locate file)
22,186	Boggs, Thos. Gilliland	Liberty	Survivor 1812	\$8.00	Jun 1878 (File-15 pp)
7,541	Cochran, Daniel	Easley	Survivor 1812	\$8.00	Nov 1871 (File-33 pp)
166,554	Crain, Ann	Liberty	Widow 1812	\$8.00	Nov 1874 (Did not locate file)
22,446	Gains, Mary Calhoun	Liberty	Widow 1812	\$8.00	Jun 1878 (File-40 pp. Reuben)
Her first husband was Green S. Garvin who died April 1865 and his first wife was Sintha Gaines who died 1868. Reuben Gaines was substitute for his brother-in-law Randal S. Murf. (Excellent information in file)					
7,673	Harris, Emelia C.	Pickens C.H.	Widow 1812	\$8.00	Aug 1878 (File-32 pp. Francis F.)
7,678	Harris, Eurlia	Central	Widow 1812	\$8.00	Aug 1878 (Same as Emelia)
28,520	Hunt, Luvacey	Dacusville	Widow 1812	\$8.00	Jan 1880 (File-29 pp. Esli)
197,537	Keith, May E.	Table Mountain	Mother	\$8.00	Oct 1882 (Did not locate file)
24,712	Lawrence, Isabella	Central	Widow 1812	\$8.00	Jun 1879 (File-24 pp. Elisha)
*24,256	Martin, Edith	Easley	Widow 1812	\$8.00	May 1879
*10,784	Orr, Nancy	Easley	Widow 1812	\$8.00	Nov 1878
*13,514	Weams, Martha	Central	Widow 1812	\$8.00	Dec 1878

(Still being digitized)

Thomas Gilliland Boggs enlisted 1 Feb 1815 and was discharged 25 Feb 1815 as a private in Captain Goss's Company. He is lived in Liberty, South Carolina. Act of 1878. Was drafted in 1814 for six months and served for six weeks under Capt. Goss, when discharged at Sisters Ferry, date of discharge was sometime in February 1815. He served 17 days when peace was declared. C.L. Hollingsworth and Joab Mauldin. Desire for Bounty Land and Pension.

War of 1812 Pension Records (65 per cent been digitized)

The Pension Records from the War of 1812 are among the most requested documents at the National Archives. Unfortunately, these fragile documents are in urgent need of digitization. In support of this monumental task of digitizing 7.2 million pages, Ancestry.com has provided a dollar for dollar matching grant, so every dollar you contribute will make four more pages accessible and free for everyone.

FREE TO THE PUBLIC

As these valuable historical documents are digitized, they will be made available to all at no cost, and the original pension files can be retired to much less active use.

This series consists of approximately 180,000 pension and bounty land warrant application files relating to claims based on service between 1812 and 1815. The files generally contain documentation submitted in support of a claim, such as the original application form, affidavits, and statements from witnesses.

Veteran's name	Acres Granted
Age	Marriage date
Place of residence	Soldier death date
Widow name	Widow death date
Service data & dates	Year of BLM act
Organization & rank	Warrant number
Widow's maiden name	Additional names

Revolutionary War Final Vouchers for Pickens District

Abstracts by G. Anne Sheriff

Selected Final Pension Payment Vouchers by A. Pierce

Jeffery Beck.

Pickens District, SC. 11 Mar 1835. Jeffery Beck, resident for 35 years, appoints Robert Eagar to collect pension due from 4 Sep 1834 to 4 Mar 1835. Private of cavalry and infantry.

William Boatright.

Pickens District, SC. 17 Feb 1851. Elizabeth Boatwright, widow, appoints H.H. Baker, attorney to collect pension due from 4 Sep 1850 to 4 Dec 1850, the day of his death. Private in Capt. C. Carter's Co. of Georgia Militia.

Francis Bradley.

Pickens District, 12 Mar 1835. Francis Bradley, resident for 41 years, appoints Robert Eagar to collect pension due from 4 Sep 1834 to 4 Mar 1835. Private in Revolution. Formerly of Chatham Co., NC.

Joanna Brown

Pickens District, 20 Jul 1850. David S. Stribling, administrator of Joanna Brown, late pension, widow of Aris Brown, appoints J.S. Bowie, attorney to collect pension due from 4 Mar 1836 to 4 Mar 1841 and from 4 Mar 1848 to 3 Jun 1848. Aris Brown died Aug 1822 and she died 3 Jun 1848. Private in Revolution.

James Carter

Anderson District, 1 Apr 1837. James Carter, resident of Anderson District for 3 years and formerly resident of Pickens District, appoints Geo. N. Miller, attorney to collect pension due from 4 Sep 1836 to 4 Mar 1837.

Richard Carver

Pickens District, 4 Mar 1853. Richard Carter appoints J.C. Farrar, attorney to collect his pension due from 4 Sep 1852 to 4 Mar 1853. Private in Revolution. Resident for 31 years and before at Spartanburg District.

Robert Clanahan

Pickens District. 18 Mar 1830. James B. Clanahan and Mary Waters represented by husband Joseph Waters, children of Robert Clanahan appoint Thomas Flemming, attorney to collect pension due from 4 Sep 1829 to 2 Dec 1829. Private in Revolution. Clanahan died 2 Dec 1829.

Frances Cobb

Pickens District. 2 Apr 1852. David Murphree, administrator of Frances Cobb, widow of John Cobb, appoints James E. Hagood to collect pension due from 4 Sep 1851 to 21 Feb 1852. Frances Cobb died on 21 Feb 1852. John Cobb was a private in the Revolution.

Philip Cox

Pickens District. 18 Mar 1835. Jemima Cox, widow of Philip Cox to collect pension from 4 Mar 1831 to 22 Mar 1834. Philip Cox died 22 Mar 1834. Mr. Cox lived in Pickens district for 33 years and before that in Rutherford and Surry Counties. He was a private in the Revolution.

Jemima Cox

Pickens District. 22 Nov 1844. Martin Moss, administrator of Jemima Cox, widow of Philip Cox, appoints James S. Bowie, attorney to collect pension due from 4 Sep 1843 to 7 Jan 1844. She died 7 Jan 1844. Philip Cox was a private in the Revolution.

William Day

Pickens District. 4 Mar 1841. William Day appoints Hugh R. Banks, attorney to collect pension from 4 Sep 1840 to 4 Mar 1841. Resident of Pickens District for two years and before in Anderson District. He was a private in the Revolution.

Lucy Dispain

Pickens District. 31 Dec 1851. William Disspain and Samuel Disspain, children of Lucy Dispain and Benjamin Dispain appoint J.S. Bowie attorney to collect pension from 4 Mar 1843 to 22 Mar 1851. Lucy Dispain died 22 Mar 1851. He was a private in the Revolution.

Francis Dodd

Pickens District. 9 Apr 1851. Frances Dodd appoints James J. McCarter attorney to collect her pension due from 4 Sep 1850 to 4 Mar 1851. Widow of William Dodd, a private in the Revolution. It was filed with Elender Caldwell. John Dodd, 1848, is also mentioned.

William Dodd

Pickens District. 27 Jul 1847. Frances Dodd, widow of William Dodd, appoints E.P Milliken attorney to collect pension from 4 Mar 1847 to 17 Jun 1847. William Dodd died 17 Jun 1847. Dodd was a private in the Revolution.

Samuel Earle

Pickens District. 7 Oct 1834. He was a captain in the Revolution. He died 23 Nov 1833. Children appointing attorney (son Baylis J. Earle) for arrears. Elizabeth Maxwell (husband John Maxwell; Mary Maxwell (husband Robert A. Maxwell; Mariam Mays (husband James B. Mays; Harriett Earle (husband Elias Earle; Morgan P. Earle, Maria Earle, Samuel M. Earle, and Edward H. Earle. He was a Captain in the Revolution.

Robert Farr

Pickens District. 4 Sep 1838. Robert Farr appoints N. Levin attorney to collect pension from 4 Mar to 4 Sep 1838. He was a private in the Revolution. He had lived in Pickens District for 30 years and before that in Georgia.

John Field

Pickens District. 6 Sep 1853. Rahab Field, widow of John Field, appoints William Milliken attorney to collect pension from 4 Mar 1831 to 9 Aug 1842. John Field died 9 Aug 1842. He had lived in Pickens District for 36 years and before that in Spartanburg District. He was a private in the Cavalry.

Jane Gillison

Pickens District. 30 Aug 1847. Israel Gillison, Elijah Gillison, and Esther Gillison, children of Jane Gillison appoints E. P. Milliken attorney to collect arrear due from 4 Mar 1843 to 15 Mar

1847. She died on 15 Mar 1847. Her husband was James Gillison. He was a private in the Revolution who died in 1813. Also mentions that brother Jonathan Gillison died 26 Jul 1847 and survived his mother.

Confederate Veterans Honored Here Saturday

Thirty-Third Reunion (1935) of Confederate Veterans of Pickens County

The thirty-third reunion of the Confederate Veterans of Pickens County sponsored by the Pickens Chapter of U. D. C. was held on Saturday, June 1, with six of the nine Veterans in the county present.

The "long grey line has grown thinner" and the representatives of that army that followed Lee and Jackson, the finest army the world has ever seen – are fewer in number than when the Pickens Chapter U. D. C. first called them together on June 3, 1903; but the welcome was no less warm, and the honors and courtesies shown this brave band were no fewer than on that first memorable occasion. A perfect June day greeted these honored guests, and the many Flags, which lined the street, the symbol of a united nation, waved a glad welcome; and a large number of the residents from over the county added their presence to do them honor.

After assembling at the residence of the president of the Pickens Chapter, Mrs. T. J. Mauldin, where the group was photographed, the parade was formed, and was led by the Mill Band from Easley, followed by the Boy Scouts, the C[hildren]. of C[onfederacy]. and veterans and Women of the Sixties, escorted by members of the Chapter, concluding at the Baptist church, where the exercises were held. The church had been beautifully decorated in flowers, the red and white of the Confederacy. Mrs. Mauldin presided at the exercised presenting the guests. Prayer was offered by Rev. J. E. Foster, a Confederate Veteran and gracious words of welcome were extended by Hon. Oscar S. Stewart, Mayor of Pickens, and by Mrs. Mauldin in behalf of the Pickens Chapter. Mrs. David S. Vandiver, president of the South Carolina Division U. D. C. was present, and spoke lovingly and feelingly – assuring the Veterans and Women of the Sixties that they and their interests are the chief concern of the organization which she represents.

Miss Maida Westmoreland, Director of the Piedmont District U. D. C. paid a glowing tribute to them, as did Mrs. George Burbage of Greenville, Vice Director of Piedmont District.

Hon. Leon Rice, of Anderson was introduced by Mrs. Maudlin as a grandson of a Confederate Veteran, and himself a Veteran of the great World War, and he delivered an inspiring and impressive address.

Mr. Rice gave briefly the history of the War Between the States, stating that States Rights was its cause, and linked those days and causes with the present-day clamor for the right of each State to settle its own problems, closing in a stirring appeal for universal peace. No finer address, on a similar occasion, has ever been heard in Pickens.

A beautiful service was held for the Veterans who had passed away since June 3, 1934, a flower being placed in a wreath as their names were called. They included C. W. Smith, Elias Day, J. Tyree Looper, Sheriff H. Brown, M. H. Hunt, W. H. Stewart, and J. H. Gaines. These exercises were concluded with prayer by Rev. Lanham, pastor of the Baptist Church.

Mr. Rice made a beautiful suggestion, which was followed that the Veterans present be given one of the lovely flowers which decorated the church. Those present were Rev. J. E. Foster, aged 92; R. B. A. Foster, 88; Matthew Hendricks, 92; R. S. Orr, 88; John Watson, 92; J. H. Abercrombie, 90. An honored Veteran whom Pickens County claims as her own, even if the Anderson County line runs near his home, Mr. R. W. Pickens, 88 was also present. Appropriate remarks by Rev. J. E. Foster and the benediction by Rev. H. A. Knox, pastor of the Presbyterian Church concluded the exercises. Many old songs, with Dixie sung by the children of the Pickens Mill School delighted the audience and were interspersed through the program.

Many of the Women of the Sixties, the widows of the Confederate Veterans, graced the occasion with their presence.

Mrs. F. E. Garvin, 94, the widow of Fred E. Garvin for whom the Camp of Confederate Veterans of Pickens is named was mentioned. Perfect in mind and body, her ready wit, her vivacity and charm called forth the admiration of all.

A delicious dinner was served the many guests by the Pickens Chapter U. D. C., and after the coming of friends, they departed for their homes while the Pickens Chapter looks forward to the happiness of entertaining these distinguished men and women in 1936.

Pickens Sentinel, 06 Jun 1935, page 1

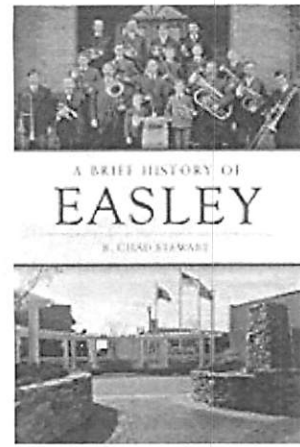
Searching for Over 650 Tombstones

The Confederate 150 Committee is providing a Virtual Cemetery to provide historians a method to research Confederate soldier tombstones on Find-a-Grave. Keith Brown, a member of the Old Pendleton Genealogical Society developed a Virtual Cemetery that lists all the known Confederate soldiers in Pickens County that have an iron cross provided by relatives, interested organizations or the Confederate 150 Committee. Please check out this new method of searching for Confederate soldiers in Pickens County.

<https://tinyurl.com/l82j7t9>



Book Review of “A Brief History of Easley”
by Quientell Walker



The greatest fear of every librarian is to be presented with a question that has no possible answer, and for the longest time information about the history of Easley was one of those questions. There is plenty of material on Easley. The majority of known material is in the form of oral stories, newspaper articles, photographs, and entries in books. Yet, these few items still could not fully answer the *who, what, when, where, and why* aspect of the inquiry. Thankfully, the recent publication of “A Brief History of Easley” by R. Chad Stewart helps to greatly alleviate this problem. Stewart’s work compresses the history of Easley into 157 pages. Yet, the writing is neither dry nor difficult to comprehend. He has reached a balance between an informative work and the oral tradition that is familiar to everyone; in addition to the neutral tone of the work he also provides the reader with many primary source photos that add to the reading experience.

The book is divided into three periods: *Beginning, Development, and Growth*. The *Beginning* primarily deals with the history of the area that forms the present Upcountry. Along with this, Stewart devotes time discussing the history of the forgotten town of Rockville Pickensville. It was an early settlement with great intentions—but it was inhibited by various factors, and the coming of the railroad further hastened its demise. *Development* covers the founding of the town of Easley. Stewart discusses the impact of the railroad, the founding fathers, and early businesses that formed here. Lastly, the remaining chapters pertain to the *Growth* of Easley. In particular, focusing on the formation of the early Easley education system, the founding of area churches, and its continued progression today. The work concludes with two appendices, notes on the sources, and an index.

Stewart conveys within 157 pages a detailed history of Easley that would make the city fathers proud. Along with this he has enabled librarians to once again provide adequate patron service without the fear of coming up short. Anyone interested in purchasing a copy of this book should visit the Easley Area Museum or contact your local bookstore Poor Richards. It is also available at Amazon.

Query from Lynn Morris

The latest newsletter of the CAROLINA HERALD list my husband's Confederate widow ancestor, Nancy Mitchell (page 36) as living in Maynard. Does anyone know in modern terms where is Maynard?

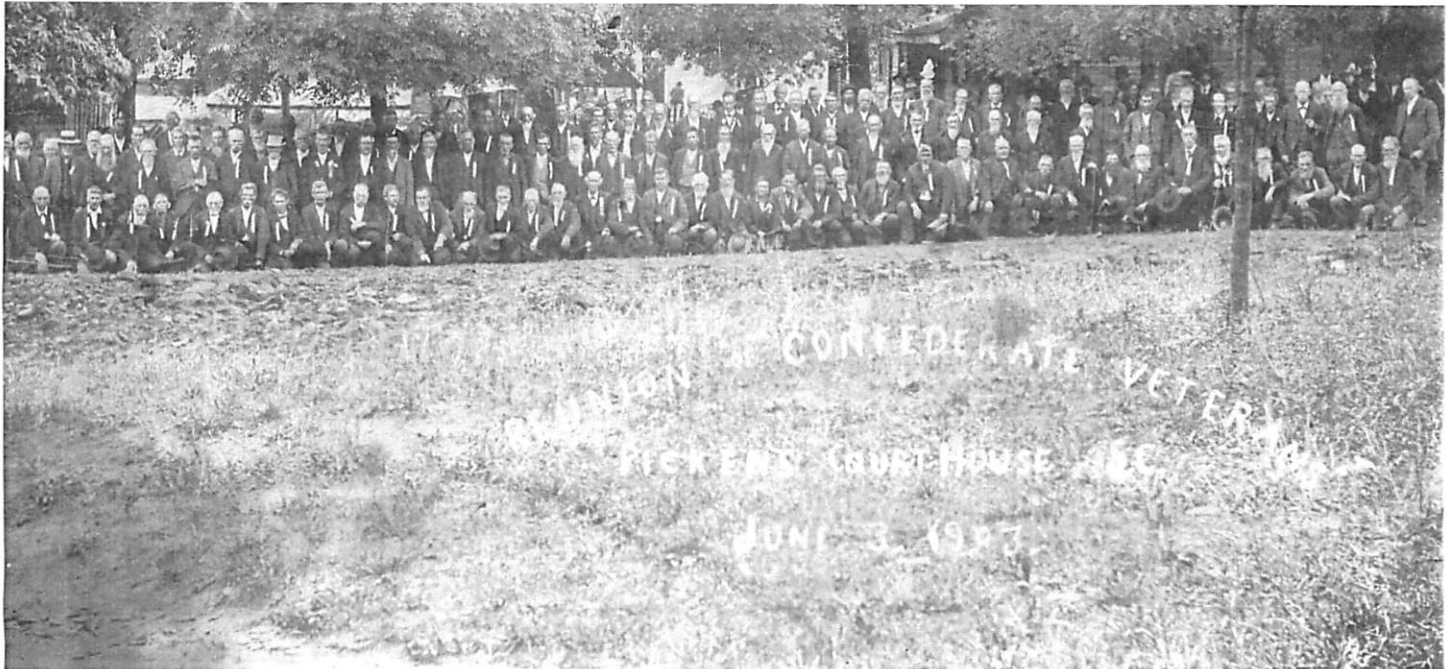
Lynn Morris
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(Maynard is between the town of Easley and Dacusville Community.) More information in the June newsletter.) (Answered by G. Anne Sheriff)



LET'S DO IT AGAIN

CONFEDERATE MEMORIAL DAY CELEBRATION

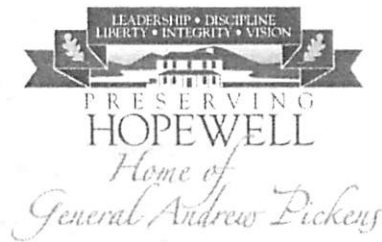


Hagood Mauldin House, 104 North Lewis Street, Pickens, S.C.
May 20, 2017 11:00 AM

Celebrate with us the placing of over 500 iron crosses on gravesites of Pickens County Confederate soldiers and the Anniversary of the James L. Orr Chapter Of the United Daughters of the Confederacy 100th birthday.

When the Confederate Reunion began in 1903 and until the 1940's, citizens would bring Dinner on the Grounds to the Pickens Courthouse and later at the Hagood Mauldin House to honor the Confederate Veterans. Bring a "dish" or just yourself as we remember our rich heritage.





CLEMSON UNIVERSITY'S
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INVITES YOU TO
AN AFTERNOON AT HOPEWELL PLANTATION
FEATURING DR. ROD ANDREW
AUTHOR OF
THE LIFE AND TIMES OF GENERAL ANDREW PICKENS:
REVOLUTIONARY WAR HERO, AMERICAN FOUNDER

SATURDAY, MAY 20, 2017

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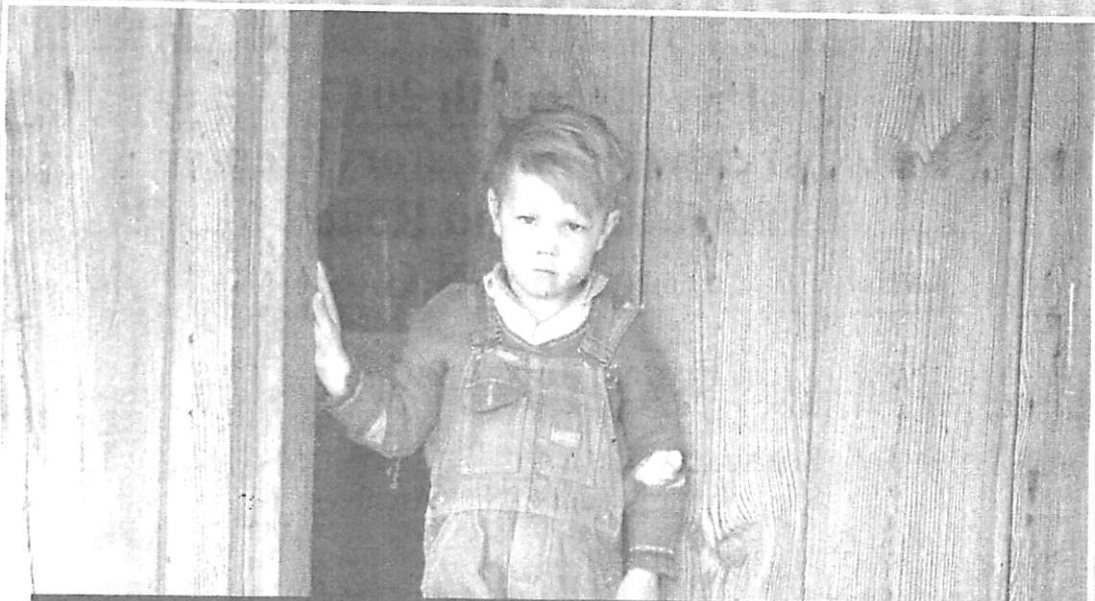
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FOLLOWED BY A BOOK SIGNING AND RIBBON CUTTING
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MADE POSSIBLE IN PART BY THE ANDREW PICKENS CHAPTER,
NATIONAL SOCIETY DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION
AND MATCHING CONTRIBUTIONS.

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THE PICKENS FAMILY AND EXHIBITS ON THE TREATIES OF HOPEWELL.
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RSVP BY MAY 12 TO KATIE CAMPBELL SMITH AT
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45th Annual Summer Workshop
July 7th & 8th 2017
S.C. Archives and History Center
8301 Parkland Road
Columbia, S.C.

Friday, July 7, 2017

8:45 – until	Registration
10:00 – 11:00	Steve Tuttle – Tour of S.C. Archives
11:00 – 12:30	Lunch on your own
12:30 – 12:45	Auditorium – Welcome and Announcements Mike Becknell, President, Jackie Hughes, Second Vice President, Dr. Eric Emerson, Director S.C.D.A.H.
12:45 – 2:00	Auditorium – Dr. Eric Emerson – <i>History of S.C. Constitution and the Campaign to Conserve them.</i>
2:15 – 3:15	Auditorium – J.R. Fennell - “Dave” – A film based on the life of the famous potter of Edgefield. Wachovia 1 – Mary Crockett – <i>Rivers of South Carolina</i> Wachovia 2 - Lamar Brooks – <i>Breaking Through Walls with Y-DNA</i> Wachovia 3 – Brent Holcomb – <i>South Carolina Land Records</i>
3:15 – 3:30	Break
3:30 – 4:30	Auditorium – John Smith – <i>A User’s Guide to the National Archives Southeast Branch, Morrow, Ga.</i> Wachovia 1 – Sonya Grantham Hodges – <i>WWI 371st Infantry Regiment 93rd Division (Colored) who trained at Camp Jackson.</i> Wachovia 2 – John Andrews – <i>Beginning Genealogy</i> Wachovia 3 – Kay Burns – <i>‘In the Mood’: My Story of Helping British War Babies Locate Their American Fathers</i>

Saturday, July 8, 2017

- 9:30 – 9:45 **Auditorium** – Welcome and Announcements
Mike Becknell, President
Jackie Hughes, Second Vice President
Steve Tuttle, Supervisor, S.C.D.A.H.
- 9:45 – 11:00 **Auditorium** – Nadia Dean – “*Cameron.*”- A film based on
Dean’s book “A Demand for Blood – The Cherokee War of
1776.”
- 11:00 – 11:15 Break
- 11:15 – 12:15 **Auditorium** - John Smith – *The Yanks are Coming [no not
those]- An Overview of Searching Your WW I Ancestor.*
Wachovia 1 – Dr. Patricia McNeely – *Sherman’s Atrocities*
Archives Search Room – Steve Tuttle – *Tour of Archives*
- 12:15 - 1:30 **Lunch** – CATERED Box Lunch by Albert’s Deli
SCGS Board Meeting During Lunch
Please allow board members to proceed to the beginning of the lunch line.
- 1:45 – 3:00 **Auditorium** –Brent H. Holcomb – *South Carolina Equity Records*
Wachovia 1 – Elaine Rhor – *Revolutionary War Resources*
Wachovia 2 – Fritz Hamer – *History of Camp Jackson (Present
day Fort Jackson)*
Wachovia 3 – Herbert Chambers – *The Civil War*
- 3:00 -3:15 Break
- 3:15 – 4:15 **Auditorium** – Patrick McCawley – *Conservation Details for the
S.C. Constitutions.*
Wachovia 1 – Charity Rouse – *Freedman Bureau Records: An
Update*
Wachovia 2 – Debbie Bloom and Vennie Deas Moore – *Lost
and Forgotten Structures established by African American
Women in Columbia, S.C.*
Wachovia 3 – Brian Gandy – *Darlington County Resources*

For additional information call Lynn Lee at 843-383-5212

or Frances Osburn at 803-788-4951

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Registration for SCGS 2017 Summer Workshop

Pre-Registration Fees SCGS Member - \$35.00 _____
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 Catered lunch – add \$10.00 _____

Registration after June 17, 2017
 SCGS Member - \$40.00 _____
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Zip: _____

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(If you want to be notified that you have been registered)

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Amount enclosed : _____ No return on registration fees

Remit to: **SCGS 2017 Summer Workshop**
c/o Mrs. Lynn W. Lee P.O. Box 10 Lydia, SC 29079-0010

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Courtyard by Marriott, Columbia, NE, 111 Gateway Corporate Blvd., Columbia, SC
Phone (803) 736 – 3600 (near I – 77 and Farrow Road)
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Are you planning on camping? Sesquicentennial State Park – sesquicentennial@scprt.com 9564
Two Notch Road, Columbia, SC 29223. Phone (803) 788-2706

INTERNET GENEALOGY RESOURCES

12-Jan-2015 by Paul M Kankula – NN8NN kankula@bellsouth.net

ABBEVILLE COUNTY:

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

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

GenWeb Tombstones: <http://www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~scabbevi/cemetery-html/abbeville.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://usgwtombstones.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	
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 Cemeteries			
African-American Cemetery, Anderson County, SC	105	\$20.00	
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Oconee County, SC Cemetery Survey, Volume II	240	\$12.50	On Sale
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Pickens County, SC Cemetery Survey, Volume II	277	\$14.00	On Sale
Pickens County, SC Cemetery Survey, Volume III	188	\$12.50	On Sale
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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	
 Census Records			
Pickens District SC 1830 Census	84	\$10.00	
Pickens District SC 1850 Census: Eastern Division (Pickens County)	184	\$14.00	On Sale
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Pickens District SC 1866 Tax List	76	\$10.00	
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 Old Pendleton District Newsletter			
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Book Orders Only

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Mail to: Mrs. LaMarr Brooks, 664 Whisper Lane, Salem, SC 27676

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ **State:** _____ **Zip:** _____

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION/RENEWAL

2017 Old Pendleton District Chapter Membership Form

Date _____

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

E-mail _____

Telephone Number _____

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)? _____

SCGS Numbers are issued by the State and will be listed on your mailing label of the *Carolina Herald* (State publication)

Please check: New _____ Renewal _____ Address Change _____

Chapter dues cover the entire calendar year and are payable annually by the first of January. Non-payment drop date is March 1 of each year.

- () \$27.00 Individual Membership
- () \$30.00 Family Membership – Two people at the same address
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Please print your name, address and category of membership desired and enclose a check for the proper amount made out to Old Pendleton District SCGS

**Please send dues, membership and address changes to:
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Upcoming Events & Tentative Speakers

- May 10-13, 2017 National Genealogical Society Annual Conference, Raleigh, NC
- May 19, 2017 Outing to Hagood Mill at 5:30 p.m. and dinner at Pizza Inn in Pickens. Please notify Mildred Brewer by e-mail wycar@aol.com or via phone 864-982-5427 if you are planning to attend.
- May 20, 2017 (11:00) Confederate Memorial Day at Hagood-Mauldin House
- May 20, 2017 (1:00) An Afternoon at Hopewell Plantation (Note: RSVP not required)
- June 20, 2017 Speaker: Laura Holder, Anderson Library – Preservation of Materials
- July 7 – 8, 2017 South Carolina Genealogical Workshop in Columbia, SC
- August 30 – Sept. 2 Federation of Genealogical Societies Annual Conference, Pittsburgh, PA
- September 19, 2017 Speaker: William Hiott – Hopewell
- October 17, 2017 Speaker: Sarah Jane Armstrong – Discovering Laurens County, SC