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#### NOTES FROM THE EDITOR

The first two meetings of the year are now history and its seems like we have more attendance each time and the programs are excellent. However I feel like we are still not taking advantage of the newsletter to inform the general membership of the genealogical lines that we are researching. We can do this with queries and with completed lineage charts.

Ronald Kay, our Corresponding Secretary and who is related to every one of our members has made up a new membership application form which requests more definite and specific information on the family lines we are researching. These new forms were passed out to the members that were present at our February meeting, and from what I observed quite a few of these were filled out and returned at the meeting. At present the plans are to mail these forms to other members in this newsletter. If you do not receive this form please contact Ronald Kay and he will be glad to see that you receive one.

Our membership has a surname file for each member, but if you only listed such common surnames as Thompson, Kay, Smith, or Martin, for instance, you are covering a lot of territory. We are asking members to be more specific, i.e., Christopher Smith - in Anderson Co., 1840. Efforts will be made to make this list available to the membership.

## **NEW OFFICERS FOR 1992**

#### CHAPTER DUES & OFFICIAL PUBLICATION

#### Dues are for the calendar year:

\$10.00 Individual Membership

\$13.00 Family Membership

\$ 5.00 Associate Membership

The official periodical of the Chapter, "The Anderson Record", will be published quarterly, March, June, September, and December.

MEXT MEETING - MONDAY 6 APRIL - 7 P.M.

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#### JANUARY MEETING

Our Chapters first meeting of the year was held at the Anderson County Arts Council building, January 6, 1992, with 46 present, including three visitors. Jim Harper, president, presided.

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The visitors in attendance were: Ann Sanders, Jerry Kay (from Atlanta), and Pearl Green form Louisiana. Minutes were read and approved, the treasurers report was given, and the new officers and committee members were introduced.

Certificates of appreciation were presented to Wayne Bratcher, in his absence, for his contribution of cemetery records, and to Phil Cheney for his help with research at the library and his getting the chapter started with publication.

Mary Lund sent two reports: The cemetery report included the fact that Wayne Bratcher was working on Roberts Church Cemetery and Brezeale private cemetery in Belton.

It was reported that information taken from the cornerstone of the 1897 Anderson Co. Courthouse would soon be published. Phil Cheney proposed a radio informational and call-in type program as a way to publicize chapter projects. A decision would be made at the next meeting.

Carl Ellison, chapter president for 1991, thanked members for their support in making his term of office successful, also for expressions of concern during his illness lest fall; the chapter then expressed appreciation for his leadership.

Margaret Coker, program committe chair, made an informative and entertaining presentation of her experiences as a researcher .... from a novice to one with expertise. And had a really nice handout on her ancestral lines.

#### **EEBRUARY MEETING**

The February meeting was held at the Anderson County Arts Council building on Monday, Feb. 3, with 42 present, including three visitors and the guest speaker. The guests in attendance were; Joe Cheatham, Jennifer Roosman, and Ronald Smith.

After reading of the minutes and a treasurers report, two projects discussed at the January meeting were discussed and approved. First, the chapter voted to store books and other materials that had been donated to a cabinet downstairs. Doors would need to be built for the cabinet and a lock and key provided. The chapter also voted to try a half-hour radio program.

Additional reports included: Katie Campbell contributed a history of Mt. Bethel Baptist Church, Mary Lund sent a message that the work with old Courthouse records would soon be complete. Work was being done on Yolume YI of cemetery records, and Wayne Bratcher was reading old Roberts Church Cemetery.

All members interested in a trip to the National Archives-Southeast Region at East Point, Georgia, were asked to sign a sheet; Sue Brewer was working on plans.

Margaret Coker, program committee chair, introduced guest speaker Kathy Hequembourg, with American Fast Photo in Anderson. Kathy presented information on reproducing and preserving old family photographs.

#### MRS. IRENE H. HANLEY

BELTON, S. C. .....The Anderson Chapter lost one of its more active and popular members this past December. Rachel Irene Hadden Hanley died on Friday, Dec. 20, 1991.

Born in Ware Shoals, she was a daughter of the late William Adger and Rachel Salome Hadden. Irene was also a member of the United Daughters of the Confederacy and the Latimer Memorial United Methodist Church.

Surviving are widower, M.C. Douglas Hanley of the home; daughters, Karen Harvley of Taylors and Chris Hanley Hall of Belton. Our deepest sympathy to her husband and family.

# PENDLETON DIST. S.C. SELECTED DEED ABSTRACTS

#### BOOK M - 1812 - 1817

- p. 247 Jacob Reese to Henry Whitmire ..... 365 acres on Jacassy River ..... 17 Feb 1813. wit: Peter Reece.
- p. 298 James White to Moses Lister ...... James White of Edgefield Dist. .. 100 acres on middle fork of Brush Creek ...... Wit: Rich Tarrant & James Wilson ...... 10 Feb 1808.
- p. 341 James Smith to Daniel Stephens ..... 200 acres on 12 Mile River... Ann Smith (wife) renounces dower.... Nov 1812.
- p. 434 Elisha Smith to William Humphries ..... 630 acres on branches of Mile & Crow Creek, waters of Keowee River ..... Wit: John Grisham .... 6 Oct. 1816.
- p. 462 James & Frances Halbert to William Smith of Greenville Dist. ..... 594 acres on waters of Big & Torrey Creek, waters of Saludy River.... bounded by: Aaron Broyles, Lemmons, Enoch Garner, Abner Nash, & David Berry ...... 4 Jan 1816.
- p. 472 Joab Jones to Nimrod Smith ....... 239 acres on 26 Mile Creek.... Wit: Aaron Smith & Wyatt Smith ....... Charity Jones, wife, renounces dower ....... 5 Feb 1816.
- p. 481 James Simmons to Nimrod Smith .... 221 acres on 23 Mile Creek ..... Wit: James & Amariah Hembree ...... 23 Feb 1816.
- p. 487 Samuel Mann of Pend. Dist. to Thomas Burdin of Greenville Dist. ..... 100 acres on Crawfish Branch of Saluda River...... 27 Feb 1816.
- p. 500 William White to Lewis Gordon ..... 120 acres on Cherokee Creek of Savannah River ... Nancy White, wife, renounces dower. ...... 11 Sep 1815.
- p. 532 Samuel Saxon to Andrew Tate ...... 178 acres on Generostee Creek, waters of Savannah River, originally granted to Samuel Saxon on 2 Oct 1786 .... Wit: Joshua Downs, James Saxon, Pitt B. Wilson ...... 31 Jan 1793 ...... Rec. 24 Apr 1816.
- p. 604 Henry Hill of Franklin Co, Tenn. to John Grisham of Pendleton Dist. ..... 318 acres on Cedar Creek of Keowee River ..... 14 Oct 1811 .... Rec. 15 Oct 1816.
- p. 608 Joshua Smith to John Head ...... 250 acres on Big Eastatoe Creek ..... Wit: Archibald Reece & Henry Wolfe ...... 11 Dec 1815.
- p. 636 David White to Henry Drummond ..... 237 acres on Beaverdam Creek .... Mary White, wife, renounces dower ..... Oct 1816.

#### DEED BOOK N 1816 TO 1818

- p. 16 Wm. McFarland to John Grisham, Esg. ...... 100 acres on Mile Creek of Keowee River... Wit: John Grisham & John Bowie ....... 12 Apr 1815.
- p. 18 Susanna Mauldin to John Grisham ...... 150 acres on Cedar Creek of Keowee River, on a dividing line between Susanna Mauldin & Adam Sutherland .... bordered by Henry Hill ....Wit: Wm. McFarland & Andrew Roe ...... Rec. 2 Dec 1816.

#### **DEED BOOK N 1816 TO 1818**

- p. 46 DEED OF GIFT ..... John Grisham to Lucinda Grisham ..... to my loving daughter, Lucinda Grisham a female slave named, Sylvia. .... Wit: John Grisham & Joseph Grisham ... 10 Nov 1815
- p. 46 DEED OF GIFT..... John Grisham to Frances Grisham .... to my loving daughter, Frances Grisham a female slave named, Ann ....... Wit: John Grisham & Joseph Grisham ... 10 Nov 1815
- p. 64 John Smith to William Brock ..... 70 acres on Broadmouth Creek of Saluda River .... bounded by Edward Smith ...... Sybil Smith, wife, renounces dower ...... 31 Oct 1808.
- p. 90 Andley Hamilton to Hampton Smith ..... 238 acres on waters of 23 Mile Creek .... bounded by Arch Hamilton & John Hallum ..... Wit: Ja. Osburn & Elisha Hamilton .. 29 Apr 1816.
- p. 90 Hampton Smith to Enoch Hollingsworth .... same tract as above ..... Wit: Rucker Mauldin & Thomas Sheriff ..... 7 Feb 1817.
- p. 142 Ephraim Robinson to Archibald Patterson ...... 50 acres on 23 Mile Creek ... remnants of land granted to Richard Robinson by his excellency, Edward Rutledge (no date given). Wit: David Watson & Phillip Massey ...... 3 May 1815
- p. 177 Jonathan Smith to James C. Griffin ...... 103 acres on Hurricane Creek, waters of 26 Mile Creek ....... bord. by John Smith ..... 21 Apr 1817.
- p. 186 Elijah Smith to Fred Johnson ...... 53 acres of an original grant to Thos. Shirley on 21 Jan 1785 & bordering on Merritt line, Garvin line ...... Wit: Jas. Garvin, Nathaniel Merritt ... Elizabeth Smith, wife, renounces dower ...... 26 Apr 1817.

#### DEED BOOK 0 1817 - 1820

- p. 1 John Archer to James Osborn ...... 810 acres, being the tract of land whereon the village of Pickensville is situated ..... Wit: Joab Mauldin beforer Robert Norris .. 7 Nov 1817.
- p. 1 Abner Keaton to John Orr ..... 57 acres on Bear Creek, waters of Rocky River, part of land originally granted to Jacob Lollar & conveyed to Lewis Nelson & then to Abner Keaton .... bord. by Sampson Gantt & Henry M. Townley .... Wit: Ephraim Keaton & Reuben Keaton .. 29 Dec 1814 ..... Rec 28 Oct 1817.
- p. 1 James Allen to Robert Davis ..... 82 acres on/near Barkers Creek of Little River, part of 1000 acre tractg originally granted to James Hagood & conveyed to James Allen.... bounded by: Paul Davis & David Gicer (?) ...... Wit: Paul Davis & William Brown ..... 29 Aug 1801 ... Elizabeth (x) Allen, wife, renounces dower ..... rec 28 Oct 1817.
- p. 2 Thos. P. Henson to Solomon West ...... 200 acres on/near Bush Creek of Saluda River. wit: Josiah Merritt & John Merritt ...... 21 Nov 1817...... rec 28 Oct 1817.
- p. 3 Nancy Starr to Thomas Fitzgerald ...... Nancy Starr, wife of Caleb Starr of the Cherokee Nation, for \$1000, all that tract of land, willed(?) to me by the Cherokee Nation, in a late purchase made by the State of S. C. of land adjoining Pendleton Dist., containing 640 acres & lying on both sides of Chauga Creek, waters of Toogalo River ...... Wit: James Lesley & William Williams ...... Signed Nancy (x) Starr ..... 21 May 1817 .... rec. 29 Oct 1817.

#### **DEED BOOK 0 1817 - 1820**

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p. 3 JOHN BAYLES EARLE to PETER PATTERSON 2 acres more or less (	appears to be a
lot) bounded by Mrs. Mary Hunter, Joseph B. Earle & Joseph Grisham.	
Wit: Wm. Trimmier, Esq. & Adam Richards Nancy A. Earle, wife, relinquish	es dower
28 Oct 1817 rec. 29 Oct 1817	

- p. 5 ...... THOMAS WOODALL of Tennessee to JOSEPH TAYLOR of S.C. .... 181 acres on waters of Big Rocky Forks, waters of Big Generostee Creek, waters of Savannah River. Wit: W. Leadbetter & Daniel Leadbetter. ..... rec. 5 Nov 1817.
- p. 5 ...... ZOPHAR TANNER & SAMUEL MORRIS to JOSEPH GRISHAM, all of Pendleton Dist. ..... 100 acres where Z. Tanner now lives on the west side of 23 Mile Creek & bordering on Doyles Mill Pond & bounded by William Gaston ...... Wit: John B. Hamm & Wm. Coleman. 5 Nov 1817. Mary (x) Tanner, wife, reling. dower.
- p. 6 .... JOSEPH GRISHAM, Notary & Just. of Quorum, certifies that SARAH SPEED, wife of WILLIAM SPEED, relinquishes dower rights to Francis Burt & Moody Burt. 1817.
- p. 7 ...... WILLIAM PAGETT to AUSTIN WIGGINS, both of Pendleton Dist. ........ 122 acres on waters of Rocky River, bounded by John Halbert, Henry Gambrel, Robert McKnight, & Holly Willingham. 17 Oct 1817 ....... Wit: Thomas Fant & Sally Davis. Francis (x) Pagett, wife, reling. dower.
- p. 8 ...... STATE OF S.C. EASTERN CIRCUIT .... 15 May 1817 ..... Indenture by Wm. H. Gibbs, Master of Court of Equity, Charleston, S.C. of the 1st part and JOHN LONG of Pend. Dist. of the other part, whereas SUSANNAH McELHENNEY, Administrx, of the estate of Rev. JAMES McELHENNEY, dec'd, on or about 1 Feb 1814, filed bill of complaint at Charleston against JANE MOORE MURPHY & others. That James McElhenney, late of St. Pauls Parish on or about 4 Oct. 1812, died intestate, leaving widow & 4 children. Tracts of lands are to be sold for payments of debt & division of estate. Defendants named, James McElhenney, Morton W. McElhenney, Emily McElhenney, by guardian ad litem. Tract of land, on Mountain Creek, a branch of Big Generostee, waters of Savannah River & containing 200 acres. Bounded by Pate & Cap'n Tippins. Wit: Thos. Young Smith & Major Lewis ..... 11 Nov 1817.
- p. 12 ..... DANIEL DULANY to WILLIAM CARSON ..... 5 NOV 1817 ..... 310 acres on Fuller Creek, waters of Coneross ..... bounded by Robert Fullerton, Robert Beaty. Wit: William Dulany & Baker Dulany .......Sig. Daniel Dulany Priscilla Dulany, wife, relinguishes dower.
- p. 13 ..... MISHACK DEALE & DAVID HEATON ....... swears befer A. J. Liddell, Just. Peace, that they were present at a fight that took place between Jesse Jolly & Solomon Rainwater in the month of June 1816, and in the affray they say that Jesse Jolly did bite off the ear of said Rainwater or part of the ear of said Rainwater ...... Signed Mishack Deale & David Heaton.
- p. 13 ..... GEORGE NASH to WILLIAM SPEED ....... both of Pendleton Dist. ..... 518 acres on Big Beaverdam Creek, waters of Rocky River ...... bound by Benjamin Duckworth, Gen. John B. Earle, George C. Anderson ...... 15 Aug 1816..... Wit. Geo. R. Lewis & Geo. C. Anderson. Sig. George Nash....... Elizabeth (x) Nash, wife, reling. dower.

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