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Dear Mrs. Pearlman,

I am researching my family
line of Christian's. I understand
you have published some information
of the Christian family. My line
is Thomas Christian B 11 Jan 1758 S.C.
and married Nancy Scurry of S.C.
I would be interested in purchasing
and/or subscribing to information
on this branch of the family.
Could you please send me some
information pertaining to this?

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Connie Hutchinson
01 May 1986



Agnes B. Pearlman, 2001 North Westwood Avenue, Santa Ana, California 92706

May 17, 1986

*Mrs. Connie Hutchinson
5019 Montoya Drive
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Dear Mrs. Hutchinson:

It was a pleasure to hear from you regarding your Christian family line. I am always delighted to hear from kin—no matter how near or distant—and hope we may have information to exchange that will prove mutually helpful.

As yet, I had not published the material I have collected on the family of Thomas and Nancy (Scurry) Christian since I wished to clarify his line of descent first.

Although I have not yet proved the parentage of your ancestor, Thomas Christian, circumstantial evidence would indicate that he might have been the son of Gideon and Sarah (Morse/Mase/Moss) Christian. Gideon and Sarah were married 6 December 1783 in Granville County, North Carolina. Gideon wrote his will 26 August 1821 in Edgefield District, Edgefield County, South Carolina, and it was proved there 10 September 1821. One of the sons named therein was a Thomas Christian, believed born between 1784 and 1795. By the way, in your letter you give Thomas' birthdate as 11 January 1758, which seems far too early to me and is perhaps a typographical error. Can you give me more on this?

*Gideon's wife, Sarah, died between 8 November 1823 (will date) and 6 February 1826 (will proved) in Edgefield District, South Carolina. Marriage bond data as well as full transcription of the wills and probate record of Gideon and Sarah were published in *Christian Family Chronicles*, Volume No. VII.*

*Again, although definite proof is still lacking, this Gideon Christian would appear to have been the son of Drury and Lucretia (Williams) Christian. Volume No. III of the *Chronicles* contains an article about this Drury Christian and family as well as full transcription of Drury Christian's last will and testament, written and proved in Warren County, North Carolina. His son Gideon was christened in Goochland County, Virginia 16 August 1760 and was one of the children who drew lots in distribution of Drury's estate 23 January 1787.*

*In case you are interested in obtaining issues of *Christian Family Chronicles*, back issues are available at \$4.75 each or \$7.50 for any two issues ordered at the same time. This periodical is published on a non-profit basis since I am primarily interested in sharing the information I have gathered through the years. Order form, announcement, and Table of Contents are enclosed for your convenience in determining whether you wish to obtain any copies. Whether you place an order or not, I shall look forward to hearing from you and hope you will make corrections and additions to the enclosed family group record. Through which child do you trace descent?*

Sincerely,

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El Paso, Texas
27 May, 1986

Dear Agnes,

I was so pleased to hear from you. I have returned your SASE to use another time. I just began a year ago on the family gen. and have 22 lines which still amazes me. It's been fast on some of it and slow on others. Prior to finding your name and address, I had received (letter enclosure) some information on the AL lines, having just gotten out of Texas, and some notes on the Christian's. Since I was going to a seminar in Dallas, made arrangements to visit w/ lady in Mart, TX. Subsequently, the enclosed Gideon Christian line was zeroxed while there. That's the good news. The bad news is that Mrs. Clonch, who originally had the chart, (and who knows what else) has died and now don't know who has the original chart, Bible or whatever! The only reason I found this is the Chaffin people were working on the connections with the Morgan's, Harrison's, and saw the Christian/Chaffin, in connection with the other names.

Well, on to more facts. I have just received some books "EARLY ADVENTURERS ON THE WESTERN WATERS" Vol I & II by Kegley. It has lots of info on a ISRAEL, WILLIAM, & JOHN CHRISTIAN. Just glanced at it as I'm on another line at the moment (we've lost one Grandfather Harrison) and the correspondance is always done asap. If you do not have these books, just let me know and I will zerox all the mention of the Christian's in it and forward to you at the next letter. There is also another book by the Kegley's that I have yet to order "VIRGINIA FRONTIER" which also has Christian's in it. (I am still at the stage of being confused at times with all these names that I try to remember at once.)

I don't know how much you have on the SCURRY family. The only note I have found so far is from WAR RECORDS OFFICE, REBELLION RECORDS, Series II Vol V page 857 where Brigadier General W.R. SCURRY, commanding the HDQTRS Eastern Sub-District of TX, Houston, March 25, 1863, letter to a Capt Edmund P. Turner, on what to do about prisoners taken at Galveston. Also ~~some~~ same records Series IV Vol 2 p 549 is a letter from Turner to Lubbock, Gov of TX ordering Brig Gen SCURRY to be in charge of troops in LA. I just started on this series when I came down w/cold so now am trying to get over that.

I have enclosed a check for all the back issues along with your chart which I have filled in with information, along w/chart from Clonch, 1840 census, letter from JAMES CHRISTIAN to Stephen Chaffin, short chart of THOMAS CHRISTIAN, copy of Bible records copied, letter from Kathryn Stutts who has been doing some work for me in MS.....and before I close I will also send my family chartw/connection.....

In the HISTORY OF SOUTHWEST VIRGINIA AND WASHINGTON COUNTY by Lewis P. Summers 1746-1786 SW VA 1777-1870 WASH CO page 146

listed are "tracks of land surveyed by John Floyd, Hancock Taylor and James Douglas in 1774-1775 lying mostly in Kentucky" (the following)

TIME	NAME	ACRES	LOCATION
June 7, 1774	Col Wm Christian	2000	Bear Grass Creek, Br. of Ohio
July 11, 1774	" "	3000	Elk Horn Creek, BR of KY
May 6, 1774	" "	1000	S. Side Ohio, 3 miles above mouth of KY
June 12, 1774	" "	1000	Salt River, 20 miles from Great Falls Inc'd Spring & Buffalo Lick
May 12, 1774	" "	1000	Big Bone Lick & Buffalo Lick

(same book) page 820 shows a William Christian as Justice of County Court

Augusta Co 1740-1770 June 11, 1751

and below that is a Israel Christian also a justice June 15, 1757

~~below~~ that, Justices cont' page 822

Botetourt Co 1770-1774
CHRISTIAN, ISRAEL Feb 13, 1770
CHRISTIAN, WILLIAM Feb 14, 1770

Washington Co 1777-1870

CHRISTIAN, GILBERT Nov 25, 1777 p 823

CHRISTIAN, SAMUEL May 27, 1834 p 824

p 836 (same book)
Fincastle Co Militia Officers 1770-1777
Lt. Col WILLIAM CHRISTIAN

I don't know if you have any of this but I thought that I would send you what little I have in the way of information. I was at the library doing some of this when this dumb cold and sore throat started and so I have not been able to finish checking all these records.

Hope that this has been of some help to you and that you can use this for your records. Thanks so much for all of your help and I look forward to hearing from you.

Kindest regards,



ORDER FORM

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NO. 1 ON THIS CHART
 IS THE SAME AS NO. _____

ON CHART NO. _____

Begin w/ my mom & Dad

1 JAMES PARKER HARRISON
 BORN 10 Feb 1902
 WHERE ARCHEDENPHIA CHARK AR
 WHEN MARRIED 09 Feb 1932
 DIED 05 Aug 1974
 WHERE EL PASO EL PASO TX
 CONSTANCE Wolfe
 NAME OF HUSBAND OR WIFE

NAME OF RECORD OR BOOK WHERE THIS
 INFORMATION WAS OBTAINED. REFER TO
 NAMES ON CHART BY NUMBER

2 NAT. M. HARRISON
 BORN 11 Aug 1874
 WHERE Leesburg Camp TX
 WHEN MARRIED 05 Sep 1895
 DIED 12 Feb 1968
 WHERE Little Rock Pulaski AR

3 GEORGIA Othello Parker
 BORN _____
 WHERE _____
 DIED _____
 WHERE _____

4 William James Harrison
 BORN 15 May 1838
 WHERE Athens Wmeston AL
 WHEN MARRIED 24 May 1873
 DIED 01 JUN 1909
 WHERE Leesburg Camp TX

5 NANCY CHAFFIN
 BORN 16 Sep 1841
 WHERE CHAMBERS AL
 DIED 02 JUN 1884
 WHERE Leesburg Camp TX

6 Reuben Henry Parker
 BORN JAN 1850
 WHERE Nashville Howard AR
 WHEN MARRIED 08 Nov 1870
 DIED 06 Feb 1917
 WHERE NASHVILLE HOWARD AR

7 VIVIANNA R. ANDERSON
 BORN 05 Apr 1852
 WHERE _____ SC/ms?
 DIED 12 Apr 1931
 WHERE NASHVILLE HOWARD AR

8 William Henry Harrison
 BORN 20 Oct 1805
 WHERE Petersburg Dinwiddie VA
 WHEN MARRIED 06 Apr 1831
 DIED 28 Sep 1862
 WHERE Simpsonville Upshur VA
 9 MARTHA HORBS MALONE
 BORN 12 OCT 1809
 WHERE Brunswick VA
 DIED 24 MAR 1862
 WHERE Simpsonville Upshur TX

10 STEPHEN CHAFFIN
 BORN 02 JUL 1818
 WHERE WARREN CO GA
 WHEN MARRIED 30 JAN 1840 (AL)
 DIED 09 Sep 1881
 WHERE Leesburg Camp TX
 11 SARAH CHRISTIAN
 BORN 07 Nov 1823
 WHERE SC
 DIED 17 Dec 1891
 WHERE Leesburg Camp TX

12 Thomas G. Parker
 BORN _____
 WHERE _____
 WHEN MARRIED _____
 DIED _____
 WHERE _____

13 CHARLOTTE PERKINS
 BORN _____
 WHERE _____
 DIED _____
 WHERE _____

14 Oliver Perry Anderson
 BORN 24 JUL 1825
 WHERE Waterloo Laurens SC
 WHEN MARRIED CA 18 JUN 1846 MS
 DIED 06 JUN 1887
 WHERE Nashville Howard AR
 15 Arabella Brownlee
 BORN _____ SC
 WHERE _____
 DIED _____
 WHERE _____

16 EDWARD W. HARRISON
 CONTINUED ON CHART

17 Frances Wilbuen
 CONTINUED ON CHART

18 JOHN PETWAY MALONE
 CONTINUED ON CHART

19 BALLY HORBS
 CONTINUED ON CHART

20 JOHN CHAFFIN
 CONTINUED ON CHART

21 CHOTILDA DARDEN
 CONTINUED ON CHART

22 THOMAS CHRISTIAN
 B 11 JAN 1795 SC
 D 10 JUL 1846 AL
 23 NANCY SCURRY
 B OCT 1799 SC
 D 08 Sep 1855 AL
 CONTINUED ON CHART

24 _____
 CONTINUED ON CHART

25 _____
 CONTINUED ON CHART

26 ISAAC C PERKINS
 CONTINUED ON CHART

27 _____
 CONTINUED ON CHART

28 George P. Anderson
 CONTINUED ON CHART

29 Amelia Smith
 CONTINUED ON CHART

30 _____
 CONTINUED ON CHART

31 _____
 CONTINUED ON CHART

HUSBAND **CHRISTIAN, Thomas** Father ? CHRISTIAN, Gideon
 Mother ? MORSE/MARRS/MOSS, Sarah
 Born 11 Jan. 17 - 11 JAN 1795
 Flourished c. 1837 from South Carolina to Alabama
 Married
 Died post 3 Feb. 1846 (will dated) Bradley County, Alabama
 Buried ante 10 Mar. 1846 (will proved) Chambers County, Alabama
 Other Marriages

WIFE **SCURRY, Nancy** Father Jesse SCURRY
 Mother MARGARET _____?
 Born c. 1799 OCT 1799
 Flourished
 Died post 1850 08 Sep 1855
 Buried ante 2 May 1857 (estate settled) Chambers County, Alabama
 Other Marriages

SEX	CHILDREN	DATA	DAY MONTH YEAR	TOWN/CITY COUNTY/PROVINCE STATE/COUNTRY	(CHIEF) NAMES OF SPOUSES
F	CHRISTIAN Sarah (twin)	Born	07 MAY 1825		CHAFIN, Stephen
		Married	30 JAN 1840		302 JUL 1818 GA
		Died	17 Dec 1891	Leesburg Camp Co TX	DOE Sep 1881 TX
M	CHRISTIAN (twin) Lewis	Born	07 MAY 1825		SPRUNG, Cynthia FEARS
		Married	20 JUL 1847		
		Died			
M	CHRISTIAN James	Born	03 JUN 1827		S. C. DARDEN Margarette E.
		Married	01 OCT 1846		
		Died			
M	CHRISTIAN Gideon	Born	09 OCT. 1828		S. C. BARR, CARRIE
		Married			
		Died			
F	CHRISTIAN Margaret Elizabeth	Born	09 APR 1830		MUSICK, George W. Y.
		Married	ante 1849		
		Died			
F	CHRISTIAN Mary	Born	04 Feb 1832		TAYLOR, James W. Sisk
		Married	ante 1847		
		Died			
M	CHRISTIAN Thomas S., Jr.	Born	21 Sep. 1833		S. C. HALL, GEORGIA
		Married			
		Died			
M	CHRISTIAN John Reeder	Born	30 JAN 1835		S. C. STILLWELL SARAH
		Married			
		Died			
F	CHRISTIAN Susan Bates	Born	08 JUL 1836		S. C. MORGAN, William O.
		Married	ante 1857		
		Died			
M	CHRISTIAN William Franklin	Born	22 JAN 1838		Alab. DIED CAMP DONALD WAR BETWEEN STATES
		Married			
		Died			
M	CHRISTIAN George W.	Born	15 OCT 1840		Alab ALLEN AMELIA
		Married			
		Died			
F	CHRISTIAN Nancy Scurry	Born	13 Feb 1842		
		Married			
		Died	? ante 1849?		

1847 will proved THOMAS CHRISTIAN
 CHAMBERS CO 1850 (AL) CENSUS
 Ch. only line thru Sarah
 Cemetery Records Sarah & Stephen CHAFIN
 JOHN CHRISTIAN 1870 TX Census Upshure Co (G. Limer)
 James " 1850 AL "
 Gideon " 1870 TX " Upshure (Coffeyville)

BIOGRAPHICAL DATA

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

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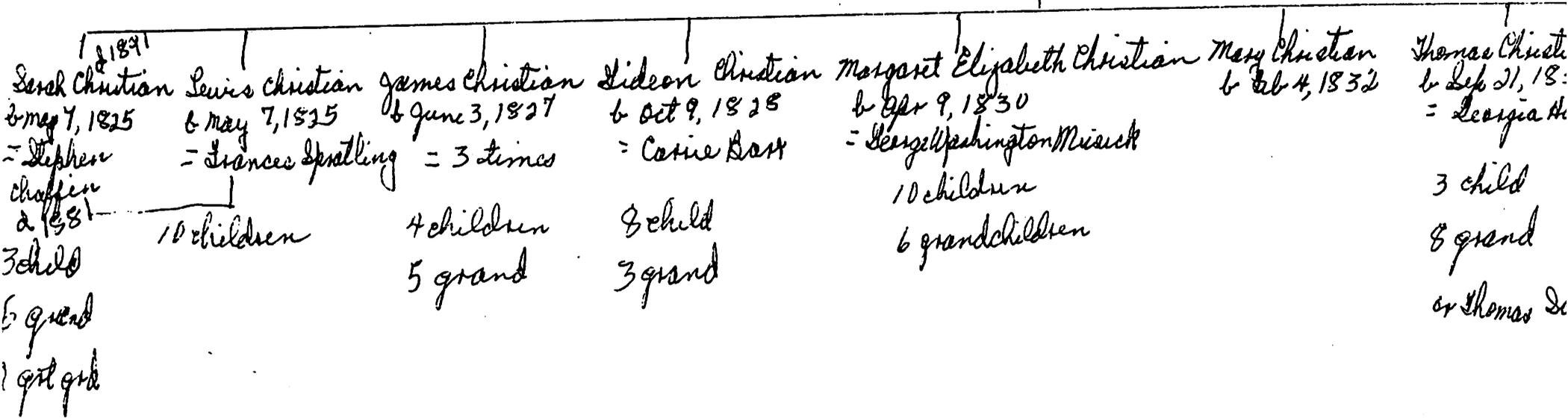
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Lideon Christian = Sarah ~~to go~~
~~to Jan 11, 1795~~

Jessie Lacey = ?

Thomas Christian b Jan 11, 1795 = Nancy Lacey
~~= Nancy~~



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Copied by Mildred Dulaney of Mart, TX
from Mrs. Couch who had chart
(now deceased & do not know who
has all Christian info now

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year

6 Oct 1799

(Becky on chart)
Jr John Reeder Christian
b Jan 30, 1835
= Sarah Stillwell
1870
3 children

Susan Bates Christian
b July 8, 1836
7 children
20 grandchildren

William Franklin Christian
b Jan 22, 1838
died in Camp Donelson
a soldier in Civil War
1862

George Washington Christian
b Oct 15, 1846
= Amelia Allen
6 children

Nancy Leamy Christian
b Feb 13, 1842

of Christian

1840 Census - Chambers County, Alabama:

Stephen Chafin - 1 male 15-20 (p. 184)
1 male 20-30
1 female 15-20
1 female 30-40
1 female 50-60

Bluford Chafin - 1 male under 5 (p. 184)
1 male 20-30
1 female under 5
1 female 20-30

Thomas Christian - 2 males under 5 (p. 228)
1 male 5-10
2 males 10-15
1 male 15-20
1 male 40-50
1 female under 5
1 female 5-10
1 female 10-15
1 female 30-40

1850 Census - Chambers County, Alabama:

Stephen Chaffin, age 31, b. GA (p. 271)
Sarah, age 26, b. S.C.
Nancy C., age 8, b. ALA
John T., age 6, b. ALA
Isadore, age 4, b. ALA
Mary E., age 2, b. ALA

Clotilda B. Chaffin, age 63, b. GA (p. 277)
listed w/Thomas Taylor & wife Retunah

Nancy Christian, age 51, b. S.C. (p. 272)
Gideon, age 21, b. S.C.
Thomas, age 17, b. S.C.
John, age 15, b. S.C.
Susan B., age 14, b. S.C.
William F., age 12, b. ALA
George W., age 9, b. ALA
Ann C. Shaw, age 23, b. GA

James Christian, age 22, b. S.C. (p. 270)
Margarett E., age 22, b. GA

Chambers County, ALA Marriages 1834-48:

30 Jan. 1840 - Stephen Chaffin & Sarah Christian

1 Oct. 1846 - James Christian & Margaret Darden

20 July 1847 - Lewis Christian & Cynthia F. S. Spratling

Lafayette Co., Ark., Dec 30th 1868

Dear Stephen, as I have an

opportunity of sending back by hand, I write
you a short note before leaving my camp.
I intended to write you before starting but
failed being so much occupied. I will
you please get my black cow & calf
at Lu. High & see her until sold at not
less than \$15 for the benefit of sister

Dadens I sent her between 15 & 20 which
she told me she never buy but I
want you to pay her by all means if
she wishes she can take this cow before
leaving Pittsburg I never would have
taken up there I do, the best cow
I had. The Dec I sent you I suppose you
understand. The Land did not bring what
I thought it might what it bid off

I have an offer of \$200 for acre
perhaps we had all better take it
have the deed with the eyes of the parties
attended will be you are regarded to the
matter if they trade. In great haste
I close my respects to all
Yours truly
John Christian

To Stephen Chaffin

Copied from a chart on the Christian family in possession of May Blanch, Waco, Texas

1/20/97

Eileen Christian
 William F. Christian
 died Camp Donelson 1812
 Sarah Christian
 Nancy Scurry Christian
 1842-1845
 Lewis Christian
 Margaret Elizabeth Christian
 Rev. Jno. Reedy Christian
 George W. Christian
 Susan Bates Christian
 Thomas Scurry Christian
 Rev. James Christian

Thomas Christian
 1795-1846
 m. Nancy Scurry
 1798-1855?

Sarah Christian
 d. 1891
 m. Stephen Chaffin
 d. 1881

1. John J. Chaffin
 d. Camp Douglas 1863
 2. Nancy C. Chaffin
 m. W. J. Harrison

(WAT m. Harrison)
 (died 1877)
 m. W. J. Harrison
 Parker
 PARKER
 m. W. J. Harrison
 m. W. J. Harrison

Parker
 PARKER
 HARRISON

3. Sarah Christian
 m. Jack Lamar

* my family line

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BIBLE RECORDS--Mary Isham Keith Chapter D. A. R. Fort Worth,
Texas Gen. 929.3 D

p. 23-25a

The New Indexed Bible
Family History
Great Great Grand Parents

		Born	Died
Gr.Gr.Father's father	Gideon Christian	8/26/1761	1821 S.C.
" mother	Sarah	9/22/1766	1825 S.C.
" Mothers's father	Jesse Scurry		
" " mother	<i>Margaret</i>		
Gr.gr. father's father	Robert Tinnin		N.C.
" mother			

Great grand-parents

Gr.father's father			
" father's mother			
Gr. mother's father	Thomas Christian	1/11/1785 S.C.	7/10/1846 Ala
Gr. " mother	Nancy Scurry	10/ /1790 S.C.	9/8/1855 Ala
Gr. father's father	David Tinnin	2/1/1796	3/12/1851 N.C.
" " mother	Nancy Walker	2/16/1799	2/4/1872 N.C.
" mother's father	Tillman Traylor	11/4/1796 Ga.	3/30/1880 Tex
" " mother	Lucy Walker	12/23/1808	10/17/1877 Tex

Grand parents

Father's father	George Washington Young Musick	1825 Ala	1885 Tex
" mother	Margaret E. Christian	4/19/1830 Ala	Apr. 1887 Tex
Mother's father	David Quincy Tinnin	8/12/1834	2/6/1918 Tex
Mother's mother	Lucinda Frances Traylor	3/20/1842	11/18/1922 Tex

Parents

Father	Gideon Franklin Musick	9/6/1850 Ala	12/28/1910 Tex
Mother	Martha Elizabeth Tinnin	3/20/1863 Tex	7/28/1945 Tex

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The Christian Bible

Name of Bible not given. Present owner is Mrs. Lizzie Lamar Christian of Alexander City, Alabama.

Births



Thomas Christian son of Gideon and Sarah Christian born Jan. 11, 1795
Nancy Christian daughter of Jesse and Margaret Scurry was born Oct. 1799
Sarah Christian daughter of Thos and Nancy Christian was born May 7, 1825
Lewis Christian son of Thos and Nancy Christian was born May 7, 1825
James Christian son of Thos and Nancy Christian was born June 3, 1827
Gideon, son of Thomas and Nancy Christian was born Oct. 9, 1828
Margaret Elizabeth Christian daughter of Thos and Nancy Christian was born April 9, 1830.
Mary Christian daughter of Thos and Nancy Christian born Feb. 4, 1832
Thomas Christian Jr. son of Thomas and Nancy Christian was born Sept. 21, 1833
John Reeder Christian son of Thomas and Nancy Christian was born Jan. 30, 1835
Susan Bates Christian daughter of Thomas and Nancy Christian born July 8, 1836
William Franklin Christian son of Thos. and Nancy Christian born Jan. 22, 1838
George Washington son of Thos and Nancy Christian was born Oct 15, 1840
Nancy Scurry daughter of Thos and Nancy Christian was born Feb. 13, 1842

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102 Janwood Circle
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April 3, 1986

Connie Hutchinson
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El Paso, Texas 79922

Dear Connie:

I am enclosing what I have found so far on your Chafin and Christian families. I have listed the 1840 and 1850 census records of Chambers County, Alabama and have made copies of the 1850 census records, which are enclosed. I don't think the 1840 would do you any good.

It appears that the mother of Stephen Chaffin was named Clotilda B. and that she was 63 years old in 1850 and living with a daughter, Retunah, who was married to Thomas Taylor. Stephen seems to have a brother named Bluford, who is also shown on the 1840 census. The parents of Sarah Christian seem to be Thomas and Nancy Christian and she had brothers and sisters named James, Gideon, Thomas, John, Susan B., William F., and George W.

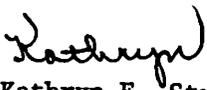
I have written to the clerk of Chambers County, Alabama for a copy of the will of Thomas Christian recorded in Wills 1-2, 1833-56, p. 262, of that county. Also, I have written to the clerk of Limestone County, Alabama for a copy of the will of Edward Harrison recorded in the Orphans Court Minutes, 1830-34, p. 26, of that county. I asked the clerk of Limestone County to let me know the publisher of the two books that you were interested in. If they do not know, I am going to Washington, D.C. next week and will see if I can find them in the DAR Library.

I found the marriage of Stephen Chaffin & Sarah Christian and the marriage of her brother James Christian and Margaret Darden in Chambers County, ALA marriage records. There was also a Lewis Christian and Cynthia F.S. Spratling but I do not know if he is related to Sarah (closely), could have been an older brother. There is a male age 15-20 shown on the 1840 census with Thomas Christian.

I will check Virginia records while I am in Washington and see if I can find out anything about Edward Harrison and son William Henry Harrison, who seems to have married in Brunswick County, VA.

I'll be back in touch with you after I return from Washington, April 15.

Sincerely,


Kathryn E. Stutts



Agnes B. Pearlman, 2001 North Westwood Avenue, Santa Ana, California 92706

June 3, 1986

*Mrs. Connie Hutchinson
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Dear Connie:

*Thank you for your order for the first ten volumes of **Christian Family Chronicles**, copies of which have just been mailed under separate cover. I hope that you and yours enjoy the articles and that you derive benefit from the information contained in these issues.*

*Incidentally, you indicated that you would be interested in obtaining the **Index to Bailey's Christian-Skelton History & Genealogy**, I doubt that there would be anything of particular interest in it for you since it covers the Hawkins County, Tennessee, line. You will find several articles in the **Chronicles** about them. I should emphasize that this **Index** (available for \$2.50 each) is to a book by T. H. Bailey--not to be confused with any publication by Beatrice Bayley, whom many reputable genealogical societies have warned us against. As I mentioned, the price for the aforementioned **Index** is \$2.50 to purchasers of my other works; but I prefer to sell any of my works to those who are apt to benefit from having them.*

I deeply appreciate your sending the copies of charts, abstracts from a family Bible, and the D. A. R. papers. I would accept the Bible entries as proof that the Thomas Christian who married Nancy Scurry was, indeed, the son of Gideon and Sarah Christian, as I had previously speculated. I further believe that this was the Gideon Christian who was a son of Drury and Lucretia (Williams) Christian. I am still searching for documentation, however, to prove or disprove this assumption.

The D. A. R. lineage you sent shows Gideon Christian as having been born 26 August 1761. Gideon, son of Drury and Lucy, was christened by the Reverend William Douglas 16 August 1760.

*As for Drury's parentage, Lamb (who wrote the articles in **The William and Mary Quarterly**) had thought that the parents of Drury might have been Robert and Lucy (Bradley) Christian. Robert did have a son Drury mentioned in his will, but current researchers have now established that he was a different Drury. If your ancestor should prove to be Drury, he was more likely the son of James and Anne (Macon) Christian. In passing, Anne's father was named Gideon Macon.*

*I'll wait until you have had a chance to peruse the **Chronicles** before commenting further.*

Sincerely,

5019 Montoya Drive
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3 July, 1986

Dear Agnes,

You probably thought that I had given up and decided to never answer you. I have had too much to do and I thought that summer was supposed to be a time for relaxing. I have been typing my section ~~of~~ of the cook book that the UDC is putting out for the convention here in October. That took a week and I was just breathing a sigh of relief when the mold arrived to make these 40 roses for the convention also. It takes an hour to pour and put together before I clean and paint and then fire and the glaze and fire again. I finally got 10 poured and then when I was painting, broke one of them. Boy at this rate I may not be finished by the September deadline. Then this morning, they are coming to show the house and I really had other things to do. So I am typing this note to you while I am waiting for the realtor.

I have enclosed the will of THOMAS CHRISTIAN from Chambers Co AL. I had to type the one section as when it was zeroxed, it did not copy very well. JAMES CHRISTIAN also has a will in Chambers Co AL but I did not order that as I was just trying to get the direct line for me. It is in the Will Book 1-2 1832-1856 page 171, if you are interested. (oh, by the way, since you do not think that the INDEX is worth ordering just let it go for now with my thanks). I have found quite a few of the family in the Texas census i.e. GIDEON JAMES, ETC., if you want the information I can go get a copy at the University here as they have a complete census for Texas counties. They are to be found in UPSHUR and CAMP Counties if you were wondering.

I note that the dates that are for GIDEON CHRISTIAN are a year off. So now I am not sure that he was the son of DRURY & LUCRETIA. I was in hopes of proving one way or the other but I have been bogged down with the CHAFFIN family and have been unable to get back to this. I am probably the one with the wrong date for birth which at this stage does not surprise me in the least. I also thought that this line of Christian family was descended from ISRAEL CHRISTIAN, i.e. then Isle of Man group. The Bible records that I show for GIDEON is b. 26 Aug 1761 and you show in Vol III p 170, GIDEON as christened 16 Aug 1760. Could this be error. The will of GIDEON that you have published in Vol VII is the correct one for the family line as I show in the Bible records that he died in 1821. However, this does not help on the father and mother of GIDEON. I guess that my next project after the roses will be to find the parents somewhere in S.C. or VA.

As to the children in the will of THOMAS CHRISTIAN: Margaret E. married GEORGE W. MUSICK (he was from TN he d. 1883 and she in 1886 in Upshur Co TX and they had ten children). THOMAS & NANCY (SCRUY) CHRISTIAN had twelve children. The twins, SARAH & LEWIS; but then you have the list of all these people which I just realized. As you can tell I am getting a bit confused about who has what and just looked at the letter from you and saw the list of the children. When I have more info to send I'll get it off to you. I had hopes of going to Dallas to do some research but looks like it won't be until October after the convention .

Any way thanks for the help and I will keep you posted should anything turn up. Meanwhile it's back to the yellow roses

Kindest regards,

Cannie

Know all men by these presents, that W. William, Isaac William and William S. Hays his associates of the county and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement J. Forbes Judge of the county and orphans court for said county, and his successors in office for the penal sum of Four-teen Thousand Dollars, for the payment of which we bind ourselves our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly, severally and singly by these presents, sealed with our seals and date the 22nd day of October A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred & Forty Six. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound M. D. Richards has been appointed executor of the estate of Thomas S. Richards deceased. Now if the said Joseph M. D. Richards shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such executor, then this obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Approved by me October 22nd 1846)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.)

Joseph M. D. Richard (L.S.)
Jas. W. Richards (L.S.)
Isaac Williams (L.S.)
William S. Hays (L.S.)

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THOMAS CHRISTIAN'S WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
BRADLEY COUNTY)

In the name of God Amen.

1st I give my soul into the hands of God who gave it, and my body I commend to the earth to be buried in a decent and Christian like manner, and all my lawful debts to be paid. 2nd It is my request that what money I have on hand, and the proceeds of my cotton crop to be applied to the payment of my debts. 3rd It is my request that all my property both real and personal, be valued, and that my widow Nancy Christian heir one third of all my estate during her life time, and the remaining two thirds, of my estate to be equally divided amongst my children. 4th it is my wish that the one third of my estate which I here bequeath to my widow Nancy Christian during her life be equally divided among my children at her death, together with the proceeds of the same. 5th It is also my request that my widow Nancy Christian be my executrix, and that my sons Lewis Christian and James Christian be my executors to execute this my last will. 6th It is also my request that the negroes and furniture given by me to my two daughters, Sarah & Margaret be considered in value with the remainder of my estate and be divided as such. In testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name this the third day of February in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Six. Witnesses

Nathan R. Machen)
William B. Williams)

Thomas Christian

THOMAS CHRISTIAN'S EXECUTORS BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Nancy Christian, Lewis Christian, & James Christian principals and Stephen Chafin, Toliver Towles, John C. Towles, Thomas Taylor & G. W. Y. Musick securities, of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county and orphans court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Forty Five Thousand Dollars, for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly severally, firstly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 10th day of March A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Six. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Nancy Christian, Lewis Christian, & James Christian have been appointed

executors of the estate of Thomas Christian deceased. Now if the said Nancy Christian shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of them as such executors, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Approved by me this 10th March A.D. 1846.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.)

Nancy Christian	(L.S.)
Lewis Christian	(L.S.)
James Christian	(L.S.)
Stephen Chafin	(L.S.)
Toliver Towles	(L.S.)
John C. Towles	(L.S.)
Thos. Taylor	(L.S.)
G. W. Y. Musick	(L.S.)

zerox did not print well on this section so have typed from my copy

NANCY CHRISTIAN GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents that we Nancy Christian, Thomas Tayler Pitman M. Lumpkin & John B. Hawkins, of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the count court, for said county, and his successors in office for the penal sum of Twenty One Thousand Dollars: for the payment of which **well and truly** to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly, severally and firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 2nd day of January A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Seven. The condition of the aboce obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Nancy Christian has been appointed guardian of James, Gideon, Thomas, John R. Susan B. William F. & George W. Christian, & Mary Taylor, formerly Mary Christian wife of James Taylor, Jr. a minor, infants & minors of Thomas Christian, late of Chambers County Alabama deceased. How if said Nancy Christian shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of her as such guardian, then the above obligation to be void, else to remain in full force.
Apprived 2nd day of January A.D. 1847

C.C. Forbes J.C.C.

Nancy Christian (L.S.)
Thos Tayler (L.S.)
Pitman M. Lumpkin (L.S.)
John B. Hawkins)L.S.)

NANCY CHRISTIAN GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we Nancy Christian Lewis Christian, Stephen Chafin, Jesse S. Clark and William M. Clark, of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C, Forbes judge of the county court for said county and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Twenty One Thousand Dollars: for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly, severally and firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 13th day of March A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Seven. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound, Nancy Christian has been appointed guardian of James, Gideon, Thomas, JohnR. Susan B. William J. & George W. Christian also of Mary Tayler formerly Mary Christian, wife of James Tayler Jur. infants and minors of Thomas Christian late of Chambers County Alabama deseased. Now if the said Nancy Christian shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of her as such guardian, then the above obligation to be void else to remain in full force.

Apprived March 13th 1847

C.C. Forbes J.C.C.

Nancy Christian (L.S.)
Lewis Christian (L.S)
Stephen Chafin (L.S.)
Jesse S. Clark (L.S.)
William W. Clark (L.S.)

NANCY CHRISTIAN GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Nancy Christian, Thomas Tayler, Pitman Lumpkin & John B. Hawkins, of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county court, for said county, and his successors in office for the penal sum of Twenty One Thousand Dollars: for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly, severally and finally by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 2nd day of January A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Seven. The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Nancy Christian has been appointed guardian of James, Gideon, Thomas, John R. Susan B. William J. & George W. Christian, & Mary Tayler, formerly Mary Christian wife of James Tayler a minor, infants & minors of Thomas Christian late of Chambers County Alabama deceased. Now if the said Nancy Christian shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of her as such guardian, then the above obligation to be void, else to remain in full force.

Approved 2nd day of January A.D. 1847.
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.)

Nancy Christian (L.S.)
Thos. Tayler (L.S.)
Pitman Lumpkin (L.S.)
John B. Hawkins (L.S.)

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NANCY CHRISTIAN GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Nancy Christian Lewis Christian, Stephen Chafin, Jesse S. Clark and William W. Clark, of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county court for said county and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Twenty One Thousand Dollars: for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly, severally and finally by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 13th day of March A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Seven. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Nancy Christian has been appointed guardian of James Gideon, Thomas, John R. Susan B. William J. & George W. Christian also of Mary Tayler formerly Mary Christian, wife of James Tayler Jur. infants and minors of Thomas Christian late of Chambers County Alabama deceased. Now if the said Nancy Christian shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of her as such guardian, then the above obligation to be void, else to remain in full force.

Approved March 13th 1847)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.)

Nancy Christian (L.S.)
Lewis Christian (L.S.)
Stephen Chafin (L.S.)
Jesse S. Clark (L.S.)
William W. Clark (L.S.)

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RICHARD EDGE GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Richard Edge, Abner Penten & Edward of the county & state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes of the county court for said county and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Sixty Dollars: for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly severally and finally by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 20th day of February A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Seven. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above Richard Edge has been appointed guardian of Irena Elizabeth Edge infant daughter of Simon Edge late of Chambers County Alabama deceased. Now if the said Richard Edge shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such guardian, then the above obligation to be void, else to remain in full force.



Agnes B. Pearlman, 2001 North Westwood Avenue, Santa Ana, California 92706

July 9, 1986

*Mrs. Connie Hutchinson
5019 Montoya Drive
El Paso, Texas 79922*

Dear Connie:

Just a quick note to thank you for your letter of July 3 with the copy of Thomas Christian's will and copies of the guardianship bonds!

You wondered about the birth and christening dates for Gideon Christian. It is my opinion that we are dealing with one and the same individual. I do not know whether the Bible record or the christening record is in error. The latter can easily be checked by reviewing the entries in the Reverend William Douglas's register (available in most genealogical libraries) since his entries are in basically chronological order. My experience has shown that transcriptions of Bible records are often in error. You will notice that the D.A.R. Bible entry for Thomas Christian shows his death date as 10 July 1846—certainly several months after his true death date which can be proven by the will date of 3 February 1846 and the probate date of 10 March 1846.

*I would certainly be interested in any information you might be able to provide regarding the children of Thomas and Nancy (Scurry) Christian and would be pleased to reimburse your copying costs. I already have copies of the estate settlement of Thomas Christian that took place 13 July 1857 or 1859 (date on my copies almost illegible). These papers will be published in a forthcoming issue of the *Chronicles*.*

I can sympathize with how busy you must have been preparing for the UDC convention in October. Like you, I'm inclined to commit myself to so many community organizations that my genealogical publication efforts suffer. Such activities are satisfying but, oh, so time-consuming.

I'll let you know if I make any significant discoveries.

Sincerely,

5019 Montoya Dr
El Paso, Tx 79922
15 July, 1986

Dear Agnes,

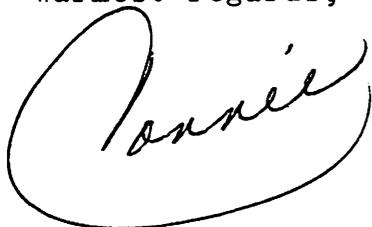
Just a note as the mold is drying and I have today to catch up on all my gen. correspondance. And boy have I been at the typewriter hot and heavy all day. The fingers and the brain are about to give out by this stage as everyone is a different line and I only hope that they are all sorted out and in the pøøper letter.

The book that you mentioned Rev. William Douglas register is not in our library, which does not surprïse me in the least. So I will have to wait and check on that (dates of birth and chrÿstening on GIDEON CHRISTIAN) at a later time. I have enclosed the information that you requested on the children of THOMAS & NANCY (SCURRY) CHRISTIAN. What is most interesting is that you and I may have more on this as soon as I hear from a lady, who turns out to be a cousin, in AL. Yesterday I received a letter from Miss Phillips in AL who says that STEPHEN & SARAH (CHRISTIAN) CHAFFIN "joined the the church at Antioch Baptist about 3 miles below La Fayette AL. That my CHRISTIAN grandparents are buried in the cemetery at Antioch, a country church well kept. Your ancestor THOMAS CHRISTIAN from Edgefield S.C. was brought back from Arkansas. His will was made in Arkansas but sent back here. His wife Nancy died a few years after "..... The rest of the letter is about the CHAFFIN part of the family and she is telling me how we are related. ~~In the~~ JOHN CHAFFIN and his sister, CATHERINE are how we tie in to each other. (Her Catherine and my John.) As you know I was trying to take this month off and finish all these projects but when her letter arrived yesterday (and from the handwriting, I gather she is elderly) along with your letter and three others, I decided that I would just take all day today and write everyone since the mold was too wet to pour anyway. Anyway, I have writtten her today as she said in her letter to write ~~REPLY~~ SOON, so I have done that. She #will then send me more information and perhaps it will be inclusive and have not only the CHAFFIN, BIRD, DARDEN but also CHRISTIAN line. Anyway as soon as I receive an answer, I will keep you posted in either way.

As you can see from the typing, I am not at my best at the moment. Do I need to send you any money for the CHRONICLES this year? If so just let me know and I can forward in my next note to you. I will keep you posted in any event on whatever news I can find on this line of the family.

Excuse the typing and I'll be back to you after I hear from Miss Phillips. More later.

Warmest regards,

A large, cursive handwritten signature that reads "Connie". The signature is enclosed within a large, hand-drawn oval.

NOTE:
 X = Direct Ancestor
 ✓ = LDS Ter. Ord. Comm.

FAMILY UNIT CHART

CONNIE HUTCHINSON

PI. RED BY 5019 MONTTOYA DR.

DATE

HUSBAND *Christian Thomas*

OCCUPATION EL PASO, TEX. 79922

ANCESTRAL CHART #

FAMILY UNIT #

	DATE - DAY, MONTH, YEAR	CITY	COUNTY	STATE or COUNTRY	
Born	11 JAN 1795				<i>Cherokee Co AL Will 1-2 1832-1856 p 262</i>
Christened					
Married					
Died					
Buried					
FATHER	<i>John Christian</i>		OTHER WIVES:		
MOTHER	<i>Sarah</i>				

WIFE maiden name <i>Nancy Scurry</i>					
Born	Oct 1799			SC	
Christened					
Died	08 Sep 1855			AL	
Buried					
FATHER	<i>James Scurry</i>		OTHER HUSBANDS:		
MOTHER	<i>Margaret</i>				

X ✓	SEX M/F	CHILDREN Living, Adopted, Dead-In Order of Birth	BIRTH			BIRTHPLACE			DATE OF FIRST MARRIAGE		DATE OF DEATH		
			Day	Month	Year	City	County	St./Cty.	Name of Spouse	City	County	State/Country	
X	F	¹ Sarah Christian	07	MAY	1825			SC	30 JAN 1840 STEPHEN CHAFFIN			17 Dec 1891 HOESBURG CAMP TX	
	M	² Lewis Christian	07	MAY	1825			SC	20 JUL 1847 CYNTHIA FRANCES SPRATLING				
	M	³ James "	03	JUN	1827			SC	01 OCT 1846 MARGARET DARDEN				
	M	⁴ Nelson "	09	OCT	1828			SC	CARRIE BAER				
	F	⁵ Margaret Elizabeth "	09	APR	1830			GA.	GEORGE WASHINGTON MUSICK				
	F	⁶ Mary "	04	FEB	1832				JAMES TAYLOR				
	M	⁷ Thomas " Jr	21	SEP	1833			SC	GEORGIA HALL				
	M	⁸ John Roder "	30	JAN	1835			SC	SARAH STILLWELL				
	F	⁹ Susan Bates "	08	JUL	1836				WILLIAM G MORGAN				
	M	¹⁰ Wm Franklin "	22	JAN	1838			AL				DIED CAMP DONALDS/SOLDIER IN WAR BETWEEN STATES	
	M	¹¹ Geo. Washington "	15	OCT	1840			AL	AMELIA ALLEN				
	F	¹² Nancy Scurry "	13	FEB	1842								
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		¹⁴											



Agnes B. Pearlman, 2001 North Westwood Avenue, Santa Ana, California 92706

July 23, 1986

*Mrs. Connie Hutchinson
5019 Montoya Drive
El Paso, Texas 79922*

Dear Connie:

Thank you for your letter of July 15 and the family group record for Thomas and Nancy (Scurry) Christian.

Your mention of Miss Phillips' saying that Thomas Christian from Edgefield, South Carolina, "was brought back from Arkansas" and that his will "was made in Arkansas" is quite puzzling. Did she mean to say "Alabama" or did you mean to type "Alabama"? I would appreciate your clarification on this point because I have never seen any evidence that he was in Arkansas--only that he moved from South Carolina to Alabama and remained there except perhaps for visits. I also look forward to any additional information she may send about the Christians.

I'll be keeping you informed of any discoveries I might make.

Sincerely,

5019 Montoya Dr
El Paso, TX 79922
30 Sept, 1986

Dear Agnes,

Sorry about the delay in answering your last note. I was hoping that Gladys would sent me the info on the CHRISTIAN line but so far no word from her. (I have been finishing all the ceramics and when they were delivered, my daughter and granddaughter arrived for a month stay and have just now left so I am trying to back track on all the correspondance. It's not easy as my mind is not back on the track so to speak.) Back to the subject..... enclosed is a copy of the estate of DRURY CHRISTIAN, I did not copy all of the rest of the info on what the other children received individually as it was stuff such as a cow and pots and pans. If you think that you would need that, I will order the film again but I did not think that it was pertinent. You will note that listed are the names of the son-in-laws as well as GIDEON, DRURY, and also LUCRETIA, which I think will prove that this is the line that I need since the dates all fall in together. Then I have enclosed the copy of the letter that I received from Gladys Phiplips. I wrote her upon receiving it and have yet to hear any more from her. I gather that she is elderly and only writes on occassions. I have just sent her another note asking her to clarify what she said in this enclosed copy but as yet have heard nothing. (I realize that you will keep this letter copy confidential at the present as I am never sure other people want their letters copied and forwarded to ~~me~~ others.)

Is your next issue of the Chroincles coming out soon? If so I need to send you a check, if you will let me know in your next letter. Since I last wrote, there has been a book published on the MALONE family and incorporated in it is also the CHAFFIN line all of which includes my lines and I am just thrilled. At least now I can pursue other lines. I have yet to get to my Mother's side of the family as I am bogged down with those of my Father's. I was in hopes of going to Dallas and do some research but things don't look good for the trip. So I guess that I will have to start back at the LDS Library and hope to make some progress there.

Will close for now. Sorry to be so long on all of this. Hopefully I can get back in the swing of things and move along on some of these 22 lines. I will keep you posted should anything eventful occur in the near future.

Warmest regards,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Annie Hutchinson". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned below the typed text "Warmest regards,".

LDS Film 020032
Warren Co, N.C.
Probate Records 1782-1825
Division of Estates
A-K

under "C"

Amount of the appraisment of the estate of Drury Christian
Taken Jan 7, 1786 £ 892..3..10

Deduct entries viza
18 fatted Hogs killed for the use of the family £- 21..12..0
Debts paid by Mrs Christian 34..16..1
ACrippled Colt sold at the appraisement to
pay a Debt 2..0..0

58..8..1

to be divided into 7 parts 7

833..15..9

Each child's part

£ 119..2..3

(then follows each lot and what it entails with the total amount
of £ 119..2..3

Persuant to an order of Warren Court, the parties concerned being
present, who have divided the estate of Drury Christian deed
agreeable to be last will & testament in the manner above stated,
when William Malthrop who married a Daughter of said Christian
drew Lott No2 James Durham who married another Daughter drew
Lott No 7 Gideon Christian drew Lott No 3 and Drury Christian
drew Lott No 6 The other Lotts are kept together by Mrs
Lucretia Christian for the three male children Given under our
hand this 23 day of January 1787

Warren Court Debit Court 1878

This division of the Estate of Drury Christian was returned into
Court and ordered to be recorded

(name I can't read) _____

Thos Miller

Nathl Mason

_____ Duke(?) Johnson C C

CONNIE HUTCHINSON
5019 MONTOYA DR.
EL PASO, TEX. 79922

read to Agnes

LANETT, ALA. 36863
July 9, 1986

DEAR COUSIN CONNIE,

MRS. Wm R. Klein of 1717 WOODEN AVE.
ALTON, ILL. 62002 - last News letter
to me had a copy of your letter
AND I have you the many things copied
down about your Stephen Chaffin - his mother
Clotilda Darden Chaffin (John's wife)
they married in WARREN COUNTY GA.
(those in Montgomery are not ours)

I want to hear from you before I mail
this package of information to you
Stephen, Sarah Chaffin (Sarah Christian)
AND Clotilda + grand dau joined the
Church at Antioch Baptist about 3 miles
below Lafayette, ALA. 36862 (our county seat)
Your Christian grand parents are

(I have all your Christian's marriage the family of Thomas & Nancy Chaffin)

I got to tell you I have a copy of Census record of 1880 Census. (I had worked it to census about this in 1960s) I have a copy of many things copied down about your Stephen Chaffin - his mother Clotilda Darden Chaffin (John's wife) they married in Warren County Ga. (those in Montgomery are not ours) I want to hear from you before I mail this package of information to you Stephen, Sarah Chaffin (Sarah Christian) AND Clotilda + grand dau joined the Church at Antioch Baptist about 3 miles below Lafayette, ALA. 36862 (our county seat) Your Christian grand parents are

I have all marriage of John Chaffin's children to send to you too.

Howdy to you
and so this
mail to you
a (1) 9/86

buried in the Cemetery at Antioch
A County Church well kept. Your
Ancestor Thomas Christian ^{Jan Edyfield, S.C. (Edyfield)} was brought back
from Arkansas. His will was made in
Arkansas but sent back here.

His wife Nancy died a few years later
I have records of will from a book I own
I have the copy of John Chaffin's will here in
1839 Chamber Cole. I will make a copy
and mail to you later.

Catherine Chaffin Phillips
was living when census was taken
in 1840 in Wilkes Co. Ga. Her son Lem's
will next door. He comes to Chamber Cole 1840.

And we will write what we have of
John Chaffin's father & mother Isham Chaffin
and Betsy Bird married Dec 18, 1778
in Farmville Prince Edward County Virginia
His marriage is listed in a book with other
marriage towns from Prince Edward, VA
you come from John Chaffin and (his sister
I come from Catherine Chaffin Phillips
and Zachariah Phillips they married May 14, 1799
in Wilkes Co. Ga (I have a copy of their
marriage license)

③ P.S. The Stationery was a Christmas gift & I haven't used it
yet. I'll be sure you get the best of it.

Their son, my Ancestor Elijah Phillips married
Mary Allen Dec 14, 1828 in W. Va. Co. Ga.
b. July 2, 1805 d. Nov 29, 1860

they got land in Coweta Co. Ga. Elijah & family
(Zachariah Phillips was a Land Commissioner)

They came to Chambers Co. ALA After going 1st
to Randolph Co. ALA (not Co. to us) Listed in 1840 Census
He & family listed here in 1850 Census.

Their son Lumpkin Phillips (CSA) born Jan. 2, 1824 in Coweta Co. Ga.
was my father's father.

my father was Warren Monroe Phillips
born May 12, 1875 died Dec. 28, 1961

my father & mother helped me with genealogy
at age 11. My father knew he came from
the Bird family and knew other people here that
was from his Bird family. I own a book "North Georgia's
Bird Cemetery" in Warren Co. Ga. &
listing of William Bird Rev. War. Sol.

I wish you could see what all I own and have
kept that my great grandmother had in her life time

I own 1840-1850 & 1860 Census books of Chambers Co. ALA.
Not Coweta Co. Ga. I have a letter I will find about your
Darden people - Give me time - Looking to hear from
you. Soon soon

Sincerely,
Gladys L. Phillips
(Miss)



Agnes B. Pearlman, 2001 North Westwood Avenue, Santa Ana, California 92706

October 21, 1986

*Mrs. Connie Hutchinson
5019 Montoya Drive
El Paso, Texas 79922*

Dear Connie:

Thank you for your letter of September 30. It was in my waiting mail when I returned from a family reunion in North Carolina.

I appreciate your offer to send more information on the division of Drury Christian's estate; however, I do have that data in my files.

*You may wish to have two corrections on your transcription: 1) You show William Malthrop as one son-in-law; but I believe if you check again, you will find that the son-in-law's surname is Balthrop. See page 170 of Volume III, **Christian Family Chronicles**. 2) Those lots that were to be kept together by Mrs. Lucretia Christian were for three minor children--not three male children.*

I was pleased to find clarification of a puzzling point in Gladys Phillips' letter where she mentions that Thomas Christian wrote his will in Arkansas. My records had shown that he wrote his will in Bradley County [no state given] and that the will was proved in Chambers County, Alabama. The individual who sent the information to me had not indicated that Bradley County was in Arkansas.

*In response to your question: You may be sure I shall let you know when the next issue of the **Chronicles** will be ready.*

Sincerely,

5019 Montoya Drive
El Paso, Tex 79922
12 August, 1987

Dear Agnes,

I cannot believe that it has been a year since I have written to you. Obviously, there has been nothing to report in all of this time and you have not published any more of the Chronicles so I guess we are about even.....I am slowly but surely honning in on some of the family lines although I still have not concentrated on just one. A cousin in AL, who I had hoped to meet and have a visit with last year but didn't, sent me some more of the information on THOMAS CHRISTIAN and now I have the books so that I can send you a copy of what is in them just in case you do not have this particular information. The books are a series of three volumes on the "PEOPLE OF CHAMBERC CO, AL" 1840, 1850 1860 Census Aand some genealogical facts . Anyway, I have photo copied the information that pertains to CHRISTIAN and not just what I know pertains to mine. I do have one other book on order that has not been received as yet and if I find that it adds to what we need to know, I will forward that on to you also. Then I was able to get a copy of two of the DAR (sorry) Colonial Dames membership on CHRISTIAN and thought that you would like to see that also. As a member I can get this stuff now and I am glad that I joined the UDC, DAR AND COLONIAL DAMES, if only for this type of information. Anyway the books are by JOHN PEEVY WRIGHT. The only mistake that I can see is that they call one of the sons, LEVI instead of LEWIS, who was the twin of SARAH of my line. I do wish that I could find the MUSICK family as they may have the rest of the CHRISTIAN inf that I could use to trace add prove back to the first THOMAS. Did I tell you that I ran into an unknown cousin this spring in Dallas. She was there for the seminar and I heard her talking about HCRISTIAN and I asked her about it and found that we are searching the same family. I think that she already has your CHROSICLES, Eugenia Toland is her name. She told me a Mr. McClanahan has done the family line and gave me what she had but it is not completely proved on a part of it or it wasn't at the time she copied it. I see that the DAR has some paperwork by a Mabel Van Dyke Baer and a Mr. W, CH Clanahan in the DAR library for the CHRISTIAN FAMILY #02421 for her and # 02428 for him. These are the numbers that are listed as being in their library Datalogue. Now if I can just figure out how to get this info in hand, it might help on this particular line; either to complete or even settle some of the family members. There is also another lady in AR who found my name and is searching the same line. I had more info than she does but I told her to order from you the set of CHRONICLES, Lavern Summerlin. I never know if anyone pays attention to me when I try to suggest they send money for stuff. Not everyone is like me and buys, buys, buys,..... Anyway, will keep you posted should anything else turn up.....

Yours truly,

Connie Hutchinson

*Census info enclosures
Colonial Dames enclosures*

Reference, Books, Volume and number of pages

- Generation 1,2,3, . Lacy Family Bible(See attached certified copy)
- Generation 4,5 Walter Garner Lacy Family of Colonial Va. by Harriet E. Lacy Page 9 through 15
- Generation 6,7,8. Grand Mary Quarterly Vol. 5 Page 261-262
- Abridged Compendium of Amer. Gen. by Virkus Vol. 2, 1-
- See above book by Chase Gen. 6, 2, 3. Pg. 9--12

Extra Data, Services, Histories, Etc.

Doc 7271-2

**National Society
Colonial Dames
XVII Century**

State of Alabama
St. Reg. 5 Hollis A. Rodgers

Application for Membership

Maude Lacy Webb
(Mrs. Robert Henry Webb)
302 Bell Road
Chickasha, La.

A Descendant
... of ...

Thomas Christian
(1617-1818) Va.

Services

Landowner

Original Landed Proprietor.
Charles City Co., Va. 1657.

Legatees—Name, address, and relationship

1. Mrs. Mary Ann Webb Han ¹⁷ (Daughter) 3262 Bell Road, B...
2. Mrs. Elizabeth D. F. Fildes (Niece) 1660 South Franklin St. D...
3. Mrs. Mildred Lacy ^{South} (Niece) 2235 Hillmore St. D...

Signatures

President General

Lucia F. Thorntau 1-23-55

Registrar General

Marjorie S. Harrison Dec. 31-1954

Treasurer General

Oliver F. Cassinussen

Date of Admission to Society

Application for Membership

2978

NATIONAL SOCIETY OF THE COLONIAL DAMES OF THE XVII CENTURY

of ancestor from whom I claim eligibility to membership: Thomas Christian

born Isle of Man

Who came to America Prior to 1657 From England

Settled at Charles City Co. Va. when Jan. 15-16 1657

TRACE LINEAGE FROM SELF TO ANCESTOR. GIVE DATE AND PLACE OF DEATH	DATE AND PLACE OF BIRTH	DATE AND PLACE OF MARRIAGE	NAME HUSBAND OR WIFE BIRTH AND DEATH
Mrs. or Miss - Maude Lacy Webb	12/8/1888 Jasper, Ala.	11/11/1914 Jasper, Ala.	Robert Henry Webb 5/23/1879 10/7/1937 Ala.
Name of Father or Mother John Edwin Lacy 11/19/1941 R'ham, Ala.	9/6/1857 Goochland Co. Va.	11/23/1887 Oakman Walker Co. Ala.	Mary Louise Hayes (Molly) 8/30/1867 5/4/1943 Ala.
Grandfather or Mother Ambrose Lacy 1873 Va.	1851 Louisa Co. Va.	1/9/1851 Louisa Co. Va.	Elizabeth Ann White 1826 Aug. 12 1887 June 18 Ala.
1st Grandfather or Mother Stephen Lacy 1840-50 Va.	1776 Albemarle Co. Va.	1798 Va.	Mary Martha Holland B. 1778; D. Va.
2nd Grandfather or Mother Benjamin Lacy 1826 Charlottesville, Va.	1750 Honover CO. Va.	10/25/1774 Goochlands Va.	Judith Christian B. 1758; D. 1820. Va.
3rd Grandfather or Mother Charles Christian Jr. 1784 Va.	1709 Virginia	1740 Virginia	Mary B. 1722 D. Va.
4th Grandfather or Mother Charles Christian Sr. 1743 Va.	1688 Virginia	1701 Virginia	B. 1688 Va.
5th Grandfather or Mother Thomas Christian d. 1713 Va.	1687 England	1665 Virginia	B. 1647; D. Va.
6th Grandfather or Mother			
7th Grandfather or Mother			
8th Grandfather or Mother			
9th Grandfather or Mother			

Signature of Applicant Maude Lacy Webb Date _____

Street _____ City _____ County _____ State _____

Proposer _____ Seconder Ruby B. Adams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of November A. D. 1954

H. Mahin Estes
(seal) Notary Public in and for Jefferson County
State of Alabama

The said Thomas Christian was the child of
Thomas Christian born on 1636 at Isle of Man
died at virginia on After 1703 and his (first or) wife
born on at
died at on
married on and place
Proof Cavaliers and Pioneers, 1607-1666, Gen. Publishing Co.
Baltimore, 1963
Christian of Charles City, E. Eunie V. Christian Stacy
Published 1982

13. The said was the child of
born on at
died at on and his (first or) wife
born on at
died at on
married on and place
Proof

14. The said was the child of
born on at
died at on and his (first or) wife
born on at
died at on
married on and place
Proof

CHILDREN OF ANCESTOR
(By each marriage, if married more than once)

Names	Dates of Birth	To Whom Married, noting if Married more than once.
Thomas Jr.	1689	Rebecca Stith
Charles	1684	Elizabeth Hunt
James	1698	Amy Bacon
John	1703	

Source of Information William & Mary College Quarterly vol 5 P 261, 262
See Not# No. 21967

*Original hand owner - 1657
15 Jan*

ANCESTOR'S SERVICES

(Must be on Approved List and prior to 1 Jan. 1701)

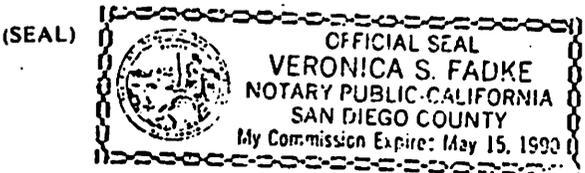
Early land owner in Virginia. Land patents on 1-15-1657. 100 acres no. side
James River, & E. side of Chichohominy River.
Another patent to him in 1662, 100 acs. James City Co. 3-18-1662. On N. side
of James River & E. Side of Chichohominy Rivers.
Proof of Service: send a duplicated copy of Document of Proof, not copies from Undocumented Family
Histories

Cavaliers and Pioneers, Abstracted and indexed by Nell Marion Nugent. 1963. ✓
Baltimore, Genealogical Publishing Company, Inc. Vol. 1, p 364 & 420.
Christian of Charles City, by Eunie V. Christian Stacy, 1982.

The following form of acknowledgement is required: Thomas Christian
Applicant further says that the said
(name of ancestor from whom eligibility is derived) is the ancestor mentioned in the foregoing application, and that the statements
hereinbefore set forth are true to the best of her knowledge and belief.

(Signature of Applicant) Donna Marie Weirther Rich

Subscribed and sworn to before me at San Diego California
this 28th day of July (City) A.D. 1986 (State)



(Signature of Notary)
My commission expires

6. The said Elizabeth Christian was the child of
 Thomas Ewing Christian born on 7 April 1799 at Cocke County, Tenn.
 died at Rockport, Missouri on 18 Aug. 1875 and his (first or) wife
 Mary Ann Doughty born on 2 July 1802 at Cocke County, Tenn.
 died at Rockport, Missouri on 14 Sept. 1877
 married on 2 September 1819 and place Cocke County, Tenn.
 Proof Will of Thomas E. Christian -- Christian Family Chronicles,
 January, 1979, Vol. I, Revised, Santa Ana, California
 * w/p 9 Sep 1875

7. The said Thomas E. Christian was the child of
 Anthony Christian born on 1779 at Powhattan County, Virginia
 died at Cocke County, Tenn. on 30 Jan 1839 and his (first or) wife
 Sallie Ewing born on 1778 at Powhattan County, Virginia
 died at Cocke County, Tenn. on (bet. 1839) 1835
 married on 1798 and place Cocke County, Tenn.
 Proof Will of Anthony Christian -- Christian Family Chronicles,
 January, 1979, Vol. I, Revised, Santa Ana, California

Son of 1st wife father's indenture to son
 second son Anthony - 1790 -
 7c wife signed document with mother deceased by 1790

8. The said Anthony Christian III was the child of
 Anthony Christian born on 1760 at Powhattan County, VIRGINIA
 died at Cocke County, Tenn. on 7 July 1796 and his (first or Second) wife
 Rebecca Prosser born on at
 died at on 25 May 1795 (bond) and place ? Powhattan County, Virginia on 25 July 1796
 married on 25 May 1795 (bond) and place ? Powhattan County, Virginia
 Proof Land Deeds
 Revolutionary War Record
 Marriage Record of second wife

9. The said Anthony Christian JR was the child of
 Anthony Christian born on 7 June 1724 at Powhattan County, Virginia
 died at Powhattan County, Va on 1794 and his (first or) wife
 Mary Watkins Widow born on at
 died at on
 married on 7 November 1755 (bond) and place Amelia County, Virginia
 Proof Land Deeds Virginia Magazine
 Marriage record -
 Virginia State Papers Will of father

10. The said Anthony Christian SR was the child of
 Thomas Christian JR born on ca 1715 at Charles City Co? Goochland County, Virginia
 died at Goochland County, Va on 23 Oct. 1743 and his (first or) wife
 Rebecca born on at
 died at on after 23 Oct 1743
 married on ca 1723 and place
 Proof Will of Thomas Christian -- Christian Family Chronicles,
 January 1979, Vol. I, Revised, Santa Ana, California
 * w/p 20 Mar 1744

11. The said Thomas Christian SR was the child of
 Thomas Christian SR born on ca 1689 at Charles City, Virginia
 died at Goochland County, Va on 17 May 1738 and his (first or) wife
 Rebecca Stith born on 1693 at Richmond, Henrico, Virginia
 died at on 5 Apr. 1787
 married on ca 1714 and place
 Proof Will of Thomas Christian -- Christian Family Chronicles,
 January 1979, Vol. I, Revised, Santa Ana, California
 The Great Rents of Virginia, Gen. Publ. Co., Baltimore, 1979
 * w/p 16 Oct 1736

LINEAGE

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1. The said Donna Lee Weirather was the child of
 born on 19 January 1948 at San Diego, California ✓
 married 1st on 6 September 1969 at San Diego, California ✓
 to Robert Edward Mayne born on 27 Feb 1948 at San Diego, Calif. ✓
 died on 30 Jan 1973 at
 married 2nd on 2 November 1975 at San Diego, California ✓
 to David John Rock born on 13 Feb 1945 at Sheboygan, Wisconsin ✓
 died on at
 Proof Birth Certificate
Marriage Certificate

Please all dates by day, month, year (12 December, 1984)

REFERENCES FOR LINEAGE

(Proofs for line of descent are birth, marriage and death certificates, wills, administration, deeds, church, Bible, census and pension records, tombstones, histories, genealogies, old newspapers, etc.)

Give below each generation a reference to the authority for EACH statement of Birth, Marriage or Death and connection between generations. If from published or unpublished records, applicant must submit title pages and pertinent pages (Xerox copies accepted). Proof of parents' marriage date required. (Wife in every instance means legal and lawful wife)

2. The said Donna Lee Weirather was the child of
 Harold Edward Weirather ✓ born on 23 Sept 1926 ✓ Lindsborg, Kansas ✓
 died at on and his (first or) wife
 Elaine M. Kenn ✓ born on 26 March 1926 ✓ San Diego, California ✓
 died at on
 married on 1 December 1946 ✓ and place Yuma, Arizona ✓
 Proof Birth Certificates
Marriage Certificates

3. The said Harold Edward Weirather was the child of
 Walter Weirather ✓ born on 7 May 1893 ✓ at London Mills, Illinois ✓
 died at Los Angeles, Calif. ✓ on 3 Jan 1967 ✓ and his (first or) wife
 Marguerite I. Miller ✓ born on 16 July 1895 ✓ Goodland, Kansas ✓
 died at Truth Or Consequences, New Mexico ✓ on 27 Sept 1963 ✓
 married on 15 Sept 1923 ✓ and place St. Louis City, Missouri ✓
 Proof Birth Certificates
Death Certificates
Marriage Certificate

4. The said Marquerite Irene Miller was the child of
 Abraham Benjamin Miller ✓ born on 4 Jan 1861 at Lexington, Ohio ✓
 died at Phillipsburg, Kansas ✓ on 1 March 1931 ✓ and his (first or Second) wife
 Julia A. Doughty ✓ born on 9 Aug 1863 at Tarkio, Missouri ✓
 died at Phillipsburg, Kansas ✓ on 25 March 1937 ✓
 married on 13 Oct 1892 ✓ and place Flagler, Colorado ✓
 Proof Marriage Certificate
Death Certificates

5. The said Julia A. Doughty was the child of
 Sampson Doughty ✓ born on Oct 7 1821 ✓ at Cocke County, Tenn. ✓
 died at Nisbotna, Missouri ✓ on 14 Oct 1879 ✓ and his (first or Newspaper) wife
 Elizabeth Christian ✓ born on 7 Oct 1828 ✓ at Cocke County, Tenn. ✓
 died at Phillipsburg, Kansas ✓ on May 31 1921 ✓
 married on 23 June 1848 ✓ and place Cocke County, Tenn. ✓
 Proof Mexican-American War Pension Papers
Newspaper article on Elizabeth Christian Doughty
Letter from Library in Nisbotna, Missouri
Father's will 1875 names Elizabeth Doughty, dau. ✓

5019 Montoya Drive
El Paso, Tex 79922
29 August, 1987

Dear Agnes,

Thanks for the note.. You asked me to send you the proof of the death in AR but buried in CHambers Co, AL. As you may recall, I sent you the letter from Gladys Phillips that had the first of this notation and just have not had the proof until now when I ordered the census books for Chambers Co. Did I send you other CHRISTIAN notations from the books? and/or do you want them????

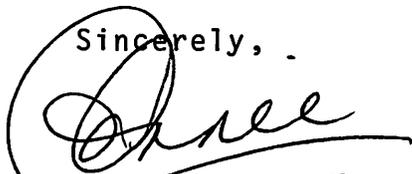
I just spent this past week going through the CHRONICLES again making some notations and was planning to do some work on this line when the flood came. We are lucky as we only had 6 inches standing in the yard while others had to rent or buy pumps to get it out of their houses. Needless to add, the roofers will be here on Tuesday to give us a new roof; Wednesday, the folks to work on the back wall of the house will appear to re-do that which was ruined. When you live where normally the total rainfall is 10 inches and you get five in one day, it just is too much; particularly due to the fact that there has been too much water at the dam so they have been letting lots flow out and the water level is high and banks of the river are overflowing. What a mess!!! So whatever it was that I was going out to do on this family line, obviously will be put off for a bit.

I sent you that lineage chart as I was questioning some of the info. I however, thought that you would be interested as she used your CHRONICLES as her sources for much of the proofs. Yes I am always a bit leary on these lineage charts but have ordered three of them as I am having trouble finding some references for a couple and at least this helps with a new source, right or wrong.

Lawt but not least, I have enclosed some paperwork from Lavern Summerlin who lives in AR and I forget how she (not me I don't think) found my name, maybe through LDS files. Anyway, I found some of her problem on the CHRISTIAM line and sent her the info as it was a brother or sister to one of my line. She has just sent this to me and I thought that perhaps you might like to have it. You may already have all of this but if so, then you can toss it. I gave her your name and told her to order the CHRONICLES but don't know whether she has or not since receiving this info. I have not had time to sit and really get into all this that she sent (arrived last week) but hope that after the middle of September, barring another rain, I can concentrate on this.

Looking forward to the next addition.....

Sincerely, .



C. Hutchinson

ENCLOSURES

Chambers County (Ala) Census of 1840

Heads of Family	Under 5		5-10		10-15		15-20		20-30		30-40		40-50		50-60		60-70		70-80		Over 80		Total whites	Number slaves	
	m	f	m	f	m	f	m	f	m	f	m	f	m	f	m	f	m	f	m	f	m	f			t
James Johnson	1	1		1	1	1	2							1								5	3	8	1
George Shield(?)	1	1	2	1			1	1														4	3	7	10
Willis Cobb	1	1	2				1	1														2	4	6	1
Edmund Winslett	1	1	2				1	1														4	2	6	0
Luke Noble			1	1	3						1	1										2	5	7	7
[The name spelled Nobles in 1850 census and also in several marriage records of members of the family - See H1312-1850 and notes]																									
Caroline Christian	1		1	1			1	1														2	3	5	8
Elijah P. Pascall	2						1	1														3	1	4	12
Benjamin Pascall	1						1	1														2	1	3	3
Martin Clay	1		2	1	1	1				1	1											4	4	8	8
Francis Callaway					1	1	1	2	1		1	1										3	5	8	17
[This F. C. performed many marriages in Chambers Co. For marriages of two daus. see: ML VI #148 issued to James M. Jones and Hepsey Callaway, March 8, 1838 by Wm. A. Hunter- Consent for dau by Francis Callaway; also ML VI #165 issued to William Mack and Martha Ann Callaway, May 13, 1838 by John M. Pearson (MG) F. C. likewise gave consent]																									
Ebenezer B. Vernon	2	1	1				1	1														3	3	6	2
Steven Venters			2	1	2					1	1											2	5	7	0
[One of three who attested will of Wyatt Whatley, Jan. 29, 1837]																									
James Sparling	1	1	1	1						1	1											4	4	8	0
Littleberry Baker	1	1					1	1														2	2	4	2
[Chambers Co ML VI #138 issued to Littleberry Baker and Nancy Pascal, Jan 15, 1838]																									
John Hooks	1			1	1				2	1												4	2	6	2
Strother Gaines	1	1					2	1														3	2	5	2

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Chambers County (Ala) Census of 1840

Heads of Family	Under 5		5-10		10-15		15-20		20-30		30-40		40-50		50-60		60-70		70-80		Over 80		Total whites			Number slaves			
	m	f	m	f	m	f	m	f	m	f	m	f	m	f	m	f	m	f	m	f	m	f	m	f	t				
Charles Harris	2	2	2	1	3				1	1														6	6	12	29		
Needham Norris													1	1											1	1	2	0	
James Dantford								1	1																1	1	2	0	
George W. Hanson			2	1	2				1	1															5	2	7	6	
James H. Darden			1	1	2				1	1															2	4	6	17	
Charles E. Wimbuah								1	1																1	1	2	0	
James H. Fielder	1	1	1	1				1	1																3	3	6	8	
Jarret Boling							1	1																	1	1	2	2	
[Chambers Co ML V2 #10 issued to Jarret Boling and E. A. Lawson, Nov. 13, 1839 by Green W. Carlisle (JP)]																													
John Marshall		2							1	1																1	3	4	0
[Chambers Co ML V1 #66 issued to John Marshall and Caroline Pearson, Oct. 6, 1836 by Thomas F. Nolen (JP)]																													
Elias H. Avery		1							1	1																1	2	3	12
Voluntien Thrash								1			1	1														2	1	3	5
James Thompson							1				1	1														1	2	3	0
Josephus Barrow								1	1																	5	1	6	11
Thomas Christian		2	1	1	1	2	1	1			1	1														7	4	11	40
Hincher Thomas		1		1	1	1	1				1	1														3	4	7	0
[Chambers Co ML V1 #251 issued to Hincher Thomas and Mary Yarborough, May 21, 1839 by Stephen O'Kelly (JP) also same V3 #43 issued to Asa J. Ford and Emily Thomas Nov. 9, 1843 by H. F. Norris (JP) Hincher Thomas other bondsman]																													
Edward K. Maxey	1	1	1	1					1	1																4	2	6	0

CHAMBERS COUNTY (ALA) CENSUS OF 1850

cont.

John C. Watt	10M		AL
Adeline ***	15F		
Moses Matthews	22M		GA

FOOTNOTES: *Chambers Co. ML V4 #71 issued to Dudley Watt & Missouri Switzer, Aug. 8, 1848 by Henry Smith (JP) & 2nd bondsman;
 **Chambers Co. ML V5 #437-2 issued to Dudley Watt & Ruth J. Glass, Dec. 24, 1857 by Thos. J. Williamson (MG) at res. J.W. Cook;
 ***Maybe: Chambers Co. ML V5 #366 issued to Jason B. Rearden & Ann A. Switzer, Sept. 18, 1856 by James J. Havis (JP) at res. of Thomas G. Andrews also 2nd bondsman.

H82	James Christian*	22M	Farmer 5 slaves R\$780	SC
	Margarett E. *	22F		GA

FOOTNOTES: *Chambers Co. ML V3 issued to James Christian & Mrs. Margaret Darden, Oct. 1, 1846 by F. Callaway, Jesse S. Clark 2nd bondsman.

H83	John B. Price	41M	Farmer R\$640	SC
	Nancy L.	32F		
	William H.	14M		
	James	12M		
	Amanda *	10F		AL
	Martha L.	9F		
	Louisa F.	8F		
	Mary C.	7F		
	Penial B.	5M		
	Nancy M.	3F		
	John J.	1M		

FOOTNOTES: *Chambers Co. ML V5 #383-2 issued to Wm. C. Beaty & Arianna A. (Amanda?) Price, Dec. 5, 1856 by Thos. Granberry (MG) at res. of John B. Price who gave consent to dau's marriage.

H84	Augustus A. Boyd*	25M	Farmer 3 slaves R\$800	GA
	Elizabeth *	19F		
	Parele	1F		AL

FOOTNOTES: *Chambers Co. ML V3 #373 issued to Augusta A. Boyd & Elizabeth W. Carlisle, Oct. 7, 1846 by George W. Carlisle (JP), James M. Hart 2nd bondsman.

H85	John M. Freney*	40M	Farmer 17 slaves	MS
	Epsy *	30F		SC
	Robert	8M		AL
	Nancy	6F		
	Martha G. Horton	65F		NC
	Emily **	16F		GA

	Emeline Stephens	19F		GA
	Thophelus(?)	17M	Farmer	AL
	John A.	16M	Farmer	
	Frances A.	12F		
	James A.	10M		
	William H.	8M		
1335	Theopelus Stephens	70M	Farmer 17 slaves R1,000	NC
	Sarah	66F		NC
	Hubbard W.	23M	Atty at law	
1336	Thomas J. Shepherd	32M	Farmer	GA
	Sarah A.	23F		
	Celia P.	7F		AL
	Mary	5F		
	Josephine F.	3F		
1337	William B. Williams*	43M	Farmer 12 slaves R800 4 runaways	SC
	Caroline*	37F		GA
	Sarah	14F		AL
	Ephraim	12M		
	Augustus	5M		
	George	2M		
	Susan Christian	14F		AL
	William J. Carroll	44M	Wagonmaker R200	NC

Footnotes: * Obviously a 2nd marriage for WBW: Chambers Co ML
2 #199 issued to Wm. B. Williams & (Mrs.?) Caroline T. Christian,
Dec. 2, 1841 by E. B. Vernon (JP).

1338	William Christian	40M	(?)	GA
	Evaline	32F		
	Sydna P.	12F		
	Sarah F.	11F		
	John S.	8M		
	Mary E.(?)	7F		AL
1339	Simeon(?) Spears(?)*	36M	Farmer R300	GA
	Sarah A.*	26F		
	Nancy C.	4F		(?)AL
	William F.	4/12M		

Footnotes: * Chambers Co ML V3 #281 issued to Simon Spear &
Sarah Ann Ray, Oct. 3, 1845 by James W. Spear (JP), Francis
Wardlaw 2nd bondsman.

1340	Riley Collins	41M	Carpenter	GA
	Sarah	41F		NC
	Margarett	19F		GA
	Lillis J.*	17F		
	Nancy	13F		
	Mary A.	11F		AL
	Sarah E.	8F		
	John E.	6/12M		

CHAMBERS COUNTY (ALA) CENSUS OF 1850

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& Nancy M. Stillwell, Dec 11, 1851 by T.G. Freeman, James S. Mitchell 2nd bondsman; ***Chambers Co. ML V4 #559-2 issued to John Christian & Sarah Jane Stillwell, Dec. 29, 1852 by F. Cal-laway (MG), Stephen Chaffin 2nd bondsman; ****Chambers Co. ML V5 #292 issued to Farr H. Trammell & Virginia Stillwell, Dec. 9, 1855 by J.G. Bledsoe (?) at res. John Stillwell who gave consent for dau.; *****Chambers Co. ML V4 #78 issued to Appling D. Trammell & Margaret Stillwell, Sept. 21, 1848 by Wm. J. Grady (JP), Francis A. Trammell 2nd bondsman. This couple (ADT & MST) buried Fredonia Meth. Cem.

H266	Sarah Cunningham*	46F	R\$160	SC
	Frances R.**	17F		
	George W.A.	15M		GA
	Sarah A.A.	13F		
	LaFayette	10M		AL
	Ann H.J.	7F		

FOOTNOTES: *Probably the widow of Andrew Cunningham of 1840 census; ** See notes to household immediately preceding for her marriage.

H267	James Anderson	45M	Gunsmith 9 slaves R\$1000	SC
	Sarah M.	44F		GA
	William C.	19M	Farmer	
	John T.*	17M	Farmer	
	Harseltine J.	15F		
	James A.	12M		AL

FOOTNOTES: *Chambers Co. JL V5 #201 issued to John T. Anderson & Mildred Corley, Jan. 25, 1855 by J.A. Bledsoe (MG) at res. of McCreless Corley, Gideon Christian 2nd bondsman.

H268	Clem W. Hayles	26M	Farmer	NC
	Emily A.	19F		GA
H269	George Maddox	29M	Farmer	GA
	Martha	28F		
	Rebecca D.	10F		
	Luenda M.*	8F		
	Stephen B.	5M		
	Georgia N.	3/12F		AL

FOOTNOTES: *Chambers Co. ML V5 #541 (?) issued to James Jarrell & Margaret Lucinda Maddox, Oct. 6, 1859 by John T. Jarrell (JP) at res. George Maddox.

H270	James F. Dowdle*	31M	Farmer 44 slaves R\$9000	GA
	Sarah	23F		

CHAMBERS COUNTY (ALA) CENSUS OF 1850

H107	<u>Nancy Christian*</u>	51F	32 slaves R\$3000	SC
	Gideon	21M	Farmer	
	Thomas	17M	Student	
	John	15M	Farmer	
	Susan B. *	14F		
	William F.	12M		AL
	George W.	9M		
	Ann C. Shaw	23F		GA

FOOTNOTES: *In Antioch Bapt. Ch. Cem. is a marker reading: "Beneath this monument rests the remains of Thomas Christian who was born in Virginia Jan. 11, 1795 and died in Arkansas Feb. 10, 1846 & removed to his residence in Chambers Co. AL". His wife (Nancy) is also buried there: b. Oct. 1798 (Edgefield Dist. SC) d. Sept. 8, 1855; Copy of Will of Thomas Christian of Bradley Co Ark. Chambers Co. Will Bk. II, p. 100 dated Feb. 3, 1856, attest Nathan R. Machen & Wm. B. Williams, mentions wife Nancy, sons Levi & James also daus. Sarah & Margaret, wife and two sons named exer; **Chambers Co. ML V4 #558 issued to Wm. O. Morgan & Susan B. Christian, Dec. 30, 1852 by H. Williams, H.B. Woody 2nd bonds

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H108	Jesse Clark Sr.	37M	Farmer 11 slaves R\$3275	GA (:
	Frances	37F		
	Elijah	10M		
	James	6M		
	Nancy	3F		AL
	Ephratus Shaw	20M	Farmer	GA
	Martha Switzer	16F		
	Jesse Clark Jr.	1M		AL
H109	Lewis Wilson*	36M	Farmer 4 slaves R\$1400	GA
	Eliza T. *	29F		
	Louisiana **	7F		
	Thomas D.	6M		AL
	Martha P.	4F		
	Lewis N.	2M		

FOOTNOTES: *Both buried Antioch Bapt. Ch. Cem.: He b. Nov. 11, 1814, d. Sept. 12, 1868, She b. March 4, 1820, d. May 20, 1883; **Chambers Co ML V5 #563-2 issued to Eligah B. Clark & Louisiana S. Wilson, Dec. 22, 1859 by J.F. Bledsoe (MG) at res. Lewis Wils

H110	Francis Cal(l)away*	58M	Bap. Clergy 19 slaves R1650GA	
	Elizabeth	60F		
	Terressa	34F		
	Charles	25M	Farmer	
	Martha Wood	64F		
	George Jones	11M		AL

FOOTNOTES: *F.C. buried Antioch Bapt. Ch. Cem. (name spelled Calloway on cem. marker) b. Feb. 18, 1790, d. Apr. 4, 1864.

CHAMBERS COUNTY (ALA) CENSUS OF 1850

H355	Thomas Wiley	72M	Farmer	17 slaves	R\$2500	VA
	Catherine	55F		1 runaway		NC
H356	John W. Baker	28M	Farmer			SC
	Catherine H.	28F				
	Abigal	6F				
	Dansiller (?)	4F				
	Mary R.	2F				
	George W.	1M				
H357	Thomas F. Flournoy*	25M	Farmer	17 slaves	R\$1000	GA
	Resilla*	19F				
	Susanah	3F				AL

FOOTNOTES: *Chambers Co. ML V3 #306 issued to Thomas F. Flourn & Rissilla H. Robertson, Nov. 18, 1845 by Clement C. Forbes (JC James C. Key 2nd bondsman. Also, these two joined the Bethesda Bapt. Ch. on Aug. 13, 1848(also Joseph McClendon).

H358	Henry McNealy*	27M	Farmer			SC
	Mary J.*	16F				GA

FOOTNOTES: *Chambers Co. ML V4 #172 issued to Henry McNeely & Mary J. Bagley, Nov. 1, 1849 by Thos. J. Williamson (MG), T.F. Flournoy 2nd bondsman.

H359	Isiah C. Fitten	47M	Farmer	7 slaves	R\$1200	NC
	Keziah A.	37F				
	John J.	21M	Farmer			GA
	Mary A.P.*	17F				
	Harriet C.	5F				AI

FOOTNOTES: *Chambers Co. ML V4 #424 issued to James M. Kennedy & Ann P. Fitten, Nov. 18, 1851 by Thos. J. Williamson (MG), Asa W. Perry 2nd bondsman, I.C. Fitten gave consent to dau's marriage

H360	John M. Kennedy*	27M	Farmer	28 slaves	R\$5800	GA
	Elizabeth	61M				
	James M.**	25M	Atty-at-law			
	Martha T.***	22F				
	Andrew J.	21M	Farmer			
	Sarah S. (?)	19F				
	Thomas J. (?)	18M				

FOOTNOTES: *Chambers Co. ML V5 #265 issued to John M. Kennedy & Ann Memiffee, Oct. 14, 1855 by Wm. B. Neal (TE) at res. Mrs. Memiffee James M. Kennedy 2nd bondsman; **See note to household next above for his marriage; ***Chambers Co. ML V5 #365 issued to Walter Smith & Martha Kennedy, Sept. 7, 1856 by E.C.J.B. Thomas (GM) at res. Mrs. Elizabeth Kennady, Thos. S. Christian 2nd bondsman.

Footnotes: Family of Julius Cogburn. *Chambers Co. ML V2 issued to Julius H. Cogburn & Sarah Adams , June 20, 1840 by Wm. Lacy (MG); also apparently a 2nd marriage for Julius C.: Chambers Co. ML V5 #7 issued to Julius H. Cogburn & Aliad Brakefield, March 29, 1853 by Absalom Blythe (MG), Washington Brakefield 2nd bondsman.

HH346	Nancy Stanly	39F	7 slaves R \$3,900	SC
	Martha*	21F		
	Elizabeth **	18F		
	Ezekiel	16M	Farmer	
	Rhoda ***	14F		AL
	Josephine ****	12F		
	James	10M		
	Ann*****	8F		
	William	5M		
	Isham	3M		

Footnotes: * Chambers Co. ML V5 #53 issued to Wm. C. Wallis & Martha J. Stanley, Oct. 18, 1853 by A. Shotwell (MG), James S. Mitchell & E. H. Muse as bondsmen; ** now a 1st marriage for Elizabeth & a 2nd for WCW: Chambers co ML V5 #418-1 issued to Wm. C. Wallis & Elizabeth L. (?) Stanley, Sept 17, 1857 by Wm. D. Harrington (MG); *** Chambers Co. ML V 5 #69 issued to Wm. H. Clark & Rhody C. Stanley, Nov. 22, 1853 by A. Shotwell (MG), B. F. Reed 2nd bondsman; **** Chambers Co. ML V5 #181 issued to James A. Donalson & Josephine W. Stanley, Dec. 8, 1854 by W. M. Cunningham (MG), Wm. C. Wallis 2nd bondsman: *****Chambers Co. ML V5 #496-1 issued to C.G. Gillespie & Ann E. Stanley, Dec. 22, 1858 by Robert Logan (MG) at res. Mrs. Stanley.

HH347	Henry Chappel	45M	Farmer 19 slaves R \$5,600	GA
	Matilda	39F		
	Dorothy*	17F		
	Mary Chappel	15F		AL
	Absolum	13M		
	Ophelia **	10F		
	Rebecca	7F		
	Loretta	3F		

Footnotes: * Chambers Co. ML V5 #205 issued to James D. Mathews & Dorothy Ann Chappell, Feb. 1, 1855 by Abner R. Callaway at res. Mrs. Matilda Chappell, James McLemore 2nd bondsman; ** Chambers Co. ML V5 #658-1 issued to Wm. R. Christian & Ophelia H. Chappell, Sept. 9, 1862 by J. W. Williams at res. bride's mother Mrs. Chappell, E. H. Muse 2nd bondsman.

Hh348	Richard Hunt	23M	Farmer	R\$210	GA
	Elizabeth	18F			
	Elizabeth	8/12F			
HH349	Ephraim Lee*	27M	Farmer on slave R \$450	GA	

<u>Household</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Age</u>	<u>S</u>	<u>Occup.</u>	<u>Rel.</u>	<u>Per.</u>	<u>Val.</u>	<u>Born</u>
	Mary Anderson*	22	F					AL
	Elizabeth	2	F					
	John T. **	27	M	Gunsmith	R500		P3,000	
						3 slaves		
	Mildred**	23	F					SC

FOOTNOTES: *Chambers Co ML V5 #364-2 issued to Wm. C. Anderson & Mary E. Finney, Sept. 4, 1856 by J. F. Bledsoe (MG) at res. Wm. H. Finney, John E. Davis 2nd bondsman; **Chambers Co ML V5 #201 issued to John T. Anderson & Mildred Corley, Jan. 25, 1855 by J. A.(?) Bleaso (Probably Bledsoe, as above), at res. Nierales (McCreless?) Corley, Gideon Christian 2nd bondsman.

H81	M. H. Mitchell*	35	F		R1,200		P25,000	
						6 slaves		
	Louise	15	F	Sch				AL
	Jane	12	F	Sch				
	John W.	9	M	Sch				
	Cornelia	4	F					

FOOTNOTES: *See this household ten years earlier and notes, H1608-1850 census.

H82	Thomas P. Finlay	45	M	Keeper Co Poorhouse	R400		P150	GA
	Mary	51	F					SC
	Sarah A.	19	F					AL
	Susan E.	18	F					
	George R.	16	M					
	Mary M.	10	F	Sch				

H83	Joel Watson	70	M	Pauper				SC
	Mary	23	F	Pauper				GA
	Lucy	1	F	Pauper				AL
	Clara Edwards	58	F	Pauper				SC
	Nancy	20	F	Pauper				AL
	John Smith	60	M	Pauper				NC
	Robert Zachry	60	M	Pauper				
	Sarah Matthews	40	F	Idiot(?) Pauper				GA
	David A. Sarrets(?)	28	M	Insane Pauper				

H84	William S. Machen	31	M	Carpenter			P2,300	
						2 slaves		
	Leonidus	24	M	Carpenter				

H85	Jane Riddle	41	F		R4,500		P12,000	GA
						7 slaves		
	Walton	11	M	Sch				AL
	William	6	M	Sch (?)				
	Crawford	4	M	Sch (?)				
	Samuel	3	M					

<u>Household</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Age</u>	<u>S</u>	<u>Occup.</u>	<u>Rel.</u>	<u>Pers.</u>	<u>Val.</u>	<u>Born</u>
	Robert Garlington	11	M	Sch				GA
	Mary E.	9	F	Sch				
	George	6	M					
	Martha	5	F					
	Eugenia	3	F					

FOOTNOTES: *Chambers Co ML V5 #759-2 issued to Henry W. Garlington & Margaret H. Summers, Dec. 19, 1865 by Thos. J. Williamson (MG) at res. Mrs. Summers.

HH642	Thomas Shannon	63	M	Farmer	R ?		P65,000	SC
							36 slaves	
	Rosa P.	45	F					VA
	James	18	M	Sch			P3,000	AL
	Lemuel*	15	M	Sch			P3,000	

FOOTNOTES: *Chambers Co ML V5 #810-1(2nd) issued to L. H. Shannon & L. E. Pharr, Feb. 20, 1866 by Rev. Henry Brown at res. Isaiah Fitten.

→ HH643	Thomas S. Christian*	26	M	Farmer	R3,500		P10,000	SC
							13 slaves	
	Georgia*	21	F					GA
	Nancy E.	2	F					AL
	Annie	4/12	F					
	Austin M. Blasingame	18	M	Overseer			P50	

FOOTNOTES: *Chambers Co ML V5 #380 issued to Thos. S. Christian & Georgia Hall, Oct. 26, 1856 by H. Carmichael (MG) at res. Mr. Johnson, S. E. Hall gave consent to dau's marriage.

HH644	Angus Ferguson*	53	M	Farmer	R1,100		P14,000	GA
	Orrey*	32	F				11 slaves	
	Isabella Taylor	11	F					AL
	Emma	9	F					

FOOTNOTES: *Chambers Co ML V5 #138 issued to Angus Ferguson & Oray W. Taylor, June 25, 1854 by Thos. J. Williamson (MG), Henry B. Woody 2nd bondsman.

HH645	Henry McCulloch	30	M	Overseer	R350		P1,000	GA
	Adelind	22	F					

HH646	William D. McCurdy	24	M	Farmer	R5,300		P18,000	
							slaves?	
	Cornelia	20	F					

HH647	John L. Tucker	32	M	Overseer			P100	
	Sarah	31	F					
	Mary E.	6	F					
	Singleton	4	M					
	Charles	2	M					
	Annie	2/12	F					?

<u>Household</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Age</u>	<u>S</u>	<u>Occup.</u>	<u>Rel.</u>	<u>Pers. Val.</u>	<u>Born</u>
HH746	James Turley	40	M	RR Hand		P150	NC
	Elizabeth	29	F				GA
	William J.	7	M				AL
	Mary S.(?) Gann	24	F				AL
August 27-29, 1860 Oak Bowery - Beulah							
HH747	James H. Goggins	46	M	Miller		P ?	SC
	Deborah	51	F				
	Nancy C.	19	F				
HH748	Ranson Christian	65	M	Farmer		P1,000	NC
	Polly	60	F	(also one slave in trust for unnamed minor)		3 slaves	SC
HH749	Royal H. Daniel	48	M	Carpenter	R600	P500	GA
	Emily	45	F				
	Thompson W.	17	M				
	John H.	13	M	Sch			
	Royal G.(?)	10	M	Sch			
	Leroy L.	10/12	M				
	Mildred Shackelford	83	F				MD
HH750	Giles C. Cleland(?)	46	M	Farmer	R500	P500	SC
	Mahala	46	F				
	Robert C.	19	M				
	Nancy J.	16	F				
	Bluford	15	M				
	James H.	13	M				
	Alfred R.(?)	7	M				
	Lawrence E.	4	M				
	Ardazena(?)	1	M				GA
HH751	Jesse Cole*	40	M	Farmer	R500	P500	SC
	Frances*	25	F				
	Othello H.	14	F	(?)			
	William F.	12	M				
	Harrison	9	M				
	James	8	M				AL
Pheba J.	1	F					

FOOTNOTES: *Chambers Co ML V5 #325 issued to Jesse G. Cole & Mary Frances Leek, July 17, 1856 by James M. Roberts (JP), Wm. J. Adams 2nd bondsman.

August 29, 1860 Beulah

HH752	Margaret Leek	49	F		R100	P100	SC
	Sarah C.	20	F				
	James	18	M				AL
	George W.	15	M				
	Samuel	15	M				

<u>Household</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Age</u>	<u>S</u>	<u>Occup.</u>	<u>Rel.</u>	<u>Per.</u>	<u>Val.</u>	<u>Bor</u>
	Mary Foster	54	F	(MF - 2 slaves)				G
	F. M.	19	M	Farm Laborer				A
	Alfred	18	M					
	Mary	16	F					
	Margaret	12	F					
	Sarah	10	F					
	Augustus	8	M					

H329	Matilda Chappel	49	F			R6,400	P400(?)	G
	Fannie*	24	F				16 slaves	
	A. H.	23	M	(AHC - 1 slave)				A
	Ophelia**	19	F					
	Rebecca	15	F					
	Loretta	10	F					
	George P.	8	M					

FOOTNOTES: *Chambers Co ML V5 #687-3 issued to Henry Doolittle & Fannie Chappell, June 16, 1854 by R. W. Dixon (MG) at res. Chappell; **Chambers Co ML V5 #658-1 issued to Wm. R. Christian & Ophelia H. Chappell, Sept. 9, 1862 by J. W. Williams at res. Mrs. Chappell, E. H. Muse 2nd bondsman.

H330	Barney Price(?)	31	M	Farmer			P250	G
	Martha	32	F					
	Emily J.	19	F					
	Cyntha A.	16	F					
	Mary L.	11	F					
	William H.	22	M	Farm Laborer				

H331	Matthew Mosely	75	M	Farmer		R2,000	P7,000	V
	Elizabeth	63	F				5 slaves	
	Matthew	22	M	Farm Laborer				G
	Julia	20	F					
	Alexander	18	M					

H332	Thomas Walker	35	M	Overseer			P100	
	Amanda	25	F					
	Amanda	12	F	Sch				
	Catherine	6	F					A
	Buddy	1	M					

H333	Wesley Mann*	32	M	Overseer			P200	G
	Virginia*	19	F					

FOOTNOTES: *Chambers Co ML V5 #540-1 issued to West Mann & Virginia E. Lamar, Sept. 25, 1859 by Thos. J. Stevens (JP) at res. bride's mother.

H334	H. M. Higginbotham	53	M	Farmer		R1,500	P600	G
							4 slaves(?)	



Agnes B. Pearlman, 2001 North Westwood Avenue, Santa Ana, California 92706

August 20, 1987

*Mrs. Connie Hutchinson
5019 Montoya Drive
El Paso, Texas 79922*

Dear Connie:

It was a pleasure to hear from you again, and I did appreciate your sending the additional information although I already had some of it.

*Yes, Eugenia Toland and I have been corresponding off and on for many years. She is an excellent, conscientious researcher; and the information she sent on her line was published in *Christian Family Chronicles*. At the moment I forget which issue.*

*If you look at "On the Bookshelf" you will notice that I have a copy of McClanahan's manuscript. For many years he lived only a few miles from my home and belonged to the same genealogical society. We visited with each other and compared *Christian family notes*.*

*I also have the article by Mabel Van Dyke Baer in my personal library. That consists of abstracts of the Revolutionary War pension records from the National Archives. Most of them have been included in one form or another in articles in the *Chronicles*.*

*Be extremely cautious in accepting information given in the DAR and Colonial Dames lineage records. For example, there is no proof that the Anthony Christian of Powhattan County, Virginia, who served in the Revolutionary War is the same as the one who settled in Cocke County, Tennessee. In fact, the evidence suggests otherwise. See article starting on page 789 of Volume IX of the *Chronicles*. For other problems with such lineages, see also "Elusive Connections--The Progenitors" starting on page 718 of Volume IX.*

I'm hoping Volume No. XI will be ready by mid-October. In the meantime, do keep me posted.

Sincerely,

Elisha Paschal & ^{his family} came to Alabama ~~about~~ 1837 ^{& to Bradley Co. AR in 1842.} ~~with Susan & children.~~
~~Sarah Christian came with them, his family came Sarah Christian~~
dan. of Allan & Mary Christian came with them. His wife & all
his children except one son died about the same time. He was
so depressed & overcome with sorrow that he took his son
& Sarah back to Ala. He came back to AR, & operated a ferry
for a few years until his grief was lessened. He came to Columbia
Co, ^{in 1848} liked it & bought a farm, built a house, went back
- to Ala, married Sarah & brought her & his son back to Col. Co.
where he raised a large family.

Instead of sending charts FROM Laura Sumner

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Temporarily I listing by families because I don't have all the right information.

Allen Christian b d 1839 Chambers Co, AL
 his father - Gideon Christian Mother - Sarah Morse
 Allen m Mary W. A. Howze c1821 in Edgefield Co, SC

She died 1839 in Chambers Co. AL. Her Father - James Howze Her Mother - Sally Wilson
 Children:

Elvira F. Christian b Sept 1822-23 Edgefield Co, SC m John H. Baker 20 Jan 1842
 Chambers Co, AL. Elvira d 5 July 1901 bur at Antioch East Bapt Cem, Columbia Co, AL

Sarah Christian b 29 June 1829 prob. Pike Co GA m Elisha Cockrane Paschal 8 Jan 1846
 in ~~Chambers~~ ^{Chambers} Co, AL Sarah d 13 June 1891 at Camden, Ouachita Co, AR bur Antioch
 East Cem, Columbia Co, AL *He married (1) Susan Howze 21 Jan 1836 in Putnam Co. Ga.*

Nancy F. Christian ca 1833 prob. Pike Co, GA d ~~1850~~
m Stephen Jackson Williams 27 Mar. 1856 Columbia Co. AR.

Eliza Christian b ca 1838 or 39 Chambers Co, AL prob. d. 1850 in Chambers Co, AL
She didn't come here. Guess she stayed with James Christian in AL.

JAMES HOWZE b d codicil 13 June 1843

m Sally Wilson?
 her Mother was Lamatal Wilson (Will 1806 Edgefield)

Children:

James J (I) Howze
 John I Howze
 William J. Howze
 Benjamin G. Howze
 Ann E. Howze

Mary W. A. Howze (See above for information)

Caroline T. Howze m 1st James H. Christian 29 Dec 1831, Pike Co, GA
 b bet 1810 to 1820 m 2nd William B. Williams 2 Dec 1841 Chambers Co, AL

WILLIAM CHRISTIAN b 1755-1773 d ca 1807 Edgefield co, SC
 m 8 July 1794 Warren Co, NC - Ransom Kimbell bondsman - Tabatha Howze b ca 1770,
 Brunswick Co, VA, d 27 Aug 1834 Pike Co, GA
 Tabatha Howze m 2nd Nathan Baker ca 1808, Edgefield Co, SC - daughter of James Howze

Children:

Ransom Christian b 2 May 1795 d
 m in Edgefield before 1820 census

Susan Bates Christian 7 Jan 1798 SC d 3 Mar 1852 bur Antioch East Cem, Columbia Co, AR
 m 1st Joshua Baker 7 Jan 1813 Edgefield, SC m 2nd Stephen Williams 26 Apr 1821, EDF, SC

James H. Christian b ca 1800 Edgefield co, SC d before 1840
 m Caroline T. House 29 Nov 1831 Pike Co, GA

Gideon Christian b 26 Aug 1760/61 Goochland, VA ? d ca 10 Sept 1821, Edgefield, SC
 m Sarah Morse 186 records say 6 Dec 1763 but fr. Granville Co. Marriages 1725 -
1868 by Polcomb, P. 61 - Gideon Christian & Sara Morse 6 Dec 1765, William Walker,
 bondsman and Reuben Searcy, Wit.

You have the rest - *the Children*

*bro to
Gideon below*

FRY CHRISTIAN b d will proved 25 Apr 1765
m Lucretia (Lucy) Williams 23 Nov 1751 Goochland, VA

Children:

James Christian b 23 Apr 1758 Goochland Co, VA

Gideon Christian b 20 Sept 1759 Goochland Co, VA d will proved 10 Sept 1821 Edgefield Co, SC

m Sarah Morse 6 Dec 1785 Granville Co, VA

Two daughters

Ann Christian whose husbands were James Furham Ann b 3 Mar 1764

Frances Christian and M Balthrop or Balthrop

Erury Christian b 16 Aug 1766 Goochland VA

William Christian b ca 1770 d ca 1807 (est adm 21 July 1809)

m Tabatha Nowze 8 July 1794 in Warren Co, NC

Jesse Christian b ca 1776 d will probated 31 Aug 1839 Edgefield Co, SC

m Mary before 1800

ALLEN CHRISTIAN b d 1839 Chambers Co AL between 1821 -1825, NEB, SC

m Mary M. A. Nowze b

d 1839 Chambers Co, VA

His parents Gideon & Sarah Christian

Her parents James Nowze and Sally Wilson

Children:

Elvira F. Christian b Sept 1822-26 Edgefield Co, SC d 5 July 1901 bur Antioch East
cem, Columbia Co, AL m John M. Baker 20 Jan 1842 Chambers Co, AL

Sarah Christian b 29 June 1829 prob Edge Co, GA d 13 June 1891 at Garden, AL bur
Antioch East Cem, Columbia Co, AL

Nancy M. Christian b ca 1833 prob. Edge Co, GA d 1850 from consumption

Liza Christian b 1838 ca prob Chambers co d

m Stephen Jackson Williams 27 Mar 1856 Columbia Co AL,

James Nowze b d codicil 13 June 1843

m Sally Wilson

Her mother was Hannah Wilson (WILL 1806 Edgefield)

Children:

James J. (I) Nowze

John F. Nowze

William J. Nowze

Benjamin G. Nowze

Gen Nowze

Ann E. Nowze

Mary M. A. Nowze

d 1839 Chambers Co, AL

m Allen Christian

d 1839 Chambers Co, AL

Caroline T. Nowze b between 1810 & 1820 d

m 1st James H. Christian 29 Dec 1831 Edge Co, GA 2nd William B. Williams

2 Dec 1841 Chambers Co, VA

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GROOM	BRIDE	DATE	G I	RECORD	BONDSMAN	WITNESS	BOND NO
CHRISTIAN ROBERT	LEWIS NANCY	14 APR 1829	073	01 078	JOHN POOL	J TAYLOR	000095683
CHRISTIAN ROBERT W	JONES ELIZABETH	10 DEC 181	047	01 038	SHIRLEY TISDALE	RICHARD EPPES C	000061994
CHRISTIAN THOMAS	LYNN MARTHA	02 OCT 1837	073	01 078	WM MARCUM	J TAYLOR	000095681
CHRISTIAN THOMAS	CROMBIE ABITHA	24 DEC 1792	073	01 078	DANIEL CARLTON	ABNER B BRUCE	000095682
CHRISTIAN W J M 22 NOV 1866 BY B C HOPKINS, JP; U C CHEEK, BONDSMAN	GUNTER LOUISA T	22 NOV 1866	073	01 078	E W MORRIS	R F MINIS	000095685
CHRISTIAN WILLIAM	HOUSE TABITHA	08 JUL 1794	100	01 042	RANSOM KIMBEL		000160220
CHRISTIAN WILLIAM S M 11 JAN 1853 BY JOS G BARKLEY M G	STEPTOE HELEN E	07 JAN 1853	047	01 038	CHAS FERRALL		000061995
CHRISTIE JAMES M J TAYLOR, 2ND WITNESS	HART SUSAN	20 DEC 1834	073	01 078	J C TURRENTINE	WM HOLMES	000095686
CHRISTIE WILLIAM ALIAS YARBORD	SMITH DORSE	22 AUG 1821	047	01 038	WM WOOTEN	S M JOHNSTON	000061996
CHRISTIE ZECHARIAH	DRAKE MORNING	04 NOV 1822	047	01 038	G WHELESS	S M JOHNSTON	000061997
CHRISTLEY JONATHAN (D OF MOSEA & MARY DEAL); M 16 JUN 1867 BY AARON DAVIS	SIMPSON NANCY	14 JUN 1867	070	01 020		R B WOOD, JR, C	000087648
CHRISTMAN DAVID M 11 APR 1854 BY WM	WATTINGTON FRANCES GREEN J P	10 APR 1854	046	01 074	JNO L HENDRIX	LYNDON SWAIN C	000054125
CHRISTMAN JACOB	CHRSMAN DOROTHY	22 DEC 1814	090	01 051	JACOB SHULTZ	J GIBSON	000137804
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1800 Edgefield Co, SC Census

141 Jesse Christian 1 M 17 to 26 1 F 17to26 2 slaves
 (will probated 31 Aug 1839 Edgefield, wife Mary, sons Drury W, Jesse, William & James)

143 William Christian 1 M under 10 1 F under 10 1 slave
 1 F 27 to 45 1 F 27 to 45

148 Gideon Christian 2 M under 10 2 F Under 10
 1 F 10 to 16 1 F 27 to 45 many slaves
 1 M 27 to 45
 1 M Over 45

149 James Baker 2 M under 10 2 F under 10 15 Slaves
 (John Lee) 2 " 27 to 45 2 F 11 to 16
 1 F 17 to 26
 2 F 27 to 45

144 (John) Jesse Baker 1 F 10 to 16 1 F 10 to 16
 1 F 17 to 26 1 F 17 to 26
 2 F 27 to 45 1 F 27 to 45
 1 F over 45 1 F over 45

161 Gallelophy Baker 1 M 11 to 16 2 F 11 to 16
 1 M 17 to 26 1 F 17 to 26
 1 F over 45

181 Thomas Baker 1 M under 10 1 F 17 to 26
 1 M 27 to 45 1 F 27 to 45

183 William Baker 2 M under 10 2 F 11 to 16
 1 M 27 to 45 1 F 27 to 45

1800 Warren Co, NC

James House 1 M under 10 2 F 17 to 26
 1 F 11 to 16 2 F over 45
 3 M 17 to 26
 1 F over 45

1800 Edgefield, SC

173 Jesse House *from index. I failed to get the census record*

1810 Edgefield co, SC

033 James House 1 F 27 to 45 2 F under 10
 1 F 17 to 26

056 Edward Christian 1 M under 10 4 F under 10
 1 M 17 to 26 1 F 11 to 16
 1 M 27 to 45 1 F 27 to 45

070 Gideon Christian 3 M under 10 1 F under 10
 2 F 11 to 16 1 F 27 to 45
 1 M 27 to 45

070 Jesse Christian 1 M under 10 1 F under 10
 1 M 11 to 16 1 F 27 to 45
 1 F 27 to 45

*If Thomas was here
 I missed him.
 TELL HER HE WAS THERE
 in PENDLETON DIST
 161*

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1810 Edgefield Co, SC Census

071 Nathan Baker	1 M under 10	1 F under 10	
	1 M 11 to 16	1 F 17 to 26	
	1 M 27 to 45		
045 Thomas Baker	2 M under 10	3 F under 10	
	1 M 27 to 45	1 F 17 to 26	
		1 F over 45	

(Greenville Dist)

100 John Baker	2 M under 10	3 F under 10	
	1 M 27 to 45	1 F 17 to 26	
		1 F over 45	

1820 Edgefield Dist, SC

83 Jesse Christian	2 M under 10	1 F over 45	
	1 M 10 to 16		
	1 M 18 to 26		
	1 M 26 to 45		
85 Gideon Christian	1 M 10 to 16	1 F 10 to 16	
	1 M 16 to 18	1 F over 45	13 slaves
	1 M over 45		
100 Thomas Christian	1 M under 10	1 F under 10	
	1 M 26 to 45	1 F 26 to 45	1 F Slave
102 Stephen Christian	1 M 16 to 18	1 F 10 to 16	
	2 M over 45	1 F over 45 or 1 Foreigner	
106 Ranselm Christian	3 M under 10	1 F 16 to 26	
	1 M 18 to 26	1 F 26 to 45	1 F slave
82 Thomas Baker	2 M under 10	3 F under 10	
	1 M 10 to 16	2 F 10 to 16	2 M slaves
	1 M over 45	1 F 26 to 45	1 F slave
100 William Baker	1 M 26 to 45	2 F under 10	
		1 F 16 to 26	6 slaves
105 Nathan Baker	3 M under 10	1 F 16 to 26	
	1 M 16 to 18	1 F over 45	7 slaves
	1 M 18 to 26		
	1 M 26 to 45		
102 Stephen Williams	2 M under 10	2 F under 10	
	1 M over 45 ?	1 F 26 to 45	2 slaves

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1030 Wilke Co, GA

109 Ransom Christian	1 M 10 to 15 1 M 30 to 40	1 F 30 to 40	
109 Tabitha Baker	1 M 10 to 15 1 M 20 to 30	1 F 40 to 50	11 slaves
110 Stephen Williams	1 M under 5 1 M 15 to 20 1 M 30 to 40	1 F under 5 1 F 5 to 10 1 F 15 to 20 ?	6 slaves
113 William Baker	2 M 5 to 10 1 M 10 to 15 2 M 15 to 20 1 M 20 to 30 1 M 50 to 60	2 F under 5 1 F 15 to 20 1 F 40 to 50	
113 Jonathan Baker	1 M 5 to 10 1 M 10 to 15 1 M 40 to 50	3 F under 5 1 F 5 to 10 1 F 30 to 40	
123 Jonathan Baker (Failed to get this)			

1840 Chambers Co, AL

205 Carolina Christian <i>James H. Christian's wife</i>	1 M 5 to 10 1 M 20 to 30	1 F under 5 1 F 5 to 10 1 F 20 to 30	
228 Thomas Christian	2 M under 5 1 M 5 to 10 2 M 10 to 15 1 M 15 to 20 1 M 40 to 50	1 F under 5 1 F 5 to 10 1 F 10 to 15 1 F 30 to 40	
205 Littleberry Baker	1 M under 5 1 M 20 to 30	1 F under 5 1 F 20 to 30	28 slaves
228 Stephen Williams	1 M 5 to 10 1 M 10 to 15 1 M 40 to 50	1 F 5 to 10 1 F 40 to 50	
228 William H. Smith (Tabitha A. Williams) <i>Stepen Susan B.'s daughter</i>			

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Abstract of
EDGEFIELD DISTRICT, SC
ESTATE OF
JOSHUA BAKER

JOSHUA BAKER....Died Intestate

ADMINISTRATOR....Nathan Baker and Susana B. Baker

Susana B. Baker relinquished her right as administrator and Nathan Baker was appointed as administrator of Joshua Baker's estate - 23 Oct 1819

Administration Bond signed by Nathan Baker, Thomas Baker, and Richard H. Tutt on the 15th day of November 1819 - Nathan Baker, Administrator.

Appraisers appointed...William Green, Eli Howze, William Fowles and James Dyson on the 15th day of November 1819.

Nathan Baker, Adm. petition the Ordinary to grant an order to sell all the personal Estate of Joshua Baker, dec'd, on Nov. 22, 1819.

The following bought at sale of personal property of Estate of Joshua Baker, dec'd.

Susannah B. Baker, Nathan Baker, Thomas Baker, Ransom Christian, Richard Dozier, William Powers, Thomas Leopard, Solomon Adams, Mrs. Katharine Maynard, John Taylor, John Adams, Martin Carter, James Bell, John Barrot, Joel McLemore, Jonathan De-loach, Jesse Daniel Butler, Francis Childress, Hazel Culbreath, Joseph Trotter and Moses Walton.

Acct. Sale of the Estate of Joshua Baker dec'd, sold 13th Dec 1819.

Settlement of Estate of Joshua Baker is filed in Box No. 4, Package No. 129, records of the Court of Probate for Edgefield Co, SC

(From Bibles of Littleberry Baker and Stephen Williams:
Joshua Baker died 16 Oct 1819)

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Abstract of
LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF
Tabitha C. Baker

Georgia: Tabitha Baker mentions First, lawful children of her
Pike County: son Ransom Christian and her son Ransom Christian;
Second, grandchildren Tabitha Williams and Frances Williams and daughter
Susan Williams; Third, son James Christian; Fourth, Grandson Littleberry
W. Baker; Fifth Grandson John H. Baker.

Executors: James Christian and Ransom Christian - Signed in presence
of Allen W. Prior, John Carswell and Robt. Smith - Witnesses: William
Harris and Lewis Daniel - Signed 3rd day of September 1834.

Tabitha's will is found in Will Book B, pages 30-33 of the Pike Co, Georgia
Court of Probate.

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From Littleberry W. Baker's Book

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Marriages

Bates Christian

- Joshua Baker & his wife Susan was married January 7th 1813 AD
- Stephen Williams & Susan B. Baker was married April the 26th 1821
- Stephen Williams & ~~Nasy~~ Nancy Diekson was married Sept. 23rd 1852
Nancy

Births

*185 William Christian m. Tabitha Houze
m. 8 July 1797 Warton Co. Va.
also had son James Christian
d. before 1840*

- Susan B. Christian was born January 7th AD 1798 *parents*
- Ranson Christian was May 2nd 1795
- Littleberry W. Baker was born May 3rd in the year of Our Lord 1814
- John W. Baker was born Feb 5th 1817 *this was John H. Baker*
- Joshua D. J. Baker was born Aug. 16th 1819
- Tabitha A. Williams was born May 8th 1823
- Nathan N. Williams was born August 30, 1826
- Mary Susan Williams was born Sept 6th 1829
- Frances Jane Williams was born January 16th 1832
- Stephen Jackson Williams was born December 7th 1834 *m. Nancy Christian 27 Mar 1856*
d. 2 Dec. 1860

*son of Allen Christian
& Mary WA Houze*

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 (I copied this page from Margaret Baker's records Nov. 9, 1980. Lavern H. Summerlin)

1840 ... S.C. there were John, Nathan, Thomas Baker
 - ...
 7 Aug 1834 - Pike Co. Ga

Susan Bates Christian Married Joshua Baker
 Born: Jan. 7, 1798 Born:
 Died: Mar. 17, 1834 7 Jan. 7, 1813 Died: Oct. 16, 1819
 3 Mar 1852 ... Stephen Williams Baker

Children

Littleberry W. Baker John H. Baker Joshua D. J. Baker
 Born: May 3, 1814 Born Feb 5, 1817 Born: Aug. 16, 1819
 Died: July 7, 1902 Died: 1889 Died: Oct. 9, 1829

Susan Bates Christian Baker Married Stephen Williams
 Apr. 26, 1821 - *Edgefield Co. S.C.* Born: *about 1793 in NC according to 1860 Census*
 Died: Jan. 22, 1861

Children

Tabitha A. Williams Nathan N. Williams Mary Susan Williams
 Born: May 8, 1823 Born: Aug. 30, 1826 Born: Sept 6, 1829
 Died: Aug. 27, 1894 Died: Died: 17 Jan 1834

Frances Jane Williams Stephen Jackson Williams ²¹ m. Nancy ²³ Christian 27 Mar 1856
 Born: Jan 16, 1832 Born: Dec. 7, 1834 8. 1833
 Died: Died: Dec 2, 1860

Nancy Dickson Married Stephen Williams
 Sept 23, 1852

*#01993 in NC
 to 1860 Census*

(Lavern Hughes Summerlin copied this from Margaret Baker's records November 9, 1980)

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Family Record

Deaths

Paralee Baker died 11th Day of
Oct 1869

Mary Susan Holly died 22 Nov 1878
being 40 years 1 mo & 23 days old

Nathan Allen Holly died 27th day of
May at 7 o'clock AM 1896

Frances Kemper died January 16 AD 1897

William B. Baker died 2nd day Dec 1920
Being 73 yrs 2 mo. 12 days old

Martha Elizabeth Baker died near the
middle of Sept 1852

Nancy Baker wife of L. W. Baker died 1st day of June in 79 year of her age
AD 1896 at 6½ o'clock afternoon. She
and I had been living together as husband
and wife 58 years 4 months & 15 days.
Nancy was 78 years 5 months & 24 days old when
she died.

L. W. Baker,

Joshua Baker who was the father of L. W. -
J. H. Sen. D. J. Baker died Oct 16 AD 1819

Littleberry W. Baker died July 7, 1902, age
88 years 2 mos. 4 days.

Marriages

Littleberry W. Baker & Nancy Paschal was
married Jan. 16, AD 1838.

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Sally Agnes

Abstract of
Estate of WILLIAM CHRISTIAN

papers are found in Box 35, Package 1289, film 162253, Edgefield, S.C.
South Carolina
Edgefield District

Warrant of Appraisement

by M. Simkins, ordinary of Edgefield District

Appraisers appointed: John Maulden, Joseph Roads, Jesse Christian, William Green on 1st day of September 1809 in the 34th year of American Independence.

On the 7th day of October 1809 Gideon Christian, Justice of Peace, with John Maulden, Jesse Christian and William Green swore to make a just and true appraisal of goods and Chattels of said estate of William Christian, dec'd, by the 3rd day of November 1809.

(Sales were made 27 Nov 1809 and 5 May 1810)

Administration Bond: Tabitha Christian, William Towles and James House put up \$8,000 to John Simkins, ordinary of the district, on 1 Sept 1809

Administrator appointed 21 July 1809 - Tabitha Christian

(Nathan Baker signed all papers: Nathan Baker, Adm, in the right of my wife.)

First payment made on account was April 1808

Total amount of estate was \$4,010.38

August 1, 1815 Joshua Baker received \$328.42

May 16, 1816 Hanson Christian received \$329.52

September 13, 1824 James W. Christian received \$328.35

All expenses were paid also

The last accounting was made on 20th Apr 1825 when M. Simkins, ordinary of Edgefield Dist, swore the account was correct.

Included with the papers: List of inventory
List of buyers
All expenses

(Evidently by April 1809 Nathan Baker and Tabitha Howze Christian were married because he signed all papers Nathan Baker, Adm, in right of my wife; so William Christian must have died about 1807 if not before.)

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HUSBAND'S NAME John H. Baker, Sr
When Born 5 Feb 1817 **Where** Edgefield Dist, SC
Christened _____ **Where** _____
When Died 2 April 1899 **Where** Calhoun, Columbia Co. Ar.
When Buried _____ **Where** Antioch East Cem, Cal. Co. Ar.
When Married 20 Jan 1842 **Where** Chambers Co. Ar.
Other Wives (if any) _____
His Father Toshua Baker **His Mother's Maiden Name** Susan Pates Christian
WIFE'S MAIDEN NAME Elvira K. Christian (1900 Cal. Co. Census says Elvira) **When Born** Sept. 1822-24 **Where** prob Edgefield Dist, S.C.
Christened Antioch East Church in Migration 23 Aug 1850
When Died 5 July 1901 **Where** Calhoun, Columbia Co. Ar
When Buried _____ **Where** Antioch East Cem, Cal. Co., Ar.
Other Husb. (if any) _____
Her Father Allen Christian **Her Mother's Maiden Name** Mary W. House

Information on this sheet obtained from
Alabama Genealogical Register
Sept 1959 Vol 13, p. 126
1960 & 70 Cal. Co. Census Calhoun
Bible of W. W. Baker
Antioch East Church records
Columbia Co. Court. Index
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Northern Cemeteries by F. G. Moore
Dial Archives, Washington D.C.

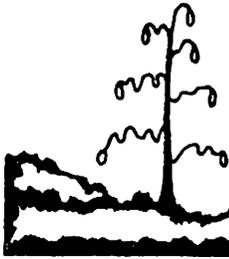
(Husband's Full Name) _____
 (Wife's Maiden Name) _____
 Date _____
 Compiler _____
 Address _____
 City _____ State _____

Male or Female	CHILDREN (Arrange in order of birth)	When Born			Where Born		State or Country	Married to	When Married			Where Buried			State or Country
		Day	Month	Year	Town or Place	County			Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year	
M	1 James T. Baker			1843	Dale Co.	Ala.	Not married								
M	2 Thomas Baker			1845	Dale	Ala.									
F	3 Susan F. Baker	29	Sept	1847	Dale	Ala.	William T. (Bill) Owsley	2	Mar	1871	3	Oct	1930	Calhoun	Columbia Ar
M	4 John H. Baker, Jr			1849	Dale	Ala.	1st Eugenia Couch 2nd Martha L. Baker	1	May	1873				Calhoun	Columbia Ar
F	5 Mary Baker			ca 1854	Calhoun	Columbia Ar.								Calhoun	Columbia Ar
F	6 Sarah Baker			ca 1856	Calhoun	Columbia Ar.								Calhoun	Columbia Ar
F	7 Mary Ellen Baker		Jan	1859	Calhoun	Columbia Ar	William O. (Bill) Crisp	20	Dec	1884	20	Jan	1929	Calhoun	Columbia Ar.
F	8 Martha Terrell Baker			1861	Calhoun	Columbia Ar	J. Clark Barrett	10	Oct	1891				Calhoun	Columbia Ar
F	9 Tabitha Avara Baker	13	Apr	1863	Calhoun	Columbia Ar	R. L. Gunnels (Bob)	18	Dec	1890	8	Mar	1944	Calhoun	Columbia Ar
M	10 George Lee Baker	30	Jan	1866	Calhoun	Columbia Ar	Nancy Ellen Gunnels	22	Jan	1891	17	Feb	1938	Calhoun	Columbia Ar.
	11														
	12														
	13														
	14														

Put in Co. A 15th AR Inf.
 Sgt. Baker killed 4 Oct 1861 at Atlanta, AR in Co. 15th AR Inf.
 J. T. Baker was in prison at Camp Butler, Mo. - New Springfield, Ill.
 J. T. Baker captured at Ft. Donaldson, TN Feb. 16, 1862, died 13 Sept 1862
 on Andersonville, Ga.

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Agnes B. Pearlman, 2001 North Westwood Avenue, Santa Ana, California 92706

September 11, 1987

*Mrs. Connie Hutchinson
5019 Montoya Drive
El Paso, Texas 79922*

Dear Connie:

Many thanks for your letter of August 29 with the pages of information from Lavern Summerlin. I also appreciate your sending her address.

Although I already had some of the same information in my files, there was supplementary material previously unknown to me--particularly in regard to the William Christian who married Tabitha House (or Howze, as she has it). I had always surmised that he was the son of Drury and Lucretia (Williams) Christian but was never sure. I wrote to her asking whether she had proof of the relationship or whether her conclusion was based on inference.

I was in a position to add to and correct some of her information on the children of Drury and Lucretia (Williams) Christian. As I was sending it to her, I realized that the articles published in the Chronicles did not contain all the data from my files. I tried to avoid including names of spouses where I was not absolutely sure of parental relationship. For example, was Drury's son William actually the one who married Tabitha House? Was Drury's son Drury, Jr., actually the one who married 1) Betsey Brewer and 2) Sarah Peyton? Was Drury's son Jesse the one who married Mary Greenwood? And, of course, was Drury's son Gideon the one who married Sarah Morse? It's easy to make assumptions--many times quite accurate--but often difficult to find proof.

I suppose the reason one has to be so careful of the "proof" on lineage charts of the patriotic societies is that an individual may be so anxious to become a member that the facts presented are interpreted by the applicant to suit the purpose of joining. As noted in the cases of Anthony Christian, William Christian, Gilbert Christian, etc., there were several contemporaries carrying identical names. Distinguishing between the various namesakes was not always easy. Even when it could be done, applicants were often reluctant to accept whatever did not fit their plans to join a society.

I hope by now you have your new roof and that your home is back in order. Flooding can be so disruptive, but you were fortunate it was not as serious a problem for you as for others.

I deeply appreciate your sending the abstracts and records. Even when I already have part or even most of the information, any small item that is new is especially helpful in making my files more complete.

Sincerely,

5019 Montoya Drive
El Paso, Tex 79922
21 October, 1987

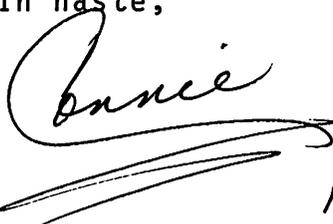
Dear Agnes,

My life for these past three months has been one of dis-order. I am continually waiting for workmen and the house is about to drive me up the wall. The roof was finally finished, although we are waiting for the last of the touch ups. The gutter man showed up and did his work but will have to return as he put the down spouts too close to the wall and the brick men who arrived this week took it all down. In the midst of this, the floors that were ruined by the water have been pulled up and now today, work has begun on putting down new floors in three of the rooms. Meanwhile the dust and dirt just get deeper and I finally cleaned off a small area in my bar/office to locate the typewriter and paper so that I could get some letters out. Needless to add, I have been unable to go near the library or for that matter far from the house as I am always waiting for someone to arrive and do something. It is all very frustrating and definitely non productive.

I am sending you some money as I thought you said last year you were getting out another edition of the CHRONICLES, or was it this year? In any event, enclosed check for \$10.00, and if not enough, just let me know. I owe Lavern a long letter as she had sent me the stuff that I forwarded on to you and have yet to get back to her with other than a postcard to say that I have all in hand. Boy, I am really getting bad this year and I began so well. It must be from quitting smoking, after 40 years, and don't know what to do with the hands and mouth. Anyway, I am just letting you know that I have not forgotten you and as soon as I can return to normal life, meaning some trips to the library and other such instructive efforts, I will send anything that I can locate.

Thanks for the info. I am sure Lavern appreciates the help, too. I suggested to her some time ago she purchase the CHRONICLES but don't know if she will take time to order.

In haste,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Connie". The signature is written in dark ink and is underlined with two parallel horizontal lines.

*P.S. Hope you were not hurt in
quake - my dau in Carona
del Mar escaped with only shaking*



Agnes B. Pearlman, 2001 North Westwood Avenue, Santa Ana, California 92706

October 30, 1987

*Mrs. Connie Hutchinson
5019 Montoya Drive
El Paso, Texas 79922*

Dear Connie:

*Just a quick note to thank you for your check for \$10.00 and to send a \$2.50 refund. Volume No. XI of **Christian Family Chronicles** will be \$7.50, and I'm hoping it will be ready next month. In fact, I had hoped to have it ready this month, but I didn't make it.*

I sympathize with your having to take so much time away from truly productive work to have all the household repairs made. I've had my share recently, too.

*Like your daughter, we suffered no damage during the earthquake and after-shocks. Just the usual shaking.
You'll be getting an "official" announcement when the **Chronicles** is ready.*

Sincerely,

Enclosure

5019 Montoya Dr
El Paso, Tex 79922
22 February 1988

Dear Agnes -

I know you're probably gone to
press by now but I am enclosing some
info I just received from Bonnie
Christian Presley. She has a mutual
ancestor with me - Thomas & Nancy (Scurry)
Christian: two of their children were Sarah
(mine) who m Stephen Chaffin and the
brother (hers) was Gideon. I just received
this and have not had time to get more
info as yet. Her address is 1201 Buccaneer
Avenue, Tex 79605.

In haste,

Bonnie



Agnes B. Pearlman, 2001 North Westwood Avenue, Santa Ana, California 92706

March 4, 1988

*Mrs. Connie Hutchinson
5019 Montoya Drive
El Paso, Texas 79922*

Dear Connie:

Unaccustomed as I am to dictating, that's the only way at the moment that I can respond to correspondents. See enclosed card from my daughter.

Thank you so much for copies of the articles. It's amazing how I often find something "new" in material I might even have seen before. Nothing like constant review in genealogy!

I appreciate your giving me Bonnie Christian Pressley's name and address. When I recover and complete my publication commitments, I'll try to get in touch.

Sincerely,

Enclosure

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117 York Ave.
Union, S.C. 29314
March 3, 1988

Dear Leonie,
Thanks for your inquiry regarding the
Christian family line. I am not sure if there
is any connection, but the following may
give you some ideas.

I am a descendant of John Henry Christian
and Martha Broadwater Christian. Their daughter,
Sarah (Dolly) married my grandfather, Thaddeus C
Strom on December 11, 1866 in Edgefield.

John Henry Christian was born in
Edgefield County October 24, 1821. He married
Martha Broadwater Christian, and they
are buried in Willowbrook Cemetery behind
First Baptist Church, Edgefield, D.C.

John Henry was killed ~~by~~ by George
D. Tillman on July 21, 1856 in a passion
of anger during a game at which John
Henry was an observer. Martha died in 1856.

The name Christian appears on several
pages in our book. John seemed to have
had four brothers: E. W., D. W., T. M. and
B. W. Christian.

Many libraries over the U.S. have ordered
our book for their genealogical sections. I do
not remember if your library ordered one.

Anyway, the book is \$25.00 delivered.
We have only a few copies left.

Good luck to you in your research.
Sincerely, Sam T. Strom

Sorry to know you are not well -
Just get well soon - Mrs. Pressley
has a son in El Paso & I am
trying to get together with her
and see what other info I can
get - Will keep you posted on
it - Was given three other names
and am following up on that -
Have enclosed copy of letter from
Mr. Sam Strom for your files -
I'm off to the Grady Gen. Seminar
in Dallas but should I receive
other news on CHRISTIAN line
will forward just to keep your
mind going even if barely in
pain - Do hope you're up
and about soon. Thanks
for note

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You're
not just Anybody!

So Get Well
Right Away!

Connie Hutchinson

To Reginald Sealman

Christian Family
General Information

Note: The following comments were taken from a letter written by Genelle Jennings, July 14, 1969.

"In 1953, I visited Richmond and also Williamsburg and Jamestown, Virginia. As a tourist, I wanted to see all I could and I had a particular interest in seeing one of the old Christian homes that had remained in the family many, many years. I had the good fortune of seeing through one that was located on the land that was an original land grant to Thomas Christian, the immigrant, in 1687.

I talked to Mr. Stuart G. Christian, a lawyer, by telephone and found him to be most cordial, with a laugh like Jack Christian. I, who was his "10th or 15th cousin", was given directions to his country home with permission to ask the gardner to show me and my friends through the house. It was amazing to me to see how well preserved it was and to find portraits hanging on the walls bearing name plates of Gideon Christian, George, Thomas, William, James, etc.--the same names in our branch of the Christian family. The house was located a few miles from Richmond and in the direction of Williamsburg.

I had had a letter from another "10th or 15th cousin" in Texas, before I visited Virginia, who said she had once been a guest of Miss Emily Christian, the librarian at William and Mary College, and had had the pleasure of visiting at "Green Oaks", Charles City Co., Virginia and at other Christian places in Providence Forge, Virginia.

I think the house I saw was known as "Green Oaks"; I am not sure. The visit was made sixteen years ago.

I went to the library at William and Mary College and inquired for Miss Emily Christian and learned she was deceased. The official who gave me the information spoke of her with great respect. I am sorry I did not get to see the other Christian places, nor to meet Mr. Stuart G. Christian in person; however, I am sure, from the tone of his voice, he would be glad for James, Ennis, or Christy to call him and visit the home. I do not know his age, but I should think he is past seventy-five, if he is living. The law firm was "Christian and Christian", I think. He could be located through a city directory, I am sure. He told me he had two sons; I am sorry I do not remember their names.

I want to enclose a few fragments of family history that might be interesting to you and your family. What I have is not complete, but is fairly authentic. Use it, if you like and feel free to ask for more details any time."

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FROM Donnie & Lynn Hensley
SHARED WITH W. Hutchinson

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something to read while
you "re-coop" - Have a great
Resurrection Day - Hope you
are taking care and feeling
better -
Love,
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Gideon was a representative from the Eleventh District, Camp and Upshur Counties, in the State Legislature at Austin under Governor Ireland. Gideon was a member of the building committee that planned the present capitol of Texas. He was present at the laying of the cornerstone of the capitol in 1885. He and the other members of the guilding committee were given souvenirs--a small block of red granite from the building. While in the legislature he was a member of several committees, two being County Government and Military Affairs.

A sketch of his life is found in the State Library under the title: PERSONNEL OF THE STATE GOVERNMENT FOR 1885.

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Gideon Christian died in Abilene, April 7, 1904 and was buried there. A Confederate Iron Cross marks his grave as well as a marble shaft with a Bible on top and a hand pointing upward; the tombstone was designed by his wife.

He was the father of ten children and furnished a home and some education for nine orphans at different times. Mr. T. C. Mitchell of Gilmer was one of the boys who lived in the Christian home. Though he suffered many financial reverses, he was always a generous giver to the causes of religion and education. He helped build a church and a school near Gilmer, Texas. All his life he was a leader for prohibition.

"He is a man of extensive information, logical and well-developed mind and thoroughly conversant with the great questions of state government" (from PERSONNEL OF THE TEXAS STATE GOVERNMENT FOR 1885).

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PERSONNEL OF THE TEXAS STATE GOVERNMENT FOR 1885

Gideon Christian

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CAROLINE KIZZIA BARR

(Wife of Gideon Christian)

Caroline was born near Dudleyville, Alabama, December 25, 1837; married August 5, 1856; died December 18, 1930 in Paducah, Texas; buried beside her husband in Masonic Cemetary, Abilene, Texas. Her mother died when she was young. Caroline was 3. She and her sister, Lizzie, spent much time in the home of Aunt Leetie and Dr. Coe of Atlanta, Georgia. They made a trip to New York City with this couple about 1854. She and Lizzie graduated from LaFayette College, LaFayetteville, Alabama about 1852 or 1854. Caroline was a piano student and continued playing the piano until she was past 85 years of age and could speak a few sentences in French at this age. All of her life she was known for her beautiful embroidery. Caroline was very mischievous and was constantly embarrassing her more sedate sister. While in school with William and George Christian, she met their older brother, Gideon. He went to Texas to buy land. Caroline asked her father's permission to marry Gideon after she had been with him only two or three times and before he proposed. They married at the Barr home, Dudleyville, Alabama early the morning of August 5, 1856. A wedding breakfast was held there. Her father, James Barr, and Aunt Adaline were host and hostess. Adaline was the lady of the house after Tallitha, the second wife of James Barr was divorced. Caroline had a trousseau of fine silk dresses made by her colored seamstress. Among her wedding gifts were two slaves—a cook and a personal maid, given to her by her father. Many other fine gifts were given the couple by the wealthy James Barr. Her wedding handkerchief of beautiful linen and point lace was purchased with other accessories in New York City. The handkerchief, as well as her second day dress, were part of the trousseau of her daughter, Carrie, when she married William K. Jennings, forty years later. The hankie is a keepsake of Genelle Jennings.

Gideon and Caroline moved to Texas with all their slaves and household furnishings in wagons and in a carriage. A "Curly Maple" sewing table belonging to Caroline's mother, Mary Hulsey, in Atlanta was brought to Texas and now is in the Jennings' home, 1941. The last part of the journey was made by boat that landed at Jefferson City, Texas in January 1857. This couple settled on a plantation near Longview, Texas. Caroline owned the first piano in that part of Texas. She felt conspicuous in her silk dresses at church when the other pioneer women dressed in cotton. She gave most of her jewelry to neighbor girls when they married. Her first baby was born six months after they arrived in Texas. Her second child, Lizzie, died during "The Civil War". A faithful slave made a coffin and Caroline lined it with black silk from one of her own dresses.

Caroline had to manage the plantation in her husband's absence. The family of John Christian (Aunt Sallie and children) moved into her home to live during the war. Only a few faithful slaves remained on the plantation. For the first time in her life, Caroline had to do the washing and care for her babies. From her home had gone five men to join the Confederate army. They were her husband, Gideon, her cousins, George Henry and John Barr, and her two brothers-in-law, William and George Christian. All returned but William who was buried in Kentucky. One day George Henry returned on furlough and found Caroline had rubbed the skin off her hands trying to wash at the spring.

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Caroline was reared a Methodist. After she was the mother of several children, she joined the Baptist church. For awhile she did not want her husband to know she was reading the Bible; she would read it secretly in the hen house. For many years she was the teacher of the youngest children in the Sunday School.

She and her husband moved to Gilmer, Texas in 1871, with their four boys, having buried Lizzie and Hayden Coe in Longview. In Gilmer were born the last four children. In a runaway at Gilmer, Caroline was thrown from a horse and seriously crippled. This was the second runaway she had experienced. The first time she threw her baby over the fence in a field corner and saved his life. This time she lay in bed five months and her daughter, Carrie, then 12 years old, was her nurse. The family suffered a financial strain--two fires had destroyed their grocery business.

In 1891 the family pioneered to West Texas, settling in Abilene. There her youngest children attended school. The home was located on Peach Street where the Abilene High School Gym now stands.

After her husband's death, "Grandma" moved to Paducah to keep house for Claud, her youngest son. She spent much time in the Jennings home every summer and every Christmas there until she was too old to travel. Then she made a rag doll and dressed it like herself--even made one leg shorter than the other, put spectacles on the doll, put some of her own hair on it--and sent it to Abilene with a box of presents to be at "the tree".

She died in Paducah, Texas, December 18, 1930 a few days before her 93rd birthday. She had been able to remember seeing her grandfather, Jennins Hulsey, in Atlanta and remembered his stories about fighting in the Revolutionary War. He was a very old man then--just sat in a chair and was fanned by a little negro boy. She had lived through the Civil War, the Spanish American War, and saw two grandsons off to World War One, and welcomed their return. They were Captain Walter G. Jennings and W. K. Jennings, Jr. in the Navy.

In her life she had mothered nine orphans besides her ten children. Her last admonition to her children is found in Philippians 3:13b-14: "Forgetting those things which are behind, and reaching forth unto those things which are before, I press toward the mark of the high calling of God in Christ Jesus".

Note: The above account is based mainly on stories told me by my grandmother, Caroline Barr Christian, and my mother, Carrie Christian Jennings.

Genelle Jennings

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CHRISTIAN FAMILY TREE

1. Thomas Christian of Virginia
Immigrant, 1680

He patented 1080 acres in Charles City County, Virginia in 1687. In 1694 he received a patent for 193 acres south of Chickahominy Swamp which has remained in the family.

2. James Christian of New Kent, Virginia (son of Thomas)

He patented 1320 acres in 1719. Married Amy Macon, daughter of Gideon Macon, member of House of Huguenots, Burgess, New Kent, Virginia - Secretary to Governor Berkeley.

3. Gideon Christian of Virginia (son of James)

Born February 7, 1727. Baptized 1727-1728 (St. Peter's Parish Register). Married Susan Brown, daughter of William Brown.

4. Captain William Christian of Virginia (son of Gideon)
Also Rev. William Christian

Married Mittie Allen, daughter of John Allen and _____
Black Allen.

5. Gideon Christian of Virginia (son of William)

Born 1761. Died November 8, 1823. Married Sarah _____
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family moved to Abilene, Texas.

8. James A. Christian of Texas (son of Gideon)

Born February 23, 1864, Longview, Texas. Married Sally Ennis
in Abilene, Texas, 1896. The couple moved to Paducah, Texas
about 1905. Died in Paducah 1948.

9. Bonnie Marie Christian (daughter of James A. and Sally Christian)

Born in Paducah, Texas, January 10, 1908. Married Olen Pressley
May 4, 1930. Children of Bonnie and Olen Pressley:

Perry Allen Pressley
James Olen Pressley
Ennis Marie Pressley
Christy Ann Pressley
Richard Neal Pressley

Source: These notes are from the family tree compiled by Isadore
Lamar, granddaughter of Thomas and Nancy Christian of
Chambers County, Alabama, and also from outline prepared
by Grace Christian Miller Warner, Huntsville, Texas, 1937.

GRATEFULLY ACKNOWLEDGED

FROM Bessley

SHARED WITH Hutchinson

CHILDREN OF GIDEON AND CAROLINE CHRISTIAN

1. Charles Barr Christian, b. 1857, d. 1918
M. Betty Warren

Children: Ethel, Annie, Carrie Etta
Ethel was married to Marvin Harwell and their
children are Sybol, Charlie, Gene.

2. Lizzie Christian, b. 1859, d. 1862

3. William F. Christian, b. 1862, d. 193--
M. Georgia Winship

Child: Lena Winship Christian was married to Claud
Richardson and their children are William C.
Richardson, Tom Winship Richardson, Joseph
Alfred Richardson

4. James A. Christian, b. 1864, d. 1948
M. Sallie Ennis

Children: Maurice Christian who married Hallye Brooks
Bonnie Marie Christian who married Olen
Pressley and their children are Perry Allen (1931),
James Olen (1940), Ennis Marie (1944), Christy
Ann (1947) and Richard Neal (1948).

5. Thomas Christian, b. 1866, d. 1888

6. Hayden Coe Christian, b. 1868, d. 1870

7. Gideon Lewis Christian, b. 1871, d. 1912
M. Ammie Laurie Pagees

Children: Dr. Thomas E. Christian of San Antonio, who
married Dorris Stubbs of Austin. Their children
are Tomme Allen (1930), David Stubbs (1934),
Mary Elizabeth (1943).

Captain Gideon Lawrence Christian who married
Lula Carrie Hampton, daughter Dorris Elizabeth
(1951).

Jack Christian who married Dorothy Wofford and
their children are Judy (1936), Janet Ruth (1952).

8. Carrie Clyde Christian, b. 1873, d. 1964
M. William K. Jennings

Children: Col. W. G. Jennings who married Ita Marie
Clingman and their children are Altha Gene
and William Clingman.

W. K. Jennings, Jr. who married Maude Baggett
Caylor whose son, Gene Caylor, was eight years
old. Their daughter is Betty Jo (1926).

Leroy Christian Jennings who married Elizabeth
Porter and their children are Leroy C. Jr. and
Janice Elizabeth.

James Hulsey Jennings who married Hazel Herron
and their children are Margaret and Dorothy.

Genelle Jennings

9. Claud Hulsey Christian, b. 1875, d. 1955

10. Leetie Coe Christian, b. 1881, d. 1970
M. John Winship

Child: Lucile Christian Winship was married to L. Allen
Lacy who is now a Captain in the Air Corps, serving
in New Guinea.

Note: Col. W. G. Jennings is serving in Italy; Captain G. L.
Christian is in the South Pacific; Lt. Tom W. Richardson
of U. S. Navy, serving in the Atlantic; Lt. J. Alfred
Richardson of Air Corps, serving in England; Lt. Billy
Richardson disabled in the service.

July, 1944
G.J.

Agnes

Dear Connie: I can give you only the following:
Gideon b. 5 Feb. 1727/8, son of James and Anne Christian, Bapt. 24 Mar. 1727/8 (St. Peter's Parish Register). This James 2 was son of Thos. 1 Christian; it is believed Anne was dau/o Gideon Macbn. Could your Gideon have been Jr.? Also, 26 Apr. 1751 Thomas Christian named adj. owner in NC Land Pat. 2506 for 416A. to Maj. James Paine in Gran. Co., NC, Parish of St. John on E side of Grassy Creek, which was also adj. Lawrence's line (from Granville Grants, v. 2, p. 129). Gideon 5, son of Drury 4 Christian (Robt. 3, Thos. 2, Thos. 1) from Wm. & Mary Quarterly (E), vol. 5, p. 262. Drury 4 m. 1751 in Gooch. Co., Va., Lucy Williams (Some Va. Marriages by McDonald, v. 15, p. ?; he had bro: James b. 1758, Drury b. 1766, and sister Ann b. 1764.

6 Mar. 1988

Best regards
Betty League Davis

This came in mail this week -
Hope you're doing better - Was
not sure whether you knew this
lady or not. Her name was sent
to me from S.C. "THE QUINN" news letter.
If this was in chronicles & I missed
it, sorry - I've got too many lines
going & every now and then the memory
bank takes a vacation -

12 Mar 1988

Connie #

CONNIE HUTCHINSON
5019 MONTROYA DR.
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FROM Sam Strom
SHARED WITH Mrs. Kiser

March 3, 1988

Letter, S.C. 29319

117 Her Ave.

9/10/88

13 April, 1988

Dear Agnes -

This is last (trying to clean up desk before maid comes) - Hope you are on the road to recovery - In case you are still horizontal, I'm sending more paper to you - (why should I be the only one with a messy desk and room!) Didn't know if you had any info on Allen Christian in your files or not -
(^{or} second page)

As hope you are on the mend and up and "at 'em" soon. Still keep cards and letters coming -

Regards,
Connie Hutcherson
5019 Montoya
Eel TX 79922

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 d. Date of Death
 p.d. Place of Death

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 Ed Hutchison

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4 ROBERT A. WARD

(Father of No. 2)
 b. 21AUG1869
 p.b. WAYNE COUNTY, WV
 m. 20JAN 1892 WAYNE CO WV
 d.
 p.d.

2 CHARLES CURTIS WARD SR

(Father of No. 1)
 b. 04SEP1894
 p.b. WAYNE COUNTY, WV
 m. 03DEC1921
 d. 21DEC1944
 p.d. MARION, IN

5 MARTHA J. SPENCE

(Mother of No. 2)
 b. 01FEB1876
 p.b.
 d. 26NOV1948
 p.d. LAKE CITY, FL

8 ALLEN WARD

(Father of No. 4)
 b. 17FEB1842
 p.b. WAYNE CO. WV
 m. 05NOV1868 WAYNE CO WV
 d. 07AUG1920
 p.d. CEREDO, WV

9 LUCINDA MC COMAS

(Mother of No. 4)
 b. 09SEP1850
 p.b. Grassy Ridge, Lawr Co OH
 d. 26FEB1924
 p.d. KENOVA, WV

10 TINSLEY J. SPENCE

(Father of No. 5)
 b. 22NOV1855
 p.b.
 m.
 d. 09SEP1928
 p.d. HERBERT, WV

11 SARAH ADKINS

(Mother of No. 5)
 b. 16APR1854
 p.b.
 d. 15MAY1919
 p.d. WAYNE COUNTY, WV

12 NATHAN CHAFIN

(Father of No. 6)
 b. 1820
 p.b.
 m. 19OCT1837 (1)
 d.
 p.d.

13 MATILDA VARNEY

(Mother of No. 6)
 b. 1820
 p.b.
 d.
 p.d.

3 EMMA JANE CHAFIN

(Mother of No. 1)
 b. 12APR1893
 p.b.
 d. 18JUN1929
 p.d. WELCH, WV

7 SARAH JANE CHAMBERS

(Mother of No. 3)
 b. 01JUN1862
 p.b. TAZEWELL COUNTY, VA
 d. 10DEC1936
 p.d. MATEWAN, WV

14 REESE CHAMBERS

(Father of No. 7)
 b. 1833
 p.b. RUSSELL COUNTY, VA
 m. 27FEB1855
 d.
 p.d.

15 EMMAZILLA ELIZ. WINGO

(Mother of No. 7)
 b. 1831
 p.b. TAZEWELL COUNTY, VA
 d.
 p.d.

16 ROBERT WARD

(Father of No. 5, Cont. on chart No. _____)
 b. 1820 OH
 m. 24MAY1842 OH
 d. 03NOV1861

17 JUDITH CHRISTIAN

(Mother of No. 8, Cont. on chart No. _____)
 b. ca 1813
 d.

18 J MC COMAS

(Father of No. 9, Cont. on chart No. _____)
 b.
 m.
 d.

19 MARY BRUMFIELD

(Mother of No. 9, Cont. on chart No. _____)
 b.
 m.
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20 SPENCE

(Father of No. 10, Cont. on chart No. _____)
 b.
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21

(Mother of No. 10, Cont. on chart No. _____)
 b.
 d.

22 ANDERSON ADKINS

(Father of No. 11, Cont. on chart No. _____)
 b.
 m. 01AUG1850
 d.

23 SARAH ADKINS

(Mother of No. 11, Cont. on chart No. _____)
 b.
 d.

24 CHRISTOPHER CHAFIN

(Father of No. 12, Cont. on chart No. _____)
 b. ca 1780
 m.
 d.

25 MARY (POLLY) ROBERTS

(Mother of No. 12, Cont. on chart No. _____)
 b. ca 1780
 d.

26 ANDREW VARNEY

(Father of No. 13, Cont. on chart No. _____)
 b. 1804
 m. 09MAY1820
 d.

27 SARAH STAFFORD

(Mother of No. 13, Cont. on chart No. _____)
 b. ca 1802
 d.

28 THOMAS CHAMBERS

(Father of No. 14, Cont. on chart No. _____)
 b.
 m.
 d.

29 NANCY

(Mother of No. 14, Cont. on chart No. _____)
 b.
 d.

30 ESQUIRE WINGO

(Father of No. 15, Cont. on chart No. _____)
 b. 09APR1829
 d.

31 MARY SHIPLER

(Mother of No. 15, Cont. on chart No. _____)
 b.
 d.

JAMES EDWARD WUTHRICH

(Spouse of No. 1)

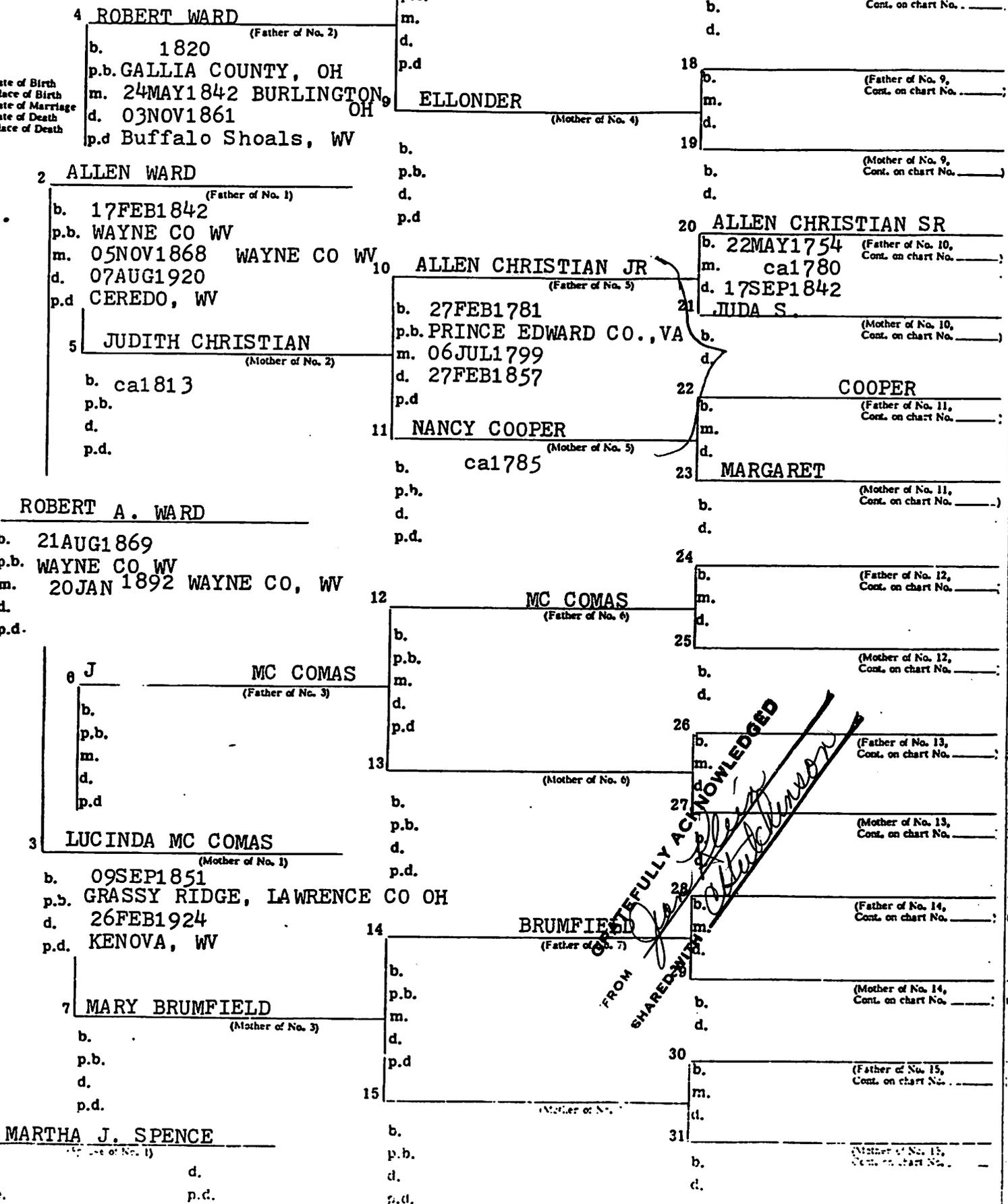
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Agnes B. Pearlman, 2001 North Westwood Avenue, Santa Ana, California 92706

July 13, 1988

*Mrs. Connie Hutchinson
5019 Montoya Drive
El Paso, Texas 79922*

Dear Connie:

*Although quite belated, my appreciation for all the information you have sent is nonetheless sincere. I have simply been working day and night to complete Volume Nos. XI and XII of **Christian Family Chronicles** so that they would be ready for subscribers by next week at latest. It seems I will be making this revised deadline.*

You are so thoughtful to share the photocopies of the records, correspondence, and articles from your collection. When I have become current with my many commitments, I will transfer the information from them to my cross-reference file.

Do keep me informed of any discoveries you may make.

Sincerely,

5019 Montoya Drive
El Paso, Tex 79922
19 July, 1988

Agnes B. Pearlman
2001 North Westwood Avenue
Santa Ana, CA 92706

Dear Agnes:

So delighted to hear from you. I was very concerned over your health and was just about to sent you a note to see if you were up and at them again. I see by your letter that you indeed are up and at 'em. All this energy in the heat of the summer makes me tired. We are having VERY humid weather, for us anyway, and no one is coping very well, least of all me.

I notice that you are putting out two rather than one issue and I will want to order that one, too. Since I do not want to further confuse you, I guess that I shall just wait and let you tell me when to send the money for the second one. HOpefully some of that stuff I sent to you can be used also. However, I must confess that I have not been searching this last two months as I am in hot pursuit of another line, due mainly to a newly found cousin but you may be sure that I will keep you posted should I find anything else that would be of interest to you and/or your readers. I figured that since you had a large file/collections begun anyway, you may as well get more. I rather use you for the central rallying point for CHRISTIAN. Hope you don't mind.

Looking forward to the next issues. Glad you are doing better.

Fondly,



Connie Hutchinson

The Santa Monica Mountains, a unique blending of mountains and seashore, extend 52 miles from downtown Los Angeles to the Pacific Ocean. These rugged mountains, chaparral-covered hillsides and white sand beaches could become Southern California's only National Park, serving millions year 'round.

Jan. 27, 1959

Dear Council,

Thanks for the correction for Vol. II, page 1013. I'll include it when an errata sheet is published (probably in the Index).

As requested, your payment has been applied to the Index - which will be a long time in coming.

Best wishes,

Agnes

Photo by Jim Kenney



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Mrs. Connie Hutchinson
5019 Montoya
El Paso
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Information: SMMTF, 2410 Beverly Blvd., L.A., CA 90057

Apex - Such a mess at my place - Just returned from CA where I managed to be in earthquake, most of zoo's from SAN Diego to SFO, & playing "Conchita" the maid for daughter who just had 3rd child

**THAT'S SHORT FOR
HAVE A COOL YULE!**

The enclosed was in a bk rece'd at home while I was away - Still haven't had time to go through completely your last two volumes but enclosed is check as I'm sure I owe - Hope your new year a great one in family health and prosperity - Fondly,
Connie Hutchinson

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VIRGINIA SOLDIERS OF 1776

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Captain John Blair.

Council Chamber, Mar. 26, 1798. The Reps. of John Blair, dec'd. are entitled to the proportion of land allowed a Captain of the Contl. line for the war. James Wood, Gov. Saml. Coleman, Clerk.

Will of John Blair. In the name of God, Amen. I John Blair of Northampton county, Va. ordain this my last will and testament. To William Christian, my negroes Shadrach and George, also the first choice of my horses. To Susan Christian, daughter of Michael Christian, all of my estate after the debts are paid, that is, all the lands and negroes, except the two negroes and the horse above mentioned. John Mapp and John Darby, both or either, to act as my Extrs. Signed, and witnessed by John Michael and Levin Matthews.

Northampton Co. court, 13 Mar., 1777, the will was proved. Teste, Griffin Stith, Clerk.

"Please deliver the land warrants that Capt. John Blair, dec'd. was entitled to, and deliver same to John Hays, and this shall be sufficient from me". Signed, Susanna Armistead, 26 Mar., 1798.

John Winder and Nathl. Darby, Justices of peace, certified that Susanna Armistead was Susanna Christian, and was residuary legatee mentioned in the will of John Blair. That she married Ellison Armistead, who is since dead, and she is now a widow. Signed, 21 Mar., 1798.

Warrant 4848 for 4000 acres issued to Susanna Armistead, devisee of John Blair, 30 Mar., 1798.

John Bland, Private.

Jefferson Co., Ohio, Court. Nov., 1839. Proof made that Va. Mil. land warrant No. 2937 issued 16 Apl., 1784 to John Bland for 100 acres of land—has been lost by time or accident. Ordered recorded and certified to proper office for obtaining duplicate warrant. Copy teste, John S. Patterson, Clerk. 29 Nov., 1839. Attest George W. Belden, Pres Judge, 5th Judicial Circuit Court of Ohio, in which circuit Jefferson Co. is situated.

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Co. The enlistment of men was made in the dead of Winter, Jan., 1778. That they volunteered service was in itself proof of their hardihood and patriotism—there was heroic courage and determination in these men.

They proved themselves in their march with their indomitable leader. and their capture of Old Fort St Vincent and Fort Kaskaskia, and they received from the Government substantial recognition of their services by grants of land in the captured country. See Cartwell's History of Frederick Co.

Lieutenant Joseph Christian.

Exec. Dept., Mar. 28, 1834. The heirs of Joseph Christian are allowed L. B. for his services as a Lieut. in the Contl. line for three years. John Floyd, Governor.

Abstract of the will of Joseph Christian: Mentions his daughter Elizabeth G. Redwood; son James H. Christian; "The land I live on, lying on the north side of the road leading from Blank's old tavern to Providence Forge, except that portion which I have sold to him" (son James). His son Joseph C. Christian; son Richard A.; daughter Tabitha; daughter Rebecca. He appointed his son Joseph as Extr. and also as the trustee of his daughter Elizabeth. Signed, 30 March, 1825. Witnesses, Sarah H. Clayton, William H. Philips, and John W. Rogers.

Charles City Co. Court, 21 Apl., 1825, the will was proved. William E. Hill and John S. Stubblefield were securities. Teste, Robert W. Christian; copy teste, Robt. W. Christian, Clerk.

Charles City Co., 19 Dec., 1834. Certified that Elizabeth G. Redwood (formerly Elizabeth Christian), James H. and Richard A. Christian, Tabitha Hill (formerly Tabitha Christian), Rebecca Harwood (who was Rebecca Christian) and Richard Allen Christian, Mary Jane and Joseph Crosher Christian—the last three of whom are the infant children of Joseph C. Christian, dec'd.—are the only legal heirs now living of the late Joseph Christian, an officer in the Rev. army. Copy teste, Robert W. Christian, Clerk.

Middlesex Co. court, Oct., 1834. Richard A. Christian on his motion was appointed guardian of Richard A. and Mary

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P. J. Agnes —
In D.A.R. Feb 1989
magazine issue —
List under "New
Ancestor" lines
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Lucretia Williams
PS NC " Have you
seen any info on this?
Regards
Annie

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Christian

Jane Christian, orphans of Joseph C. Christian. From the records, teste, George Healy, Clerk.

Charles City county court, 20 Nov., 1834. The court assigned James H. Christian as guardian of Joseph C. Christian, orphan of Joseph C. Christian, dec'd. The father was the son of Joseph Christian, dec'd. late of this county—and "thereupon the said James H. Christian with Joseph A. Clayton as his security entered into bond". Copy teste, Robert Christian, Clerk.

Richard A. Christian of Middlesex Co. appointed James H. Christian of Charles City Co. his Atty. for himself and as guardian of Richard A., Jr., and Mary Jane Christian, he as "heir of his father, late an officer in the Rev. war." Signed 1st Nov., 1834. Ackn. before Thomas Street, J. of P. Middlesex Co.

Received of the Register, warrant 8087 for 2666-2/3 acres issued 22 Dec., 1834 to the heirs of Lieut. Joseph Christian. Signed, James H. Christian, Atty.

Elizabeth G. Redwood, of Charles City Co. widow of John Redwood appointed the same Atty. 24 Nov., 1834. Ackn. before Joseph C. Wilson, J. of P. Charles City Co.

William H. Harwood and Rebecca his wife daughter of Lieut. Joseph Christian; Tabitha Hill and her husband John T. Hill appointed the same Atty. 24 Nov., 1834. Ackn. before Jos. C. Wilson, J. of P.

Clemens Family.

Note. In the Va. Library Report, 1910-11. List of Rev. Soldiers, the name Benjamin Clemens appears, with a reference: War 4, 132. I find no land bounty warrant for Benjamin Clemens. The Library list also gives the name of Benjamin Clements: See C. S. 75; War 5, 51.

The following data is from that very interesting Magazine, "Genealogy," edited by William Montgomery Clemens, author of American Marriage Records, Prior to 1699.

Jeffrey Clemens married Elizabeth Fuller in London, 1590. They had five children. The third son, Jeremiah was born 1607. Jeffrey died in 1609, and his widow and four small children came to America in the George, landing at James-



Agnes B. Pearlman, 2001 North Westwood Avenue, Santa Ana, California 92706

March 25, 1989

*Mrs. Connie Hutchinson
55099 Montoya Drive
El Paso, Texas 79922*

Dear Connie:

Thanks for thinking of me when you ran across the Christian family data while searching for "Chaffin" references.

Several researchers are trying to determine whether Captain William Gregory was married to his wife before or after she was married to Mr. Christian. If you recall from the article in Virginia Soldiers of 1776, Vol. 2, he had an only son, William H. Gregory, who was a half brother to an Edmund Christian and to Nancy (Christian) Hilliard.

*As for the Drury Christian listed in the D. A. R., February 1989, issue under "New Ancestor": **Christian Family Chronicles** had a number of articles about him and his descendants.*

There are still so many unanswered questions regarding the Christian lines that I sometimes despair of ever finding the answers. I'll keep trying, however.

I hope you had a happy Easter.

Sincerely,

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

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NEW ANCESTOR

Application for Membership to the National Society

DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION WASHINGTON, D.C.

State INDIANA City SOUTH BEND Name of Chapter SCHUYLER COLFAX Computer Code Number 4-077-IN

National Number 695026 A 673

(Miss or Mrs.) RACHEL LOUISE CATES, K/A Sister Mary Francis Cates

Wife [] Widow [] Divorced [] Religious []

Residence P.O. Box 766, 1515 Dragoon Trail, Mishawaka, Indiana 46544

DESCENDANT OF

BRURY CHRISTIAN

The undersigned have investigated and approved the applicant and her application.

Handwritten signatures of Chapter Regent and Chapter Registrar.

Application, duplicate, and Fees received by Treasurer General \$15.00 JUL 09 1986

Application and duplicate received by Organizing Secretary General JUL 10 1986

Application and duplicate received by Registrar General JUL 10 1986

Application verified and approved MAY 09 1988

Handwritten signature of Registrar General.

Accepted by the National Board of Management

Recording Secretary General.

Endorsement for membership at large:

the two undersigned members of the Society in good and honorably known. Endorsers must be of same Chapter; if

IN HANDWRITING BY

DAR National Number 421873 Name Evelyn Ellis Blumer Residence South Bend, Indiana Chapter Schuyler Colfax

CONNIE HUTCHINSON 5019 MONTROYA DR. EL PASO, TEX: 75922

JUN 13 1988

Do not encroach on this margin, which is needed for binding.

Handwritten note: Apnes: Didnt know if you had copy of this or not - the yard work is keeping me busy and have not had time for genealogy this summer. Connie 7/11/89

When the application must be forwarded to the Treasurer General, NSDAR, 1776 D St., Washington, D.C. 20004, with the necessary fee and dues. When approved by the National Board, one copy will be returned to the Registrar of the Chapter or to the individual, if joining At Large, and the other will be filed with the National Society. The application, information thereon, and supplementary data become the property of the National Society.

LINEAGE

RACHEL LOUISE CATES, K/A Sister Mary Francis Cates

being duly sworn

(Full name of applicant)

1. I was born on 22 June 1924 at Bells, Crockett Co., TN
married on Religious at

to born on at I am the daughter by blood line of

2. BRODIE FRANCIS CATES born 23 March 1903 at Alamo, Crockett Co., TN
died at Jackson, TN on 13 Nov. 1976 and his (first or) wife
Dovie Louise Stone born 1905 at Alamo, TN

died at Reno, Texas (Paris) on 26 April 1926 married 16 July 1922, Alamo, TN
date and place

3. The said BRODIE FRANCIS CATES was the child by blood line of
Tolbert Fanning Cates born 15 Oct. 1862 at Haywood County, TN

died at Alamo, Tennessee on 3 May 1919 and his (first or) wife
MELISSA ELLA FAULKNER born 5 Sept. 1871 at Haywood County, Tennessee

died at Alamo, Tennessee on 16 Dec. 1957 married 27 Jan. 1889, Alamo, TN
date and place

4. The said MELISSA ELLA FAULKNER was the child by blood line of
George Washington Faulkner born c 1829 (1850 Census) at Lenoir County, N.C.

died at Crockett County, TN on 19 Mar 1877 and his (first or) wife
HARRIETT SHEARIN born 18 June 1834 at Haywood County, TN

died at Crockett County, TN on 23 Jan. 1876 married ca 1855 Haywood Co., TN
1st child born date and place 1857 of

5. The said HARRIETT SHEARIN was the child by blood line of
WILLIAM SHEARIN born ca. 1805 at Warren Co., N.C.

died at Haywood County, Tennessee on Before 1850 Census and his (first or) wife
Mary ? born ca. 1810 at Tennessee

died at Haywood County, Tennessee on 12 Mar 1876 married (Census); prob. Haywood Co.
date and place

6. The said WILLIAM SHEARIN was the child by blood line of
JARRATT SHEARIN born (1770-1775) 1771 at Warren County, N.C.

died at Bedford County, Tennessee on Before 1827 and his (first or) wife
MARY BALTHROP born c. 1773 at

died at Prob. Haywood County, TN on living in 1832 married Bond 25 Oct. 1803, Warren Co., N.C.
*Married John Davis 2nd time, see Agreement of 1832.

7. The said MARY BALTHROP was the child by blood line of
WILLIAM BALTHROP born c 1750 at (Westmoreland Co.) Va.

died at Dickson Co., TN on c 1835 c 16 Feb 1836 and his (first or) wife
MARY CHRISTIAN born c 1750 c 1753 at Prob. VA.

died at Dickson Co., TN on c 1837 c 1841 married 1772, Prob. Warren Co., N.C.
date and place

8. The said MARY CHRISTIAN was the child by blood line of
DRURY CHRISTIAN born c 1731 at Goochland County, Va.

died at Warren County, N.C. on c 1785 1786 and his (first or) wife
Lucretia (Lucy) Williams born at

died at Prob. Warren Co., N.C. on married Prob. 1752 (1st child
born 1758) date and place

9. The said was the child by blood line of
born at

died at on and his (first or) wife
born at

died at on married
date and place

10. The said was the child by blood line of
born at

died at on and his (first or) wife
born at

died at on married
date and place

11. The said was the child by blood line of
born at

died at on and his (first or) wife
born at

died at on married
date and place

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Dates of Birth

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date and place

REFERENCES FOR LINEAGE

Give below authorities for EACH statement of Birth, Marriage, Death dates and places and connections between generations from the applicant through the generation of the Revolutionary ancestor. Published authorities should be cited by title, author, date of publication, volume and page. Read and verified, attested copy or photocopy of each piece of unpublished data. Points for line of descent comprise wills, administrations, deeds, church, town and court records, Bible, census and pension records, tombstone inscriptions, genealogies and such other records. TRADITION is not acceptable. Give National Numbers and relationships of any close relatives credited with this ancestor.

- * 1st Gen. Birth Certificate of Rachel Louise Gates (K/A Sister Mary Francis Gates); Copy from U.S. Pass port (Birth Certificate shows parentage).
* 2nd Gen. Marriage Record; Obituaries (shows parentage); Death Certificates
* 3rd Gen. Estate Record of G. W. Faulkner (Parentage Name); See Obituary Gen. #2. Marriage Certificate; Haywood County Census Records; Crockett County Cemetery Records.
* 4th Gen. Haywood County, TN Court Minutes-Shearin Estate Settlement (Shows parentage of Melissa Ella Faulkner); 1st Child born 1857 or 1858 (See 1860 & 1870 Haywood Co. Census
* 5th Gen. Nov. Haywood Co., TN 1854 Court Minutes; shows parentage of Harriett Shearin; Shearin Family History, 3rd Edition by Robert F. Shearin; Haywood County 1850 Census
* 6th Gen. Deed Book AA, pg. 132-133, Bedford County, TN shows parentage of William Shear and Jarratt Shearin; Abstracts of Warren Co., N.C. Will Books 6, pg 176, Will Book 4, pg. 12, Guardian Records; Shearin Family History by Robert F. Shearin.
* 7th Gen. Deed Book C, Haywood Co., TN, pg. 61, shows parentage and 2nd marriage and name of legal heir on Will of WILLIAM BALTHROP
* 8th Gen. THE BALTHROP FAMILY by Anne Shirley Bumpus; Dickson Co., TN Handbook by Garrett Till Knight, page 97 shows legal heirs (Mary Shearin Davis)
* 9th Gen. Abstracts of Warren Co., N.C.; Will Book 4, pg. 23, (shows parentage - William Balthrop, husband of daughter); William and Mary Quarterly 5th Series Vol. 1, pg. 262 15th Series Vol. 1, pgs. 34 & 35.
10th Gen.
11th Gen.

Give, if possible, the following data: My Revolutionary ancestor was married

- (1) to Lucretia (Lucy) Williams at , |
(2) to at , |
(3) to at , |

CHILDREN OF REVOLUTIONARY ANCESTOR (By each marriage, if married more than once.)

PROVEN w. 1/4 M. QUARTERLY SEE ABOVE

To Whom Married, noting if Married more than once

Table with 3 columns: Names, Dates of Birth, To Whom Married. Includes entries for James Christian (30 April 1758), Gideon Christian (16 August 1760), Ann Christian (3 March 1764), Drury Christian (16 August 1766), and Mary Christian (c 1753).

ANCESTOR'S SERVICES

said DRURY CHRISTIAN who resided during the American Revolution at Warren Co., N.C. assisted in establishing American Independence, while acting in the capacity of Patriot

My ancestors's services during the Revolutionary War were as follows:

Thomas M. Pittman Papers in "List of those taking OATH OF ALLEGIANCE" to support and maintain and defend the Independent Government - Nov. Court, 1778.
Revolutionary Army Accounts (Volume X, Page 5, Folio 2) - Payment 700 Pounds, Currency

Give references by volume and page to the documentary or other authorities for ^{L. T. H.} ~~MILITARY~~ RECORD: Where reference is made to unpublished or inaccessible records of service, the applicant must file the official copy.

SEE ABOVE \$ N.C. TAXPAYERS 1679-1790 - Vol. 2 - STCLIFF
p. 39-1784

ELIGIBILITY CLAUSE

"Any woman is eligible for membership in the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution who is not less than eighteen years of age, and who is descended from a man or woman who, with unflinching loyalty to the cause of American Independence, served as a sailor, or as a soldier or civil officer in one of the several Colonies or States, or in the United Colonies or States, or as a recognized patriot, or rendered material aid thereto; provided the applicant is personally acceptable to the Society." (Constitution, Article III, Section 1.)

Marriage in every instance means legal and lawful marriage. Date of marriage may be substituted for dates of birth and death where such date proves the soldier to have been living during the Revolution and of a suitable age for service.

The following form of acknowledgement is required:

Applicant further says that the said Drury Christian (name of ancestor from whom eligibility is derived) is the ancestor mentioned in the foregoing application, and that the statements hereinbefore set forth are true to the best of her knowledge and belief.

The applicant also pledges allegiance to the United States of America and agrees to support its Constitution. This applies to applicants for membership within the United States of America and its Territories.

(Signature of Applicant): Rachel Louise Cates, N. C. Sister Mary Fer ew Cates
(First name) (Middle and Maiden name) (Last name)

Print or type name exactly as you wish it to appear on DAR Certificate

Rachel Louise Cates

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Mishawaka, Indiana
(City) (State)

this 16th day of June A.D. 1986

[SEAL]

Sister M. Vincetta Trappes
Signature of Notary.

My Commission Expires: September 5, 1987

Dearman: 2001 N. Westwood Avenue
Santa Ana, CA 92706

The Santa Monica Mountains, a unique blending of mountains and seashore, extend 52 miles from downtown Los Angeles to the Pacific Ocean. These rugged mountains, chaparral-covered hillsides and white sand beaches could become Southern California's only National Park, serving millions year 'round.

July 14, 1989

Dear Connie,

Again, thanks for keeping me in mind when you acquire copies of documents.

Like you, I've had all too little time for genealogy this year.

Sincerely,

Agnes

Photo by Julius Jacyna



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31 July, 1990

Agnes B. Pearlman
2001 N. West wood Ave
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Dear Agnes:

I ran across this when reading a book on a trip to SC. I did not remember if this was in your Chronicles or not but it never hurts to have the info a second time.

ABSTRACTS OF THE WILLS AND ESTATE RECORDS OF GRANVILLE COUNTY, NC 1746-1808
by Zea Hargett Gwynn
Records of Wills of Granville, NC and Inventories, Administrations, Accounts
and Division of Estates Book 2, 1787-1792

page 131 of Gwynn book

Feb 4, 1788 proved May Court 1788 SAMUEL MORSE wills to son ALLIN MORSE 150 pds. and a negro slave; To son WILLIS MORSE, 150 pds. and a negro slave; to daughter SARAH CHRISTIAN, 2 negroes; to daughter MARY MORSE, 2 negroes; to wife PHILLIS, a negro woman, and I lend to her 5 negroes for her lifetime or widowhood; if she marries, the 5 negroes divided to all my children and at her death, same distribution; to VINKLER JONES, SR., the 300 acres whereon I now live and 2 tracts of land adjoining known as DENTON'S and JONES' land and, likewise, 450 acres adjoining JOHN CRAFT, CHARLES WILLIAMS, JOHN MORSE, REUBEN MORSE, and STEPHEN SNEAD; all stock and household goods sold and divided to all my children. Exrs: wife PHILLIS, ELIJAH MITCHELL, brother REUBEN MORSE.
Wts: JOHN CRAFT, FRANCIS JONES.

*Sarah -
Daughter
was spelled
correctly
in book
AJR*

I must admit that I have not been working on any of the lines much lately as health was a problem early in the year and now I think laziness has set in for the summer. We have had no rain on our side of the mountain while on the other side, it has been a drenching with flooded streets, houses, etc. I finally left town, the first time in over three years, and attended a seminar in SC. BUT I did not search the CHRISTIAN line as there was soo much to learn on the systems in Columbia, which were new to me. Since I was only there for a few days, I worked on the BRONWLEE line but even on that there was not enough time. I wish that I could have been there for at least a week or more. BUT the seminar was good and I did enjoy that and meeting a new cousin.

Hope that this finds you well. Really do miss hearing from you and reading more of the CHRONICLES, but I know that it was time consuming and you needed a rest from it. At least I am glad to have found you. This fall finds me busy with the U.D.C as president so the work is cut out for me. Should you ever find your way to this part of Texas, you are always welcome.

Kindest regards,
Constance
Constance Hutchinson

(have returned to using my REAL name instead of nickname)



Agnes B. Pearlman, 2001 North Westwood Avenue, Santa Ana, California 92706

August 11, 1990

*Mrs. Constance Hutchinson
5019 Montoya Drive
El Paso, Texas 79922*

Dear Constance:

How are your friends and family managing replacing your nickname with you given name? We have had several such shifts in our family. Sometimes we respond to the change easily; other time, without much success. I can't account for the reasons.

It was so good hearing from you again. I do appreciate your sending the abstract of Samuel Morse's will. A review is always helpful.

Like you, I have had little time for research although during the past few weeks, Louis Koenig has been sending updates and reevaluations of assumptions and conclusions on several lines. Trying to respond intelligently has kept me busy.

*I hope before year's end to have the Master Index to **Christian Family Chronicles** completed. I can hardly believe it has taken me so long.*

Do continue to keep in touch, and I hope this finds you fully recovered and enjoying all y^our activities.

Sincerely,

**COLLIER AND CHRISTIAN
OF CHARLES CITY
AND NEW KENT COUNTIES**

By Michael W. Berry, Washington, D.C.
and Ann Arsell Wheat Hunter
Annandale, Virginia

As I was going down New Kent Road
I met a tarrapin and a toad.
And every time the toad would jump
I'd meet a Christian or a Crump.
-19th century rhyme

Any genealogist who has worked on the Christian family of Charles City and New Kent counties will agree that the task is a difficult one. Not only, as the above rhyme implies, was the Christian clan numerous but the records of those two counties have suffered greatly from various devastations. Finally, the frequency with which the given names Charles, John and William were used in all branches of the family has only added to the confusion.

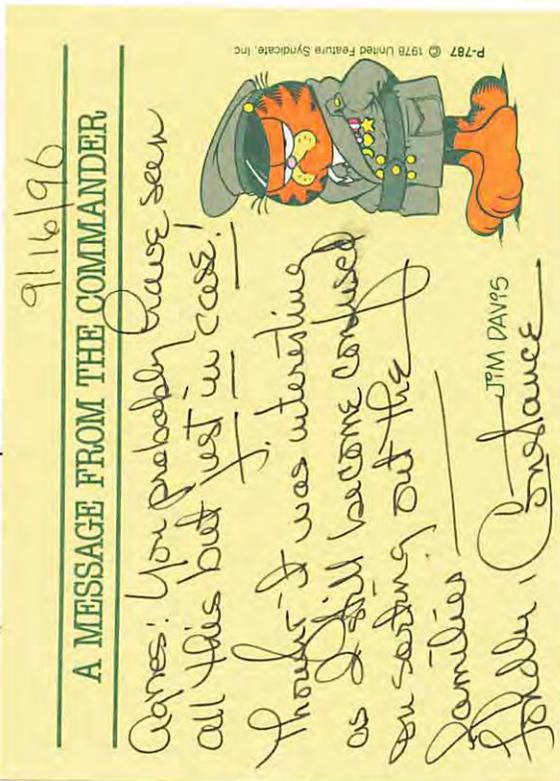
For almost a century, one of the primary sources for information on this family was the writings of Judge John Christian Lamb. Published in 1900,¹ Judge Lamb's extensive genealogy of the Christian family accomplished the monumental task of untangling the major branches of the family--with remarkable accuracy.

The purpose of this article is to correct and amplify some of the conclusions reached by Judge Lamb. Admittedly, Judge Lamb's task was hindered by the unavailability of many of the Charles City records now in use. Specifically, this article will focus on the 18th century marriages between women of the Collier family of Charles City County and the Christian family. Judge Lamb stated² that two Christian "brothers" William and John Christian, alleged to be sons of William Christian (inventory 11 March 1771, Charles City County³), married two Collier sisters, Elizabeth

¹ *William and Mary College Quarterly Historical Magazine*, 1st ser., v. 5, 8, 9.

² *Ibid.*, v. 8, pp. 122-25.

³ Charles City Co., Va., Wills & Deeds 1766-74, p. 310.



and Mildred. This article will clarify the relationship between William Christian and John Christian (cousins, not brothers) and document the parentage and siblings of their wives, the sisters Elizabeth (Collier) Christian and Mildred (Collier) Christian.

WILLIAM COLLIER, planter of Charles City Co., Va., was the son of Charles and Mary (Eyers) Collier of King and Queen Co., Va. The Collier family Bible⁴ records the birth on 29 Dec. 1688 of William Collier, son of Charles and Mary Collier. This Bible also records the birth of William's older brother, the better-known John Collier (1685-1735) who married Elizabeth Ballard, Mrs. Elizabeth (Ironmonger) Gaines, and finally Ann [Nancy] Epes (1696/7-1765). Stella Pickett Hardy⁵ states that the wife of William Christian was the daughter of Thomas Collier, son of the foregoing John Collier (1685-1735), but gives her name as Ann. Thomas Collier of "Wyanoke," Charles City County, died without issue prior to April 1741 when his widow "Rebecca Collier made oath that her dec'd husband died intestate and was granted administration of his estate."⁶ Thomas Collier's widow and administratrix (not daughter) married John Minge. The following records will prove that the Elizabeth Collier who married William Christian was the daughter of William Collier, uncle of Thomas Collier (died ca. 1741).

William Collier's name figures prominently in the early land records of Charles City County. About 1738, William Collier married, probably as his second wife, Mary Rivers, daughter of Robert Rivers of Prince George Co., Va.⁷

William Collier died prior to Dec. 1748 when his will was presented and proved in Charles City County Court by Benjamin Collier, one of the witnesses. Dancy Stanly, Edward Dancy, George Minge and William Clarke were ordered to appraise his estate.⁸

William Collier's widow, Mary (Rivers) Collier, married William Terrell

prior to August Court 1749 when their marriage contract was proved. William Terrell, planter, owned property in St. Peter's Parish, New Kent County, and in Charles City County. By 1762 Mary (Rivers) Collier Terrell was again widowed with a family of eight children, four by her first husband William Collier, and four by her second husband, William Terrell. 1762 Mary Collier does not appear again in existing Charles City County records so it is possible that she died shortly after this date.

About 1762, Mary (Rivers) Collier Terrell's children brought suit against her in Charles City County Court as the "Adm'x of William Terrell, deceased, who was executor of Robert Rivers, dec'd ..." The division of Rivers' slaves recorded in August Court 1762, is important in documenting the children of Mary (Rivers) Collier Terrell by her two husbands. Obviously, children of each of her marriages inherited since their right to the property came through their mother. The division of Rivers' slaves was as follows: Charles Collier received Ben and Lucy; William Christian (in right of his wife Elizabeth [Collier] Christian) received Black Peter and Alice; Mildred Collier received Jack, Phil and Isham; and William Collier received Nancy and George. Richmond Terrell acquired Yellow Peter; Rebecca Terrell received Martha Terrell received Sam; and William Terrell received Robin.¹⁰

Mary (Rivers) Collier Terrell's eight children who survived to adulthood and their descendants intermarried with the leading families of Charles City and New Kent counties, leaving numerous progeny today:

CHARLES COLLIER, oldest child of William and Mary (Rivers) Collier, was born prior to 1739. In 1760 he witnessed the will of John Minge of Westover Parish, Charles City County.¹¹ Minge was the second husband of Rebecca, widow of Thomas Collier of "Wyanoke," son of John Collier of King and Queen County. Charles Collier and his wife Milly are listed in the 1762 division of Charles' grandfather Robert Rivers' slaves.

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⁴ Typewritten copy, Virginia State Library.

⁵ Stella Pickett Hardy, *Colonial Families of the Southern States of America* (New York, 1911; Baltimore, 1958), p. 153.

⁶ Benjamin B. Weisiger, *Charles City County, Virginia, Records, 1737-1774* (Richmond, 1986), p. 85, citing Order Bk. 1737-51, p. 154.

⁷ *Ibid.*, p. 149, citing Order Bk. 1758-62, p. 444.

⁸ *Ibid.*, p. 110, citing Order Bk. 1737-51, p. 489.

⁹ *Ibid.*, p. 112, citing Order Bk. 1737-51, p. 504.

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March 1771.¹² The senior William Christian, who married Susannah [name unknown, not Browne] was the son of James Christian of St. Peter's Parish, New Kent County, and his wife Ann, daughter of Gideon Macon. William and Elizabeth (Collier) Christian are named in the 1762 slave division. After Elizabeth (Collier) Christian's death about 1780, William Christian married Sally Atkins.¹³ William Christian [Jr.] died 27 April 1808, aged 72.¹⁴ He left numerous children by each wife.

MILDRED COLLIER, third child of William and Mary (Rivers) Collier, was born about 1744. She was listed as unmarried in the 1762 division of her grandfather's slaves. About 1764 she married John Christian (died 1801) of New Kent County and their first child, Dr. William Collier Christian, was born 25 Dec. 1765.¹⁵ This John Christian was actually a cousin of William Christian (died 1808), being a son of John Christian, Sr. (ca. 1703-1765) and his wife Sarah. Another child of this marriage was Charles Christian who would later marry Mildred's half-sister, Rebecca Terrell. By the senior John Christian's second marriage to Susannah Browne, John Christian (died 1801) was the half-brother of Capt. Henry Christian, William Browne Christian, Edmund Christian, Turner Christian, Susanna Christian and Elizabeth Christian. Judge Lamb made the error of stating that there were children of William Christian [Sr.] (inventory 1771) based on an orphans' account which does not name of the father of the orphans but only their guardian, Susannah. Additional orphans' accounts filed in Charles City County by the widow Susannah (Browne) Christian clearly state that these children were "orphans of John Christian, dec'd."¹⁶ The senior John Christian (ca. 1703-1765) was the son of Charles Christian of Westover Parish, Charles City County, and his wife Elizabeth (Hunt) Christian, daughter of John Hunt, Gent., justice of Charles City County.¹⁷ This Hunt-Christian connection explains the use of the name "Turner" and "Turner Hunt" in the following generations of the Christian family; Elizabeth (Hunt) Christian was the sister of Turner Hunt who died prior to 1 Sept. 1726 leaving two daughters, Elizabeth Hunt (later

¹² *William and Mary College Quarterly Historical Magazine*, 1st ser., v. 8, p. 122.

¹³ *Ibid.*, pp. 123-24.

¹⁴ *Virginia Gazette and General Advertiser*, Richmond, 6 May 1808.

¹⁵ *Tyler's Quarterly Historical and Genealogical Magazine*, v. 10, pp. 60-62.

¹⁶ Weisiger, *op. cit.*, p. 53.

¹⁷ Benjamin B. Weisiger, *Charles City County, Virginia, Wills & Deeds 1725-1731* (Richmond, 1984), pp. 45-46, will of John Hunt.

wife of John Gregory) and Lucy Hunt (later wife of Richard Crump of St. Peter's Parish, New Kent County).¹⁸

WILLIAM COLLIER, JR., youngest child of William and Mary (Rivers) Collier, was born about 1746. In 1761 he selected his brother-in-law William Christian as his guardian.¹⁹ Prior to 3 Nov. 1773 he married Agnes Anne Marrable, daughter of Charles Marrable of Westover Parish, Charles City County, who signed his will in 1776 naming his daughter Agnes Collier.²⁰

RICHMOND TERRELL, oldest child of William and Mary (Rivers) Collier Terrell, was born about 1750.²¹ He married Catherine Crump, daughter of Robert Crump of St. Peter's Parish, New Kent County. Richmond Terrell died in 1797 and the inventory of his estate in Charles City County was taken on 13 Sept. 1797. By 1801 the estate records name Richmond Terrell's widow, Catherine (Crump) Terrell, as presently the wife of James Garnett. A chancery suit in Williamsburg of 1808, Gregory vs. Terrell's Administrators, names Catherine, wife of James Garnett, formerly wife of Richmond Terrell, daughter of Robert Crump of St. Peter's Parish.²²

REBECCA TERRELL, second child of William and Mary (Rivers) Collier Terrell, was born about 1752 in Charles City County. The marriage bond for her to marry Charles Christian was signed on 3 June 1772 with her guardian William Christian (husband of her half-sister Elizabeth [Collier] Christian) giving his consent.²³ The groom was the brother of John Christian (died 1801) who married Rebecca's other half-sister, Mildred Collier.

MARTHA TERRELL, third child of William and Mary (Rivers) Collier Terrell, was born on 12 Sept. 1756 in St. Peter's Parish, New Kent County.²⁴ Prior to 1775 she married John Gregory, Jr., of Westover Parish who signed his will on 3 Dec. 1776, naming his wife Martha and sons

¹⁸ Welsiger, *Charles City ... 1737-1774*, p. 78, citing Order Bk. 1737-51, p. 60.

¹⁹ *Ibid.*, p. 144, citing Order Bk. 1758-62, p. 316.

²⁰ *Ibid.*, p. 57, citing *Wills & Deeds 1766-74*, p. 515; William Armstrong Crozier, *Williamsburg Wills (Virginia County Records, v. 3; New York, 1906)*, p. 38.

²¹ Emma Dicken, *Terrell Genealogy* (San Antonio, Tex., 1952), pp. 33-36.

²² *Ibid.*, p. 35; *William and Mary College Quarterly Historical Magazine*, 1st ser., v. 11, pp. 269-70; *ibid.*, v. 12, p. 93.

²³ *William and Mary College Quarterly Historical Magazine*, 1st ser., v. 8, p. 194.

²⁴ C. G. Chamberlayne, *The Vestry Book and Register of St. Peter's Parish ... 1684-1786* (Richmond, 1937), p. 602.

Richmond Gregory and John Munford Gregory. Capt. John Gregory died in service in the army during the American Revolution.²⁵

WILLIAM TERRELL, JR., fourth child of William and Mary (Rivers) Collier Terrell, was born on 8 Oct. 1758 in St. Peter's Parish, New Kent County.²⁶

As Judge Lamb appropriately noted in 1900, owing to the destruction of so many Charles City and New Kent County records, it is frequently very difficult to prove family lines in these two counties.. It is hoped that this article will help those trying to untangle the web of kinship of the Christians, Colliers, Terrells and other early Charles City County families.

²⁵ *William and Mary College Quarterly Historical Magazine*, 1st ser., v. 11, pp. 269-70; *ibid.*, v. 12, p. 93.

²⁶ Chamberlayne, *op. cit.*, p. 603.

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ABSTRACT OF LAND GRANT SURVEYS 1761-1791
by Peter Cline Kaylor

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p 63 WILLIAM CHRISTIAN 385 acres James R. Nov 10, 1766
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p 72 Robert Neely, 152 acres Roanoke R. adjoining Archibald Graham and
WILLIAM CHRISTIAN Aug 7, 1767

SOME VIRGINIA MARRIAGES
compiled by Cecil McDonald, Jr

Vols 1-25
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Vol 4 Fisher, Thomas m Margaret CHRISTIAN 14 May 1770 Northampton Co
CHRISTIAN, ROBERT M MARGARET CHRISTIAN 23 Feb 1790 Middlesex Co Marriage Bond

Vol 5 CHRISTIAN, CHARLES m Rebecca Terrill 3 June 1772 Charles City Co

Vol 6 CHRISTIAN, JOHN m Mary Maynard 3 Feb 1768 Charles City Co
CHRISTIAN, TURNER m Anna Payne 3 Jan 1778 Goochland Co, Marriage Bond

Vol 7 CHRISTIAN, ROBERT m Mary Huston 3 Sep 1789 Augusta Co

Vol 8 CHRISTIAN, ANDREW m Polly Hatton 23 Nov 1790 Amelia, Co Marriage Bond

Vol 9 CHRISTIAN, MICHAEL m Patience Michael 30 Mar 1747 Northampton Co

Vol 10 Hays, John m NANCY CHRISTIAN 6 Sep 1777 Northampton Co

Vol 11 CHRISTIAN, JOHN m Elizabeth Moore 18 Feb 1772 Lunenburg Co Marriage Bond

Vol 12 CHRISTIAN, MATTHAIS m Lydia Ashley 12 Jun 1754 Norfolk Co Marriage Bond

Vol 13 CHRISTIAN, WILLIAM m Matilda Johnson 6 Jan 1761 Northampton Co
Grasib James m MARY CHRISTIAN 19 Dec 1770 Goochland Co

Vol 14 CHRISTIAN, JOHN m Judith Leake 9 May 1771 Goochland Co

Vol 15 Lacy, Benjamin m JUDITH CHRISTIAN 25 Oct 1774 Goochland Co
Michael, John m MARGARET CHRISTIAN 16 Feb 1767 Northampton Co
CHRISTIAN DRURY m Lucy Williams 1751 Goochland Co

Vol 16 CHRISTIAN, EDWARD m Patsy Morris 28 Jan 1798 Brunswick, Minister Bond
Bean, Leroy m ELIZABETH CHRISTIAN 7 Nov 1792 Amherst Co Marriage Bond
Cogbill, Charles m LUCY CHRISTIAN 5 Sep 1777 Chesterfield Co

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- Vol 17 CHRISTIAN, CHARLES m Jenny Huckstep 12 Jun 1796 Amherst Co Marriage Bond
Bradley, Drury m LUCY CHRISTIAN 6 Dec 1784 Amherst Co
Hansard, William m MARTHA CHRISTIAN 24 Nov 1792 Amherst Co Marriage Bond
- Vol 18 CHRISTIAN, DRURY m MORNIN CHRISTIAN 14 Mar 1785 Amherst Co
Bell, David m MARY CHRISTIAN 5 Dec 1785 Amherst Co Marriage Bond
- Vol 19-20 none listed
- Vol 21 CHRISTIAN, ANTHONY m Rebecca Prosser 25 May 1795 Powhatan Co Marriage Bond
CHRISTIAN, FRANCIS m Ann Shearman 16 Dec 1769 Lancaster Co do
CHRISTIAN, JAMES m MARY CHRISTIAN 6 Dec 1790 Amherst Co
CHRISTIAN, WILLIAM m Kasiah Blair 7 Jun 1750 Northampton Co Marriage Bond
Radford, John m NANCY CHRISTIAN 21 Jul 1788 Powhatan Co
- Vol 22 none listed
- Vol 23 CHRISTIAN, DR. COLLIER m Nancy Bates 28 Apr 1790 Powhatan Co
Armistead, Ellison m SUSANNA CHRISTIAN 5 Apr 1780 Northampton Co
- Vol 24 CHRISTIAN, JAMES m Cordelia Watts 28 Feb 1795 Amherst Co
- Vol 25 CHRISTIAN, TURNER m Elizabeth Leek 6 Oct 1788 Amherst Co
Davis, George m LUCY CHRISTIAN 22 Apr 1784 Powhatan Co
Ogilby, William m MARY CHRISTIAN 5 Dec 1795 Powhatan Co

SOME VIRGINIA MARRIAGES 1800-1825 R Gen 929.3755 M145s by Mc Donald Jr

- Vol 3 CHRISTIAN, JOHN m Sally Sills 12 Nov 1800 Brunswick Co Minister Retn
- Vol 9 CHRISTIAN, JAMES m Charlotte Bingham 18 Sep 1819 Northampton Co Marriage Bond

VIRGINIA GENEALOGIES AND CO RECORDS. R Gen 929.3755 B937v
by Annie Walker Burns

JAMES CHRISTIAN 5-18-1752. Wife Susanna.
Children: Elizabeth, Charles, James, John And George
Executors: Charles and Susanna Christian

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A Personal Mailing Card

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Dear Constance,

September 23, 1990

Thanks so much for sending the "Christian-Collies" article by Berry and Hunter. Another correspondent had sent it only a week or so ago. I had missed seeing it in the Virginia Genealogist when it appeared but was, as you know, familiar with Michael Berry's work. He died this year and will be sorely missed by Christian family researchers.

I appreciate your sending the marriage abstracts, too. You are obviously still busy searching.

The best to you and yours,

Agnes

Merry Christmas and Happy
New Year

How are you doing —
Have done little or no
research this year and
really feel out of it — All
this club work will be
over in April 92 — Will
have a chance to go to a ~~super~~
2 day seminar in Charlotte, NC in
April — Then one of my daughters
& I flew to Memphis to see
Catherine the Great Exhibit
& drove to Nashville, Bardonia
& Hickory & Knoxville — Saw lots

CHEERY CHRISTMAS

and a

GLAD NEW YEAR

Lea & Constance Hutchinson
of history, beautiful country
and antiques shops — Too
short a trip — our first to
TN & KY hope it won't be last.
Hope you are well — Miss the
Chronicles and hearing from
you —
Bern Weber Constance

Looking toward a Happy New Year as
we greet you and send best wishes for the



Holiday Season
and
always

Agnes and Carl Pearlman

December 1991

December 15, 1991

Dear Constance,

Like you, I have
engaged in all too little
genealogical research in
the past year but hope
for breakthroughs in '92.

Don't travel through
the southeast wonderful?

I always enjoy such
trips. As always,

Agnes

5019 Montoya Drive
El Paso, TX 79922
16 February, 1992

Agnes Pearlman
2001 N. Westwood Ave
Santa Ana, CA 92706

Dear Agnes:

Thanks so much for the quick reply. I forgot to tell you to just send to ~~my~~ house as I am making two sets of everything to give to the daughters. They both live in CA but I have everything here. ENclosed is a check to cover the amount. When you get the other done, I will send for two but you can let me know on that later.

I don't know if I told you how much I appreciated having a picture of you and your husband that you sent in the mail at the holidays season. I have it filed with the Christian family papers with a note. I cannot remember if I have sent you a copy of one from here but have enclosed one taken two years ago. (that for me is current). It is always fun to see other members of the family.

I must tell you how much I miss additional new copies of the Chronicles but I can tell you are enjoying not having the pressure of putting this out and collecting information. I do continue to refer to you when I receive an inquiry and always suggest they contact you for an authority.

I hope that you have not been affected by all the rain the past two weeks and that this has been in another area. Our oldest daughter in Livermore said there was a tremor yesterday. Our youngest just moved to S. Pasedena and we have not heard from her so all I can hope is that she is not in this mess. Children have a way of driving parents crazy by not checking in when they should.

Thanks so much. Hope that this year continues to be a good one for you and yours.

Fondly,



Constance

Enclosure: check
Snapshot



Agnes B. Pearlman, 2001 North Westwood Avenue, Santa Ana, California 92706

February 20, 1992

*Mrs. Constance Hutchinson
5019 Montoya Drive
El Paso, Texas 79922*

Dear Constance:

*Enclosed is your additional set of **Christian Family Chronicles**. I hope your daughters enjoy and appreciate your thoughtfulness in providing them with this peek into their heritage.*

Thank you so much for the photograph. It's always nice to have such pictures, and I'm pleased to have your likeness in my collection.

We were fortunate in being outside the most flooded areas; however, the rains did interfere with some repairs at my daughter's home in Los Angeles.

Do keep in touch.

Sincerely,

Enclosures

*Peckman
Summerlin
2/93*

ANCESTOR CHART

		MATTHEWS William F.	16	-----
	8	"Gid" MATTHEWS Gideon Christian	17	-----
	4	B: 24 OCT 1824 P: M: 1845 P: D: 22 AUG 1863 P:	18	-----
		D: aft 1850 Census P: <u>Sarah Christian</u> P: d. 1824 2nd wife: Martha Willis m. 1825	19	-----
			20	-----
			21	-----
			22	-----
	5	Ann Emily RICE B: 5 OCT 1832 P: D: 22 APR 1915 P:	23	-----
		D: 27 OCT 1871 P: Graham's Turnout Martha TINDAL P: 2nd wife b. 1792	24	-----
			25	-----
			26	-----
			27	-----
	6	JOHNSTON Rev. John Knox B: 25 JUL 1796 P: Chester Dist. M: 20 JAN 1818 P: B: 22 SEP 1828 P: M: P: D: 29 JUL 1906 P:	28	-----
		JOHNSTON Sarah KNOX b. 1751, d. 1835	29	-----
		David MEYER Helen MEYER b. 1756, d. 1830	30	-----
		Rebecca --?--	31	-----
		Emsley LOTT, Sr. John "Jack" LOTT b. 1773, d. 1829	32	-----
		Sylvia HOLSTON b. 1784, d. 1824	33	-----
	7	LOTT Elizabeth Jane B: 9 FEB 1832 P: D: 24 MAY 1873 P: 2nd wife Jane E. HAIR	34	-----
		D: 12 MAY 1889 P: Charlsey Ann COGBURN d. 1834 Eliza Ann HALL b. 15 MAR 1816 d. 23 MAY 1848	35	-----

MATTHEWS
William Christian

B: 21 JAN 1848
P:
M: abt. 1886
P:
D: 9 APR 1903
P:

MATTHEWS
Annie Elizabeth

B: 21 JUL 1889
P: Eiko, S.C.
M: 26 DEC 1912
P: Williston, S.C.
D: 17 JUN 1964
P: Columbia, Richland Co., S.C.
Dr. John Ramsey DODENHOFF

Spouse
1st wife
Ellen M. HAIR
2nd wife

JOHNSTON
Mary "Mamie" Elizabeth

B: 16 FEB 1860
P:
D: 12 NOV 1909
P:

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GRATEFULLY ACKNOWLEDGED

FROM *Doderhoff*
Susan Doderhoff 2/93



Agnes B. Pearlman, 2001 North Westwood Avenue, Santa Ana, California 92706

February 13, 1993

Mrs. Constance Hutchinson
5019 Montoya Drive
El Paso, Texas 79922

Dear Constance:

Thank you so much for your recent letter with the Ancestor Chart of Anne Dodenhoff. Although she never purchased Christian Family Chronicles, I did hear from her last October.

At that time I sent her the tear sheets from Volume VII about Gideon and Sarah (Morse) Christian and mentioned that there were various articles in the Chronicles about Gideon's connections. I have not heard from her since. Needless to say, I am pleased to have the family data about Sarah (Christian) Matthews in my files.

It has been a long time since I have had time for research. I'm trying to complete work on Branch Family Lines and Pearlman Family Connections. As always preparations for publications take much longer than I ever anticipate.

I hope all is well with you and your family. I appreciate your continued interest.

Sincerely,