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Extract of letter sent by Mary Carter (nee Annan)
to Mrs John Annan (Smist) in December, 1980.

"All of us Annans seem to have a great interest
in our heritage. My cousin James, who lived
in Toronto, did a great deal of tracing the family
name here in Canada.

A Dorothy Annan, from Florida, when on a
visit to Detroit, saw Harry's name in the
phone book, and contacted him. She, and a
brother from New York had done a great deal of
research on the family name. This was passed
on to me, and we still keep in contact.

Dorothy has now moved to Pittsburgh, N.S.A,
and is living with her daughter there.

The Annans apparently came from Lifeshire,
(Scotland). Four brothers came to the American
wilderness in the early 1700's. One was to become
a renowned preacher in a small church that
George Washington often attended, just to hear
the Rev. Annan's sermons. Another settled in
what is now the state of Pennsylvania, because
an Annan from there became a photographer

Family Register.

Henry Duncan died Nov 10th 1844 aged 6 years
 James Duncan (Died Nov 12th 1844 aged 2 years & 6 months)
 David Duncan died March 11th 1842 aged 10 months
 George ^{7 years} Duncan died April 26th 1852 aged 82 years
 James ^{husband} Will Duncan died Sept 24th 1898 aged 82 years
 John Duncan died 13 Decr 1915 aged 65 years
 Alexander Will Duncan died 5 January 1919 aged 72 years
 George Duncan died 15 Oct 1917 aged 62 years.

M. & K.
 MacLeod
 Addressed
 21st April
 1989
 This is
 where the
 Duncan
 family
 worshipped.
 They were
 all good
 singers
 I was
 told by
 Mrs. John
 Smith
 who had
 known
 them when
 she was
 young.

The firm has also started preparatory work on converting a church building in Union Street, Lochgiffhead, into four flats. The building in question, sited between the snooker hall and coalree, was built in 1846 by a congregation of the Reformed Presbyterians. In 1875 the Union Street Church was completely gutted internally, the old pulpit and preacher's box removed, and fitted out with new furnishings.

A year later the Reformed Presbyterians united with the Free Church and the Union Street Church became known as the Martyrs Free Church, later to become the Martyrs United Free Church when there was yet another union. The building then became a church hall and during World War Two it was leased by Argyll County Council as a temporary overflow classroom. Following complaints, the county council installed toilets in the building in 1946. Soon after the county council bought the building outright and converted it in district offices.

It was then bought by M. and K. MacLeod who will be adding the latest chapter in the history of the one time church.

Chips and Roots

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May 11, 1981

Dear Mr. Townsend:

Thanks for your letter received today. I was getting ready to write to you again and send you some more data I have found. Thank you for your suggestion. I have tried to find the Carpenters in the 1860 Carroll Co census but cannot. It is possible that they all left the area due to scandal, divorce, sudden re-marriage, etc. Something is strange there!

South Carolina Jury Lists 1781-1783

JOHN GRISSELL, Orangeburgh 1783, Grand Juror

South Carolina Wills

Spartenburg County: JOHN GRIST, will recorded 10 July 1816(proved July 1816)

wife: Rachel

sons: John, Benjamin, William, Thomas

daus: Susa, Fanny

CHRISTOPHER RHODES, SR. will recorded 8 July 1813

daug: ELIZABETH GRIZEL

Laurens County: JOHN GRISEL(Bk "D" p. 18) Will dated 6 May 1810, witnessed by William Grizzle

wife: Elizabeth

daugs: Juan Gary & Nancy

Other children mentioned but not named.

JOHSEPH HAMMOND, Bk "D", p 420, dated 11 Jan. 1817

daug.: ELIZABETH GRIZZEL

son-in-law: JACK GRIZZEL

Georgia Passports

20 April 1808, issued to JOEL GRIZZILL

1810 Federal Census of S.C.

Laurens County: pg. 46: ELIZABETH GRISLE 2 M 1800-1810 2 F 1794-1800
2 M 1794-1800 1 F pre 1765
2 M 1784-1794

Chesterfield Co.: pg. 296: JOHN GRIZZARD 2 M 1800-1810 1 F 1784-1794
2 M 1784-1794
1 M 1765-1784

Family Register.

George Annan Born ^{1st} January 1812
 High Hill Born ^{1st} June 1816
 Married - 27th March 1837

Hellen Annan Born June 1st 1838
 Edward Annan Born April 27th 1840
 William Annan Born April 29th 1842
 Alexander Annan Born October 6th 1844
 Agnes Stewart Annan Born May 26th 1847
 John Annan Born November 15th 1850
 James, D. Hill Annan Born March 22nd 1853
 George Annan Born July 22nd 1855
 Lindsay Davidson Annan Born October 9th 1857
 Arch^d Annan Born May 18th 1861
 James Davidson Hill Annan - Grandson
 Born 11th June 1891

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 GENERALOGICAL SOCIETY