

I am sending you a "Correct" copy of the "Circles"  
John Hallman, who married Caroline Walker family  
for I am a grand daughter of him, mother got your  
letter she & b lives her on my place she is nervous to write,  
John & Caroline Hallman had 4 boys & 3 girls

Manly, Leander, Wilton, Martha Every Delta, Johnnie  
Manly married Dan Zernack they had no children she's dead  
and buried at Sans Spring Church out from Gardiner  
Pickens Co. Leander married Nancy Belk they had  
5 boys & 3 girls Zittie ~~Arlington's~~ <sup>dead</sup> Gayron ~~Wells~~ Jack  
Albert ~~Blacus~~, ~~Pillard~~ ~~I dont know~~ Zittie married  
Virgie Jenkins of Sordal ~~Wells~~ ~~I dont know~~ how many  
children they had part of them live in Tuscaloosa  
Wells married Joe Harrah no children. she's dead buried  
at Columbus Miss, Zittie is in a nursing home at Tuscaloosa  
I dont know who she next married Gayron Hallman lives  
at Columbus Miss you might write him and find out.

~~Wilton~~ ~~married~~ Leander & Nancy are both dead  
they are buried at Zion Church out from  
Columbus Miss, Wilton married Bess Brayton

they had 2 girls & 2 boys Orna Henry Roscoe, Lona  
Orna married Bud Pritchett from Arceville Ala  
they had 4 girls 1 boy Opal Evelyn Ruby Nell  
Zez & J. W. Opal married Fletcher Terry no children  
Evelyn married Thurman Kizzure (no kids) Ruby Nell  
married Dewey Hallman (no kids) Zez married Allie  
Swen (no kids) J. W. married Elizabeth Fowler 1 kid  
a boy Mike. Henry married Virlee Blakeney they

they had 3 kids 2 boys 1 girl Leoda Vera I dont no the girls  
name Leoda <sup>dead</sup> Vera is a preacher. I dont know who  
they married. Roscoe married Alma Strickland they had 5  
boys 3 girls Bertha Robert Wade Bernice Dannie  
Kennie Kathy Opal I dont know who they married  
Roscoe is a preacher they are all living you can write

Roscoe Hallman Kennedy Ala R. Lona married  
Ermon Duckworth they had 3 boys - 2 girls I dont  
who they married. Martha Hallman married W. M. Belk  
no kid they are both dead and buried at Old Antioch  
Cemetery out from Belkal. Every left went to  
Texas when he was young married had 1 kid Loyd  
his wife died and he married again dont know ~~to~~  
what her name is.

They are dead  
Buried in the  
Wilton  
Columbus

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Delta married all Plyler 1 kid Cornelius  
his married dont know who her relatives in Birmingham  
dont know how many children Delta all are  
with dead Delta is buried at old Antioch cemetery  
at from Belk all at Bham Johnie married

Jessie Williams from Belk 1 kid Jewell K <sup>3-21-1911</sup>  
Holliman she married Homer Howard from  
Kennedy 1 kid H (nick name Pete) Howard 1 grand child  
Phelley Howard H Howard married Pally Black  
from Newtonville Johnie Holliman is dead and  
buried at Oak Ridge cemetery he died July 16 1969

Johnie was born <sup>Nov 18 1890</sup> his true name Willis Johnie  
they are none of cripple John Holliman's children  
alive most of his grand children are still  
alive I have tried to put down the ones that  
are dead if I havent ever looked some one

H Howard is the son of Jewell K Holliman Howard,  
he is a great grand child of cripple John Holliman  
Phelley Howard is a great great grand son  
of cripple John Holliman they are more but I  
dont know their names, you have got it wrong  
about Delta Holliman: she married old Plyler  
had one child a boy Cornelius Plyler Doc Plyler  
was old plyler's daddy, hes no relation to the Holliman  
I have done you this about when I wrote who all  
cripple John Holliman children married & I Plyler  
did die in Bham from reading the list seems  
like you thought that John Henry Holliman was  
one of cripple John Holliman's boy he was a grand son  
~~and~~ and Leobus Holliman is a great grand son  
of cripple John Holliman he is John Henry Holliman's  
boy, I cant give you the birth dates of all  
the above neither can I the date of the ones that  
are dead

One of my neighbor told me that  
Warren Holliman married Pally Blackney  
and Jim Holliman was son of Pally & Warren  
Holliman Frank Holliman was the son of  
Jim Holliman I think Jim and Frank  
Holliman are buried at Chapel Hill

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Bobbie Church in Fayette co, Lenwood Holliman  
 is a son of Frank Holliman he is a school  
 teacher and lives at Gordo Ala you can write  
 him and get their birth dates and death dates  
 he can give you all the children names  
 Frank Holliman married Cester Howard, he can  
 also tell you about the Jim Holliman family  
 Lenwood Holliman is the grand son of Jim Holliman

This is write by Jewell<sup>H</sup> (Holliman) who married Homer  
 Howard son the daughter of Willie Johnie or Lesie Holliman  
 the grand daughter of Cripple John Holliman the K in  
 my name is named after Kerlene Walker Holliman  
 I have done give you this in explaining the Cripple  
 John Holliman family. If you ever come to  
 Fayette and would like to talk to me ask for  
 Homer Howard I live 9 mi south of Fayette on  
 the Fayette to Gordo road high 159  
 I would like to have a copy of all of  
 it when you get it finished. If you want  
 to write some one about this  
 write Jewell Howard R/R 2 Kennedy Ala 35574  
 Johnie my daddie is dead

Jewell K. (Holliman) Howard  
 or Mrs Homer Howard

PS I live about 1 mi from where Cripple John  
 and Kerlene I think raised their family  
 I know they lived there ever since I've been  
 born until grand ma died

Roscoe Holliman Son of Wilton & Beula H -

lives in the house that Wilton & Beula H -  
 he lived in the all house is tore down  
 but Roscoe H - owns the place I believe  
 you could learn lots if you would come  
 down

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Mandy married DanZannah. They had no children. She is dead, and was buried at Sand Springs Church out from Gordo., Pickins County.  
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H.J. Howard is the son of Jewell K. Holliman Howard. He is a <sup>great</sup> ~~grandson~~ child of Crippled John Holliman. Phillip Howard is a great-great grandson of Crippled John Holliman. There are more but I dont know their names. You have got it wrong about Delta Holliman. She married Oll Plyler, had one child a boy Cornelius Plyler. Doc was Oll Plyler's daddy. He is no relation to the Holliman. I have done give this above when I wrote who are all Crippled John Holliman's children married. O.L. Plyler did die in Birmingham. From reading the list seems like you thought that John Henry Holliman was one of Crippled John Holliman's boys. He was a grandson, and Leodus Holliman is a great grandson of crippled John Holliman. He is John Henry Holliman's boy, I cant give you the birth dates of all the above, n~~ai~~ther can I give the date of the ones that are dead

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K,

This is wrote by Jewell/Holliman, who married Homer Howard. I'm the daughter of Willis Johnie & Lessie Holliman, the grand daughter of Crippled John Holliman. The K in my name is named after Keroline Walker Holliman. I have done give you this in explaining the Crippled John Holliman family. If you will come to Fayette and would like to talk to me ask for Homer Howard. I live 8 miles south of Fayette on the Fayette to Gordo Road, Highway #159.

I would like to have a copy of all of it when you get it finished. If you want to write someone about this, write Jewell Howard, R#2 Kennedy Alaba, a 35574. Johnie, my daddy, is dead.

Jewell K. Holliman How~~ard~~,  
Or Mrs. Homer Howard.

P.S. I live about 1 mile from where Crippled John Holliman and Keroline I think raised their family. I know they lived there ever since I've been born until Grandma died. Roscoe Holliman, son of Wilton and Beulah H. lives in the house that Wilton and Beulah H. lived in. The old house is tore down but Roscoe H. owns the place I believe, you could lear n lots if you would come down.

James Smith  
R-2 Kennedy Ave  
3557X



March 2, 1977.

Mrs. Jewell H. Howard.,  
Route 2,  
Kennedy, Alabama. 35574.

Dear Mrs. Howard:

Thank you very much for your help in developing the Crippled John Jolliman family line for use in the Walker History.

As suggested I wrote Rev. Roscoe Holliman, Route 1, Kennedy, Alabama, but did not receive a reply. I certainly need the data on his family and that of his sister Lona, who married Ermon Duckworth.

I am still short of data on some of the family branches of the Samantha Ann Walker Labock group, but most of the folks I have contacted are anxious to help and have freely given of information.

I am still doing a lot of research in Shelby County, Alabama, but have only dented the job.

My wife and I have both had the flu recently, so have not been very active. Hope to get off down to Fayette County before so awfully long and will try to contact you then.

Another group of Hollimans at and near Hot Springs, Arkansas, are working on the family history, and I am trying to help them also.

If you learn anything further, please let me know.

With kind regards, I am,

Yours very truly,

G.R. Holliman.

Tiggie Hollison Marie former  
~~Father~~ Taylor Wilson

Children

- Johnny married Ethel Wilson
  - Julis married Millie Babb
  - Harvey married Mollie Cooper
  - Resta married Margrett Blakney
  - Lee married Tommy Cep Blakney
  - Leasae married L.C. Davis
  - Fletcher never married
  - Jessie married Odessa Stusant
  - Ervin married Mildred Canoll
- ~~Five Boys + no Girls~~  
Nine

you didnt have all of the  
James T Wilson children

so here they are

this is correct about the kids

- Johnny W — is dead buried at the Wilson Cemetery
- Lee W is dead is buried in Tusculosa
- ~~Lee~~ is dead is buried at the Wilson Cemetery
- Harvey is dead buried at Wesley Chapel " in Fayette Co
- Resta is dead he buried at Ashcraft Commu Church  
in Fayette Co,



<sup>first name</sup>  
Jim Hollimon Married Eliza  
Richardson Children

Frank Married Kesta Howard

Janey Married Ellis Rizziere

Fattie Married Charlie Rizziere

Belona Married D.A. South

Pearl Married Lee Roy Smother

Emma died at the age of 4.  
Jim Hollimon Second wife Benny Howard  
Children

Livis Married Emma Sherrill

Wilona Married Elbert Sherrill

Jimmy Lou Married A.J. Potts

Lena Married Jol Clifton Hillard

Jim Hollimon 3rd wife  
Hurtone Clanton

one son James Homer Hollimon

Married Mattie Lou Smith

You dont have it right about  
the sum of jamey so I got  
one of his grand daughters to write

this -

From  
Jewell Howard RV2  
Kennedy Ala 35574

July 24, 1977.

Mrs. Jewel K. Howard.,  
Route 2,  
Kennedy, Alabama, 35574.

Dear Mrs. Howard:

I am still trying to complete the family record of Samuel Taylor Walker and wife Elizabeth Johnston Walker. Like all works of this kind, there is always one or more families who do not respond to letters of enquiry. I am still short one family in the Davis group, and also one family in the Keroline W. Holliman group. I have written several other parties, and hope to develop the Davis information before long.

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5. Jack Holliman (J.H.) Route 8 Box 137, Columbus, Miss. 3970
6. Albert Holliman,
7. Gladys Holliman, *Gladys*
8. Willard Holliman.

I would like a much more detailed information on this family. Can you help me? I did not get a reply to letter to J.H. Holliman.

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I will appreciate any help you can give me.

Yours very truly,

C.R. Holliman.



C. R. HOLLIMAN  
ATTORNEY AT LAW  
PHONE 836-1962 • 8212 - 6TH AVENUE, SOUTH  
BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA 35206

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*This is her correct name Glad us*

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Yours very truly,

*C.R. Holliman*  
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I do not know who the children of Leander Holliman  
married or any thing about their children, Albert & never had  
many, well Holliman Dorrah didn't have any children  
have you wrote Mrs Gayron Holliman of Columbus Miss maybe  
she would answer you or other Mrs Jack Holliman she  
last time I knew Jack he lived at Dickens Hill Ala  
& either one of the two above could give you the correct  
list of children and who each one married  
I think years ago they was a firm Holliman that lived  
close to Newtonville I think he is connected with  
the family its been dead for years I think he's buried  
at Chapel Hill Church where Cupper John is buried  
he married 2 or 3 times and had a large family  
of children you can write Mrs Lucille Kimmor  
Kennedy EX 2 35574 Ala she can tell you lots about  
the dead ones her mother was one of his daughters

When you get this completed send me some  
copies of it or let me know what the book  
cost, I'll be glad to help you any way I can  
as ever

Jessie Howard  
EX 2 35574  
Kennedy Ala

P.S. you had one  
of the names wrong  
on the other side  
and I corrected it



Birmingham, Alabama.

August 4th, 1977.

Mrs. Sewall Howard,  
Route 2,  
Kennedy, Alabama. 35574.

Dear Mrs. Howard:

I thank you for the reply to my letter of July 24th. I had previously been in touch with Rev. R.R. Holliman, who is Pastor at Caine's Ridge, and he had told me to write to J.H. Holliman, Route 8 Box 137, Columbus, Miss. 39701. However, I did not receive a reply from J.H. Holliman, and the letter did not come back, so I judge that he got it. I do not have a full address on Gayron Holliman, who lives in the Columbus, Miss. area.

So that you will have additional information on the Chaple Hills Hollimans, the following is necessary:

A group of Hollimans living in the same community in Anson County N.C. and Lancaster County S.C. came to Fayette County on an exploration in 1835. They camped near Newtonville, and went back to their Carolina homes the following spring and then brought their families in one group to the Newtonville Area. Charles Holliman owned 80 acres about where Old Shepherd Church stands. Warren Holliman owned 40 acres about where Virgil Gibsons old home stands, and Cornelius Holliman owned 80 acres across the road where the old Yarty place is. The others John Holliman and Willis went on to Choctaw County Mississippi and settled there. There were probably others of this same family group and who settled around Buck Hill, Mississippi, near Minna. Charles Holliman, and wife Barbary, had a large family, and settled over near the Chapel Hill area. Warren Holliman and his family moved on to Hot Springs Arkansas around 1840, and he was prominent in his community there. Cornelius Holliman, my great-great grandfather, and his wife Elizabeth Plyler were married in 1813 in Lancaster County, S.C. Had five children, three boys, two girls. Elizabeth died at Newtonville, and since they were members of the Primitive Bap. Ch. at Springhill, is probably buried there. Cornelius then married Elizabeth Rainwater, widow of William Rainwater, and they moved up North of Fayette to the Fayette-Marian County line near Kluff. He died there in 1863. One of his sons was Dr. Joshua Holliman, a medical doctor, and he moved on to Carroll County, Miss, and finally settled in Grant County Arkansas, where he was coroner of the County. Both Arkansas Holliman families were large, and I have been in touch with a good many of them.

Charles Holliman died between 1840 and 1850 in South Fayette County. Place of burial is unknown. His widow, and children lived on at the old family farm. The children were:

1. Peter Holliman, moved to Bransboro, in Van Zandt County, Texas. Reared large family. His burial place and family are known.
2. Josh or Joshua, no information.
3. Aaron, served in U.S. Army during Civil War. Said to have died in Ark. or Okla.
4. Elijah, CSA soldier, died at 98 years, buried at Springhill Church Cem 2 or 3 miles West of Millport, Ala. Married 3 times, large family, many descendants live in the area where he is buried.
5. John, CSA soldier, died in service.
6. Cornelius, CSA soldier, killed by stray bullet at Petersburg Va. He was father of Crippled John Holliman. Cornelius first married a Bright, and she died. She was mother of Crippled John H. Think she is buried in the old Shepherd Church Cem., near the Blakensy place at Newtonville. He then married again and to a Kirkland. After he was killed, she moved to Marengo County, Alabama, married again, and had other children. Crippled John Hollimans raised by his Uncle Warren Holliman.
7. James Jesse Holliman, died 1853, married Nancy Frances Poe, and lived at Newtonville. His widow moved to Arkansas and married Webster. She had one child by James Jesse, and Chester H. Bullock 1128 Joy St., Magnolia Ark, 71753 is a descendant.
8. Am I. Holliman, served in CSA, lived at Duck Hill Miss,
9. Warren C. Holliman, born 2-17-1833, died 12-1-08, buried at Chaple Hill Cem. first married Mary Blakensy, daughter of Thomas Blakensy of Newtonville and had several children. She died and he then married a Howard, and he and his two wives are buried at Chapel Hill Cem. He was my Grandmother Baker's Uncle. She was Belziann Blakensy, dau. of William Blakensy.

There was another child, Susanna, who was an old maid, and lived at the old home place until she died. There may have been other daughters.

My Grandmother's Uncle Warren Holliman and his wife Mary Blakenny Holliman, had 8 children, as follows:

1. John, called "Black John" as he was dark complexioned. He was also called "Lops", and was a well known strong man. He married Rebecca Holliman, sister of my Grandfather, John Thomas Holliman, a grandson of the Cornelius Holliman who came to settle from Anson Co. N.C. They moved to Ardmore, Oklahoma, where a large number of descendants still live.
2. James W. Holliman, "Cousin Jim", buried at Chapel Hill Cem. He was married three times, 1st to S.E. Richardson, 2nd to \_\_\_\_\_ Howard, and third to \_\_\_\_\_ Clanton.
3. Francis Marion Holliman, married Nancy J. Henderson, and was the last survivor of Uncle Warren's children. He is buried at Chapel Hill.
4. Sidney Warren Holliman, married Columbia A. Sanders. Had son named James Agstin Holliman, who in turn had son named James. Lived in Pickens County, not far from Ashcraft's corners.
5. Moses Jefferson Holliman, the youngest child. Buried at Chalkville in Jaffe,son County, Alabama. Two sons, Walter and Felix. Walter is dead. Felix resides at Millport, and is mail carrier.
6. Sarah Holliman, married William Perry Holliman, brother of my grandfather John Thomas Holliman. Moved to Rockdale, Milam County, Texas.
7. Elizabeth Holliman, also called "Barbury". Married J.E. Abernathy Resided in Fayette Co. Ala.
8. Kinzie Holliman, married James Wilson (James T. Wilson - Susan Kinzie Holliman) Harvey Wilson Monte 1 Kennedy was a son. Buried at Wilson Cemetery out from Kennedy.

A good many of these people are buried at Chapel Hills Cem. Thomas Blakenny my great-great grandfather is buried there, and possibly his second wife. His first wife died in 1863 and is buried at the 1st Cemetery of Old Shepherd Church, near the old negro school at Newtonville. Several grandchildren of Thomas Blakenny's are also buried at Chapel Hill.

I thought you would like to have this information.

Sincerely,

C.R. Holliman



Kennedy, Ala 35574

Route Box 121

March 8 1977

Dear Mr Halliman

I received your letter some  
time passed. Sorry I have been  
this late in replying you I am  
the son of James Wilton Halliman  
and crippled John was my grand-  
pa. John Henry was my eldest  
brother Born in 1900 Dec 26th  
married Virlee Blakney have two  
sons Vernon and Leodus one  
Daughter Mary-dice / Oma Halliman  
my oldest sister is dead married  
JJ Fritchutt three daughters Opal  
Celine and Ruby - all are married  
Lona married Erstan Duckworth  
two daughters Margarine, Bettie  
Three sons <sup>General</sup> Alvin and Rehan

~~Oma <sup>General</sup> Born Nov 6th 1898~~

~~Lona Nov 9th 1909~~

~~Rascal Dec 11th 1904~~

Write J. H. Halliman

Route Box 137

Columbus Miss 39701

P.S. Over

Maybe he can give you information  
If I get more I will let you know  
You see I am a Baptist preacher  
'72 yrs young.

Respectfully  
R. R. Hollister



## a List of our Children

①

BERTHA MAE HOLLIMAN

Born Sept 13 1936 married 3 boys

②

ROBERT HOBER<sup>RHD</sup> HOLLIMAN

Born Aug 25 1942 served 2 yrs in  
the army married 1 Boy

③

Louery Wade Holliman Born  
March 15 1944 married graduated  
at Fayette Ala 1 girl 1 Boy

④

Bessie Wayne Holliman Born  
Sept 8 1945 married graduated  
at Fayette Ala 2 Boys

⑤

Opal Gay Holliman Born  
Jan 25 1948 married American  
2 girls 2 Boys

⑥

Daniel Ray Holliman Born  
Jan 4 1950 married served in  
army 1 Boy

⑦

James Kent Holliman  
Born April 4 1952 married  
graduated at Kennedy Ala,  
1 Boy

⑧

Kathy Dianne Holliman  
Born Jan 13 1954 not married  
graduated at Fayette Ala.

Fayetteville  
1-8-77

Mr. C. O. Halliman,  
8212 Attorney at Law,  
Birmingham 6th Avenue South,  
Alabama 35206.

Dear, Cousin;

Guess you had began to think  
was never going to get reply from me  
Please do forgive me hope you got from  
my Aunt Lizzie's family all information  
you wanted as am sending what I know  
about my first Cousins I know only 2  
are living Walker Glover Davis he as  
far as I know lives there in Birmingham  
last heard had good job and to Annie  
Davis Swindle heard went to Birmingham to  
live with her youngest daughter sold her  
home after her husband Wilson Swindle  
passed away I have Aunt Martha Jane  
Halliman's picture reason my mother had  
it when she died Am wondering if you  
all knew about Willie + Orman both  
passing only little over 4 months difference  
in their death Willie died first Brady is  
in bad health guess you already knew  
that he been pretty sick in wheel chair  
Jessie lives at Vernon Alabama Part of her



Children or 2 girls I think and her husband  
are dead Willie was a deacon at Cairns.  
- Pledge they both buried up there our  
Cemetary sure for past few years is  
really growing as well as every where.  
Hoped you have heard from C. F. Walker  
Aunt Caroline Halliman our Grandmother  
other Sister I cant tell you anything about  
her family only I believe can safely say  
all her children are dead but that knowing  
you C. F. or Cousin Fenton Walker can tell  
you all about the Walkers today is

81st Birthday. Surely I get lonesome  
as live alone have already wrote you am  
also in bad health. So you can read  
my mammas Sister Aunt Lezzie Davis has  
only 2 children living all about gone of all  
or both mama + her family.

Please excuse me for not answering you  
sooner.

maybe this little help to you

Sincerely,  
Mary J. Benton  
Route one,  
Jayette, Al 35555



My Aunt Lizzie family  
as much as I know

Mary Elizabeth Laboon (Aunt Lizzie)  
Born

Died; 1932  
Buried; New Hope Church Christ Oakman  
Walker Co,

married John I. Davis  
Born

Died;  
Buried New Hope Church Christ Oakman, Rt 1  
Children;

my cousin Lillian Davis  
Born;

Died  
Buried; New Hope Oakman Rt 1  
married Morris Davis (no children)

my cousin Jennie Bell Davis  
Born

Died  
Buried; New Hope Oakman Rt 1  
Married; Clay Myers  
Children

Sara Francis Myers

born ?  
Died ?  
Buried  $\frac{7}{2}$   
married  $\frac{7}{2}$

Children one child

W. H. Don Myers on Rt 1 Oakman

Lillian Myers <sup>live</sup>  
Born <sup>RHI Oakman</sup> — Elmer Deal ~~\_\_\_\_\_~~  
Married ~~\_\_\_\_\_~~  
Children not unknown.

Lynon Myers  
Born \_\_\_\_\_  
Buried; New Hope Oakman  
Married;  
Had one child died at 10 yrs old

~~1 cousin~~ Johnnie May Myers  
Born \_\_\_\_\_  
~~Died~~  
Married;  
Children \_\_\_\_\_

1 cousin ~~Johnnie~~  
Bessie Davis  
Born \_\_\_\_\_  
Died \_\_\_\_\_  
Buried New Hope Oakman  
Never married

1 cousin Annie Davis <sup>still living in B'ham</sup>  
Born \_\_\_\_\_  
Married: Wilson Swindle  
Children unknown had 5 children

1 cousin Thomas Davis  
Born \_\_\_\_\_  
Died \_\_\_\_\_  
Buried New Hope Oakman  
Married Lillian Poole | Children unknown

1 cousin

Audrey Davis

Born

Deed

Buried; Memphis Tenn.

Married Elizabeth?

children 4

Margaret

Audrey Davis Jr. live L.H. / Dakman

Walker Glover Davis

Born

Married?

live in B'ham

Had one boy

John Newton Davis

Born

Deed

Buried; Charleston S.C.

Had no children

1 cousin

1 cousin



my Jassie Thornton

Sister Born Dec 13, 1895

Buried at Caines Ridge Fayette Co.

Died; May 38, 1906

my George B Thornton

brother Born Aug 11, 1897

Died; Sept 17, 1905

Buried at Caines Ridge Fayette, Co.

my Walker Thornton

brother Born; Aug 15 1917

Buried at Caines Ridge Fayette, Co.

my Martha Magnola Laboon (Maggie)

mother Born; July 4, 1877

+ father Died; Feb, 18, 1958

Buried at Caines Ridge Fayette Co.

Married; John Lafayette Thornton  
Feb 97, 1894

John Lafayette Thornton

Born; Dec. 10 1862

Died; Sep. 2, 1946

Buried at Caines Ridge Fayette, Co.,

My children - ex & ows  
Mary Benton & Sam Benton  
(Thornton) Children

Mary Ruth Thornton  
Born: Jan 21, 1907  
married Samuel Sanford Benton  
June 7, 1925

children

John Thomas Benton

Born: Sept 26, 1926,

Died Nov. 22, 1940

Buried; Caines' Ridge Fayette Co.

James Samuel Benton

Born: June 20, 1932

Married: Grace Hollyhand July 5 1954

children of James & Grace Benton

Cindy Benton

address 12152 Northwood

Born April 30, 1958 Lake Northport, Ala.

Andy Benton

Born May 9, 1964

Margaret Ann Benton address Route One

Born Dec. 23, 1936

Fayette, Ala.

married; Thomas Bobo July 5, 1963

children;

Sheryl Bobo born April 23, 1964

Timothy Born born March 9, 1967

Mary Ruth Benton

address: 31-Clearwater

Born Nov. 5 1942

Est. Northport, Ala 35471

married; John Taylor married



Children of Mary Luth  
Dana Pike Feb. 21, 1962

my brother

Wymon Thornton

Born; Nov. 6, 1908

Married Pauline Burrow in 1930

children of Wymon Thornton

~~Wymon~~ Wayne Thornton

~~Wymon~~ Born Dec. 7, 1943

Married Rebecca Gann  
children;

John Thornton

Born Oct. 31, 1970

Kimberly Thornton

Born Nov. 26, 1968

my

brother Ermon Thornton

brother

Born Aug 25, 1902

Married; Viola Kuykendall  
children;

Billy Joyce Thornton

Born; Aug 3, 1927

Married Billy Batton  
children

Rickey Batton

Becky Batton



July 24, 1977.

Mrs. Mary E. Laurents,  
Route 2, Box 224,  
Parrish, Alabama, 35580.

Dear Mrs. Laurents:

I thank you for your letter of May 6th, 1977, and for the data included therein on the James Wilson Swindle, Jr., family.

I have been working on this family history since 1965, and hopefully will soon have it in shape for publication. Unless the expense of publication runs to an excessive figure, I plan to publish, but at this point have made no investigation as to what the costs of publishing 250 volumes will be. Several people have made inquiry as to the book, and have expressed their interest in acquiring same. This detail will have to wait until I am nearer completion. At any rate, several of the family have indicated an interest in having the work mimeographed, and I plan to furnish a copy to the State Department of Archives and History, and to the Walker, Fayette and Jefferson County libraries. More on this at a later date, and I will keep you posted.

As usual to works of this kind, some of the family did not answer my letters requesting information. I thought possibly that you might help me on one family. I need the family data on THOMAS FRANKLIN DAVIS, born March 28, 1901, died October 28, 1961, married Lillian Poole. I understand that there were four daughters born of this marriage. One of them is Carolyn Davis who married Charles Caldwell, and resides at 620 Galveston Street, Mulga, Birmingham, Alabama. I did not receive a reply to my letter, and hence have no information on the T.F. Davis group. Can you help me?

Thanking you for any assistance, I am,

Yours very truly,

C.R. Hollinen.

# Memo from

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Mary E. Laurent

5-6-77

Mr. C. R. Holliman  
8212 6th. Ave., S.  
Birmingham, Ala. 35206

Dear Mr. Holliman,

I am sorry for the delay in getting the enclosed information to you. My mother did not know some of it and you will notice it was necessary for me to obtain it from other states.

I am very much interested in the work you will be doing and have been asked by some of my family to find out the cost of getting a copy of this history.

My husband does not have a relative alive that he knows of. He has questioned Mrs. Uncle Walker

# Memo from

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**Mary E. Laurent**

Davis, many times about the Laboon family, since his father came from France. Any time you are in this area, he would be more than happy to go with you.

Sincerely,

Mary Laurent



① James Wilson Swindle, Jr. married Margaret Underwood  
Date of Birth: July 14, 1922 Oct. 7, 1927

address: Columbia, Tenn.

| <u>Children</u>      | <u>Date of Birth</u> | <u>Address</u>      |
|----------------------|----------------------|---------------------|
| Judith Carol Swindle | Dec. 10, 1946        | New Ellenton, S. C. |
| James P. Swindle     | Sept. 19, 1950       | Columbia, Tenn.     |
| Gary Wayne Swindle   | Oct. 4, 1954         | New Orleans, La.    |

② William G. Swindle married Lorila Cisneros

Date of Birth: Nov. 17, 1924 March 8, 1923

address: Van Buren, Arkansas

| <u>Children</u>        | <u>Date of Birth</u> | <u>Address</u>        |
|------------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|
| Rhyllis Elaine Swindle | March 31, 1947       | Escondido, New Mexico |

③ Mack Curtis Swindle married Betty Carolyn Cobin

Date of Birth: April 30, 1927 Nov. 1, 1933

address: Birmingham, Ala. (no children)

④ Mary Elizabeth Swindle married Chalmers F. Laurent

Date of Birth: Nov. 9, 1932 Nov. 29, 1927

address: Parrish, Ala.

| <u>Children</u> | <u>Address</u> | <u>Date of Birth</u> |
|-----------------|----------------|----------------------|
| John C. Laurent | Jasper, Ala.   | March 11, 1954       |

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Geraldine Luvette married Frank R. Green

Date of Birth: March 7, 1935

Feb. 25, 1927

address: Birmingham, Ala.

Children

Wilson Franklin Green

Date of Birth

Oct 29, 1970

address

Birmingham, Ala.

October 29, 1968.

Mrs Charlie Scott.,  
1508 Montdale Road, S.E.  
Huntsville, Alabama, 35801.

Dear Sir:

I note your inquiry in the September issue of  
The Genealogical Helper, regarding the Walker family.

I am interested in the James A. Walker line. He  
was born in Penn. in 1765, came to Anson Co. N.C. and later  
was in S.C. and Georgia. Came to Ala. in 1813, was in Shelby  
County, Alabama 1818 until after 1850. Had 9 children. Sons  
were Andrew, Aaron, Thomas, & others. Several daughters, one  
of whom married Aaron Gamble. Some of these Walkers moved  
to Texas, and some settled near Decatur in this State.

If this line is of interest, I will be glad to  
hear from you. I have many notes on the group.

Yours very truly,

C.R. Holliman.



November 12, 1968.

Mr. Charley Scott.,  
1508 Montdale Road, S.E.  
Huntsville, Alabama.

Dear Mr. Scott:

I have your letter of November 3rd, regarding your Walker line.

Apparently I have no record of the Eaton Walker line in my files. On the David F. Walton line, it is remotely possible that Mr. Wilfred Walton, Box 249 Benton, Arkansas, might be able to supply you some data. He is descended out of the Warren H. Holiman line which went to Arkansas around 1840.

On my James Walker line: He was born in Penn. in 1765, his wife was Sarah, who had predeceased him in 1850 according to census records. He moved to South Carolina where some of his children were born, thence to Baldwin County, Georgia, where some other children were born. He applied to the State of Georgia on April 11, 1810 for a passport to travel with his wife, and 9 children with one son-in-law Levi Tracy, and 5 slaves, to travel through the Creek Nation. The passport was granted. Next he appeared at or near Montevallo, Alabama, then called "Wilson's Hill", where he helped to survey a town-site. He was one of the first judges of the Orphans Court of Shelby County, Alabama, and was authorized to perform the rites of matrimony. Apparently his wife died in Shelby County. In 1850 he was living with his son-in-law and dau. (Aaron Gamble and wife Demara or Deidiama) in Shelby County. I found no record of Levi Tracy in that County. Daughter Demara married Aaron Gamble there in 10-25-1819. Son Andrew married Jeanie Gamble there on 2-1-1821. Do not have names of any of the other children, so aside from the two mentioned and the one who married Tra there are six children not identified.

After 1850 I find no further record of James Walker.

Andrew Walker and Jeanie Gamble were married 2-12-1822. He was born 4-28-1800. She was born in 1801. Their children, (from Bible Record) were: Samuel Taylor Walker born 11-14-1821; James Aren Walker born --/5/1824; Thomas G. Walker, born 10-4-1825; Mary Elizabeth Clark Walker (who married Scriviner) born 11-11-1827, and Robert Gamble Walker, born 12-11-1829. Apparently Andrew died several years thereafter. In 1860, his widow still lived in Shelby County, a three children of teen age, Harriett, William and Eliza were living a home with her.

1820 Census of Shelby Co. showed James Walker & other in family, as follows: 2 males over 21, 3 males under 21, 2 females over 21, 3 females under 21, no slaves, total 9 persons

Samuel T. Walker married Elizabeth Johnstone in Shelby Co. Ala. on 11-5-1843. She was born 10-18-1821. They moved to Fayette County, Alabama, around 1858, where they spent their final days.

Dr. Dewitt Walker, who at one time practiced medicine at Albany (Decatur), Ala. was a descendant of Aaron Walker. I am sure there are other descendants of Aaron in that Area. This data from History of Ala and her people by A.B. Moore, Vol 2, page 235.

I will keep your inquiry in mind and If I run into anything will let you know. Will adse appreciate any data you may find on the James Walker line, as I am unable to take it further back.

Yours very truly,

C.R. Holliman.

1508 Montdale Road SE  
Huntsville, Alabama 35801  
November 3, 1968

Mr. C. R. Holliman  
Birmingham, Alabama 35206

Dear Mr. Holliman:

I appreciate your response to my inquiry in the Genealogical Helper; I am not sure that I search the same line of Walkers that you mention because my information is very meagre. Let me indicate what I know, and perhaps you can judge it.

From a relative I came into the possession of three sheets torn from a very old Bible. In it were a number of birthdates; these sheets contain just about all that I know on both a Walton family (a grandmother relation) and a Walker family (a great grandmother relation). The birthdates of the family of Eaton Walker and Nancy, his wife, are given. The children are with birthdates:

Joseph Walker (14 Dec. 1801), Alexander Walker (23 Feb 1805), Elizabeth Walker (21 May 1807), Gabriel Walker (2 March 1810), Henrietta Walker (12 Oct 1812), Elias B. Walker (27 Mar 1815), and Rebecka Walker (10 Nov 1818).

The above Elizabeth Walker married David F. Walton. He was born in Georgia while she was born in South Carolina; these from census records of Noxubee County, Mississippi to which they moved after the birth of some children in South Carolina. Some of the children of this marriage went on to Texas as they grew up in Mississippi though I think the parents remained in Mississippi.

If the above information stirs any association with the information which you have, I shall be most pleased to learn it. I have been unable to make any headway with these families.

Sincerely,

*Charley Scott*  
Charley Scott

*Mr Winfred Mellon Box 249  
Benton Ark. ~~8-13-1968~~  
disc. M. H. Mellon & Miller Walters  
of Ark.*



from Baldwin Co. Ga

Joe Walker obtained Passport from State of Ga to Travel <sup>the</sup> the Creek Nation on April 11, 1810. With Wife + 8 Children + son-in-law Levi Tracy + 5 slaves

His Wife was Sarah - died in Shelby Co. Ala

1820 Census Shelby Co

Shows - 2 males over 21, 3 males under 21, 2 f. over 21 2 f. under 21 - no slaves - Total 9.

older son was Demara - married Aaron Gable 10.25.1819

- 1. Hannah small children of Andrew + Jennie Gable
  - 2. William settled to Samuel Taylor also Bro Robert Gable
  - 3. Eliza L. Walker, Elizabeth Walker (scrubber) Thomas G. Walker
- f. James <sup>Deidama</sup> <sup>M. 2-1-1821</sup> <sup>Jennie Gable</sup> <sup>Walker (Scrubber Co. Ala)</sup>
- Demara, Andrew, + others

A lot of Joe Walkers.

Andrew Walker B Apr 28. 1802 } married 2-12-1821  
Jennie Gable B. 1801

Samuel Taylor Walker B. 11/14/1821

James Aaron - 1/5/1824

Thos G. Walker 1/4/1825

Mary Elz. Clar. Walker 11-11-1827

Robert Gable Walker 12/11/1829

Samuel T. Walker B 11-14-1821

M. Elz. Johnston B 10-18-21, on 11-5-1843

ESTATE OF EATON WALKER, deceased,

Elias Benson was appointed Administrator of the Estate of Eaton Walker, deceased, by the Orphans Court of Bibb County, Alabama, on September 6, 1825. Charles Coleman and Gabriel Benson were Bondsmen. At a sale, after appraisal made, John Walker was a purchaser, and gave a promissory note. John Hewey purchased a Military Coat of the deceased. Nancy Walker, the widow, purchased several items.

Orphan's Court Record "A", page 80. September 5, 1825, Vol. 31, page 4, Jones & Gandrud's Alabama Records, Bibb County, Petition of Nancy Walker, widow of Eaton Walker, deceased for an allowance to maintain and raise the children and heirs of the Estate, towit: Gabriel Walker, Henrietta Walker, Elias Walker, Rebecca Walker. Distribution as follows: To Nancy Walker, Joseph Walker, Alexander Walker, David F. Walton and wife Elizabeth, formerly Elizabeth Walker, Gabriel Walker; Odd sum to Nancy, mother of said daughters for their support; to Henrietta; to Elias; to Rebecca; In addition to the distributive share, the minors were given an additional allowance.

(Note: See footnote below. The original record should be read to give proper meaning to above).

Orphan's Court Record "A", page 65. Elias Benson, was appointed Administrator. Charles Coleman and Gabriel Benson, Bondsmen. Page 67 - Appraisal of the Estate.

Administrator's Record "C", page 180. Vol. 232, page 44, Jones & Gandrud's Alabama Records - Bibb County. Annual Settlement of the Estate, by Elias Benton, Administrator. September 6 1825. Expenses included going to South Carolina to take depositions, attending two courts. Frederick Walker was mentioned. Evidently the expense was paid by JAMES WALKER "To cash per James Walker etc".

A Frederick Walker was a resident of Tuscaloosa County, Alabama, when the 1850 Census was taken. (Page 162 of the Census).

NOTE: Book "A" or the Orphans Court Record of Bibb County is at the State Department of Archives and History, Montgomery, Alabama. The original record should give more details than above. Book "B" of the Orphans Court Record of the County, is at the Courthouse, at Centerville, Alabama.

From: Index to the Census of 1810 - South Carolina.

EATON WALKER. Spartanburg District - No Township listed.

Note: Not found in any other census records checked,

Since James Walker, Frederick Walker and John Walker were participants in the estate proceedings of Eaton Walker, deceased, the question is raised as to whether or not the three persons named were related to the deceased. John Walker, an elder son of James Walker was a bidder at the auction held to dispose of personal property of the deceased. At least, James Walker had a son by that name. Frederick Walker was a resident of Tuscaloosa County, Alabama. We therefore review the Walkers of Tuscaloosa County.

Although the records were not checked closely, a James Walker, Isiah Walker, Robert Walker, and possibly others were in Tuscaloosa County when the 1830 Census was taken.

Frederick Walker was a resident of the City of Tuscaloosa, and James M. Walker, Isiah Walker, Robert B. Walker, M.P. Walker, Greenberry Walker, and Benjamin Walker were residents of Tuscaloosa County, and all were enumerated in the 1840 Census. T. Walker was there.

In the 1850 Census of Tuscaloosa County, the following Walkers are noted:

#30-30 Isiah Walker, age 55, born in N.C.  
Sarah, age 55, same  
Green B., age 37, born in Tenn.  
James M., age 33, same  
Josephus, age 29, born in Ala.  
(Evidently this family entered Alabama in or around 1801).

#128-128.  
Levi Walker, age 25, born in Ala.  
Sarah A., age 19, same  
Manuel B., age 4, same  
Maria A., age 2, same.

#167-167  
James M. Walker, age 33, born in Tenn.  
Milly, age 25, born in S.C.  
Sarah E., age 8, born in Ala.  
Isiah M., age 7 same  
Henry, age 4, same  
Phebart, age 2, female Same.

#390-390.  
Frederick Walker, age 48, born in S.C.  
Sarah H., age 30, born in Kentucky.  
Christiana, age 8, born in Ala.  
Eliza, age 6, same  
Francis, age 4, same  
Julia, age 1, same

#278-278.  
Richard W. Walker, age 43, born in S.C.  
Mary, age 37, same  
Ann, age 18, born in Ala.  
Caroline, age 16, same  
Jane P. age 13, same  
A. age 14, male, same  
Sarah A., age 11, same  
Marym age 4, same  
Wm. B. P. age 8, same



#480-480.

|                         |                  |
|-------------------------|------------------|
| John M. Walker, age 43, | born in Georgia. |
| Elizabeth, age 32,      | same             |
| Francis M., age 14,     | same             |
| John J., age 13,        | same             |
| Mary E., age 10,        | same             |
| Miles W., age 8,        | same             |
| Sarah E., age 6,        | same             |
| Emily, age 5,           | same             |
| Oliver, age 4,          | same             |
| Green H., age 2,        | same             |
| Henry M., age 2 mos.    | same             |

#762-762.

Andrew Walker, age 18, born in Aka.  
(Student at the Univ. of Ala.)

#766-766.

|                           |              |
|---------------------------|--------------|
| Sidney S. Walker, age 47, | born in N.C. |
| Sarah A., age 40          | same         |
| Robert H., age 14,        | born in Ala. |
| Elfreda, age 12,          | same         |

On February 21, 1855, Isiah Walker and wife Sarah conveyed lands to Hardy Clements, for \$111.00, in Section 27, Township 22, Range 8 West. This from Jones & Gandrud's Alabama Records - Tuscaloosa County. Isiah Walker died before 1860.

#165-165.

|                        |                                  |
|------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Elisha Walker, age 42, | born in S.C.                     |
| Rebecca, age 35,       | born in (looks like Ark).        |
| Matilda, age 18,       | born in Ala.                     |
| Martha, age 17,        | born in Miss.                    |
| Edy C., age 14,        | born in Ala.                     |
| Irma, age 10,          | born in Ala.                     |
| Amanda, age 10,        | born in Ala. (Evidently a twin). |
| James T., age 8,       | born in Ala.                     |
| John S., age 6,        | born in Ala.                     |
| Wm. E. age 5,          | born in Ala.                     |
| Archy J., age 2,       | born in Ala.                     |

WALKER:

children by a first marriage. In his last will he made provision for his widow, children and step-child. When the 1840 Census was taken, a Katherine Lolley was residing in the Walker complex, on or near the James Walker Plantation, and adjoining Andrew Walker's family. She was the head of the household and had a teen age son. So, it is likely that one of James Walker's sons died in the early years of his marriage, leaving a widow and small child, and the family took her in after her second husband died. It is likely that either Alexander Walker or Richard Walker married, then died and left the widow and one son surviving.

As to the daughters of James Walker and Sarah Walker, nothing is known, and so far, no records have been found, except in the case of Deidiana Walker. It is a possibility that Ester Walker who married Samuel Billingsly on December 1, 1818, and W. Elizabeth Walker, who married John Garner on August 2nd, 1827, were daughters of our ancestor. In 1820 there was a total white population of Shelby County of 2044 persons, and James Walker was the only Walker head of family there, with children.

There is a possibility that Joseph Walker was the youngest son of James Walker and wife Sarah. Joseph was living in close proximity to the Walker kin in 1840, and probably on the Walker plantation.

*no* There is a suspected blood relationship of our James Walker, with Col. Eaton Walker, a son-in-law of Gabriel Benton, who died in Bibb County, Alabama, in 1825. The home place of this Col. Eaton Walker was not far from Montevallo, Alabama. The deceased, left a widow, Nancy Walker, and children identified as Gabriel Walker, Elias Walker, Henrietta Walker, minors, and Joseph Walker, Alexander Walker and Elizabeth Walker, who married David F. Walton, adults. It was necessary to send someone to South Carolina to take two depositions, and James Walker and Frederick Walker were active in getting the proofs, and James Walker advanced funds for the expenses of the trips. The relationship, if any, of our James Walker to the Col. Eaton Walker group has not been established.

James Walker was active in the affairs of early Shelby County. He was authorized to perform marriage ceremonies. He was one of the early judges of the Orphans Court. He was secretary of the County Court, and kept the records of the Orphans Court, and the County Courts. These records, in his handwriting, are still available for inspection. Apparently he did not use a middle initial in his dealings and signatures. He should not be confused with James Sanders Walker, a native of Coesada, in Autauga County, Alabama, who died in 1825, and who was a speculator in lands during his life time. Peyton Bibb was his Administrator, and wound up his estate over a period of years after 1825. There is a possibility that our James Walker had a middle initial of "A" or "T". In the records of the Archives and History section of Alabama are records, that ~~over~~ that Jesse Wilson was one of the first settlers at Montevallo, in 1814, and that James T. Walker, Edmund King, and Obediah Lovelady arrived soon thereafter. Obediah Lovelady established a Methodist Church there, and Ebenezer Hearn arrived soon thereafter and

November 30, 1977.

Dr. Charley Scott,  
#73, High Forrest,  
Tuscaloosa, Alabama, 35401.



Dear Sir:

1765 ~~1765~~ I am doing some research on the genealogy of James Walker, born in Pennsylvania, who married Sarah \_\_\_\_\_, lived in South Carolina and Georgia, and who moved with his family of seven children and wife, and two married children to the Montevallo area around 1817. He was one of the judges of the Orphans Court there, was authorized to marry people, and held several positions in the early government of Shelby County. He died around 1854 at the Walker farm place around two miles North of present Montevallo. The 1820 Census showed him with seven children at home, one of whom was Andrew (my great-great grandfather); other children were John, an elder son, Demiliana, who married Aaron F. Gamble, a son Alexander who married Catherine \_\_\_\_\_, and had a son named James, and Alexander then died young, and his widow then married Christopher Lolley, who also died in 1832, leaving a will and making provision for his widow and step-son. These children all lived near Montevallo, at the old Walker place until the early 1850s.

Several years ago I had some correspondence with Mrs. Eunice Floyd, who was doing Walker research, and who I surmise was in touch with you. At any rate she mentioned your name, and possible connection with the descent of Col. Eaton Walker, of Bibb County, Alabama. I understand he died in Bibb County around 1825. Mentioned in the court proceedings on his estate, according to my information were John Walker, James Walker and Frederick Walker. I assume that the John and James Walkers were the Shelby County group of my interest. Frederick Walker was in Tuscaloosa County, and was 48 years of age, born in S.C. and shown in the 1850 Census. Also shown in the 1850 Census of Tuscaloosa were Richard W. Walker, age 43, born S.C. I have some indications that James and Sarah Walker of Shelby had sons by those names.

Since these named persons appear to have been closely associated with Col. Eaton Walker, and interested in the outcome of his estate proceedings, for whatever reason, I would appreciate any information you might care to give me on Col. Walker. I have not as yet read the court proceedings in Orphans Court Record A., page 65, now at the Department of Archives & History at Montgomery, nor the data in Administrator's Record C., page 80 at the Courthouse at Centerville. I hope to check these records before long.

From: Index to the Census of 1810 - South Carolina, I find an Eaton Walker shown in Spartanburg District, and numerous James Walkers, none of whom I can identify. Presumably Eaton Walker went on to Georgia, and arrived in Alabama shortly after the Creeks were defeated. I could not find any further census data on him.

At your convenience, I would appreciate a response from you indicating your knowledge of Col. Eaton Walker. Thanking you, I am,

Yours very truly, 



11-21-77

Lickey:

I need the present mailing  
address of Dr Charles Scott.

Several years ago his mailing  
address was P.O. Box 11336  
University, Alabama, 35486

Dr. Charley Scott  
73 High Forrest  
Tuscaloosa, Ala. 35401

CR Holliman  
8212 - 6 Ave So  
Bham, Ala, 35206

Tel. 158-7376

15 May 1972

Dear Mr. Halliman

Much time has passed and so much has happened, including the move from Mississippi that my genealogy has been put aside. Now that I am getting back to it and answering the many letters that have piled up, I want to thank you for information sent me. I have listed names of some correspondants and their needs in case you are interested in contacting them. My Nancy's parents are still unknown to me.

Thank you again for your answer. If ever I find information on your James while doing research on my Pennington and Walkers I will let you hear.

(Mrs.) Eunice Floyd

Dear Walker Researcher

My Walker line - Nancy Walker b 1830/32 Ala. as were her parents d 1886 Miss. m. William P. (Paul?) Sullivan b. 1825 Ala. as were his parents (1870 Census Carroll Co., Miss.) d. ca 1900. Service in CSA. Ch all b. Ala. 1. Robert 1848; D. B. 1850; 3. Mattie m. Sam Morris (ch; Asa, Jack, Bob); 3. Asa; 1856; 4.

William Statham b. 1859 d. 1912 Miss. m. Agnes Bell Wilson, dau. of Greenberry and Jane SMITH Wilson (they b. Miss. husband's gr. parents)  
5. Susannah 1866 (m. Booth Drane & Jim Powell); 6. Bedford; 7. James 1863. Berry and brother Wm. Statham operated ferry across Tallahatchie River near Batesville Miss. at early day.

Have corresponded with the following:

Mrs. S. M. Smith 4728 W 137 Pl., Hawthorne, Calif. 90250

Alexander Fleming Walker, son of CP Walker & Mahaffie (first or last name?) he b. 1844 Miss. m. Talitha Mary Yates prob. in Texas

Mrs. Charlene Walker Fraser, Hoodcourse Acres Mobile Estates, Wemme, Ore. 9767

Robert Lee Walker b. ~~ca~~ Miss. prob. bur. there, m. Mary Hays Sardis/Sledge area, Miss. A son John David b. 1858.

Mrs. Elizabeth Edmonson, 1505 E. Seminole, Springfield, Mo. 65804

gggf Robert Harris Walker b. ca 1820 Ga. m. 1838 Tallapoosa Co., Ala. to Lucinda Kieth b. Putnam Co., Ga. 1838 (note: this is the way it is written EF)

Mrs. A. H. Perry, 4819 Hawthorne Rd, Little Rock, Ark 72207

Priscilla Walker Pardue b. ~~ca~~ ca 1827 N.C. in Scott Co. Ark. Cen. 1880, m. Joseph Pardue b. SC, son of Leroy Pardue, Sumter Co. SC, moved Ala. early 1830's d. Pike Co, left Will there. Priscilla bel dau of Andrew Walker b. ca 1793 NC, she had dau Mariannah m. Jas. M. Williamson, Pike Co. Ala. 1852 -to Union Parish, La. ca 1859.

C.R. Holloman (Atty at Law), 8212 S. 6th Ave., Birmingham, Ala. 35206

James A. Walker b 1765 Pa, to NC, to Ga, to Ala. ca 1813 (he mentions Mrs. Buren Sullivan, 608 Cotton Ave. W.E. B'ham, Ala. has Walker ancestry) or info.

Mr. Harold E. Kemler, 11 Union, Emporia, Kansas 66801

Joshua Walker d. 1857 m. 1808 Elanor Mule d 1863, a dau Marian Mule b 1817, m. Jas. Edw. Williamson. 7 ch. reared Mt. Sterling, Ky.

~~116/11/16/1811/1818/~~

Mrs. C. E. Cranford, 111 Shrect St. Baytown, Texas 72520

Isaac Walker, wife Millie \_\_\_? signs deeds Lawrence Co. Miss. Tax List 1819, bel. to be gf of Isaac Newton Walker m. 1838 Jane Ard, widow of John. supposedly from Va, Pa, NC, Tenn.

Mrs. Jean R. McCracken, Rt 2, Box 206 D, North Bend, Washington 98045

Anna Barbara Walker b. 1847 Surry Co NC m James Moore b. 1824. Has many records of Burry Co. intermarried with Key, York, Moores -some settled eastern Oregon.

Dr. Charley Scott, P.O. Box 1336, University, Ala. 35486

Alexander Walker b. prob. Prince Edward Co. Va. m. Frances Scott, had son Eaton Walker m. Nancy Benson of SC, they had dau Elizabeth m Perry Co. Ala. ca 1825 to David Franklin Walton

Mrs. Donnell Walker Doss, 1351 Mimosa, Abilene, Texas 79603

Elias Walker, Sr b. 1760/62 m. Betsey \_\_\_?, 5 listed ch., 1st b. 1787 Tenn., Washington Co., John S. Mrs. Doss has corresponded with:

Mrs. S. B. Boyer, Box 407 Athens, Tenn.

Wm. Walker Will 1841 Wash. Co., Tenn. wife Susannah

Mrs. Gladys Richey, Rt. 2, Nobhill, Clinton, Illinois 61727

Elias Walker, Jr. b. 1789 Va. d. 1838 bur. near Athens, Tenn., wife Tamar Davis b. 1796, migrated from Wash Co., Tn to Shelby Co., Ill ca 1835, 13 ch.

Jack D. Asyar, 3401 Kumbler, Midland, Texas 79701 has many correspondents & much data - wants more - he has Samuel b. 1797 Tenn. d. 1856 Madison co. Ala. m 1839 Delila Buckner.



November 8, 1977.

Mrs. Leroy Floyd.,  
Route 2, Box 194.,  
Duck Hill, Miss. 38925.

Dear Mrs. Floyd:

I had some correspondence with you concerning the Nancy Walker line in 1968, and I made a notation in my file to look for any record on Eston Walker. It is possible that I may be able to give you some data on this man, at this time, and hence I will appreciate it if you will let me know if you are still interested in the party.

I am interested also in contacting some one descended from either Willis Holliman or John Holliman, early settlers in your area, and would appreciate any information you can give me. These parties were in the 1850 Census of Mississippi, and died and are buried in marked graves in your County. I recently received this information from a party in Arkansas.

Thanking you to let me hear from you, I am,

Yours very truly,

C.R. Holliman

November 12, 1968.

Mrs. LeRoy Floyd.,  
Route 2, Box 194,  
Duck Hill, Miss. 38925.

Dear Mrs. Floyd:

I have your inquiry of November 4th, regarding the Nancy Walker line. My guess is that you have already been in touch with Mrs. Buren Sullivan, 608 Cotton Ave. W.E. Birmingham, Alabama, for you appear to have some data on my Holliman line.

I do not think that the John Walker of County Antrim, Ireland, is my line, although some in the family are inclined to think so. My James Walker was born in Penn. in 1765 according to the 1850 Census of Shelby Co. Ala. He was then 85 years of age. His wife, who apparently died in that County was Sarah, and she predeceased him. He first moved to South Carolina where some of the children were born; thence he moved to Baldwin County, Georgia. On April 11, 1810, he applied to the State of Georgia for a passport for himself, wife, 9 children, 1 son-in-law, Levi Tracy, and 5 slaves, to travel through the Creek Nation. The Passport was granted. The next I had on him was that he was at Montevallo, Alabama, then called "Wilson's Hill", where he helped survey a townsite. This was around 1815. Later in 1819 he was appointed as one of the Judges of the Orphans Court there, and was authorized to perform the rites of matrimony (evidently a J.P.). In 1850 he was living in the home of his son inlaw, Aaron Gamble, with Dau. Demara or Diediama. She married Aaron Gamble there in 10-25-1819. Son, Andrew Walker married Jeanie Gamble there on 2-1-1818. I do not know the names of other children, so at least six children are not identified. I find no further record of James Walker, but believe he died there.

Andrew Walker, born 4-28-1800, married Jeanie Gamble, born 1801 there on 2-12-1821. Their children were: Samuel Taylor Walker, born 11-14-1821, married Elizabeth Johnstone 11-5-1843. She was born 10-18-1821. (2) James Aren Walker, born --/4/1824; ~~Thomas~~ (3). Thomas G. Walker born 10-4-1825 (4). Mary Elizabeth Clark Walker (married Scriviner), born 11-11-1827. (5) Robert Gamble Walker born 12-11-1829. Apparently Andrew died sometime thereafter. Next record is from the 1860 Census showing Jeanie Gamble Walker with 3 teen age children, Harriett, William and Eliza, still living in Shelby Co.

The 1820 census of Shelby Shows: James Walker, 2 males over 21 years, 3 males under 21 years, 2 females over 21, 2 females under 21, no slaves, total 9 persons.

The name "Walker" as you have found out is very difficult to trace. Originally it came out of the McIntosh Clan in Scotland. It was closely related to the Rutherford family. I recommend that you look at "John Walker of Wigton Scotland", a volume which is in the Southern History section of the Birmingham Library.

Dr. Dewitt Walker who practiced medicine at Albany (Decatur) Alabama, was a son of Aaron Walker. This from "History of Ala. and her people" by A.B. Moore, Vol 2, page 235. No doubt there are still descendants of this line in that area.

I will keep your inquiry and if I run into anything on the Eaton Walker line, will let you know. If you find anything further on the James Walker line, I would appreciate the information.

Yours very truly,

C.R. Holliman



October 29, 1968.

Mrs. Leroy Floyd,  
Route 2, Box 194,  
Duck Hill, Mississippi, 38925.

Dear Mrs. Floyd:

I note your inquiry in the September issue of  
The Genealogical Helper, regarding the Walker Family in  
Alabama.

I am descended from James A. Walker, born 1765  
in Pennsylvania, who evidently settled in North Carolina,  
and later moved to Georgia, thence to Alabama around 1813.  
He settled near Montevallo, in Shelby County, Alabama.  
Had nine children, among whom was a son Andrew, who married  
Jeanie Evelyne Gamble. They had several sons, among whom  
was Samuel Taylor Walker, my Great-grandfather.

If this line is of interest to you, I have a  
large number of notes, and will be glad to answer your  
questions. If I can be of assistance, kindly advise.

Yours very truly,

C.R. Holliman.

*John Walker  
& Wyclon Scollins*

Route 2, Box 194  
Duck Hill, Mississippi 38925  
November 4, 1968

Mr. C. R. Holliman  
Attorney At Law  
8212 6th Avenue South  
Birmingham, Alabama 35206

Dear Mr. Holliman:

Your kind offer received and gladly accepted. There is so little I know about our Nancy Walker that anything may help.

*what about  
1880 census?*

Nancy Walker born 1830 (grave marker). Born 1832 according to the 1870 Census of Carroll Co., Miss., married William P. Sullivan, b. 1825, both born in Alabama - same source. Nancy named her first son Robert Walker Sullivan (b. 1848) which leads me to think her father, brother or at least a close relative was named Robert.

Did your James A. Walker marry Mary Pickens Walkup, a widow? And was he son of John Walker of County Antrim, Ireland - came to Pennsylvania ca 1728 - will dated Mecklenburg N. C. 1804 and witnessed by James Crye, John Crye, Hugh WILSON? This John Walker's son, Andrew, Capt. in the Revolution married second Sarah Crye and another son, Thomas married Margaret Crye, daughters of John Crye. John's other children that I have in my notes are: Green, b. 1749, in Rev.; then Andrew m. Esther Gaston, 2nd Sarah Crye; Robert (wish I knew something about him); Thomas, m. Margaret Crye; John; James, who married the widow Walkup; and daughters NANCY (I need this one too); Jane m. James Huey; and Mary.

*you*

Did your Samuel Taylor Walker marry Elizabeth Johnson? I assume this is your family as two daughters married cousins HOLLIMANS. As you see these dates are too late for my Nancy. Do you have brothers and sisters of Samuel Taylor Walker?

*same name*

Note Hugh WILSON witnessed will of John Walker of Ireland. I am interested in Wilsons also. Greenberry Wilson was in Morgan Dist., Burke Co., N. C. in 1790 Census, later in Bledsoe Co., Tenn. Still later a descendant (believe grandson) in Morgan Co., Ala. If you see and Wilson-Walker connections, I am definitely interested. Some descendants later married in same families and I would think they may have settled together or traveled the same route in migrating. I am also interested in Wilson- Pennington connections, business and partnerships.

*History of Walker Co  
By Donchast*

What, if any, connection of the above mentioned Walkers with SAMUEL Walker, native of England, b. in 1790s and m. NANCY Taylor Brackett, cousin to Zachary Taylor?

I shall be most grateful for anything you can tell me about these people that may help me to find Nancy. These wives without the father's first name are almost impossible to locate. Thank you again for writing.

Sincerely Yours,  
*Eunice Floyd (Mrs. Le Roy)*

(see) Stacy

Robt Walker mass Pension app # 678 - N Car. Pensioner 1878-32

Ether Gordon a nurse married Alexander Walker  
Lineage Book DA R. - <sup>not correct</sup> ~~them~~ <sup>Library #76109</sup>

see: News History of Fayette Co. Ala.

From: A Compilation of the original lists of Protestant  
Churchofirms to A.C. 1763-1773 B.

Page 82 - Council Journal Jamie Revill  
Sept 1, 1767

Hugh Wilson, 100 Acres Land near Long Caves  
Abbeville Dist. S.C.

Asa Hecumson, son of Charles  
lived near Dutch Hill, Miss.

*[Faint, mostly illegible text, likely bleed-through from the reverse side of the page. Some legible fragments include:]*  
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APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP TO THE NATIONAL SOCIETY  
OF THE  
DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

State Alabama

City Oxford

Name of Chapter Fort Strother

National Number 182776

(Miss ~~or~~ Mrs.) Willie Walker Smith  
(First name) (Middle or Maiden name) (Last name)

Wife  Widowed  Divorced  Frank Lynwood Smith  
(Husband)

Residence 231 Choccolocco Oxford Alabama  
Number Street City State

DESCENDANT OF  
Alexander Walker

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

Frances M. Coleman (Mrs. 2nd)  
Chapter Regent.

7-8-, 1961  
Annie Anderson Cooper  
Chapter Registrar.

(Mrs.) Annie H. Watson  
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Name Bert M. Whiteside Name Katie C. Masters (Mrs.)

Residence 201 E. 1st St. Oxford Residence 2 S. 2nd St. Oxford

Chapter Fort Strother Chapter Fort Strother

When filled out and properly endorsed, the application must be forwarded to the Treasurer General, N.S.D.A.R., 1776 D St., N.W., Washington 6, D. C., 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 becomes the property of the National Society.

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Ilo Walker Smith being of the age of eighteen upwards, hereby apply for membership in the Society by right of lineal in the following line from Alexander Walker as born in South Carolina on the day of Feb'y, 17 25 died in Spartanburg County, S.C., on the day of Jan. 01, 1808 place of residence during the Revolution was Spartanburg Co., S.C.,

(Please give all dates by numerals, month first, and given names in full)

I am the daughter of

1. Eli Alexander Walker born on 11-16-1865 at Coldwater, Alabama died at Oxford, Alabama on 12-5-1931 and his (first or ) wife Minnie Tommie Morgan born on 8-16-1868 at Oxford, Alabama died at Oxford, Alabama on 3-8-1949 married on 2-16-1888

2. The said Eli Alexander Walker was the child of Edward Alexander Walker born on 1-13-1825 at Munford, Alabama died at Anniston, Alabama on 4-4-1900 and his (first or ) wife Elvira S. Bynum born on 12-7-1842 at Talladega County, Ala died at Oxford, Alabama on 5-24-1906 married on 7-5-1860

3. The said Edward Alexander Walker was the child of James Alexander Walker born on 5-24-1800 at Spartanburg County, S. C. died at Talladega County, Ala. on 8-21-1855 and his (first or ) wife Jane English born on 5-22-1800 at Chester County, S. C. died at Talladega County, Ala. on 5-12-1858 married on 4-17-1823

4. The said James Alexander Walker was the child of Edward Walker born on ca 1760-70 at South Carolina died at South Carolina on 2-9-1803 and his (first or ) wife Lucy Livingston born on ca 1770-75 at Prob. S.C. died at South Carolina on 10-11-1805 married on 6-3-1792

5. The said Edward Walker was the child of Alexander Walker born on 1725-30 at South Carolina died at Spartanburg, S.C., on Jan. or Feb'y. 1808 and his (first or ) wife Frances (Ann) Scott born on ca 1729 at died at Spartanburg, S.C., on 9-24-1816 married on about 1750

6. 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

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10. 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 \_\_\_\_\_

### REFERENCES FOR LINEAGE

Give National Numbers of mother \_\_\_\_\_; grandmother \_\_\_\_\_; or any other close relatives credited with this ancestor 354743, 294921, 433955

Give below Authorities, published or unpublished, covering all names, dates, places and connections between generations in this line from the grandparents through the generation of this Revolutionary ancestor. Send one certified, attested or photostatic copy of each piece of unpublished data. Cite published authorities by title, author, edition, volume and page.

Walker Family Bible, for Paragraphs 1,2,3 and 4.

*Date in Pa*

Will of Alexander Walker, Box 31, Package 8, Probate Office, Spartanburg County, South Carolina.

Genealogy by Benjamin J. Gunn, Census 1850-1860, S.C. South Carolina 1790 Census

Ref: National No. 433955

Certified copy of petition of Eaton Walker, Executor of the Estate of Alexander Walker, to be appointed Guardian of James Alexander and Frederick Walker, children of Edward Walker, Deceased, also notice by the Sheriff.

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

(1) to Frances Ann Scott at South Carolina *South*, 1750

(2) to \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, 1

(3) to \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, 1

### CHILDREN OF REVOLUTIONARY ANCESTOR

(By each marriage, if married more than once)

| Names             | Dates of Birth | To Whom Married, noting if Married more than once |
|-------------------|----------------|---|
| Col. Eaton Walker | 1752<br>1750   | Nancy Benson                                      |
| Joseph "          |                |   |
| John "            |                |   |
| Ann Scott "       |                |   |
| Polly (Patty)     |                |   |
| Edward (Edward)   |                |   |

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## ELIGIBILITY CLAUSE

Any woman is eligible for membership in the National Society of the Daughters of 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 in this paper 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.  
(Note: Resolution adopted by the twenty-fourth Continental Congress:  
Descendants of polygamous marriage are not acceptable as members of this Society.)

## ANCESTOR'S SERVICES

My ancestor's services in assisting in the establishment of American Independence during the War of the Revolution were as follows:

Alexander Walker was a member of the Militia from Spartanburg, S.C., Record appears in Book 1, page 76 of the stub entries to indents issued in payment of claims against S.C., growing out of the Revolution being entry No. 492 which reads as follows:- There was issued the 3rd day of November 1784, to Mr. Alexander Walker for 34 pounds, 2 shillings and 10 pence farthing Sterling for 214 days Militia duty as per account audited principal to 34 . 2 . 10X amount of interest 2 . 7 . 9<sup>w</sup>

The Volume in which the above entry appears is one of a set of the same title edited by A.S.Salley, Jr., Secretary of Historical Commission of S.C., at Columbia, S.C., in 1910.

The said Alexander Walker

is the ancestor who assisted in establishing American Independence, while acting in the capacity of Private

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

Vol. L-N p. 76 - Entry 492 "Stub Entries to Indent for Rev. Claims - S.C."  
Vol. \_\_\_\_\_ p. \_\_\_\_\_

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The following form of acknowledgment is required:

Applicant further says that the said Alexander Walker  
(name of ancestor from whom eligibility is derived) is the ancestor mentioned in

Mr. Holliman,

I believe we may be tracing different Walker families. However, I cannot be sure. I have done no ancestral research since about 1971 to amount to anything. I have enclosed some materials on my family. Some of it may be useful to you in confirming your relation to this Walker family from which I am descended. I have some Bible pages on my Eaton Walker, son of Alexander Walker of Spartanburg, SC. Sorry I cannot help more.

Sincerely

Charley Scott

P.O. Box 1336

University, AL 35886







Abstract of genealogical information

Copied by: Kathryn Luke Hensleigh (Mrs. James A.)  
P. O. Box 45  
Shuqualak, Mississippi 39361

From: Noxubee County, Mississippi  
Chancery File 873 (loose papers)  
Estate of Joseph Walker

3 June 1854 Nuncupative will of Joseph Walker, Noxubee Co., Miss.  
Joseph Walker requested:

- (1) his brother Gabriel Walker of Choctaw County, Ala. to administer on his estate.
- (2) his property to be equally divided among his brothers and sisters and his Mother.
- (3) if the woman's law of this state did not secure to his sister Elizabeth Walton the full right & control of her distributive share, then administrator will cause her share to be secured to her own use & control.

8 August 1854 J. J. Beauchamp petitioned for letters of administration.  
G. B. Walker of Choctaw County, Ala. and  
D. F. Walton and Elizabeth Walton of Noxubee Co., Miss.  
declined administration.

In the petition the following heirs and legatees are named:

*wife of Eaton Walker*

*Mother*  
*children*

- Mother - Nancy Walker
- Alexander Walker
- Children of Elias Walker deceased
- Gabriel Walker, Choctaw Co., Ala.
- Children of Henrietta Moody (deceased sister) who are minors & reside in Choctaw Co., Ala.
- Rebecca Evans & her husband William Evans, of Leon Co., Texas
- Elizabeth Walton & her husband David F. Walton, of Noxubee County, Miss.

} all of Perry Co., Ala.

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Copies to: Charley Scott  
P. O. Box 1336  
University, Ala. 35486

Mrs. Gina Bell Thompson  
1959 Gotham Way, N. E.  
Atlanta, Georgia 30324

(I saw her query in the  
(Miss. Genealogical Exchange  
(winter 1970 issue  
K.L.H.

*Thanks for the census records. I haven't had time to compare them with what I have. It is always good to have a check by another person to see if the census record has been read the same way.*

WALKER FAMILY INFORMATION GLEANED FROM  
NOTES OF MRS. HELEN FLOYD by Charley Scott  
23 May 1970

Eaton Walker spoken of as Colonel though no proof of military service established. Some say he was aide-de-camp to George Washington; others say Indian fighter; others associate him with Andrew Jackson. His children

1. Joseph b. 14 Dec. 1801 (murdered at age 29)
2. Alexander b. 22 February 1805
3. Elizabeth b. 21 May 1807
4. Gabriel Benson b. 10 March 1810
5. Henrietta b. 12 Oct 1812. m. Martin Moody in Perry Co. Ark
6. Elias Benson b. 27 March 1815
7. Rebecca b. 10 November 1818 (probably m. Green Evans and went to Texas)

William Benson served in Revolutionary War from SC; adjutant for Spartan Regiment under Col. Benjamin Roebuck. Several references refer to him as Captain.

Frances Scott Walker memorialized by formation of Frances Scott Walker Chapter NSDAR in 1946 in Hugo, Oklahoma. A portrait of her exists and was in possession of Mrs. R. H. Stanley in 1950s. She was 8<sup>th</sup> child of Alexander and Frances Scott Walker; born Spartanburg, SC 1764; died 27 August 1844 at Oxford, Lafayette Co., Miss. where she is buried; supposed to have been present at the inauguration ball of George Washington as President on 30 April 1789. (Note by C. Scott: There may be a list of guests at this Ball.)

C. Scott Notes 23 May 1970 Page 2

Alexander Walker gave Eaton Walker, his son, his ranch on Fairforest Creek in Spartanburg County. Description mentions William Foster; Alexander's son, John Walker; Gideon Slay; Jacob Utly; David Tanner. Date of this deed not noted, but reference is made to settlement of Alexander's estate in 1816 in letter accompanying the deed information. Letter mentioned that no record of Eaton's estate ~~was~~ was found (letter from Probate Judge dated 1947). (Note by C. Scott: one wonders what happened to Eaton's estate when Nancy and the family went to Alabama.)

Alexander Walker: born 1725-1730; died January or February 1806; will dated 6 August 1799 - Box 31, pkg 8 in Spartanburg County, SC - probated 4 February 1806; thought to be buried adjacent to Foster's Chapel west of Spartanburg; married Frances Scott (some say Eaton - see some later notes: C. Scott); deed to Alexander for 300 acres in 1773 on Fairforest Creek; he supposedly attended Inaugural Ball of G. Washington; children: Eaton, Joseph, John, Ann Scott, Martha, Edmund, Frederick, Frances (b. 1764), and Sarah. Frances Scott Walker b. 1730; died 24 September 1816; probably buried with Alexander.

Frances Scott Walker (b. 1764) mtd. Bernard W. Swinney (killed in War of 1812 near Memphis, TN.). A daughter Frances Scott Swinney married Richard L. Stephens (both buried Oxford, MS); she born 14 Jan 1803 at Spartanburg, SC; died Jan. 4, 1879.

C. Scott Notes May 23, 1970 Page 3

Alexander Walker apparently made no claim for Revolutionary War Service; there are records of payment for service; entry 492, Book L, page 76 of "Stub Entries to Indents issued in payment of claims against SC growing out of the Revolution" for example - the stubs being at the Historical Commission of SC at Columbia.

Gabriel Benson (son of William Henry Benson) born Fauquier Co., VA 1771; moved to Spartanburg Co., SC as small boy, followed father as sheriff 1801-1815, moved to Cahaba, Perry Co., AL in 1819, with brothers. Became county judge, member of legislature various times ~~1819-1822~~ until death 1838. Represented Bibb County 1829. Adm. of father's estate and guardian for Robert, Thirza, and Nimrod Earle Benson. Nimrod was outstanding developer of Montgomery, AL. He and other members of family were buried in Oakwood Cemetery.

William Benson married Eleanor Key. Children: Willis, Gabriel (above), Abner, Nancy (md. Eaton Walker), James Key, Rebecca, Robert (called Elias), Thirza, Elizabeth (called Eliza); Patience, Mary (called Polly), Nimrod Earle. Eleanor Key Benson was called Kelly. Rebecca md. Ignatius Stokes and had William Benson, Malinda, Eleanor Key, Elizabeth Ann. William Benson is Revolutionary War ancestor. William Benson died in Charleston, SC, in 1796, buried in unmarked grave at Fort Prince. Record of administration of estate at Spartanburg SC.

NC and SC state lines were not fixed until 1815; some early records of what is now SC appear at Raleigh, NC.

Elizabeth Lavinia Cofield is DAR 236403 on William Benson. J. A. Crawford is SAR 44529.



William Henry Benson born about 1745 and Eleanor Key about 1770. Issue Willis (b. 1771), Gabriel (b. 1773), Abner (b. 1776), Nancy (b. 1778), James Key (b. 1780), Rebecca (b. 1782), Robert (b. 1784), Thyrza (b. 1786), Elizabeth (b. 1788), Patience (b. 1790), Mary (b. 1792), Nimrod Earle (b. 10 May 1794, d. 28 Sept 1854), possibly Elias B. (dates are estimates). Wm. - soldier in Revolution (listed in DAR Patriot Index - C. Scott) - Certificates of payment in SC records, also NC records, also VA records.

~~Eaton~~ Robert Benson - brother of William D. Benson. Private

Deed in SC 1811 for 44 acre sale of estate of Wm Benson lists heirs:

|                              |                                |
|------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Ignatius Stokes (Rebecca)    | Gabriel Benson                 |
| John Stokes, <del>John</del> | Willis Benson                  |
| Eaton Walker (Nancy)         | James K Benson                 |
| James Foster                 | Abner Benson                   |
| Jeremiah Gregory             | <del>Eaton</del> Robert Benson |
| Moses Foster (Mary)          | Elias Benson                   |
|                              | Nimrod Benson                  |

(Names in parentheses are wives' names).

Elias Benson was Dr. Elias B. Benson. Robert Benson died 1813 with will in Spartanburg Co.

C. SCOTT

Conversation with Mrs. H.S. Floyd May 1970

She thinks Frances Scott is correct wife of Alexander Walker though there has been a confusion.

Alexander Walker had lots of property.

She has found no war record for Eaton Walker though he was called Col.

Eaton was adm. of his father's and his mother's estate. Completion of her estate not there.

Eaton Walker was influential man of area.

Nothing in book on Waltons other than Elizabeth md. a Walton.

One girl of Eaton md Moody. Mrs Floyd's ancestor was guardian of Moody children.

Claudia Walker offered her work for sale and Mrs. Williams was only one who bought a copy. (Note by C.S.: I later sent Mrs. Floyd notes that I have. She feels that most of what I have is in the book but not all. She found a letter in 1950s which indicated Miss Walker may have later published another write up. Mrs. Williams and Mrs. Floyd did not get this.) Miss Walker got most from her father. Book a disappointment because of so little in early days.

Walkers were in Pickens County, AL some.  
Mrs. Floyd's father was born in Pickens  
County.

Walkers were in Greene County, AL some.  
Mrs. Williams and Mrs. Floyd added to book  
for their family.

Elizabeth and Elias not in book.

Claudia Walker's father moved to CA early and  
had 2 children.

Mrs. Floyd always heard that the Walker family  
came from England to Charleston, SC and went  
to Spartanburg.

Aunt Hannah was Nancy Benson Walker's maid.  
Nimrod Earle Benson moved to Montgomery;  
Nancy followed after Eaton's death. His wife  
returned to Virginia after his death. He  
was Nancy's young brother. He was prominent  
in early Montgomery history. Much history will  
exist on him in the archives of Montgomery.  
Old Walker place near Butler, AL.

NOTES CALLED TO ATTENTION OF C. SCOTT IN 1968  
AT TIME THEY HAD NO MEANING. 12 JUNE 1970

ALEXANDER WALKER md. FRANCES SCOTT 27 DEC 1757  
IN AMELIA Co., VA.

JUDITH TOWNES WAS MOTHER OF ALEXANDER WALKER

EDMOND WALKER WAS FATHER OF ALEXANDER WALKER

JOSEPH SCOTT (d. 1749) AND SARAH MAYO PARENTS OF FRANCES.

They md. 1734; she remarried 1750 to ROBERT JONES  
OF AMELIA Co., VA; JONES died 1770.

ISSUE OF JOSEPH & SARAH SCOTT: JOHN (b. 1735, md. 1759 -  
SARAH SCOTT, d. 1772); WILLIAM (b. 1737); FRANCES (b. 1738,  
md. ALEXANDER WALKER); SARAH (b. 1740, md. 1759 ISHAM  
CLEMENT, d. 1832); ANN (b. 1742); JUDITH (b. 1744, md.  
1764 WILLIAM BRANCH).

AMELIA Co. VA will book 2 page 24 RELATES TO THESE  
FACTS IN SOME WAY.

THESE FACTS COULD PROBABLY BE CHECKED IN  
AMELIA COUNTY VA RECORDS AS WELL AS PUBLICATIONS  
ON THE AREA.



Cousin Helen -- I am sure you have all I have on Eaton. The reason you didn't on Alexander was because I have added to what I originally had from other sources.

The story on Col. Eaton is that he was an aide-de-camp to Gen'l Washington. But I can't confirm that. Then it is said he was an Indian fighter. That he fought with Andrew Jackson.

Something might be available from other lines.

He had children

- 1 - Joseph born Dec. 14, 1801 (murdered when 29)
- 2 - Alexander (my grandfather) born Feb 22 1805
- 3 - Elizabeth (born May 21 1807)
- 4 - Gabriel Benson (your grandfather) born March 10 1810
- 5 - Henrietta born Oct. 12, 1812
- 6 - Elias Benson (born March 27, 1815)
- 7 - Rebecca (born Nov. 10, 1818)

On William Henry Benson. He gave service during the Revolutionary War. His name appears on a list of men who fought under Marion Sumters and Pickers, in the Revolutionary War from S. C. "William Benson duty done as private in militia after fall of Charleston." The records show that he served as Adjutant for the Spartan Regiment under the command of Col. Benj. Roebuck. W. B. Benson in two different histories of Louisiana referred to his grandfather as "Captain William Benson". He says in one of the records that Captain Benson was in the Battle of Compens. The following quotation is taken from the life of General Greene by Simms, on page 217: "The pickett guards under Morgan and Benson behaved with great courage and coolness." It is believed that this record refers to Captain Benson.

Also Wade Hampton in his letter of 24 July 1796 announcing the death of William Benson calls him Captain Benson.

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As to clues on other Eaton Walker family --

Joseph (1) is out

Alexander (2) all known in my family line is what I have

Elizabeth (3) had only one child, Rachel Walton, who d. unm.

Henrietta (5) married Martin Moody, and lived in Perry Co., Ala.

Many of her family resided in Choctaw Co., Ala, but I doubt if they would know more than we do.

This is I guess is Helen Bruister's line. Yes it is

Elias (6) this line has no data.

Rebecca (7) might- her line might - but I know nothing of them. She wrote to Nancy Walker (my grandmother) but this correspondence ceased at her death in 1873. She had three or four children. She may have married Crun Evans-bro. of Amelia Ann Evans. He married three times. After her marriage she lived in Texas someplace.

The portrait of Frances Scott Walker adorns the home of Mrs. R.H. Stanley, who is a direct descendant. She found it among her grandmother's effects.

On May 4, 1946, Frances Scott Walker was memorialized by Mrs. Stanley by the organization of Frances Scott Walker Chapter National Society Daughters of the American Revolution, with 20 members most of whom were her descendants. The Chapter was announced at the Board Meeting in May at Atlantic City and confirmed May 18, 1946, at the 55th Congress. The organization meeting was held May 4, 1946, at "Honeysuckle Hill", 1020 East Duke Street, Hugo, Oklahoma, the home of Mrs. Stanley, who became the first Regent.

In the file of Frances Scott Walker, are the Letters of Administration and Administrator's Bond. There is no Decree of Distribution, no heirs named.

Frances Walker, 8th child of Alexander and Frances Scott Walker.

She was born in Spartanburg Co., S. C. in 1764.

(note by C. Walker - If this be so, then Alexander Walker settled in Fairforest Creek area before 1773)

She died August 27, 1844, aged 80, at Oxford, Lafayette Co., Miss., where she is buried.

An old genealogy by Benjamin Gunn, which is in the possession of Mrs. Rufus Herbert Stanley (nee Isabel Amanda Howe) of Hugo, Oklahoma, who is a direct descendant of Frances Walker, says:

"Miss Frances Walker's mother was a Miss Scott. This book also relates that Frances Walker was present at the Inauguration of George Washington as President on April 30, 1789."

-- Cousin Helen, I wonder if there is a list of guests at the Inaugural Ball.

(On Printed Form)



American Legion Auxiliary  
SPARTANBURG UNIT NO. 28  
SPARTANBURG, S. C.



*Eaton*

Citation on the Estate of Frances Walker dead  
to Cal. E. Walker

State of South Carolina  
Spartanburg District

By Wm Lancaster ----- Esq. Ordinary of said District

Whereas - Cal Eaton Walker hath applied to me for Letters of Administration on all and singular the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Frances Walker late of the district aforesaid deceased

These are therefore to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said deceased to be and appear before me at ~~my~~ my next Ordinary's Court for the said district, to be holden at Spartanburg Court House on 15<sup>th</sup> day of October, next, to show cause if any, why the said administration should not be granted

Given under my hand and seal this 24<sup>th</sup> day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixteen, and in the forty first year of American Independence -

Signed

Wm Lancaster

O. J. D.

Born ~~9-17~~ 1730  
died 9-24 - 1816

Fairforest Creek  
Buried near Foster's Chapel

Eaton or alka  
married Nancy  
Benson



Richard & Sarah Benson  
P.O. Box 1000  
Baltimore, MD, VA.

Wm & Eleanor Keef

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Colonel Eaton Walker property - old Alexander Walker ranch.

copied from will of Alexander Walker.

I give unto my son Eaton Walker the plantation or tract of land where I now reside (that isto say) Beginning about ten yards below a Spring on William Foster's line the south side of Fairforest Creek, thence a straight line to a high bank near the said creek, below where my son John Walker now resides, thence a straight line at the upper corner of the old field joining land belonging to my son John Walker, thence along his line to the said creek, thence along Gideon Slays line to a corner on White Oak, thence along Jacob Utly's line to David Tanners corner, thence along the said TannersLine to William Fosters mag. corner, thence along the said Foster line to the beginning, including the plantation whereon I nowreside and also one negro boy named Simon and all my carpenter tools one feather bed and furniture two cows and calves and one shot gun to him and hisheirs .....

letter from Probate Court of Spartanburg Co.  
J. Wm. Davenport, Judge  
Spartanburg, S. C.

March 6, 1947. •

Dear Miss Walker.

Please be advised we have checked our records and failed to find any record of the Estate of Eaton Walker.

We also checked the record of Alexander Walker. The date of settlement or distribution of that estate was in 1816. The month or date was not given.

Yours very truly,

J. Wm. Davenport, Judge, Probate Court.

I'd like to know who took over the property and how when Eaton Walker. Died. Nancy his widow went to Alabama about 1818 which is I believe the year Eaton was drowned. Funny, there was no estate. Nancy must have gotten money though for her brother bought for her a plantation in Alabama.

Notes:

Spartanburg derives its name from the Spartan Regiment, a body of South Carolina militia which was formed in this area in 1776 and served with distinction throughout the Revolution.

Its most noteworthy engagement was at Cowpens January 17, 1781, in what was one of the decisive battles of the war.

Spartanburg County created out of old 96 district in 1785 but there were settlements in its area as early as 1761, some of them cultured and thriving from their beginnings. Early settlers arrived overland from Pennsylvania and Virginia and overseas through Charleston from Scotland and Ireland. They raised cattle and grain. Cotton followed, Preeminence in this line caused the section to be known as the old iron district.

South Carolina's first iron works were erected in 1773 within five miles of Spartanburg.

In 1881 a monument erected to General Daniel Morgan, Commander Cowpens, Camp Wadsworth.

Cousin Helen:

The following may or may not be a clue. I have not followed up.

I am not too sure about the South Carolina origin. Aunt Hannah I have heard from others came from Virginia. And the immigration to Fairforest Creek came from the Virginia settlers. So the clue may mean something. William Henry Benson, I believe, married Eleanor Key, in Maryland. So the Walkers may have come from a Maryland family. So far as I know the Walkers and Bensons settled on Fairforest Creek at the same time.

"Isaac Walker went to Maryland by way of France because a price was on his head as adherent of the Stuarts. He settled in Prince George County, place called Toaping Castle" at headwaters of Bear Creek not far from Washington, D. C. named for family castle in Scotland. Grant in Md by Lord Baltimore."

Maryland Historical Society, 201 West Monument St., Baltimore 1.  
Dec. 12, 1945.

Dear Miss Walker.

In reply to your letter inquiring for information about the Walkers of Toaping Castle Md. we have in our library a pamphlet of 24 pages with that title. It gives a history of the Walker family, beginning with their background in the British Isles. This pamphlet was written by Samuel H. Walker in 1883. It was presented to the Md. Hist. Society in 1906. I am sure it would be impossible to secure one, but we could have a photostate (negatives only) copy made for you, price would be:

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|-----------------|---------------|
| 14 pages at 30¢ | \$4.20        |
| service chg     | 1.00          |
| Total cost      | <u>\$5.20</u> |

Any member of the Walker Family would I feel sure, be glad to own a copy of this pamphlet. A genealogist would not do one bit of research for you without a down payment of much more than the cost of the pamphlet.

Let us know if you would like us to have the copy made and we will be glad to have it done for you.

Sincerely yours.

Miss Florence J. Kennedy  
Assistant Librarian

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And yet my father always insisted they came from Lancashire. ???



#### ALEXANDER WALKER

He was born about 1725/1730, probably in the State of South Carolina. He was known as "Alex Walker".

He died in January or February 1806, aged about 76 years, following a prolonged illness. His will dated August 6, 1799, is on file in Box 31, Pkg. 8 - it was probated on February 4, 1806. His son, Eaton Walker, was Executor of his will. Alexander Walker is probably buried in an old burying ground adjacent to Foster's Chapel, located six or seven miles west of Spartanburg, South Carolina.

He married Frances Scott about 1750, probably in South Carolina. At their marriage, they received a bridal gift from the parents of Frances Scott, two candle sticks worth \$1,000 a piece, really being a gift of two slaves who held the candles during the wedding ceremony.

They settled on leased land on Fairforest Creek (later distributed under his will) in Spartanburg County, South Carolina, about 1773. There is a deed to him for 300 acres of land. Alexander Walker was a planter.

Alexander Walker and Frances Walker attended the inauguration of George Washington as First President of the United States. They were present at the Inaugural Ball.

Nine children were born to them:

- 1 - Eaton (b. about 1752)
- 2 - Joseph
- 3 - John
- 4 - Ann Scott
- 5 - Martha
- 6 - Edmund
- 7 - Frederick
- 8 - Frances (b. 1764)
- 9 - Sarah

#### FRANCES SCOTT

She was born about 1730, probably in South Carolina.

She died on September 24, 1816, in Spartanburg County, South Carolina. Eaton Walker administered her estate, the record of which is on file in Box 31, Pkg. 12 in the office of the Probate Judge in Spartanburg County. She is probably buried in an old burying ground adjacent to Foster's Chapel in Spartanburg County beside her husband.

#### THE ANCESTRY OF ALEXANDER WALKER

The name of his father is not known to us, although according to family tradition he was a South Carolinian by birth.

It has been difficult to trace the exact connections of the Walker Family due to the fact that there were two families living at Spartanburg in the early period which, so far as they themselves knew, were unrelated.

According to family tradition, as passed along to me through my father, Joseph Elias Walker, and as told to him by his father, Alexander Walker, and by his grandmother's old servant whom he called Aunt Hannah, Alexander Walker was related to the Walkers of Charleston, South Carolina. It is said that the immigrant ancestor landed at Charleston in the very early days - probably about 1690 - 1700 - that he came from Lancashire, England, where the family owned cotton mills, and that he was a man of considerable property.

TELEPHONES  
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*Mrs. R. H. Stanley*  
*Lawyer*  
*212 West Jackson Street*  
*Hugo, Oklahoma*

January, 21, 1953

Mrs. Helen S. Floyd,  
406 Tenth Avenue,  
Harrisburg, Mississippi.

Dear Mrs. Floyd.

I received your letter so long ago, I am almost ashamed to answer. Fact is I had nothing on Frances Scott Walker, as Frances Scott Walker's mother I have never tried to trace. Ofcourse you have the line of Walker's, Alexander, as your Eaton and my Frances were brothers and sister. If I ever do get snything I'll remember you and send it on to you, and I would appreciate you doing the same.

Yes I organized a Chapter at Hugo. And when I was State Organizing Secretary for Oklahoma DAR I organized another chapter at Holdenville, Oklahoma. Our Chapter at Hugo has some advertising in the January DAR Magazine this 1953.

I want to go to Spartanburg SC so badly, and am planning on stopping there either going or returning from Contitnetial Congress this year. I am now State 2Vice Regent of Oklahoma, and State Chairman of Building completion Fund, so want to go and among other things be in the processional with the other 47 State Chairman. Have you ever been to the Congress? So inspiring. I have copies of the wills of Alex and Frances, but would love to read the originals. I know it was a precious moment in your life when you read them.

Frances Scott Walker, daughter of Frances and Alex married a Swinney, (Bernard W, who was killed in war 1812 near Memphis), and their daughter Frances Scott Swinney married Richard L. Stephens. She was born # Jan. 14, 1803. at Spartanburg SC. died 1-4- 1879 at Oxford, Miss. and is buried there. So is Richard L Stephens. (Bernard W Swinney was born on "Ocean") And Sarah Isabel Stephens, their granddaughter, married Daniel Alexander McEachin. She was born in Oxford, Miss. 8-31-1842. died 1888 10-24-1920, Harrison, Ar. Her daughter, Lula Scott McEachin, was born 1-15-1868, "Sweet Home" near Abeyville, Miss. died at "Spicewood", Hugo, Oklahoma, 11-1-1935. she was married to Clarence Herndon Howe, in 1884. I am her daughter; Isabel Amanda Howe, born 10-2-1886, married R.H. Stanley 10-16-1907 at "Spicewood", Hugo, Indian Territory. I still live in Hugo, at "Honeysuckle Hill", where I have lived 45 years, never moved, my husband built this home for us. I lost him in May, 1946. We had one child, Wayne Virginia Stanley, 1908, married W.B. Fellows, 1930, Lives in Hugo. Is Supervisor of Music in Schools.

of Corpus Christi, Texas

She has four children; Helen Isabel Fellows, now Mrs. H.B. Hill, Marilyn, born 6-16-1933, now Mrs. Ronald Holton, of Durant, Okla. Beverly Wayne, 4-28-1931, and Linda Lou, 2-9-1933.

By the way, I have an old autograph of my Grand-mothers' Sarah Isabel Stephens, in which there are rhymes and notes, and there is a cousin by name of Walker, and one of Benson, I guess they are in your line. And so we are distant cousins, I call Claudia, Cousin Claudia, altho we have never met. I intended to see her last September when the American Bar Assn. met in San Francisco, but my grand-daughter Marilyn was getting married, and I didn't go with the other Lawyers.

I have heard Cousin Fannie Mayfield (Water Valley, Miss.) speak of Hattiesburg, during her lifetime. And perhaps you do know some of my relatives, the Stephens of Oxford. If so and you have an opportunity I would love to hear all about them. The younger ones I would not know. Cousin Bell Stephens, is married of course and lives in Memphis. Cousin Scott Stephens lives in Paris, Tennessee. I think Cousin Louis, died at Oxford. And all of the older generation are buried at Oxford. Are you close enough to go over there? Are you a DAR? Does Mississippi have films of the state of Census and old cemetery records? Wish we could get together. When you went to Spartanburg did you go out to the Foster Cemetery? I think Frances Scott Walker must be buried there, it is near Spartanburg? I want to go there.

Had I not chosen to be a Lawyer, I think I should have been a genealogist. I like to research and then put the pieces of information together, like a jig saw puzzle (Yes I like them too) Do write me again, and please pardon the delay, I do have good excuses. As I often say, now that I am older, I practice law on the side, besides I am a "joiner" and interested in civic affairs.

With best wishes I am,

Sincerely,

*Isabel Louise Stanley*  
(Cousin Isabel)

Mrs. R. H. Stanley,  
Honeysuckle Hill  
Hugo, Oklahoma.



Revolutionary War Service of Alexander Walker

He was a member of the Militia from Spartanburg County, South Carolina.

The only record we have of his service in the Revolution is an item appearing in Book L, Page 76 of "Stub Entries to Indents issued in payment of Claims against South Carolina growing out of the Revolution", being Entry No. 492 which reads as follows:

"There was issued the 3rd day of November 1784 to Mr. Alexander Walker for Thirty-four Pounds two Shillings and Ten Pence farthing Sterling for 214 Days Militia Duty as praccount audited - principal £ 34.2.10 $\frac{1}{4}$ . Amount Interest £2.7-9-"

The volume in which this entry appears is one of a set of the same title edited by A. S. Salley, Jr., Secretary of the Historical Commission of South Carolina at Columbia, S. C., in 1910.

According to the official records of the War Department and the Veterans Administration in Washington, D. C., there are no claims for pension or bounty land on file based upon the military service of Alexander Walker in the Revolutionary War. From this, it would appear that he did not make a claim for payment in that form, accepting only the daily pay allotted to each one who participated.

On file in Historical Commission, Columbia, S. C.:

"Received the 3rd November 1784, full payment for Indent No. 492 Book L 34-2-10 St. farthing. Alexr Walker"

"State of So. Carolina Dr. to Alexr Walker, Lieut To 40 days service done under Col. Edward Lacy, as a Lieut of horse DL 2-5 per day is 90.

"Commencing the 22nd day of April 1787 and ending the 31st day of May 1787 both day included.

"Sworn before me this 23rd day of May 1787. Edw. Dleek, J. P.

"This is to certify that the above service was done under us - certified this 14th day of Feb. 1787.

John Steel, Capt.

Edward Lacy, Col."

"494Z to April 88, Alexr Walker for 40 days duty as Lieut in Col. Edward Lacy's Regiment S 45 per day. Com'y L. 90 Stg L 12-17-1 $\frac{1}{2}$  Twelve pounds Seventeen Shillings and one penney half penny stg."

When the above duty was performed "This person has an account in No. 72 for duty 214 days - 1788 amt. to stg L 34-2-10 $\frac{1}{4}$  Paper. Col. E. D. Dove."

Received 28 March 1789 full satisfaction for this Acct. in an Indent No. 494 Book Z.

Alexr. Walker"

State of South Carolina Dr. to Lieutenant Alexr Walker, Lieut in  
Captain John Steel Company, belonging to Col. Edward Lacy's Regiment  
of All duty done.

To 29 day under Capt. John McClure ashorseman at 1 £ per day -  
£ 1 st.

To 60 days as a horseman @ 2/5 per day 94. 239 - £ 34-2-10 $\frac{1}{4}$  ster'g £  
239 Total 239

Alexr Walker  
No 1012 Lt. Alexr Walker"

These records were verified by Mr. Salley - Mrs. Stanley sent copy of  
signature of Alexander Walkercopied from his original will in  
Spartanburg, S. C.

The Census of 1790 taken in Spartanburgh Co., S. C., lists Alexander  
Walker as householder with 1 male, 2 males under 16, 3 females, 2  
slaves.

Abi Walker

Son of William and Sarah Lambert Walker of N. S. C. & Uglethorpe Co. Ga. Abil born 12-23-1797 - female. Married Fambrough W81.p11

Abigail Walker

Abigail Richmond. B. R. I. 1679 d. 1763. Mar. Nathan Walker, see Wm. W75

Abigail Rogers. b. 1641. d. 1727. Res. Mass. M. John Brooks b. 1675, they were parents of Bathsheba Brooks Walker. (W75 wm)

Albert Walker

Albert Watkins Walker Eaton

Abraham Walker

Named in will of his father, Thomas Walker 1797, page 64. page 66 I don't see.

Sec. to Benj. Sykes. Dec'd also Reuben Walker, sec 1816 page 125.

A distributee of will of Reuben Walker, Dec'd 1825, p 132 All this and above, Richmond Co. Ga.

Agnes Walker

Agnes Kellow m. Wm. Scott, 602601805, Richmond County, Ga, page 187. John Wilson, Gr.

Agnes Richardson m Gregory Walker in England before 1615.

Alexander Walker

Walker W80-" - I. A. G by Claudia Walker, April 10, 1942, San Francisco, Cal.

Outline of "Walker Family History". He was b. about 1725-30. prob. in S. C. Died Jan or Feb 1806, Age 76 yrs. His will is on file in Box 31, pgg. 8 Pro. 2-4-1806. Son Eaton Walker, Exor. of his will. ~~XXXXX~~ prob. buried in an old burying ground adjacent to Foster's Chapel. 6 Or 7 miles west of Spartanburg. S. C. M. about 1850, Frances Eaton prob. in S. C. They settled on Fairforest creek in Spartanburg C. S. C. about 1773.

Frances was born about 1730. died 9-24-1816 in Spartanburg Co. Son Eaton administered her estate, the record of which is on file in Box 31, Pkg. 12 in Probate Judge's Office S. C.

Candace Walker

Born 6-16-1840. See Anne (Wm. w81)

Cornelia Walker

M. John ~~XXXX~~ Sturges Beers. Alexander Cunningham, sec. (Cornelia R.T.) Richmond Co. Ga. -. 143.30401818

Named as grandchild of Bridget Cooper, whose will was pbo. Richmond Co. Ga. Page 30, in 1813. Said she was dau. of Robert and Ann Walker.

Heir to James Walker dec'd 1824. Richmond Co. Ga. 132. Named with Margaret, Wm. & Joshua Walker as minors of James Walker, dec'd Richmond Co. Ga. p320 1816.

Cynthia Walker

Cynthia Harrell m. Elisha Walker, Greene Co. Ga. 2-23-1826.

Daniel Walker

Daniel. Sr. of Walton Co. Ga. address. Rays. drew land in Ga. in 1827, l. l. Muscogee Co. p. 4.

Daniel. Upson Co. Ga. address, Coopers, drew land in ~~XXXXXX~~ Troup Co. p. 13.

Daniel of Richmond Co. Address, Wilcox, drew land in Muscogee Co. Ga. - 45.

Walkers W81. I. A. G. page 12.

Daniel Walker, Sr. W4613. Ga. Service., his widow Hannah Walker applied 1832 Richmond Co. Ga. age 69, states he was born Augusta Ga. 1764, was living in Richmond Co, Now Columbia, Co. when enlisting here he resided sometime after the war, then removed to S. C. then to Richmond Co. Ga. Nov. He volunteered. Widow was age 77 in 1845. Richmond Co. Ga. Nov. He d. 3-13-1839. Mar. Rec'd from Newberry Dist. S. C. Daniel Walker & Hannah Richardson m. prior to 1794, July 10 or 12, which certification was made by Meriam Livingston who states she was present & knew they were married 1791.

David Walker

M. Elizabeth Harvey 6-30-1788. Ashel & John Gardner. Test. Richmond Co. Ga. p. 193.

Appraiser of Est. of James Zachry. dec'd 1790. Richmond Co. Ga. p. 21. Index also gives pp 17& op that I can't find. Gave land with others for a church above p. 240. also p. 290. Can't find. also p. 292.

Bought land(100 A.) in Richmond Co. Ga. in 1777 from Isaac Lowe. p 308.

Will in Will Book 1814-1850. Morgan Co. Ga.

David J. of Pulaski Co. drew land 1827 Land Lottery, P. 163

David of Putnam, address, Vining, Muscogge P. 169

" " " Lee. - 24.  
Born 5-1-1798, sond of George and Betsey, see Bible Rec.  
Born 1765, see his father Joel's Bible Rec.

In Wilkes Co. Ga. 1791 Tax List.  
Mar. Sarah A. Simpson, Irwin Co. Ga. 6-6-1867.  
Mar. Rebecca Miles, Columbia Co. Ga. 1806.  
Son of James & Margaret Simmons Walker  
Sond of Joseph, Sr. whose will as pro. Wilkes Co. Ga. 1828.  
Deborah Walker

Res. Taunton, Mass. M. George Goodwih, Res. Somerset  
Entlandm. 1686.

Delona Walker

Delona Eldridge m. Joseph Walker in Irwin Co. Ga. 7-21-1889  
p. 566

Dorothy Walker

Dau. of John(George-Gregory) and Susannah Walker. D. Bap.  
Sept. 12, 1642. b. and m. in England. M. Capt. Roger Jones.  
both buried Staphey, Mansfield Co. of Notts Endland. They  
came to America but returned to Endland. Ch. Dorothy,  
Frederick, Lucius and Gregory. The Jones liame is  
here if wanted. McCall Tidwell Recds.

Eaton Walker

W80a. I. A. Ga ~~son~~ Son of Alexander & Frances Eaton  
Walker. See their chart for details. Eaton b. about 1752  
pbob. in S. C. d. 1818. He & his horse were drowned in  
crossing a river in S. C. while on his way home from an  
expedition Against the Indians. He was about 66 years  
old at time of his death. M. Nancy Benson in 1800 in  
Spartanburg Co. S. C. ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ She was born in 1789  
in Spartanburg Co. S. C. died in Perry Co. Ala. about  
1865, aged 85 years. She was buried at the old Evans  
place in Perry Co. Ala. There is no marker on her grave.  
Seven childred were born to them:

- 1. Joseph born 12-14-1801
- 2. Alexander " 2 2-22-1805
- 3. Elizabeth " 5-21-1807
- 4. Gabriel Benson " 3-10-1810
- 5. Henrietta " 10-12-1812
- 6. Elias Benson " 3-27-1815
- 7. Rebecca " 11-10-1818.

Index to names in this Walker Gen. Given in this book(This  
record only gives Eaton above and his father Alexanders  
gen.)

Their Children:

- 1. Eaton (Born about 1752)
- 2. Joseph
- 3, John
- 4. Ann Scott
- 5. Martha (Called Patty)
- 6, Edmund.
- 7. Frederick
- 8. Frances
- 9. Sarah.

Note: See Eaton Walker given in this same book.  
This paper states that there are two copies of this Walker  
hstory. One owned by Miss Claudia Walker, 1655 Octavia,  
San Francisco, Cal. and the other by Mrs. Howard S. William  
401 15th Ave. Hattiesburg, Miss. Atthaced hereto is an  
index to names (Which incidentally includes Alex. and Eaton  
Walker) listing all known desc. of Walexander Walker of  
Spartanburg, S. C. The Rev. Soldier through his son,  
Eaton Walker, as of 1936. Some additional names have been  
brought down to 1942.  
See These names I have listed under Eaton Walker.

Son of Eaton. b. 2-22-1805

Alex Walker (Alexander or)

Kezia ArnoldsWill. Pro. 1830 one ~~XXX~~ her heirs.  
Alex. C. Walker, heir of Reuben Walker whose will was pro.  
1825. p 132 and 133  
Martha Walker app. guardian of Alex. C. Walker at his  
request, p324, this and above Richmond Co. Ga.  
Alex. C. Walker, one of heirs of Kezia Arnold. See Georga  
of Richmond Co. Ga.  
Alexander and Alexander Howard. See Eaton

Albert Walker

See Eaton Walker Index

Alfred Walker

See Eaton Index

Alpha Walker

Mar. Martha Lawrence 12-1-1832, Oglethorpe, Ga.



Walker con't  
 Louise  
 Lucy Ivie  
 Lula Vivette  
 Marion  
 Margaret  
 Martha  
 " Caroline  
 Mary Alice  
 " Elizabeth  
 " Louise  
 Mattie Benson  
 Mildred  
 " Gordon  
 Nancy Caroline  
 Ray  
 Rebecca  
 Robert Foster and Robert Lee.  
 Sarah and Sarah Bessie and Sarah Elizabeth.  
 Walton  
 William., Wm. Raimaine, Wm. Walton. Willis Benson  
 Walton, Rachel.  
 Whittle, Charles Edgerton, Helen Bruister, Jane  
 Catherine, Lillian, Lucian Alexander, Margaret, Ray  
 Walker and Sara Elizabeth.  
 Williams, Alfred Keaton, Billie Ray, Helen, Howard Sarven  
 Jetta, Katie Bland, Leslie Abney, Rube Moseby and Ruby Jo  
 Witten, Betty Lou, Genia Kathanon, Marilyn, Louise and  
 Milo Warren. on p 135.  
 Edmund Walker  
 Prob. Bought something at sale of Samuel Berry Hill,  
 dec'd Richmond Co. Ga. p. 94, in 1795.  
 Son of John and Frances Byne Walker. See George Walker,  
 Richmond County Ga. Bible Recd. Edmund Byne Walker b.  
 Burke Co. Ga. 6-10-1796. m. first Susan Smith and  
 had 13 children. Married second Mary Gautier Cauley  
 12-20-1855. Elizabeth Mary Walker, b. 11-3-1856. d.  
 June, 1901. m. 11-6-1885, Erastus Hovey.  
 Peter Gautier Walker, b. 2-1-1859, m. 608-1881 Bessie  
 Dennis Robertson. See Bible record of George Walker for  
 rest Gautier children here too.  
 Edmund Walker death 8-13-1880 in Madison Co. Ga.  
 Son of Alexander & Frances Eaton Walker of S. C.  
 Capt. Edmund Walker of Va. see Wm. T. (W81)  
 In Eaton Walker index

Abney, Addie Walkhall, Cora, Helms Elbise, Henrietta,  
 Irma, Buddie, Martha Ella, Robert Alexander, Sarah and  
 William Azariah Abney, all page 150  
 Abney, Ernest Azariah, Lawrence Pope, Robert Watson,  
 Robert Alexander. p 1521; Addie Walkhall, p160; Elizabeth  
 William A., William Herbert, p167; Ernest A., Geraldine  
 May, p154; Helen Elbise, Joel Pope, p38-42.  
 Allen Annâg, Henrietta, Minnie Lee, Robert Moody.  
 Anderson, LeRennie Edison, Audrey Annabell.  
 Baker Alred Walker, Alice Carolyn White, Haywood McFadden  
 Inez, Joseph Wesley, Neoma, Robert Erwin, Starling Walker  
 Thomas Howard and Tod.  
 Bordwell Kathleen and Mary Frances. Bowen, Frances Louise  
 and James Alexander.  
 Bruister Abbie, Benjamin Lafayette, Emma Walker, Helen  
 Florence, Joel Abney, Little Buddy, Margaret and Mary.  
 Buchanan Ellen Jeab, Jack Brooks and Marvin Edward.  
 Burns John Clarence.  
 Chiles Addie and Leslie.  
 Clower Clyde Willis, Mary Gay and Mildred Emma.  
 Edwards, Mildred Ross and Va. Alice. 23  
 Floyd Sam~~X~~ Hall  
 Green John Lee and Mary Joel  
 Knight, Minnie  
 Long James Martin  
 Lowery Cornelius Walton, Curtis Grayson, Eula ~~Lowery~~ Grace  
 Florrie Alice and Kenneth Evans.  
 McCormack, Maurice Abney.  
 Martin Ethel Annette, Henry Edward, Paul Flethner, Robert  
 Alexander.  
~~Mason~~ Mason Medlin 47-51  
 Medlin Abney Bryan, Irene Thelma, Jane & ~~Wm.~~ Augustus.  
 Moody, Annie, Bennie, Bobbie Franklin, Charles, Charlie,  
 Eugene, Fred Miller, George, Dewey, Gloria, Hardy Martin  
 Henrietta, Howard Mason, Irene, Joel, Joseph Webb. Joseph  
 Whitfield, Kermit Abney, Lucy Margaret, Martha, Mary,  
 Richard. R. N. Robert Edward Robert Evan Robert Franklin,  
 Ronald Eugene, Ruby Pearl. Sybil and unnamed.  
 Moore Edward Ell, Joseph Allen Robert Roscoe and Sarah Ar  
 Murphy, Catherine Leigh, James Ll, Margaret Donald, Rache  
 Durnett and Ray Walker, 88-9-091.  
 Ray, Mary Emma and Sanders Walker, 36-65-68.  
 Smith, Alfred Herbert, Edgar Pitts, Emma Ray Florence and  
 Helen Walker

Sparrow, Emma B., Howard Gaines, John King, Mary Ryan,  
 Robert Moody, William Abney and Yvonne  
 Spiars Marion Shields.  
 Stockman, Alexandria Gladwin, Alice Lucille, Bessie  
 Mae, Eleanor Marie, Francis Vivette, Henry Selton, MA  
 Josie Kathleen, William Julian and unnamed.  
 Strickland, Edward Leslie, Eilline, Jewel Olney, Joseph,  
 Juliette, Ola Ruth and Unnamed.  
 Swann, Benjamin and Eloise 53-55-56  
 Elmer, John, Ray and Mary Ray 68-9-70  
 Walker With page nos. all there but dkdn't copy.

Albert Walking  
 Alexander  
 Alexander Howard  
 Alfred Eaton  
 Ann Scott  
 Caroline  
 Claudia Louise  
 Eaton  
 Edmund  
 Eleanor Mae  
 Elias Benson  
 Elizabeth  
 Emma  
 Fanny Gladys  
 Frances  
 Frederick  
 Gabriel Benson  
 Gertrude  
 Helen Foster  
 Henrietta  
 " Frances  
 Irene Willis  
 John  
 " Gabriel  
 " Ray  
 Joseph  
 Joseph Alexander  
 " Annette  
 " Dorroh  
 " Elias  
 Julia Gray  
 Leila Florrie  
 Lillian

Edward Walker

Bought cattle in Richmond Co. Ga. in 1789 P. 304.  
 W-81. I. A.G. Walker Book Vol . P.1.  
 Edward Walker 4-25-1833 applying for a pension at  
 Claiborne Co. Tenn. states: He was 76 years old. He  
 resided in Duplin Co., N. C. in 1777 and belonged to a Co.  
 under Capt. Nathan Hill. Rev. Serv. Rec'd his discharge from  
 Col. John Ashure. More service given if wanted to copy  
 born N. C. 1756. 5-19-1840 Jane Walker widow of Edward  
 Walker, age 69 years, asks for pension. She stated that her  
 husband d. 8-27-1838. They married in Sullivan Co. On Horse  
 Creek of what was then a territory of N. C. now the state  
 of Tenn. by Richard Musselll. A Bapt. Minister. m. 5-1-1790  
 had rec'd of her Bible with affidavit of Jonathon Walker.

Bible Record:

|                |              |
|----------------|--------------|
| Joseph Walker  | b. 6-26-1791 |
| William "      | " 5-15-1792  |
| Edward "       | " 9-7-1795   |
| Martha "       | " 11-5-1797  |
| John W. "      | " 10-20-1801 |
| Samuel "       | " 1-31-1802  |
| Jonathen "     | " 6-4-1805   |
| Henry N? or H? | " 8-16-1807  |
| Susannah "     | " 11-5-1809  |
| Margaret "     | " 4-15-1812  |
| Elizabeth "    | " 5-11-1815. |

(The name of Sarah Emily Walker is given about 1830 but is illegible).  
 Affidavit of Johnathan Walker, age nearly 35. Robert M. Anderson was the Judge of Court, Edward rec'd pension of \$40.00 per annum. On P.7 Jonathan states in Court that he was a sone of Edward and Jane and that he was the 8th child. Edward, Jr. was in War of 1812. enlisted Hawkins Co. Tenn or at Blountsville, Sullivan Co. was residing in Hancock Co. Tenn in 1851 and was 55. he d. 4-9-1860. Married 6-25-1848. Hancock Co. Sarah Crumby by John Crumley, no relationship stated. He had been m. before but name of first wife not know. She d. 12-23-1842. Sarah was allowed pension Note by author, Annie Walker Burns of P. O. Box 6183, Wash. D. C.; His first wife was Mahala Tussey(her ancestor). His brother Joseph m. Mary Tussey, sister of Mahala. Tusseys of French origin, first settled in Del. later in Pa. thence to Sullivan Co. Tenn. They were daus. of Jacob and Jane Tussey of ? Co.

Copy of Alexander Walker's Will Certified to by the Probate Judge of Spartanburg County, S. C., recorded in Box 31, Pk. 8 Probate Judge Office.

"In the Name of God Amen, I Alexander Walker of the State of South Carolina in Pinckney District and County of Spartanburgh, Being sick and weak in body of a perfect mind and memory, Do make this my last Will and Testament In manner following, viz.....

My desire is that all Lawful Debts should be first discharged and the residue of my estate I lend to my beloved Wife, Francis Walker, during her natural life, after her decease to be divided in manner hereafter mentioned.....

I give unto my son Eaton Walker the Plantation or tract of land where I now reside (that is to say) Beginning about ten yards below a Spring on William Foster's line the south side of Fairforest Creek, thence a straight line to a high bank near the said creek, below where my son John Walker now resides, thence a straight line at the upper corner of the old Field, joining land belonging to my son John Walker, thence along his line to the said creek, thence along Gideon Slays line to a corner on White Oak, thence along Jacob Utly's line to David Tanners corner, thence along the said Tanners line to William Fosters Mag. Corner, thence along said Foster line to the beginning including the plantation whereon I now reside and also one Negro Boy named Simon and all my Carpenter tools, one Featherbed and furniture, two cows and calves and one shot gun to him and his heirs.....

I give unto my sons, John Walker and Joseph Walker, the remainder part of my land lying on the South side of the said Fairforest Creek beginning on my son Eaton Walker's line as above mentioned and running with his line to where it should intersect with my son John Walker's line along my old marked line the different courses towards Maj. Isham Foster's and thence to the beginning to be equally divided between said sons John and Joseph, it is my desire that my son John shall have the lower part, which adjoins his land and my Joseph to have the upper part which adjoins William Foster Mag. land to them and their heirs.....

I give to my daughter Patty Walker one negro girl named Easter, one Feather Bed and furniture, one gray mare and two cows and calves, to her and her heirs.....

The residue of my estate not before mentioned to be equally divided between my sons and daughters as followeth: Edmund Walker, Frederick Walker, Francis Swinney and Sarah Vaughn.

I appoint my son Eaton Walker Executor of this my last Will, signed, sealed and published this 6th day of August, 1799, signed, sealed and published before us who have signed the same in his presence.

WM. FOSTER }  
ISHAM FOSTER }  
GEORGE BENSON }

ALEX WALKER.

Probated 4th of February, 1806.

(I do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original on file in this office. Given under my hand and seal of office this the 6th day of February, 1935)

DEWEY D. FOSTER  
Judge, Probate Court  
Spartanburg County, S. C.

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I certify that the above is a true and correct copy of certified copy of the will of Alexander Walker as received by me

*Claudia L. Walker*

Miss Claudia L. Walker.

*This will proves that Eaton Walker was son of Alexander Walker.*