



# The Rice Planter

Old St. Bartholomew Chapter, SCGS

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## SCHEDULED MEETING DATES 2006

The center opens at 1pm before all meetings so the members can do their research. Meetings are at 3:00pm unless otherwise noted.

### Research Center Hours

(based on volunteers working)

Tues 9am- 5pm-Saturday 9am-1pm

## MEETING DATES & SPEAKERS

April 09 Bonita & Dana Chaney will discuss Colleton County in the Revolutionary War and some of the activities that Colleton County has planned for its 300<sup>th</sup> Anniversary year.

May 21 Semi-Annual Chapter Business Meeting We have much to discuss including the Research Center, Chapter Cemetery Books, a Nominations Committee, and our annual workshop.

June OSBC Annual Free Genealogy Workshop

Reminder: We have periodicals coming throughout the month so come in and check them for vital information that you may need for your research.

## SCHEDULED EVENTS

Proposed events for Jacksonborough's history that can be celebrated. Anyone interested in helping may contact the Society. Gale Doggette 843-549-9633

215 years May 10, 1791 President George Washington is entertained by O'Brien Smith at Duharra Plantation

225 years August 4, 1781 Col. Issac Hayne is executed in Charleston and is buried at Hayne Hall, near Pon Pon Chapel.

## REUNIONS

April 23, 2006 Hiers family Reunion

At 1pm at Mt. Pleasant Lutheran Church, Mt Pleasant Road, off of Hwy 64 west of Ehrhardt. Information call 803-960-3666 or 803-791-7086 or 843-562-2024.

If you have a family reunion notice and would like to have it put in the newsletter please send it to Louise at [lklyons@lowcountry.com](mailto:lklyons@lowcountry.com) deadline is the 15 of each quarter for news information.

## TREASURER'S REPORT FOR Old St. Bartholomew Chapter

Old St. Bartholomew Chapter, SCGS  
Treasurer's Report  
As of March 12, 2006

Beginning Balance	4,004.88
INCOME:	
Dues	378.00
Total Income	378.00
EXPENSES:	
Dues	218.00
Liability Insurance - 2006	609.50
Postage	89.25
Books Purchased	207.42
Newsletter	105.74
Total Expenses:	1,329.91
Ending Balance:	3,112.97

2006 Members: 95

Books Sold in Date

Unsold Inventory

Cemeteries of Lower Colleton Sold	250	21
Cemeteries of Lower Colleton Donated	5	
Live Oak Cemetery Sold	153	60
Live Oak Cemetery Donated	4	
Researching Family History Sold	11	8
Researching Family History Donated	2	
IRS Colleton District Sold	23	75
IRS Colleton District Donated	2	
Pioneer Certificates Sold	9	11

Respectfully submitted,

*Judy Ballard*  
Judy Ballard, Treasurer

## Donations Made to the Chapter in 2006

### Cash Donations:

Nita Glover Eason \$100.00 in memory of her father.  
John & Gail Couch 75.00

### Books:

Bobbie and David Hiott donated "Sea Island Cotton" in memory of Billy Breland.

Laura Lynn Hughes - 15 Walterboro High School yearbooks

Katie Diamond - copies of her research on Carter & Still plus photo

Judy Ballard - "Your Family History" magazines and cd's (British magazine)

"Selected Obits in Beaufort, SC Newspapers"

"Carologue" about a dozen issues

misc. Newspaper Obits

"Georgia Genealogical Magazine" 1988, 1990, 1991 and 1992

"Georgia Historical Quarterly" Winter 1999.

If you have made a donation to the chapter this year and your name was omitted from this list please contact Sherry Cawley or Judy Ballard.

[Following article was contributed by the Beaufort gazette] Published Sunday March 5, 2006

by Sandra Walsh

## Colleton County celebrates 300 years



Sandra Walsh/Gazette

Dana Cheney, foreground, shoots a Revolutionary War-era rifle with fellow re-enactors David Willard Jr., and James Burns on Saturday in front of the Colleton County Museum in Walterboro.

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Sandra Walsh/Gazette

Christina Gordon dars a white tail deer hide that she made using a brain tanning process. Russell Cutts sets up a tent to feature primitive fire making demonstrations Saturday on the museum grounds as a part of the tools and trades of the 1700s display for Colleton County's 300th Anniversary Celebration.

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### If you go

**What:** Historic church service using 1862 prayer book

**When:** 10:30 a.m. today

**Where:** Pon Pon Chapel of Ease of St. Bartholomew's Parish ruins off U.S. 64 in the Old Jacksonboro Historic District

**Details:** This is an outdoor event. Picnic lunches are welcome and can be eaten following service.

Dana Cheney showed off his muscular calves Saturday morning along with friends David Willard Jr. and James Burns. The men -- dressed in calf-bearing breeches, waistcoats and tricorne hats -- fired black powder rifles and joined about a dozen other re-enactors on Colleton County Museum's front lawn to

demonstrate tools and trades of the 1700s as a part of Colleton County's 300th Anniversary Celebration.

The celebration kicked off Friday with a proclamation by Gov. Mark Sanford from the balcony of the Colleton County Court House in Walterboro and will continue today and for the rest of the year throughout the county.

Cheney, a 15-year Revolutionary War re-enactor, is full of fun facts about the time period.

"A lot of expressions we use today come from the 1700s," he said. Such as: Keep your powder dry and don't go half cocked, derived from gun powder and rifle use, he said. Another expression, put your best foot forward, comes from dancing. "A lady would curtsy and a man would put his best foot -- usually his right foot -- forward to show off his calf muscle."

Cheney's wife, Bonita, was seated nearby churning butter while a group of 10- and 11-year-olds from St. Jude's Episcopal Church watched and tasted butter on pieces of bread (it was a tad too cold for the butter to harden, so butter made Tuesday was served).

The group of kids, sporting tricorne hats and red breeches, played Yankee Doodle on fifes throughout the day between wandering and asking too many questions of demonstrators, who also included a primitive fire maker and anthropologist, Russell Cutts and his girlfriend, Christina Gordon, who explained the art of brain tanning, or how to tan a hide using animal brains and a quart of warm water.

Budd Price, president of the Colleton County Historical and Preservation Society, key organizer of the yearlong celebration, said the anniversary will focus on St. Bartholomew's Parish near Jacksonboro, which established Colleton County in 1706.

Also, from Aug. 31 to Sept. 3, the Battle of Parkers Ferry, won by Gen. Francis Marion's troops, will be re-enacted, and the historical society has plans to reopen the nearly forgotten George Washington Trail, which traces President George Washington's overnight stay in May 1791 in Colleton County.

"We want to develop a sense of history in the place that we are sitting in," Price said. "And to develop tourism and pride where we live."

Details: Visit [colletonhistoryandpreservation.com](http://colletonhistoryandpreservation.com) for other events taking place throughout the year.

Contact Sandra Walsh at 936-5533 or [swalsh@beaufortgazette.com](mailto:swalsh@beaufortgazette.com).

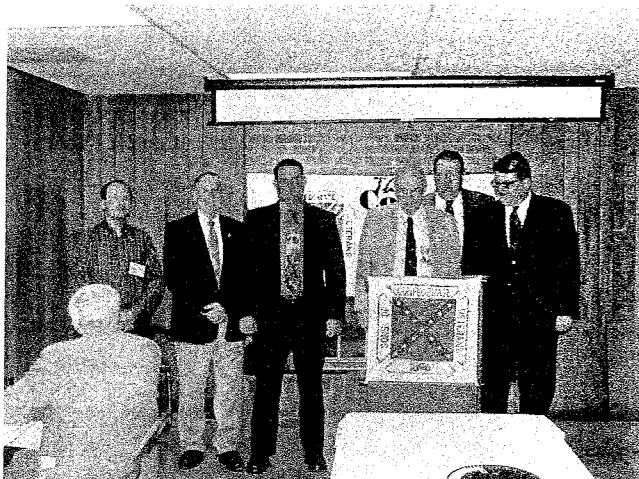


Photo taken by Dennis Skelton

Photo from the Lee-Jackson Banquet held by the Colleton Rangers, Sons of Confederate Veterans, Camp #1643. Starting off on the left (no suit) Alroy Headden, Color Sergeant; Billy Syfrett, Camp Adjutant; Bud Herndon, 1<sup>st</sup> Lieutenant Commander; Bob Williams, Commander; Gerald Bailey, Past Commander (doing the Swearing in) Mitchell Byran, 2<sup>nd</sup> Lieutenant Commander; John Bryan, Judge Advocate.

## Peeps Into The Past

Following was from the Press and Standard Newspaper and contributed by Johnnie Hiott from Fla. We have a binder notebook filled with various clippings that Mr. Hiott has donated to the chapter. It may be viewed at the research center.

## Phone Directory for Walterboro

Check out the following lists of names that were found in the 1906 Walterboro phone book. This is probably one of the very first listing made for the area.

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## WALTERBORO'S TELEPHONE SYSTEM

Class's Hands—Must be Improved and Extended.

It was announced yesterday that the interest of Dr. L. B. Whitley and W. F. Gage in the Colleton County Telephone Company had been purchased by Messrs. Jas. E. Penrify, Jno. H. Penrify and W. D. Reid of Walterboro. The new owners took charge Monday and will begin at once to extend and improve the system.

It is also understood that the lines to Hendersonville, Gettysburg and Green Point will be completed at the earliest time possible, after which the company contemplates building a line to Stokes, Kiffin, Williams, Lodge, Ehrhardt and Smoaks, and hopes eventually to have every portion of the county connected with the county seat.

The company was re-organized yesterday by the election of the following officers: Jas. E. Penrify, president; Jno. H. Penrify, vice president and treasurer, and W. D. Reid, manager.

It is expected that the new management will install a great many more phones in the county in a very short time. The company now has the following subscribers:

**WALTERBORO.**  
Dr. W. B. Ackerman,  
Dr. Eddick Ackerman,  
T. J. Blanchard,  
Mrs. W. A. Black,  
J. E. Bryan,  
Hrown Furniture Co.,  
Beach Bros.,  
H. W. Black Jr.,  
Black & Ackerman,  
Farmers & Merchants Bank,  
C. G. Brown,  
Rev. S. O. Caldwell,  
Colleton Banking Co.,  
O. T. Cummings,  
Cummings Iron Works & Ship Co.,  
Market of Court,

Wad. Cotton Ball,  
D. J. Chaplin,  
W. E. Copers,  
A. C. L. Depot,  
Walterboro Dispensary,  
Dr. O. H. Es' Dora,  
Jas. D. Edwards,  
Walterboro Infirmary,  
W. J. Fishburne,  
Mrs. Carrie R. Fraser,  
H. A. Frances, Market,  
Klein's Drug Store,  
E. F. Knight,  
A. J. Lemacks,  
W. L. Lucas,  
F. J. Lucas,  
O. E. May,  
W. G. Morrill,  
Mrs. L. W. McTeer,  
J. H. McTeer,  
F. H. Murray,  
Jas. E. Penrify,  
Jno. H. Penrify,  
Press and Standard,  
B. G. Rice,  
D. C. Rivers,  
Graves & Warren,  
W. B. Graber,  
O. M. Grace,  
J. S. Griffin,  
Glover Bros.,  
B. G. Hyrns,  
Howell & Graber,  
W. E. Howell,  
K. Hubbert, Bakery,  
Mrs. E. F. Hyrns,  
B. F. Hatford,  
C. G. Henderson,  
Walterboro Hotel,  
Mrs. A. M. Henderson,  
W. E. Jones,  
E. M. Jones,  
J. G. Fuggett, Mes.,  
J. G. Fuggett, Office,  
Walterboro Postoffice,  
Mrs. H. E. Sanders,  
C. A. Seay, mill,  
C. A. Seay, Mes.,  
A. G. Shaffer,  
Terry & Shaffer,  
O. L. Smith,  
Mrs. E. A. Sauls,  
E. M. Sanders,  
W. E. Seay,  
Rev. J. L. Daniels,

COLLETON COUNTY TELEPHONE COMPANY

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J. J. Taylor

C. C. Tracy

J. H. Wichman

A. Wichman

J. A. Waterberg

Mrs. E. J. Wittell

Mrs. E. H. Williams

J. M. Walker

A. Wichman & Co.

Klein's Res.

COUNTRY.

Rev. S. W. Ackerman

T. S. Ackerman

E. C. Bennett

James Britt

J. D. Colson

C. Drawdy

A. D. Dodd

J. S. Jordan

A. D. Metts

W. G. Hiott

L. E. Hill

S. G. Peirce

A. V. Rieckenthor

Sanders & Lemacks

Dr. B. G. Willis

Wanted—To let contract at once for

150 telephone polls between Ritter and

Green Pond. Apply to Jas. H. Penrify,

Treasurer.

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RECEIVED

MAY 2, 1906

The Colleton County Telephone Co., some days ago, completed a separate line between the stores of Colleton Mercantile and Manufacturing Company in town and Ritters. Messrs. Sanders and Lemacks now have long distance connection at Ritters. It is the intention of the Telephone Company to extend the line that they have at Ritter on to Green Pond at an early day. A splendid line has been constructed from Walterboro to Hendersonville and the people in this thriving town will have connection to Walterboro and throughout the country by Saturday night of this week. The line to Gettysburg and throughout that section of country will be completed at an early day. And it is the intention also in the next month or two to extend the line to Sandy Dam, Mr. Henry Stokes in the Providence neighborhood, Colson's mill, at the old burnt kiln, and other points up the railroad towards Smoaks and Ehrhardt. The Company now has installed about 135 phones.

## THE GEORGIA FRONTIER--Back in Print

(Special Introductory Price Extended Through Midnight, Wednesday, April 5, 2006)

N.B. Last spring, when we issued the first printing of Jeannette Austin's wonderful collection of colonial Georgia genealogies, we sold out of this three-volume set before all "Genealogy Pointers" subscribers had had an opportunity to purchase the set at the special introductory price of \$140.00. When we reissued THE GEORGIA FRONTIER last fall, we once again sold out our stock before the Introductory price offer had lapsed.

The third printing of THE GEORGIA FRONTIER is now available. If you were unable to buy THE GEORGIA FRONTIER for \$140.00 before, you have until midnight, Wednesday, April 5, 2006, to do so. For more information on Mrs. Austin's remarkable addition to the literature of Georgia genealogy, please read the description that follows:

Following General James Oglethorpe's initial settling of Europeans from England, Scotland, and the Palatine to the Georgia Colony and the dissolution of the Georgia trustees' charter, the British Crown offered substantial land grants to entice other colonists to settle and work the Georgia countryside.

As early as 1752, colonists from New England, Virginia, and the Carolinas poured into Georgia, bringing with them their families, servants, and sometimes entire religious communities. By 1775, these "frontier" settlements had established extensive coastal cotton and rice plantations. After the Revolution, Patriot veterans established homesteads by taking up land grants for their war services.

During the early 1800s, Georgia employed a series of land lotteries to attract even more settlers. Once the federal government had evicted Georgia's Cherokee and Creek populations during the late 1820s, the stage was set for a climactic state lottery of middle and western Georgia lands in 1832.

Set against this history of Georgia's advancing frontier, genealogist and author Jeannette Holland Austin has assembled an unprecedented work that preserves the record of many of these pioneering families. Her three-volume THE GEORGIA FRONTIER is nothing less than the culmination of a career spent tracing Georgia families.

Mrs. Austin, who has been actively engaged in genealogy for over 40 years, is the author of 60 collections of genealogies, county histories, and abstracts of genealogical source records. (From 1988

to 2000, the author also served as Staff Training Director for the Jonesboro, Georgia, Family History Center.)

THE GEORGIA FRONTIER sets forth the genealogies of 591 families, referencing tens of thousands of Georgia settlers. The families are divided into three convenient groupings: (1) families that settled prior to 1775, (2) families that first entered Georgia between the Revolution and before the Civil War, and (3) families that migrated to Georgia from Virginia, North Carolina, or South Carolina at various periods.

Available only in book form, Mrs. Austin's work is destined to be regarded as a landmark in Georgia genealogy. From today through midnight, Wednesday, April 5, 2006, you can order your copy of THE GEORGIA FRONTIER at the introductory price \$140.00, compared to the retail price of \$160.00 after the expiration date.

Following is a surname list of the main families covered in the volumes; it just might contain the family(ies) you have been looking for:

VOLUME I: Adams, Adkerson/Adkinson/Atkinson, Akens/Akins, Alfrend, Allen, Allison, Anderson, Andrew/Andrews, Armor/Armour, Arnett, Arnsdorff, Askin/Askins, Atwell, Austin, Aycock, Ayres, Bacon, Baillie, Baker, Baldwin, Ball, Banks, Barnard, Barnett, Barron, Battle, Baxley, Bazemore, Bechtle, Beddingfield, Bedell, Berkner, Berry, Biddenback, Bignon (du Bignon), Billingslea, Bird, Blackstone, Blount, Blow, Blue, Bohannon, Bohrman, Bolzious, Bond, Bostick/Bostwick, Bowen, Bowling, Boykin, Braddy, Bradley, Bradshaw, Bradwell, Brandner, Branham, Brannon, Brantley, Braswell, Breedlove, Brewer, Brincefield, Broach, Browning, Bryan, Bryant, Buckner, Bulloch, Buntz, Burford, Burgholder (Bourghalter), Burnley, Butler, Caldwell, Calhoun, Cameron, Candler, Carlton, Carr, Carter, Cassells, Castleberry, Castlin, Chaffin, Chapman, Chappell, Chattin, Cheney, Childs, Choate, Clarke, Clay, Clements, Cleaveland/Cleveland, Cleveland, Clower, Cocke, Cofer, Cole, Collier, Collins, Comer, Congleton, Conner, Cook, Cooper, Corneck, Cornwell, Cotton, Cowan, Cox, Crenshaw, Cross, Crutchfield, Cuthbert, Damour, Darden, Darsey, Davis, Dawson, Delegal, Delk, Dent, Dewberry, Dickson, Dozier, Drawhorn, Dregors, Driggers, Driver, Dukes, Dumas, Dunn, Durden, Durham, Dwight, Dyson, Early, Earnest, Easterling, Edge, Edwards, Elliott, Ellis, Emerson, English, Epps, Etheridge, Evans, Fambrough,

Feagin, Feaster, Few, Finney, Fisher,  
Fletcher, Flewellen, Fraser, Freeman, Fryer, Fullilove,  
Futch, Gafford, Gardner, Gates, Gay, Gee, Germain,  
Germany, Gibbons, Gibbs, Gibson, Gilbert, Gilder,  
Gilmer, Giovanoli, Glascock, Gober, Godfrey,  
Goggans, Golden/Golding, Goldwire, Goodall,  
Goodman, Goodwin, Gordon, Graham, Gray, Greer,  
Grier, Griminger, Gronau, Guerry, Gunter, Gwinnett,  
Habersham, Hall, Hammond, Hancock, Hansford,  
Hanson, Hardeman/Harman, Harmon, Harper, Harrell,  
Harris, Harrison, Hart, Hatcher, Hatchett, Hawkins,  
Haygood, Healy, Helfenstein, Henderson, Hendricks,  
Hendry, Henry, Herron, Hickman, Hicks, Hiers, Hill,  
Hillhouse, Hines, Hird, Hodges, Hodges, Hogan,  
Holcombe, Holland, Hollis, Holt, Hood, Hooper,  
Horne, Horton, Houstoun, Howard, Howard, Huckaby,  
Hudson, Huffstetler, Hughes, Huguley, Humphrey,  
Hutchings, Hutchings, Ingram, Irby, Irwin, Jackson,  
James, Jarrard, Jay, Jemison, Jewett, Johnson, Johnson,  
Johnston, Jones, Jordan, Justice, Kelly, Kennedy,  
Kennon, Kibbee, Kieffer, Kilgo/Kilgore, Kimbrough,  
King, Knighton, Lamar, Lane, Lanham, Lanier,  
Lasseter, Lastinger, Lavender, Layfield, Lee, Lester,  
Lester, LeSueur, Letson, Lewis, Lightner, Loggins,  
Long, Love, Lowe, Loyd, Mabry, MacBean, Macintosh,  
Mackay, Madison, Mallard, Malone, Mann, Marbury,  
Marshall, Martin, Mason, Massey, Maxey, Maxwell,  
May, McCall, McClendon, McCord, McCormick,  
McCorquodale, McCoy, McDonald, McGinty, McKee,  
McKey, McLean, McMichael, McRight, Means, Melson,  
Mercer, Merriman, Merritt, Messer, Middlebrooks,  
Milledge, Miller, Mills, Minis, Mitchell, Money/Mooney,  
Montgomery, Moon, Moore, Morel, Morgan, Morris,  
Morton, Moss, Mullins, Murphy, Napier, Naylor,  
Nesmith, Norman, Norris, Odingsell, Oglethorpe,  
Oliver, Orr, Ortman, Osgood, Overton, Owen, Oxford,  
Padgett, Parker, Parr, Paterson, Paulk, Payne, Peacock,  
Pearson, Peek, Peeler, Pendley, Penrose, Perdue,  
Perkins, Perry, Perryman, Phifer, Phillips, Pike, Pitts,  
Polhill, Pope, Potts, Prather, Prince, Proctor, Pye,  
Quarterman, Radford, Rae, Rahn, Ramsey, Ray,  
Redding, Reeves, Reid, Remshart, Rich, Richardson,  
Roberts, Robinson, Rogers, Roquemore, Rountree,  
Rouvier, Rumble, Russell, Sappington, Satterwhite,  
Scarborough, Schaeffer, Schweighofer, Scott, Searcy,  
Seckinger, Shannon, Shattles, Shepherd, Sheppard,  
Shiflet, Shirey, Shockley, Sikes/Sykes, Simmons,  
Singleton, Sisk, Skinner, Slaughter, Slocumb, Smith,

Smylie, Stallings, Stallsworth, Standley, Starr, Stewart,  
Stocks, Strickland, Stripling, Struthers, Stubbs,  
Sumner, Surrency, Tankersley, Taylor, Tekell/Teakell,  
Tennille, Thomas, Thornton, Todd, Tomlin, Treadway,  
Trotman, Upton, Ussery, Valentine, Vanderplank,  
Vanzant, Veazey, Vernon, Wade, Waldhauer, Warnell,  
Warren, Watkins, Watson, Way, Welch, Wells, Wereat,  
Wheelis/Wheelless/Wheelus, Whitefield, Wilcher,  
Wilder, Williams, Williamson, Wilson, Wimberly, Winn,  
Wright, Young, Zant, Zellner, Zettler, Ziegler,  
Zipperer, Zitterauer, Zorn, and Zouberbuhler.

**VOLUME II:** Aaron, Adams, Albritton, Aldredge,  
Alexander, Alston, Anglin, Ansley, Ash/Ashe,  
Atkinson, Avera, Avery/Avary, Baldree, Baldwin,  
Bankston, Barfield, Barksdale, Barnett, Barnwell,  
Bartlett, Battle, Bell, Berry, Biddy, Bingham,  
Blackstock, Blackwell, Blair, Blandford, Bond, Bonnell,  
Bonner, Borders, Bostick, Bowen, Braselton, Brooks,  
Brunson, Bullock, Burgess, Burney, Butler, Butner,  
Buttrill, Caldwell, Campbell, Candler, Cannon,  
Carithers, Carlton, Carmichael, Carnes, Caruth,  
Castlin, Causey, Cauthern, Chalker, Chamlee, Childs,  
Cline, Cloud, Clower, Cochran, Coggins, Colbert,  
Collins, Comer, Conner, Cooper, Cordle,  
Crawford, Creel, Creighton, Crisson, Crosson,  
Crowley, Cunningham, Curls, Day, Deason, Denson,  
Dobbs, Dooly, Dover, Dowdy, Drawhorn/Draughton,  
Dyer, Easley, Eberhart, Evans, Eve, Fitzpatrick,  
Fleming, Flewellen, Fountain, Franklin, Freeman,  
Garrard, Gilmer, Gober, Golden, Goodson, Goss,  
Greer, Guess, Gunnells, Guthrie, Guyton, Hammock,  
Hargis, Hargrove, Harris, Harrison, Haygood, Haynes,  
Heard, Heath/Heeth, Henderson, Hicks, Hill, Hilley,  
Hodge, Holt, Hooper, Hopkins, House, Howard,  
Howell, Hubert, Huff, Human, Hume,  
Humphrey/Humphries, Hurt, Inman, Irby, Irwin,  
Jeffers, Jolley, Jones, Keaton, Kemp, Kendrick, Key,  
Kirk, Kiser, Kitchens, Knox, Kontz, Lamkin, Ledbetter,  
Lee, Lemon, Lester, Lewis, Liddell, Lindley, Little,  
Lockett, Lockhart, Long, Lord, Lovelace, Lowry, Lyon,  
Mangum, Matthews, Mayes, McCall, McCardle,  
McClure, McCurdy, McGuire, McRee, Meeks, Merritt,  
Miller, Millican, Moone, Moore, Morris, Moseley,  
Mullins, Mundy, Neal, Nephew, Newsom, Nicholson,  
Nunnalee, Ogletree, Oliver, Orr, Parker, Parris, Peace,  
Pentecost, Perdue, Perkins, Peters, Phiniza, Powell,  
Power, Preston, Pullen, Quillian, Ragsdale, Raiford,  
Redding, Redman, Renfro, Rolleston, Rouse,  
Rucker, Rumph, Russell, Rutherford, Ryals, Satterfield,

Sanford, Scroggins, Selman, Sewell, Shackelford, Shankle, Shannon, Sheffield, Sheftall, Sheppard, Simmons, Sims, Siniard, Smith, Stansel, Stapler, Steed, Steele, Stephens, Stephenson, Stevens, Stokes, Stovall, Strickland, Strong, Stroud, Stubbs, Summerhill, Swift, Swinney, Talley, Tatom, Taylor, Tibbitts, Tidwell, Todd, Tomlin, Townsend, Trammell, Trotman, Trout, Tucker, Tuggle, Turk, Turner, Upton, Varnedoe, Veal, Vickers, Wadsworth, Wakefield, Waldrep/Waldrop/Waldroup, Waldrop, Walker, Wall, Waller, Walraven, Walton, Watkins, Watts, Wellbourne, Whatley, Wheelless, Wheelchel, Whisenhunt, White, Whitehead, Whitehurst, Wigley, Wilburn, Wilkins, Wills, Wilson, Wimberly, Wimpy, Wisener, Wommack, Woolfolk, Wootten, Worley, Wortham, Wyche, Wylie, York, Zellers, and Zuber.

**VOLUME III:** Ables, Adair, Austin, Baxter, Beckham, Bell, Bird, Bittick, Bivins, Bone, Bradley, Brent, Brooks, Brown, Bulloch, Calloway, Camp, Carlton, Carnes, Carter, Chambless/Chambliss, Cheatham, Clements, Cliatt, Cobbs, Coles, Collins, Conger, Cook, Craton/Crayton, Danielly, Davis, Dean, Delk, Dent, Dixon, Drew, Durham, Edmondson, Edwards, Elsberry, Ethridge, Evans, Fambrough, Finch, Foote, Forsyth, Franklin, Gamel/Gammell, Gann, Gideon, Greene, Gruber, Hagan/Hagin, Hamilton, Hargett/Hugett, Harris, Hill, Hitchcock, Hogan, Holland, Howard, Howell, Huckaby, Johns, Johnson, Jones, Jordan, Kalcher, Keaten, Kilpatrick (Patrick), Lane, Lee, Leverett, Littleton, Matthews, McGarity, McGee, McKenney/McKinney, Mercer, Miles, Monfort/Montford/Munford, Moody, Moon, Noland, O'Neal, Parker, Parris, Perkins, Ponder, Power, Pye, Ragsdale, Roberts, Roguemore, Sailors, Salter, Sanders, Singleton, Skedsvold, Smith, Sorrells, Sparks, Spiers/Sparks, Spinks, Starling, Stegall, Sullivan, Tapley, Tolbert, Wade, Waldron, Williams, Williamson, Wilson, Woodall, York, Young, and Youngblood.

[http://www.genealogical.com/index.php?main\\_page=product\\_info&item\\_number=9873](http://www.genealogical.com/index.php?main_page=product_info&item_number=9873)

## ARCHIVES

*St. Bartholomew Chapter SCGS Research Center,*

We want to give a big THANK YOU to those members who are volunteering their time. Without these individuals, our Research Center would not be opened: Judy Ballard, Sherry Cawley, Kay Herndon, Myrtle Hilton, Bobbi Hiott, David Hiott, Myrtle Linder,

Doris Lucas, Louise Lyons, Bob Stets, Deborah Toa, Larry Ulmer, Marsha Ulmer, and Rosalyn White. If we've forgotten anyone, please let us know.

Our chapter needs more volunteers. If you have a few hours free in a day to give of your time, then call Sherry or David and let them know what day you have to offer. We are committed to the County to having the center open 12 hours a week. There are three shifts: Tuesday's from 9am-1pm, Tuesday's from 1pm-5pm and Saturday's from 9am-1pm. We'd love to add your name to our list!

## LAUGHING CORNER

This was an email contributed by Judy Shelton

### **"A White Lie Church Cake"**

Have you ever told a white lie? You are going to love this! This is for all of the ladies who bake for church events.

Alice Grayson was to bake a cake for the Baptist Church ladies' group Bake sale in Tuscaloosa, but she forgot to do it until the last minute. She remembered it the morning of the bake sale and after rummaging through cabinets she found a dusty old Angel food cake mix in the back of her kitchen cabinet and quickly made it while drying her hair and dressing and helping her son Bryan pack up for Scout camp. But when Alice took the cake from the oven the center had dropped flat and the cake was horribly disfigured. She said, "Oh dear, there's no time to bake another cake." This cake was so important to Alice because she did so want to fit in at her new church, and in her new community of new friends. So, being inventive and not wanting anyone to think she was not the perfect woman able to handle all things at all times or that! , heaven forbid, she wasn't participating in her church's bazaar, she looked around the house for something to build up the center of the cake.

Alice found it in the bathroom - a roll of toilet paper. She plunked it in and then covered it with icing. Not only did the finished product look beautiful, it looked perfect! Before she left the house to drop the cake by the church and head for work, Alice woke her daughter Amanda and gave her some money and specific instructions to be at the bake sale the minute it opened at 9:30, and to buy that cake and bring it home. When the daughter arrived at the sale, she found that the attractive perfect cake had already been sold. Amanda grabbed her cell phone and called

her Mom. Alice was horrified...she was beside herself. Everyone would know. What would they think? Oh, my heavens she wailed! She would be ostracized, talked about, ridiculed.

She would have to move or kill herself! All night Alice lay awake in bed thinking about people pointing their fingers at her and talking about her behind her back. The next day, Alice promised herself that she would try not to think about the cake and she attended a fancy luncheon/bridal shower at the home of a friend of a friend and try to have a good time. Alice did not really want to attend because the hostess was a snob who more than once had looked down her nose at the fact that Alice was a single parent and not from the founding families of Tuscaloosa but having already RSVPed she could not think of a believable excuse to stay home. The meal was elegant, the company was definitely upper crust old South.... and to Alice's horror the CAKE in question was presented for dessert! Alice felt the blood drain from her body when she saw the cake, she started to get out of her chair to rush into the kitchen to tell her hostess all about it, but before she could get to her feet, the Mayor's wife said, "What a beautiful cake!" Alice who was still stunned and trying to formulate what words she would use to explain the situation, sat back in her chair when she heard the hostess (who was a prominent church member) say, "Thank you, I baked it myself."

Alice smiled and thought to herself,

"There is a God."

### **MEMBERSHIP**

We are beginning the year with another successful membership campaign. For the third year in a row we have finished the year with over 115 members. Your chapter dues are due in January. We are not changing the prices. They will remain at \$20.00 for an Individual Membership, \$25.00 for a Family Membership, and \$15.00 for an Associate Membership. At the end of the year you might consider a small donation to help with the research center. We welcome the new members who have joined in 2005.

### **Donations to Old St. Bartholomew's Research Center**

Would you like to make a donation to the Chapter? Not sure what to donate. Maybe a family member has past and you're the only source to receive the family

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Monthly meetings are held each month on the second or third Sunday [see schedule of events] at 3:00pm at the 609 Black St., Genealogical Society, Walterboro, SC [except during the months of July and August].

Reminder: We have periodicals coming throughout the month so come in and review them for vital information that you may need to help your research.

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