



THE RICE PLANTER

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Monthly meetings are held on the second Sunday of each month at 3 PM. at the **Genealogical Research Center located at 609 Black Street, Walterboro, SC** which is managed by the **Colleton Genealogy Society**. Meetings are not held during the months of July, August and December.

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MEETING HIGHLIGHTS October 12, 2014

Meeting called to order by Dr. David Hiott.
 Dr. David Hiott read a new By-Law which needed to be added to Section 6: Assistant Treasurer to assist the Treasurer when needed.
 Bobbie Hiott made a motion that this addition be made to the By-Laws, it was seconded and the motion was carried unanimously.
 Dr. Hiott presented the slate of officers nominated for 2015. President: Joyce Breland, Vice President: Victoria Tuten, Secretary: Cathy Branham, Treasurer: Larry Ulmer, Assistant Treasurer Dr. David Hiott, Archivist: Dr. David Hiott, Newsletter Editor: Marsha Ulmer.
 Dr. Hiott spoke on "Colleton and the American Revolution." Dr. Hiott presented a list of men from Colleton County who fought in the American Revolution. The South Carolina Continental Line was comprised of 5 regiments. The first major battle in the South was the Battle of Sullivan's Island. General Henry Clinton decided to break down some of the defenses around Charleston by invasion by sea (Jun 1776). Col. William Moultrie with 435 patriots and 31 cannons defeated

Adm. Peter Parker with 9 British Men of War and 260 naval guns. The American losses were 12 dead and 30 men wounded. British losses were 25 dead and 150 men wounded. On June 29, 1775 the British evacuated.

Meeting adjourned.

Those in attendance: J. W. Bishop, Joe Ellen Bishop, Betty P. Black, Cathy Branham, Joyce Breland, Carolyn G. Ferrell, Tommy Ferrell, Nancy Field, Dot Glover, Jim Goodwin, Bobbie and Dr. David Hiott, Joy M. Lawson, Libby Steadman, John C. Stelle, Victoria Tuten, Larry and Marsha Ulmer, and Edwin Walker.

**MEETING HIGHLIGHTS
November 9, 2013**

President, Joyce Breland called meeting to order. Bobbie Hiott made a motion that we vote into office the slate of Officers presented at the October meeting. Julie Bell seconded the motion, vote was taken and passed unanimously.

Dr. Hiott presented the speaker for the meeting, Dr. Edda Fields Black. She has roots in Colleton County in the Green Pond area but grew up in Miami. She is a graduate of the Univ. of Pennsylvania. She is on the faculty of Carnegie Melton University, Associate Professor of History. Her interest in Rice Planting and has written a book on the subject. She has studied rice planting in West Africa and Green Pond. Rice originated in Asia and Africa. There is a strict division of labor in rice planting. She showed pictures of the special shovel that had been developed in West Africa and used in preparing the soil for planting. Men prepare the soil and the women sew the seed by broadcasting. It takes about 5 months from preparing the soil to harvesting the rice crop. Her talk was very interesting and applicable to rice production in this area.

Meeting adjourned.

Those in attendance: Cindy Belknap, Julie Bell, Joe and Jo Ellen Bishop, Betty P. Black, Cathy Branham, Joyce Breland, Charles Bridges, Lenora Hickman, Dr. David Hiott, Bobbi Hiott, John Hiott, Kaye Hull, Christine Hurst, Becky Kinard, Ted Kinard, Joy M. Lawson, Leslie and Marjorie Manigault, Libby Steadman, Victoria Tuten, Larry and Marsha Ulmer, N. P. VonLehe.

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NEW ACQUISITIONS TO COLLETON GENEALOGY RESEARCH CENTER

NAME	DONOR
Jamestowne Ancestors, 1607 -1699 by V. L. H. Davis given in memory of Nell Simmons	David & Bobbie Hiott
A History of The Easterling Family by Easterling Fam. Gen Soc, Wesson, MS	Betty Easterling
Deep Roots; Rice Farmers in West Africa and the African Diaspora by Edda L. Fields-Black	Edda L. Fields-Black
SC Mag. Of Anc. Res. (SCMAR) Issues 2 & 4 of Vol. 30 (Funds donated by Dr. Warren & Mrs. Eason)	Purchased by CGS
Combahee River Raid by Jeff Grigg (The Story of Harriet Tubman)	Purchased by CGS

PARKER FUNERAL HOME RECORDS

Robertson, Henry Marion
b. Aug 14 1902 Colleton Co, SC
d. May 23 1957 Colleton Co. Hosp.
bur. Gruber Cemetery
Occ. Farmer
Spouse: Mary Edlah Hughes
Father: John Robertson b. Colleton Co, SC
Mother: Josephine Craven b. Colleton Co, SC
Son: John Howard Robertson of Charleston, SC
Sgt. Henry B. Robertson of Fort Bragg, NC
Dau: Mrs. James O'Quinn of Walterboro, SC
Mrs. G. W. Thomas of Canadys, SC
Mrs. C. E. Dandridge of Cottageville, SC
Bro: John Lee Theodore "Oddie" Robertson of Mt. Pleasant, SC
Walter Robertson of Cottageville, SC
David Weston Robertson of Cottageville, SC
Joseph Robertson of Cottageville, SC
Sis: Mrs. Preston Smith of Early Branch, SC
Mrs. Henry Davis of Charleston, SC
10 Grandchildren

Saunders, William Chesley
b. Apr 16 1876 Colleton Co, SC
d. Feb 28 1957 Forest Hill Rest Home, Columbia, SC
bur: Doctors Creek Baptist Church
Occ: Retired Farmer
Spouse: Rivie Thompson
Father: B. C. Saunders
Mother: Mary Adams
Son: W. C. Saunders Jr of Walterboro, SC
Step-son: Lt. Col. John A. Saunders of Citadel, Charleston, SC
Dau: Mrs. R. A. Chaplin of Columbia, SC
Mrs. L. G. Cribb of Wake Forest, NC
Mrs. M. S. Fralick of Bamberg, SC
Bro: J. B. Saunders of Walterboro, SC
Sis: Miss Biddie & Miss Effie Saunders of Walterboro, SC
20 Grandchildren and 7 Great Grandchildren

PARKER FUNERAL HOME RECORDS

Cont'

Sayer, Sidney Gerald

b. Jul 26 1905 Margate, England
 d. Mar 01 1957 New Roper Hospital, Charleston, SC
 bur: Live Oak Cemetery
 Occ. Horticulturalist
 Spouse: Clytie Campbell
 Father: William Thomas Sayer b. Margate, England
 Mother: Alice Mary Horton b. England
 Son: Allen Brooke Sayer
 Dau: Mrs. G. C. Chaplin Jr of Melrose, Charleston, SC
 Kathy Ann Sayer
 Bro: Joe Sayer of England
 Jack Sayer of England
 Ronald Sayer of England
 Herbert Sayer of England
 Sis: Mrs. Sylvia Cowling of England
 Miss Phillis Sayer of England
 1 Granddaughter

Skardon, Alvin Wilson

b. Apr 16 1876 New Orleans, LA
 d. Nov 18 1957 Colleton Co. Hospital
 bur: Live Oak Cemetery
 Occ: Retired Episcopal Minister
 Spouse: Genevieve Hooper
 Father: Ambrose William Skardon b. England
 Mother: Susan Woepler b. New Orleans, LA
 Son: Alvin W. Skardon of Youngstown, OH
 A. H. Skardon of Spartanburg, SC
 Beverly N. Skardon of U.S. Army in Germany
 Rev. Stephen Skardon of New Orleans, LA
 James W. Skardon of Walterboro, SC
 Dau: Mrs. Henry A. White of Allendale, SC
 Sis: Miss Ada Belle Skardon of New Orleans, LA
 17 Grandchildren

Smith, Joe Y.

b. Jul 04 1887 Bamberg Co, SC
 d. Sep 13 1957 Smoaks, SC
 bur: Tabernacle Cemetery
 Occ. Farmer
 1st Spouse: Beulah Jones
 2nd Spouse: Allie Steedly
 Son: Horace G. Smith of Branchville, SC
 Harvey Smith of Smoaks, SC
 Dau: Mrs. Ben Collins of Trenton, NJ
 Mrs. Edwin Eppley of York, PA
 Miss Miriam Smith of Walterboro, SC
 Mrs. J. C. Linder of Walterboro, SC
 Sis: Mrs. Laura Williams of Charleston, SC

Starling, James Otis

b. Jan 31 1895 Columbia, SC
 d. Sep 17 1957 Beaufort Memorial Hospital
 bur. Shiloh Baptist Church Cemetery
 Spouse: Bessie Bishop
 Father: Claude C. Starling b. Columbia, SC
 Mother: Lula C. Hipp b. Newberry Co, SC
 Sis: Miss Marie Starling and Mrs Frank Abell of Columbia, SC
 Mrs. H. H. Wooten of Elizabethton, TN

PARKER FUNERAL HOME RECORDS

Cont'

Smith, Laura Padgett

b. Sep 23 1880 Colleton Co, SC
 d. Jul 04 1957 Adams Run, SC
 bur. Adams Run Methodist Church Cemetery
 1st Spouse: John H. Smith
 2nd Spouse: W. T. Sutcliffe
 Son: D. L. Smith of Adams Run, SC
 Vernon T. Sutcliffe of Adams Run, SC
 Mendel R. Sutcliffe of Adams Run, SC
 Step-Son: William J. Sutcliffe of Charleston, SC
 Dau: Mrs. C. W. Inabinett of Meggett, SC
 Mrs. Edward J. Shultz of Adams Run, SC
 Mrs. Stanley L. Leaming of New Bedford, Mass
 Step-Dau: Mrs. Ernest Crosby of Walterboro, SC
 Mrs. Alice S. Miller of Moncks Corner, SC
 Bro: Eugene H. Padgett of N. Charleston, SC
 Sis: N. E. Padgett of Ruffin, SC
 8 Grandchildren and 10 Great Grandchildren

Smith, Kizzie Phillips

b. Jan 28 1858 Hampton Co, SC
 d. Aug 02 1957
 bur. Smith Cemetery near Varnville, SC
 Spouse Josiah Smith
 Father: Dempsey Phillips b. Hampton Co, SC
 Mother: Elizabeth b. Hampton Co, SC
 Son: Frank Smith of Fort Lee, NJ
 Dau: Ms. Frank Barnes of Walterboro, SC
 Mrs. Hattie Mosley of Hampton, SC
 Mrs. John Bowers of Jacksonville, FL
 28 Grandchildren and 30 Great Grandchildren

Smith, Lonnie Postelle

b. May 06 1880 Colleton Co, SC
 d. Dec 19 1957 Colleton Co, SC
 bur: Tabor United Methodist Church Cemetery
 Occ. Farmer and Saw filer
 Spouse: Mamie Bailey
 Father: Marion Smith b. Colleton Co, SC
 Mother: Addie Hudson b. Hampton Co, SC
 Son: Kenneth Smith of Columbia, SC
 Marion Smith of Moncks Corner, SC
 Dau: Mrs. Ralph Burt of Colleton, SC
 Sis: Mrs. Ruth Beach of Savannah, GA
 Mrs. Lila B. Hill of Tampa, FL
 Mrs. J. Crews of Yemassee, SC
 Mrs. Gladys Saunders of Walterboro, SC
 7 Grandchildren

Stanfield, George Oliver

b. Oct 01 1885 Colleton Co, SC
 d. Mar 16 1957 Colleton Co. Hosp.
 bur Grace Advent Christian Church Cemetery
 Occ: Farmer
 Spouse: Cora Harrison
 Sons: Heyward, Marion & Harry Stanfield of Colleton Co, SC.
 Dau: Inez Stanfield Crosby Bazzle of Walterboro, SC
 Mrs. A. J. Barwick, Mrs. J. W. Caddin, Mrs. Coleman. Byrd all of
 Colleton Co, SC
 Half-Bros: Barney and Byrd Crosby of Ritter, SC
 41 Grandchildren and 20 Great Grandchildren

From the Fall of 2002 THE RICE PLANTER has been featuring ancestral families of Colleton County, South Carolina. We wish to thank our members for their contribution of their research which has enabled us to bring to you information on Colleton County Ancestors. Our membership has grown over the years and we realize that perhaps some of our members may not know of some of the families which have appeared in The Rice Planter over the past twelve years. Listed below are the Families that have been featured in previous issues. If you need and are missing any issues which could help you in your research please feel free to contact our Archivist Dr. David Hiott.

NAME OF FAMILY	BEGINNING VOL & ISSUE	ENDING VOL & ISSUE	B & E DATES
THE KINSEY FAMILY	VOL 22 ISSUE 4		Dec 2014
THE CHASSEREAU FAMILY	VOL 20 ISSUE 1	VOL 22 ISSUE 3	Jan 2012 - Sep 2014
FAMILY OF RIGHT THOMAS WILLIAM ROBERTS	VOL 19 ISSUE 2	VOL 19 ISSUE 4	Apr 2011 - Dec 2011
THE JOHN S. JONES FAMILY	VOL 18 ISSUE 1	VOL 19 ISSUE 1	Jan 2010 - Mar 2011
JAMES E. WILLIAMS FAMILY	VOL 17 ISSUE 2	VOL 17 ISSUE 4	Apr 2009 -Dec 2009
JAMES SMITH FAMILY	VOL 16 ISSUE4	VOL 17 ISSUE 2	Oct 2007 - Jun 2009
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KINSEY FAMILY HISTORY FROM BERN, SWITZERLAND TO AMERICA

RESEARCHED BY MYRTLE KINARD LINDER

Queen Anne of England invited thousands of Protestant Germans from the Palatinate to seek asylum in England from religious persecution. Colonies of these had been sent to New York and from there to South Carolina. Many of the German Protestants remained in England, poor and unable to help themselves. They were living on the charities of the Queen. There had been no provision for them to emigrate to America.

Baron Christopher DeGraffenreid had induced about fifteen hundred to migrate with him to America. Queen Anne seeing a great opportunity for many of these individuals to emigrate to America, made an agreement with DeGraffenreid to take 650 of them to America.

While in London, England Baron Christopher DeGraffenreid met with Louis Mitchell. Mr. Mitchell had been to America and spent a number of years there. He had been exploring searching for large and vacant tracts of land in Pennsylvania, Virginia and Carolina. The two men were determined and purchased 10,000 acres of land between Neuse and Cape Fear Rivers on which 650 people could relocate. The land cost 20 shillings per 100 acres. They also agreed to a quit-rent of 6 pence per 100 acres a year. Each family was given two hundred and fifty acres of land for five years without payments, after which they were to pay two pence per acre per year. They were to be furnished with tools, cattle, hogs, and sheep with payments not due for seven years. They would be supplied with food, to be paid for after the second year. Queen Anne furnished them with clothes and paid five pound, ten shillings per person for transportation to America. All of the above were agreed upon and written and signed. All negotiations between the Queen, the Queen's Commissioners, the Swiss leaders of the colony and the Lords-Proprietors may be seen in Hawks' History. In 1710 Baron Christopher DeGraffenreid, a Swiss nobleman from Bern, Switzerland emigrated to America bringing with him 650 Swiss/Germans which were packed into just two ships.

In December of 1710 they landed safely in America, rejoiced at the prospect of occupying their own land, farming and no longer dependent on the charities of others. The colony of German Swiss built a town and named it New-Berne after Bern the capital of

Switzerland.

Among these pioneers were John Kinsey and his family. We learn that he paid Peter Mallard twenty pounds for 100 acres of land on Salem Creek in Craven County, NC. A group of men; John Kinsey, Jacob Sheets, John Simons, and Peter Ramon were authorized by the Colony to build a church of England. The building was to be thirty feet long and twenty feet wide and twelve feet high and they called it the Palatine Church. On Sep of 1749 John Kinsey was one of the people to sign a petition to King George II, of England, By signing this petition they the signers acknowledged that they had arrived in 1710. John Kinsey was awarded 100 additional acres on Oct 16 1749 and then on Nov 17 1750 he purchased an additional 100 acres of land for 13 shillings.

John Kinsey's will was written April 09 1752 and probated in May 1752. The will mentioned his wife and his children John Jr, **Joseph**, Samuel, Absalom, Christian, and Easter.

Joseph, John's son was a blacksmith by trade. He married Mary Williams and they lived in Jones County, NC His will was written January 31 1807. It mentioned his second wife, Philpenah Miller and his children; **Jesse**, Easter, Alice, Marion, Coelia, John, and Joseph Jr. All the children were from his 1st wife Mary Williams.

Jesse Kinsey, son of Joseph and grandson of John Kinsey is found in South Carolina. He sold 139 acres of land in Jones County, NC to Joseph Kinsey Jr for \$300.00. From 1820-1827 Jesse Kinsey's sons; Henry, John "Jack" and Joseph are listed as Colleton County, SC Jurors.

Many of the South Carolina Kinsey Families descend from this Kinsey Line.

SOUTH CAROLINA DESCENDANTS OF JOHN RIPLEY KINSEY

Generation One

1. **John Ripley Kinsey**, born about 1693 in Switzerland, died Apr 9 1752 in Craven County, NC. He married **Mary Esther Isler**, born about 1700 in Craven County, NC, died about 1752 in Craven County, NC.

Children:

- + 2 i. Joseph Antoine Kinsey born about 1740.

Generation Two

2. **Joseph Antoine Kinsey**, born about 1740 in Craven County, NC, died about 1807 in Jones County, NC. He married (1) **Mary Williams**, about 1760 in North Carolina, born about 1746 in North Carolina, died about 1794 in Jones County, NC.

Children:

- + 3 i. Alice Melinda Kinsey born about 1760.
- + 4 ii. Jesse W. Kinsey born about 1762.
- 5 iii. Esther Kinsey, born about 1764.
- 6 iv. Marian "Mary Ann" Kinsey, born about 1768.
- 7 v. Coelia Kinsey, born about 1769.
- + 8 vi. John Wesley "Jack" Kinsey born about 1765.
- 9 vii. Elizabeth Betsey Celia Kinsey, born about 1773.
- 10 viii. Joseph Antoine Kinsey Jr, born about 1777, died about 1857.

He married (2) **Philpenah Miller**

Generation Three

3. **Alice Melinda Kinsey**, born about 1760 in Jones County, NC, died about 1835 in Colleton County, SC. She married **John Garris**, born about 1770 in North Hampton, NC (son of **William Benjamin Garris** and **Elizabeth Sikes**), died about 1799 in

North Carolina.

Children:

- + 11 i. Griffin Garris Sr born 1786.
- 12 ii. Priscilla Garris, born about 1788 in North Carolina.
- 13 iii. Ann Garris, born about 1790 in Lenoir, NC.
- 14 iv. Daughter Garris, born about 1792.
- 15 v. Irene Garris, born about 1798.
- + 16 vi. Elizabeth Melinda "Sarah" Garris born 1800.
- + 17 vii. Charlotte "Lottie" Garris born about 1804.

4. **Jesse W. Kinsey**, born about 1762, died about 1825.

Children:

- + 18 i. John "Henry" Kinsey Sr born about 1788.
- + 19 ii. Lewis J. Kinsey born about 1790.

8. **John Wesley "Jack" Kinsey**, born about 1765 in Jones County, NC, died about 1850. John Wesley "Jack" Kinsey moved to Jefferson County, Florida before 1847. He married **Elvira Mannie Jones**, born 1770 in North Carolina.

Children:

- + 20 i. Elvirah Alice Kinsey born Jul 1 1798.
- + 21 ii. James W. Kinsey born Feb 22 1800.
- + 22 iii. Joseph F. Kinsey born Mar 3 1801.
- 23 iv. Elizabeth Kinsey, born Mar 15 1804.
- + 24 v. John Kinsey born Feb 20 1806.
- 25 vi. Harriet Kinsey, born Apr 7 1808.
- 26 vii. Jesse Kinsey, born Apr 20 1811 in South Carolina, died 1860 in Jefferson County, Fl. Moved to Florida and raised his family there. He married Sarah Ann Hanners, born 1817 in Georgia, died 1870 in Jefferson County, Fl.
- + 27 viii. William M. Kinsey born Jul 1 1813.
- 28 ix. Anetus Kinsey, born Nov 29 1816.
- 29 x. Mary Ann Kinsey, born Jan 15 1819 in South Carolina, died Oct 26 1892 in Jefferson County, Fl. Moved to Florida and raised family there. She married Littleberry Walker.

Generation Four

11. **Griffin Garris Sr**, born 1786 in Lenoir County, NC, died 1836 in Colleton County, SC, buried in Garris Family Cemetery, Smoaks, Colleton County, SC, military: Served North Carolina Militia from Lenoir County, NC During War of 1812. He married **Elvirah Alice Kinsey**, about 1816 in Colleton County, SC, born Jul 1 1798 in New Bern, NC (daughter of **John Wesley "Jack" Kinsey** and **Elvira Mannie Jones**), died about 1878 in Colleton County, SC, buried in Garris Family Cemetery, Smoaks, Colleton County, SC.

Children:

- + 30 i. Elizabeth "Betsy" Garris born Apr 16 1817.
- 31 ii. John Garris, born Aug 10 1819 in Colleton County, SC, died Dec 15 1863 in Cassville, GA, military CSA. He married (1) Nancy Smith. He married (2) Marilla Lyons, born about 1833 in South Carolina, died about 1894 in Colleton County, SC.
- 32 iii. George Garris, born about 1820, died about 1836 in Colleton County, SC. Possibly (marriage to a Sara Unknown).
- + 33 iv. William A. "Billy" Garris born Aug 19 1821.
- + 34 v. Griffin Garris Jr born Nov 20 1823.
- + 35 vi. Berry William "Barry" Garris born Jul 17 1826.
- + 36 vii. Charles Glover Garris born Nov 2 1827.
- 37 viii. Abner Garris, born Jun 12 1831 in Colleton County, SC, died 1836 in Colleton County, SC.

16. **Elizabeth Melinda "Sarah" Garris**, born 1800 in Lenoir, Caldwell County, NC, died 1885 in Colleton County, SC. She married (1) **Griffin Saunders**, about 1817, born 1770 in North Carolina (son of **James Hardy Saunders** and **Celia Griffin**), died 1838 in Colleton County, SC.

Children:

- 38 i. Joseph William Saunders, born about 1819 in Colleton County, SC, died about 1840 in Colleton County, SC.

- + 39 ii. Griffin Garris Saunders Sr born Jan 17 1821.
- + 40 iii. Sarah Elizabeth Saunders born Jan 06 1823.
- + 41 iv. Mary Celia Ann Saunders born Jun 08 1825.

She married (2) **Unknown Carter**.

She married (3) **Thomas Huey Caldwell**, born 1799 in Ireland (son of **Thomas Giles Caldwell Sr** and **Elizabeth Ann Unknown**).

Children:

- + 42 v. Sarah "Melinda" Caldwell born Jan 26 1833.

17. **Charlotte "Lottie" Garris**, born about 1804, died about 1885 in Colleton County, SC. She married **Jesse Garris**, died before 1850. .

Children:

- 43 i. Calvin Garris, born about 1824 in South Carolina, died 1864 in Franklin, TN, military CPL in Company E 24th SC Inf.
- 44 ii. Irene E. G. Garris, born Sep 10 1827, died Jan 15 1910, buried in Smoaks, Colleton County, SC. Living in 1870 with brother, SPJ Garris and his wife Mary.
- 45 iii. Philpenah M. E. "Poene" Garris, born Jan 10 1841 in Colleton County, SC, died Jun 28 1909, buried in Smoaks Baptist Church Cemetery, Smoaks, Colleton County, SC. .
- + 46 iv. Senas Pinckney Jasper "Pink" Garris Sr born Oct 6 1842.

18. **John "Henry" Kinsey Sr**, born about 1788, died about 1880. He married **Lavenia "Vinnie" Crosby**, born about 1790 in Colleton County, SC (daughter of **Peter C. Crosby** and **Margaret L. Strickland**).

Children:

- + 47 i. Elizabeth Kinsey born about 1820.
- + 48 ii. James K. Kinsey born about 1823.
- + 49 iii. Violetta "Lettie" or "Vinny" Kinsey born about 1830.
- + 50 iv. Henry Kinsey born about 1833.
- + 51 v. John "Lewis" Kinsey born Sep of 1835.
- + 52 vi. George Washington "George Wash" Kinsey born about 1837.
- + 53 vii. Levinia Leonie Kinsey born about 1840.

19. **Lewis J. Kinsey**, born about 1790. He married **Sarah "Sally" Carter**, born about 1794, died After 1860.

Children:

- + 54 i. James "Elzy" Kinsey born about 1812.
- + 55 ii. Henry E. Kinsey born Jan 29 1814.
- + 56 iii. Lewis J. Kinsey Jr born Jun 19 1822.
- + 57 iv. Mahala Kinsey born about 1823.
- + 58 v. Ransom Kinsey born about 1827.
- + 59 vi. Delilah "Lila" Kinsey born about 1831.
- + 60 vii. Jesse Kinsey born about 1832.
- + 61 viii. Caroline Kinsey born about 1835.
- 62 ix. Sarah "Sally" Kinsey, born about 1837.

20. **Elvirah Alice Kinsey** (See marriage to number 11.)

21. **James W. Kinsey**, born Feb 22 1800, died Dec 10 1882. He married **Nancy Padgett**, born about 1804, died After 1870 in Colleton County, SC.

Children:

- + 63 i. Riley Kinsey born about 1827.
- + 64 ii. Joseph S. Kinsey born Sep 18 1829.
- + 65 iii. James "Jim" Kinsey born about 1835.
- 66 iv. Mary Kinsey, born about 1837, died Dec 25 1910, buried in Tabernacle Cemetery, Smoaks, SC. She married Burrell Luther Jones Sr, born Oct 2 1856 (son of Brinson R. Jones and Elizabeth Flynn), died Jul 18 1926, buried in Tabernacle Cemetery, Smoaks, SC.
- + 67 v. John E. Kinsey born about 1839.
- + 68 vi. Andrew Brabham Kinsey born about 1839.
- + 69 vii. Vastine C. Kinsey born about 1843.

- + 70 viii. Anna Kinsey born about 1844.
 - 71 ix. Sarah Jane Kinsey, born about 1847, died Dec 28 1877, buried in Tabernacle Cemetery, Smoaks, SC. She married Burrell Luther Jones Sr, born Oct 2 1856 (son of Brinson R. Jones and Elizabeth Flynn), died Jul 18 1926, buried in Tabernacle Cemetery, Smoaks, SC.
 - + 72 x. Harriet O. Kinsey born about 1848.
 - 73 xi. Martha Kinsey, born about 1849. She married Martin Jones.
22. **Joseph F. Kinsey**, born Mar 3 1801 in South Carolina, died 1864 in Jefferson County, FL. Moved to Florida and raised their family there. He married **Caroline Stanley**, born 1806 in South Carolina, died 1870 in Jefferson County, FL. **Caroline:** Sister to Eveline Stanley wife of John Wesley Kinsey.
- Children:*
- 74 i. Rebecca Kinsey, born May 19 1825 in South Carolina, died Jun 30 1911 in Florida, buried in Bishop Cemetery, Monticello, FL. Adopted. She married John Wesley Grubbs, Apr 23 1842 in Jefferson County, FL, born 1820 in Georgia (son of Benjamin Grubbs and Mary Ann Gore), died Mar 06 1865 in Florida during the Civil War.
 - 75 ii. Perry Kinsey, born about 1829 in Georgia, died Aug 17 1862 in Richmond, Va.
 - 76 iii. William A. Kinsey, born Oct 17 1834 in Aucilla, Jefferson County, FL, died Jan 30 1902 in Jefferson County, FL.
 - 77 iv. Joanna Kinsey, born May 10 1836 in Aucilla, Jefferson County, FL, died Jun 5 1892 in Monticello, Jefferson County, FL.
 - 78 v. John Jack Kinsey, born about 1836 in Aucilla, Jefferson County, FL, died Oct 18 1862 in Jefferson County, FL.
 - 79 vi. Dorothy Kinsey, born about 1838 in Aucilla, Jefferson County, FL.
 - 80 vii. Joseph F. Kinsey Jr, born about 1840 in Aucilla, Jefferson County, FL, died Aug 12 1863 in Raleigh, Henrico County, VA.
 - + 81 viii. Russell "Elliot" Kinsey born Oct 07 1844.
 - 82 ix. Tulious K. Kinsey, born Apr 23 1844 in Aucilla, Jefferson County, FL, died Apr 26 1920 in Perry, Taylor County, FL.
 - 83 x. Bryant Kinsey, born Aug of 1850 in Aucilla, Jefferson County, FL, died 1922 in Jefferson County, FL.
 - 84 xi. Samuel William Kinsey, born Jul 04 1854 in Aucilla, Jefferson County, FL, died Jan 30 1936 in Jefferson County, FL.
24. **John Kinsey**, born Feb 20 1806, died 1880. Moved to Florida and raised his family there. He married **Eveline Stanley**, born 1817, died 1867 in Monticello, Jefferson County, FL. **Eveline:** Sister to Carolina Stanley wife of Joseph F. Kinsey.
- Children:*
- 85 i. Joel Kinsey, born about 1837.
 - 86 ii. Richard Kinsey, born about 1840 in Aucilla, Jefferson County, FL.
 - 87 iii. Harriett Kinsey, born about 1841.
 - 88 iv. Ulysses Duncan Kinsey, born May of 1846 in Aucilla, Jefferson County, FL.
 - 89 v. Mary Mariah Kinsey, born about 1850 in Aucilla, Jefferson County, FL.
 - 90 vi. John Kinsey, born about 1854 in Florida.
27. **William M. Kinsey**, born Jul 1 1813 in Colleton County, SC, died Sep 24 1889 in Colleton County, SC, buried in Smoaks Baptist Church Cemetery, Smoaks, Colleton County, SC. He married **Harriet Ann Smoak**, about 1837, born Jul 24 1818 in Colleton County, SC (daughter of **David William Smoak** and **Susan Charity "Lottie" Prine**), died Feb 28 1895 in Colleton County, SC, buried in Smoaks Baptist Church Cemetery, Smoaks, Colleton County, SC.
- Children:*
- + 91 i. Joseph A. Kinsey born Nov 13 1838.
 - + 92 ii. William Boyd Kinsey born Nov 06 1843.
 - 93 iii. Iredell E. Kinsey, born Dec 02 1844, died May 23 1859, buried in Smoaks Baptist Church Cemetery, Smoaks, Colleton County, SC.
 - + 94 iv. Amanda Elvira Kinsey born Mar 02 1846.
 - + 95 v. John Edward Kinsey born Jul 26 1848.
 - 96 vi. Sarah Catherine Kinsey, born about 1850, died about 1863, buried in Smoaks Baptist Church Cemetery, Smoaks, Colleton County, SC.
 - + 97 vii. Julia Augusta Kinsey born May 01 1852.
 - + 98 viii. Charles English Kinsey born Mar 1 1854.
 - + 99 ix. Ervin "Erasmus" or "Raz" Kinsey born about 1860.

- 100 x. Josephine Kinsey, born about 1863, died young.

Generation Five

30. **Elizabeth "Betsy" Garris**, born Apr 16 1817 in Smoaks, Colleton County, SC, died Feb 15 1879 in Smoaks, Colleton County, SC, buried in Carter's Ford Baptist Church, Lodge, SC. She married (1) **James Wilson Miley**, born Apr 16 1816 in Barnwell District, SC (son of **Robert Miley** and **Elizabeth Smoak**), died Feb 15 1878 in South Carolina.

Children:

- 101 i. George Miley, born about 1839, died about 1865 in Mississippi during Civil War. He married Sarah Jane Smith, born about 1844 in Colleton County, SC (daughter of David Lawrence Smith and Joannah Smoak), died May 22 1928 in Richland County, SC, buried in Ft Motte, SC. Sarah: According to the 1900 Census Sarah Jane Walker had 9 children and was widowed however only five living.
- 102 ii. John Miley, born about 1841, died Jul 22 1864 in Battle of Atlanta in American Civil War. He married Caroline Smith, born Feb 18 1840 in Colleton County, SC (daughter of David Lawrence Smith and Joannah Smoak), died Apr 20 1915 in Colleton County, SC, buried in Little Swamp United Methodist Cemetery, Bamberg County, SC. Caroline: According to death certificate of Caroline Smith Kinsey she was born Jan 18 1840.
- 103 iii. Elizabeth Amanda "Lizzie" Miley, born Aug 05 1843 in Smoaks, Colleton County, SC, died Jun 11 1911, buried in Live Oak Cemetery, Walterboro, SC. She married (1) Joseph A. Kinsey, born Nov 13 1838 (son of William M. Kinsey and Harriet Ann Smoak), died May 12 1865, buried in Smoaks Baptist Church Cemetery, Smoaks, Colleton County, SC. She married (2) Abner Brown "Abbie" Garris Sr, Dec 12 1867, born Dec 23 1844 in Colleton County, SC (son of William A. "Billy" Garris and Charlotte Ann "Lottie" Smoak), died Mar 26 1931, buried in Live Oak Cemetery, Walterboro, SC, military War Between the States.
- 104 iv. Joseph Clark Miley, born Feb 12 1845 in Colleton County, SC, died Aug 14 1881, buried in Old Bethesda Church, Bamberg, SC, military: War Between The States. He married Amanda Elvira Kinsey, Nov 08 1870, born Mar 02 1846 (daughter of William M. Kinsey and Harriet Ann Smoak), died Aug 02 1928, buried in Old Bethesda Church, Bamberg, SC.
- 105 v. James Wilson "Big Jim" Miley, born Oct 3 1846 in Colleton County, SC, died Sep 28 1915 in Walterboro, Colleton County, SC, buried in Little Swamp United Methodist Cemetery, Bamberg County, SC, military Served in Civil War. He married Arimental Pearl "Mitty" Garris, Dec 12 1867 by Rev. L. Linder, born Apr 16 1846 (daughter of William A. "Billy" Garris and Charlotte Ann "Lottie" Smoak), died Mar 21 1925, buried in Little Swamp United Methodist Cemetery, Bamberg County, SC.

She married (2) **James Graham "Humpie Jim" Padgett**, born Sep 9 1815 in Bamberg County, SC (son of **Samuel S. "Teacher Sam" Padgett** and **Elizabeth Goodwin**), died Mar 22 1882 in Colleton County, SC, buried in Goodwin-Padgett Cemetery, Padgetts, Colleton County, SC.

Children:

- 106 vi. Robert Rutledge Padgett, born Apr 8 1848 in Padgetts, Colleton County, SC, died Feb 5 1918 in Padgetts, Colleton County, SC, buried in Goodwin-Padgett Cemetery, Padgetts, Colleton County, SC. He married (1) Ursula Jane "Sula" Garris, Feb 1 1866 in Colleton County, SC, born Jul 29 1847 in Colleton County, SC (daughter of William A. "Billy" Garris and Charlotte Ann "Lottie" Smoak), died Nov 12 1887 in Colleton County, SC, buried in Goodwin-Padgett Cemetery, Padgetts, Colleton County, SC. He married (2) Rebecca L. Hiers, May 23 1888 in Colleton County, SC, born Sep 8 1866 in Colleton County, SC, died Dec 16 1942 in Colleton County, SC, buried in Goodwin-Padgett Cemetery, Padgetts, Colleton County, SC. Rebecca: Daughter of George Hiers and Mary Hiers. Funeral home records show birth date as Oct 12 1867 (we chose to take tombstone date of birth).
- 107 vii. Elvirah Jane Padgett, born Dec 31 1853 in Colleton County, SC, died May 29 1938 in Epley, Lamar County, Miss, buried in Oral Cemetery, Clyde, Lamar County, Miss. She married John Chester Hanberry, born May 10 1842 in Barnwell County, SC (son of John Hanberry and Eleanor Dowling), died Feb 10 1908 in Prentiss, Miss, buried in Oral Cemetery, Clyde, Lamar County, Miss.

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