

Ashville Creek - WC, NC

- ① Have found WC, NC Stream files - Need
to add Ashville Creek not in APT
- ② Look for Mary Smith File in Valley
for William A 1802 Land??

Hi Phil,

I hope you are doing well. I know that you are incredibly busy as ever. You are an energizer bunny!

I have come across a land entry, 1802, for a William Upchurch, 150A on the waters of Abbotts Creek , joining the lines of Robert Sneed, etc.

I am researching the Abbott family – William Abbott dies in Wake in 1777 leaving sons William Jr (off to SC), Isaac (lose about 1786 in criminal court), John (loose about 1794 in criminal court), Jacob (sells dad's land 1779 and disappears), and Abraham (stays in Wake, has a son William who marries a daughter of Robert Sneed). The family had constant links to the Simms family – a grandchild mentioned in 1777 (though who appears to die before reaching adulthood) was named Simms Abbott.

That all said – it got me wondering if William Abbott links into your Upchurch's? If so, in the course of your research have you come across any of the Abbott family members? Or any records mentioning the Sneed or Simms family in conjunction with Upchurch's in the Abbot's Creek area?

Though I find this family in court all the time – by 1800 – only Abraham is still obviously in Wake and I lose son William 1836 when he buys the family bible at the estate sale; though, I lose him in the Wake tax records in 1823 (he must be living in someone else's household or has moved and is still nearby) – he is never listed as HOH in the census for 1820, 1830, 1840 ...

And, no worries if you don't have time to look into this or if you don't remember anything related to the Abbott family ... not a problem.

I figured it wouldn't hurt to ask!

Take care,

Diane :-)

Hi Diane---

Thanks for the map. I have now located the site on my Wake County road map although Abbots Creek is not shown never mind named. I write to report effort but, regrettably, not progress.

I now operate out of an office in my apartment and out of Allied Families Research Center about 15 minutes away where the Allied Family Archives are located. I have now looked at my records and find nothing in the Upchurch files to match your information. Nor do I find anything that would be helpful in my 50 Sneed or 5 Sneeds Biofiles.

Of course I have hundreds of Biofiles for those named William Upchurch. They are so numerous the they are filed by middle initial/name if they have one. It could be that the William you search is in my system by a middle name and I do not know which middle initial file to examine. It would take an hour or so to go through them all. I will if you say so. Then for those named William U. without a middle initial/name I file by state. I have looked at the entries for William Upchurch Biofiles for N. C. and find no help. (See one note below.)

For years I have made extract sheets dealing with stream names and placed them in geographical files. My problem at the moment is that my stream file seems to have been dislocated in our move last May and has not yet surfaced. I have a storage unit rented where we placed things while we decide what to do with them. We went out yesterday hoping to spot the stream files but no luck. When it surfaces I will return to your Abbott stream issue and see if I have it on file hopefully with associated information.

The general area of Wake County where you show the tracts does not ring a bell for me with one exception. My memory tells me that Jim Jones several years ago mentioned that in his land grant searches he had noted that one land grant on the outskirts of Raleigh (north side if I recall correctly) showed an adjoining Upchurch land holding but without a first name. Surely, I made an extract sheet for this input but it has not surfaced as I looked re your query. However, it seems likely that the William of 1802 you cite is most likely to be the one Jim encountered.

I did fine one Biofile entry that might be relevant. On February 2, 1978 I logged a note sent in by Cousin Elva of TX that seemed to refer to a transaction in N.C. In 1816 William Upchurch was taxed for 100 acres which he sold to Betsey Upchurch by May 1816 A deed was recorded to Betsy Upchurch.

Among my Sneed records is one reference Upchurch related. In Granville Co., NC on June 14, 1796 Mary Harris married Israel Bailey. The Bondsman was John U. (John U.,IV) and the witness was Step (Stephen?) Sneed. This John U had in 1790 married Ann Harris. I suspect Mary and Ann are sisters.

You have certainly given me some materials to place in my Biofile and other files but it would be plain luck if anything I am sending will be helpful.

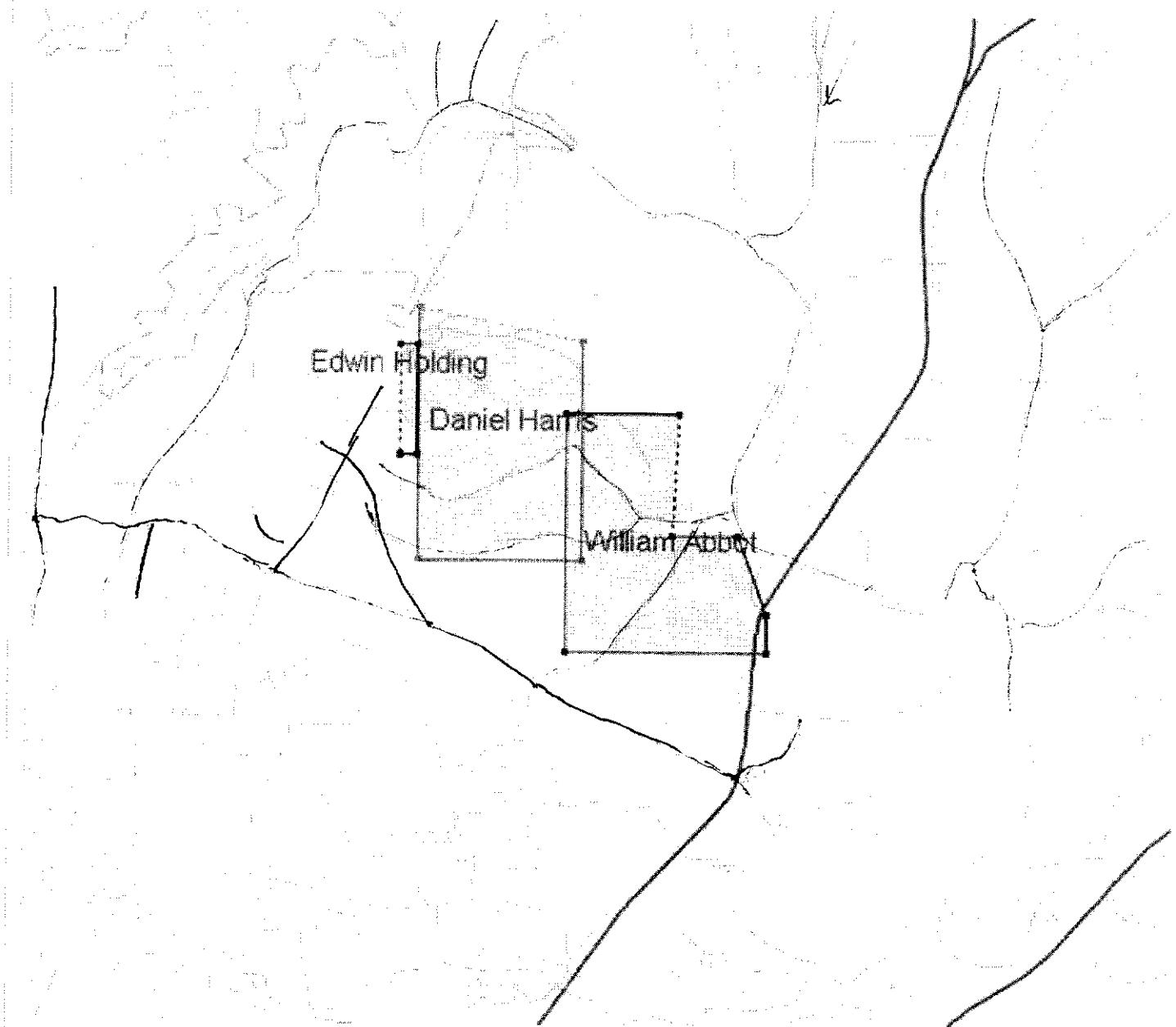
Let me know if there is something you want me to dig further on.

Phil Upchurch

Hi Phil,

Not in Swift Creek area ... unfortunately ... though, when I saw a mention of Upchurch, I hoped ...

It is actually in North Raleigh – just south of Falls of the Neuse ... here is an image from Jim's database ...



Diana

Ashland - about 200 Burpels

Diana's list

1802 W^m land eng 150 A water of Abbotts Creek
from Robert Sned

NO W^m Abbott d 1777 (WC)

NO W^m Jr → sc

NO Isaac

NO John

NO Joseph - sells land 1799

NO Abraham - dies no wife or of 1800

NO W^m - 1836 buys family Bkfst

Name - Sweet

D/o Robert Sned

} Burkhardt

Gimms Family

W^m Name Abbott b 66 d 1 SEP 1988 Selma

new surname list

where is

Abbott Creek

Proper Sned and 17 NOV 1896 Lenox NC

50 SNEAD Burpels - many active NC

5-6 Snedes

ROBERT

SNEED

○ From Wake Treasures Vol 3 No 2 (SUMMER 1993)

Pg 43 - In an article entitled "The Genesis
of Wake County"; by Marshall DeLancey Haywood

In 1835 and again in 1841 the United States Government published lists of soldiers of the Revolution who were pensioned for services in that war. At the risk of being tedious, I give the Wake County lists in full. Persons desiring a statement of the war record of any veteran herein named can obtain the same free of charge by addressing a request therefore to the Commissioner of Pensions, at Washington City. Except when otherwise designated, persons mentioned were privates in the service of North Carolina. Some of the names are spelled differently on the two lists, and these variations I have indicated below. The list published in 1835 was as follows: Berthett ALLEN, James ADAMS, Philip ADAMS, James AMES, John AMOS, Christopher BABB, James BROWN, Jesse BRYANT (Virginia), William BURTON (or William H. BURTON), Jacob BYRUM, Benjamin CARPENTER, James CHRISTIAN 2nd, William CLIFTON, George COLE, Robert DODD, Reuben EVANS, John GREEN, Jesse HARRIS (or HORRIS), James HUGHES (Virginia), Thomas JINKS (Corporal), Francis JONES, Vincent KING, Joshua LYNCH, David MABRY, Jesse MANUEL, John MARR, Shadrach MEDLIN, Naaman MILLS, James NANCE, senior (Virginia), Jesse OSBORN, Drury PITTFORD (Virginia), William POLK (Major), Elisha POPE (Virginia), Frederick RIGSBY (or RIGSBEE), Thomas ROSS, John RHODES, Aaron ROBERTS, Robert SNEED (Virginia), Joseph SHAW (Pennsylvania), Isaac SMITH, Samuel STANDEFORD (Virginia), Samuel SCARBOROUGH, senior, (Virginia), Jonathan SMITH, senior (Captain), John SHERRON, John SWENNEY, William TATE, Nathan UPCHURCH, William WILDER, Burrell (or Burwell) WHITEHEAD, John WALKER, John WILLIAMS, and Jesse WALL. In addition to the above, the list of 1841 gives the following names, without indicating rank, or State in which they served: James HARWARD, Thomas HOLLAND, Richard PIPEN, William SLEDD, Rufus WILLIE, and William WOOD. Some of these veterans were dead before lists were published. Joel TERRELL, whose name also appears on the pension roll of 1835, appears to have rendered his military service in the United States Army after the Revolution - possibly in the War of 1812.

STEP

SNEED

○ Marriage - Granville Co, NC

- △△ John U ^{III} md 21 JUN 1790 (24 JUN 1799) Ann Harris
△△ (Mary Ann Harris) Bondsman William Currie;
△ witness Henry Potter (William H. Potter) BOND 2596

I. John U, II - Head of clan

md () Mary Ann Harris

○ Marriage - Granville Co, NC

- △△ Isreal Bailey md 14 JUN 1796 Mary Harris
△ Bondsman John U; witness STEP SNEED ↑
- BOND 6360 { Assume John U = John U, II - R P&U }

STEPHEN

SNEED

BOOK: MARRIAGES OF GRANVILLE CO, NC 1753-1868 - Inspected
By RPL in Library of Seminary College, Greensburg, Franklin Co, NC
on 10 OCT 2007. There were 11 upcheckers in the index

Archd H. 269

Catey 173

Elyzabeth 185

Jesse 14

John 438

Martha 134

Mary A. W 253

Mary Ann 257

Russella M 203

W. N. 283

Wm A. 283.

14 JUN 1796 ^Δ Israel Bailey md ^Δ Mary Davis Bm ^Δ Jul 4, ^Δ Stephen Sneed and

17 JAN 1846 ^Δ James D. Williams md ^Δ Martha Bm ^Δ W. W. Demet
and ^Δ Anna M. Wiggens

23 MAR 1799 ^Δ Jesse Huddleston md ^Δ Catey H Bm ^Δ Ezekiel Huddleston
and ^Δ R. Davis

20 MAR 1838 ^Δ W^m Johnson md ^Δ Elizabeth H Bm ^Δ Lemuel Beplin
and ^Δ S. G. Shearman

19 FEB 1835 ^Δ Lawrence Turner md ^Δ Russell M. H Bm ^Δ Allen clay
and ^Δ Benja Kettell

2 JUL 1859 ^Δ Samuel A. Parham md ^Δ Mary A. W. H Bm ^Δ J. F. Clark
and ^Δ 7 JUL 1859 by ^Δ J. P.

10 SEP 1838 ^Δ Ralph Parham md ^Δ Mary Ann H Bm ^Δ G. C. Wiggens
and ^Δ S. G. Shearman

11 OCT 1852 ^Δ Thomas T. Gleavans md ^Δ Susan Jane Fasham
Bm ^Δ Archd H. H. ^Δ unt A. Landis md 18 OCT 1852 by
^Δ D. J. Fasell J. P.

8 SEP 1860 ^Δ John Robertson md ^Δ Barbara Fasham Bm ^Δ W H A H
and ^Δ A. Landis md 9 SEP 1860 by ^Δ A. H. Cooke

24 AUG 1863 ^Δ Norphlet Y. Robertson md ^Δ Rhoda J. Fasham Bm ^Δ W. H. H.
and 25 AUG 1863 by ^Δ T. A. Stewart J. P.

5 DEC 1865 ^Δ Thomas Walker md Mrs Mary Ann Parham [see MARY ANN H]
Bm ^Δ John C. H. and ^Δ A. Landis. md 5 DEC 1865 by ^Δ Thos J. P.

STEPHEN

S NEED

○ Marriage - Granville Co, NC 1753-1868 - By Brent
H. Holcomb Gen. Publishing Co, Inc Baltimore 1981
Inspected by R PW SSU 5 DEC 2001 in Zebulon, NC
Library - All church records copied.

Pg 14 Israel Bailey & Mary Hamm 14 JUN 1796

John H. Bonnerman, Step. Sneed ^A unt

Pg 134 James D. Grisam & Martha H 17 JAN 1846

W. W. Dement Bonnerman, Jas M. Whigine unt

Pg 173 Jesse Huddleston & Catey H 23 MAY 1794

Zekiel Huddleston BM, Ro. Hamm unt

Pg 185. Wm Johnson & Elizabeth H 20 MAR 1838

Lewis Neffin BM S. G. Shearman unt

Pg 203 Turner Landers & Priscilla M. H. 14 FEB 1835

Allen Clay BM Benja Kellrell unt

Pg 253 Samuel A. Parham & Mary A. W. H 25 JUL 1859

J. J. Clark BM md 7 JUL 1859 by --- J. P.

Pg 257 Ralph Parsh & Mary Ann H 10 SEP 1838

G. G. Whigine BM S. G. Shearman, unt

Pg 264 Thomas T. Pleasant & Susan Jane Parham

11 OCT 1852 Archd. H. H. BM, A. Landis

WIT md 18 OCT 1852 by D. J. Paschal, J. P.

Pg 283 John Roberson & Barbara Parham 8 SEP 1860

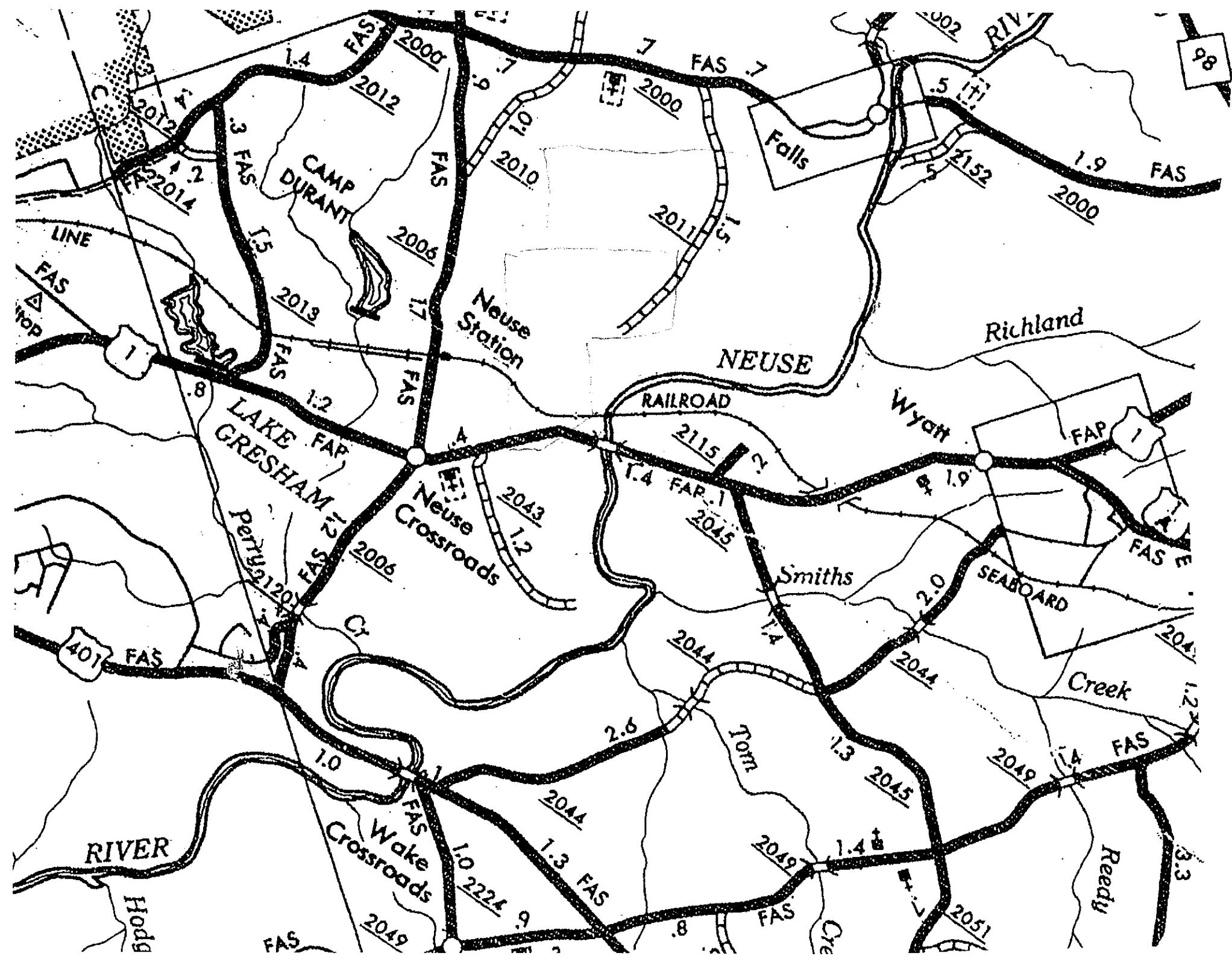
WMA H BM A. Landis unt. md 9 SEP 1860

by A. H. Cook

Pg 338 Thomas Walker & Mrs Mary Ann Parham

5 DEC 1865 John G. H BM, A. Landis unt

MD 5 DEC 1865 by -- Hodge, J. P.



NC

WILLIAM U

UFU E 1850 NE

① See Pg 26 of 2 FEB 1978 Jt's Elma E. Burkhalter to RD4

A. Betsy U - Personal property and land taxes 1816.
William U was taxed for 100 acres which he
sold to Betsy U by May 1816. Recorded deed
to Betsy U (Note: This appears to be in NC-R 24)

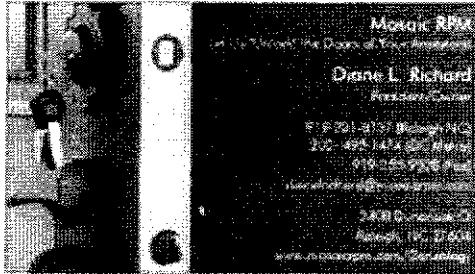
Hi Phil,

Thanks so much for looking!

I was holding my breath since I knew it wasn't in your main area of interest in Wake County and figured it didn't hurt to ask!

Appreciate your sharing what you know ... I'll keep in my file just in case.

Diane :-)



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From: phil@upchurchstory.com [mailto:phil@upchurchstory.com]

Sent: Monday, September 29, 2014 12:05 PM

To: Diane L Richard

Subject: RE: Upchurch -- Abbotts Creek area & Robert Sneed

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WILLIAM U - 71 ACRES WC, NC 1813

UFUZ 1850
WAKE CO, NC

FROM: N. C. GENEALOGICAL
SOCIETY JOURNAL

Delinquent Taxpayers Whose Property Was
Sold for the Federal Direct Tax of 1813

Vol 36 No 3 Aug 2010

Pgs 208-216

by Diane L. Richard and Alyria A. Richard*

Throughout the pre-1818 time period, there were many so-called Direct Tax lists which appeared in the newspapers. These were federal taxes which were imposed. The section of the National Archives website that describes the records of the Internal Revenue Service provides the following history on these taxes:

SEVERAL PARAGRAPHS OMITTED - RPY
ONLY ENTRIES FOR WAKE CO, NC COPIED
RPy
DIRECT TAX

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Direct Tax laid under the act of Congress of August 2, 1813, on the following described property, situate in this State, having remained one year from the time of the notification of the Collector in whose district the said property lies, that the tax had become due and payable, the same, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the said tax due thereon, with an addition of twenty per centum, will be sold at public sale at the Courthouse in the Town of Hillsborough, in the County of Orange, on the 4th day of October, 1815, at 11 o'clock A. M.

Name of taxable persons	Description of property	Amount payable		
		D	C	M
WAKE:				
Armistead	320 acres land			65
Willie Beasley	75 do do			41
Wm. Beasley	75 do do			41
James Gray	305 do do	1	24	½
Heirs of Garret Goodloe	do do			98
Moses Hawkins	40 do do			13
John Malone	300 do do			61
S. Smith's heirs	213 do do	1	22	½
Wm Upchurch	71 do do			21
Leroy Trice	231½ do do			59
Isham Eppes	200 do do	1	22	½
Jno. Hamilton	640 do do	2	4	½
Thomas Cary	200 do do	1		2

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WILLIAM

U [UFU ≤ 1850 WAKE CO, NC]

○ WAKE CO, NC COUNTY COURT MINUTES - BOOK II
1801-1803; BOOK PG=□; WEYNETTE PARKS HANV PG=□^x

[168] [54]^x THUR 18 FEB 1802

* William U, Hardy Guffy & Wm Hutchens are appointed
Patrolers in Capt. SUGGS District

[220] [106]^x WED 18 AUG 1802

The State vs James IVEY: Upon an Indictment for an
Assault & Battery committed on the body of

* William U. The Defendant submitted to the Court
and was fined five Shillings and Costs

[222] [108]^x WED 18 AUG 1802

* The State vs William U: Upon an Indictment for an
Assault and Battery committed on the body of Nathaniel
Lane - Defendant pleads not guilty, jury of 12 (names listed)
then found him guilty. Fine 15 pounds & costs

[224] [110]^x THUR 19 AUG 1802

* The State vs William U: on an Indictment for an
Ass. & Battery was fined at this term fifteen
Pounds and on Motion, ordered that the fine
be reduced to seven pounds ten shillings

THUR 24 FEB 1803:

[286] [172]^x A deed from James Walker to Nathan U proved
by Gideon Goodwin [NATHAN U, I]

[287] [173]^x A deed from Nathan Massey to Abel U proved
by Bryan Martin [ABEL U, SR]

[289] [175]^x A deed from James Pace to Buckner U proved by
Andrew Hartfield.

* This William U crossfiled in Profile system & UFU ≤ 1850 Wake Co, NC

UNIDENTIFIED UPCHURCH
OF WAKE CO, NC

See profile of Isaac Hunter entry 4 AUG 2008
Re a 678 Acre Land Grant surveyed on 28 NOV 1778
for Isaac Hunter on Crabtree Creek at Marsh
Creek in Wake Co, NC adjoining land of Isaac
Hunter and naming a corner with an
UPCHURCH, first name not given. RPH &
cooperators from Jones presume the Upchurchs
had temporarily settled and well enough to
get his name mentioned by the surveyor - but
possibly moved on and never obtained a
full set of documentation for a tract

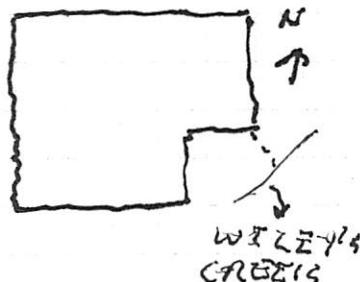
- RPH 18 AUG 2008

- Extract of Upchurches found in Wake Co, NC Census & Tax lists 1830 & 1840 by Frances Holloway Lynne. All entries except one unidentified fall under Clark Headed by 3 brothers as follows : [14 UPCHURCHES MENTIONED]
- I. Nathan U, I - Head of clan - on 1830 Census & 1830 TL - White Oak TSP
- ① A. Burris U - on 1830 & 1840 Census & 1830 & 1840 TL - white oak TSP
 - ② 1. Abel U - on 1840 Census & 1840 TL - Kitts Creek Dist
 - ③ 2. William C. U on 1840 Census & 1840 TL - Raleigh, NC
 - ④ B. Hubbard U - on 1830 & 1840 Census & 1830 & 1840 TL - white oak TSP
 - ⑤ C. Tabitha U - on 1830 Census & 1840 TL - white oak TSP
 - ⑥ 1. Golden Almen D, Sr on 1840 Census & 1840 TL white oak, TSP
 - ⑦ D. Gilbert U - on 1840 Census - Not on 1830 or 1840 TL
- II. Moses U - Head of clan - lived in Clarendon Co, NC
- ⑧ A. Whitney U - on 1830 & 1840 Census & 1830 & 1840 TL white oak, TSP
 - ⑨ B. Gillum U - on 1840 Census - Not on 1830 or 1840 TL
 - ⑩ 1. Hansen U (Presumed s/o Gillum U) on 1840 Census and on 1840 TL St Matthews TSP
- III. Richard U, III - Head of clan - d 1817 lived Franklin Co, NC
- A. James U, VII d about 1835 lived Franklin Co, NC
 - ⑪ 1. Kearney U - on 1840 Census & on Cross Roads Dist TL
 - ⑫ Richard U Not on 1830 or 1840 Census; on 1840 TL white oak TSP - presumed Richard Dillard U, Sr s/o Whitney U
 - ⑬ William U, identity unknown, listed 493 A on 1840 TL in Smoot Creek TSP for Jane (Yates) Bette, widow of Basilla Bette, Sr
- CROSS FILE : William U profile & William U UFL \leq 1850
wake co, NC

WILEY'S CREEK - HOLLY SPRINGS TWP - WC, NC

() See ^A Staley Caraway Smith Email 3 NOV 2016 for
a Smith & Smith 5 JUL 1967 survey of a 67.98 Acre
Tract on ^A WILEY'S CREEK in Holly Springs Twp owned
by C. B. U (CHARLES BERNEST U) it being adjoined
by 3 Great Uncles of Staley. RPLU 3 NOV 2016
WAKE CO., NC

SHAPE:



joined on N by JAMES BECKWITH
and A. H. JONES
on W by A. A. TILLEY and
B. N. HOLLEMAN
on E by S. W. HOLLEMAN and
Dr DONALD R. MOORE
on S by S. W. HOLLEMAN and
C. P. HOLLEMAN

- I. SAMUEL ROBERT MOORE 26 APR 1879 - 2 JUL 1970
MD () ANNA GREENE 23 APR 1878 - 5 APR 1952
- BOTH BAPTIST MISSIONARIES IN CHINA - BUR INCARY
- △ A.* DONALD R. MOORE, M.D. A BAPTIST MEDICAL MISS. - CHINA
WAS A FAMILY PHYSICIAN IN COATS - HARNETT CO, NC
MD () ANNE -
- △ B. ANNA DORA MOORE b 1905 (CHINA) ARRIVED IN US AS A
△ TEENAGER - MD () ULON STALEY MILLS - BORN BUT OLIVE CHAPEL
- I. JACQUELINE MILLS MD () AARON EARL SMITH, SR
a. STALEY CARAWAY SMITH

- △ I. AARON HOLLEMAN "BUD"
△ MD () VERA PARTIN
△ A BLONZA MAUDIE HOLLEMAN
△ MD () EARLEY C. SMITH
I. AARON EARL SMITH, SR
a. STALEY CARAWAY SMITH
- I. NATHAN U, I
A. BURTIS U
I. G. B. U
a. CHARLES
FRANKLIN U.
- △ B. * SISTER BOD WADSWORTH HOLLEMAN
"SNAKE" - LAND SURVEYER - RE TRADE
- I. CHARLES
BERNEST U.
- △ C. * CARL PARTIN HOLLEMAN - ATTY
APEX - APEX TOWN ATTY
- * THREE GREAT UNCLES OF STALEY C. SMITH - THEY WERE
3 OF 8 OR 9 SIBLINGS WHO LIVED AT HOLLEMAN'S
CROSSROADS IN SW WAKE COUNTY, NC

WALNUT CREEK - STREAMS - WAKE CO., NC

FROM: THE N. C. GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY JOURNAL
Vol 35 No. 4 NOVEMBER 2009 - PAGE 368

CROSSFILE:

- o STEWART E. DUNAWAY
- o WAKE CO., NC - MILLS
- o WALNUT CREEK - STREAMS - WC, NC
- o BOOKS OF INTEREST

Wake County N.C. Mill Records (1772-1872). By Stewart E. Dunaway. Published by the author, 2221 Mandy Lane, Hillsborough, NC, 27278; e-mail sedunaway@embarqmail.com; www.lulu.com/sedunaway. 2009. Glossy cardstock cover, perfect bound, 8.5" x 11". 141 pages. Index. \$19.95 (e-mail first for shipping charges).

According to the author, this publication is "one of the most informative books on mill activity in the Piedmont." This book provides clear, readable images of the original mill petitions that are held at the North Carolina State Archives. Four historic maps, Collett (1770), Price-Strothers (1808), MacRae-Brazier (1833), and an 1865 map of North Carolina, are provided for reference. Locations mentioned in the documents include Hines Mill, Lick Creek, Marlow Creek, Pool Mill, Rogers Mill, Smith's Creek, Turner Mill, Walnut Creek, Watts Mill, and Yates Mill. Anyone with ancestors in the milling (flour, meal, or saw) business who lived in what is now the Triangle area will find this book useful.

BIG WHITE OAK CREEK - SW WAKE CO, NC

○ Input from Email 3 JUN 2009 from James P. Jones to RPL as follows to Email of Margaret Knapp to Jim 4 JUN 09
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GREAT WHITE OAK CREEK - SW WAKE CO, NC

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MARK BARKER also rec'd Land Grants in 1787 & 1799 NW of Holly Springs, NC and East of Great White Oak Creek (AKA Big White Oak Creek)

In 1780 JAMES HOLLAND, SR and SAMSON HOLLAND rec'd adjacent Land Grants on UTLEY CREEK SE of the Barker Tract

In the 1700's The Green Family had extensive land holdings - especially SILAS GREEN and this was near the land of Whitney U.

ROCKY BRANCH - NEW LIGHT TWP - WC, NC

From Book of Maps in Wake Co., NC Court House
- Map of two tracts of land $40\frac{3}{4} A + 48\frac{1}{4} A = 89$ Acres
of W. J. RAY land (presumably deceased).

Surveyed for him - MAR 1923 - Land in New Light Township
H. A. Campbell, Registered Engineer, Wake Forest, NC

Court Ruling - Judge of Wake Superior Court 28 MARCH 1924
Order of Clerk of Court 18 JUN 1924

Described and 2 lots 25 JULY 1924 by G. N. Ball, W. A. Smith
and -- JACKSON of Barton Creek Township

Residents on the property: △ W. J. RAY - $48\frac{1}{4}$ A tract
△ J. L. RAY - $40\frac{3}{4}$ A tract

Adjoining Land Owners: TO WEST: △ J. A. RAY
△ ALBERT RAY

TO EAST: △ L. A. NARRISON

TO SOUTH: △ C. F. KESTER (mrs)
J. L. RAY

Other References

Road S - STANLEY RAY

Bearings & Distances

Penny & Hester Bridge

Given for Lots 1 & 2

Rocky Branch.

The map preserved in New Light Township file

I am unable to link these RAY's to the Bodner Ray Family. They probably belong to the "Across the River" RAY's. RPL 23 JUN 2012

Wake Co. NC Court House Records - Superior Court

BIG LICK STREAM - WAKE CO., NC

○ FROM BOOK: WAKE CAPITAL COUNTY OF N.C. - VOL II - RECONSTRUCTION
 TO 1920 - K. TODD JOHNSON & ELIZABETH REID MURRAY - RPU 4 SEP 2011
 2008 - PG 659

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MAP FILES FOR COUNTIES
 △ OF WAKE, CARRBORO,
 △ DURHAM, GRANVILLE,
 △ FRANKLIN, HARNETT,
 △ JOHNSTON

△ WAKE CO., NC - POST OFFICES

WAKE CO., NC TOWNSHIPS:

- △ WHITE OAK.
- △ SWIFT CREEK
- △ BARTONS CREEK

△ RAILROADS (NOTE - THE
 LINES ARE FOR
 RAILROADS, NOT ROADS)
 - WAKE CO. NC

D & S RAILROAD

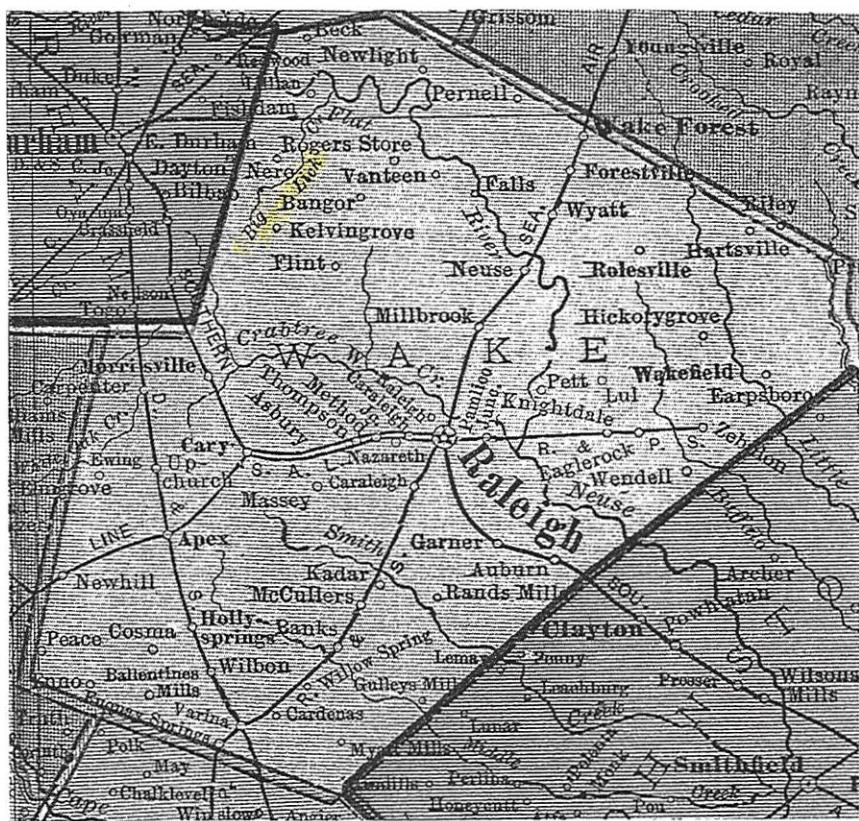
R & S RAILROAD

S.A.L.

SOUTHERN
 R & P.S.

LESSER KNOWN WAKE
 CO., NC SITES: (N-T)

- △ BECK LILIAN
- △ PERNELL ROGERS STORE
- △ VANTEEN BANGOR WYATT
- △ KELVINGROVE FLINT HARTSVILLE
- △ HICKORY GROVE PETT LUL
- △ EARPSBORD (S) EAGLE ROCK
- △ THOMPSON EWING
- △ MASSBY CARALEIGH
- △ IGADAN MCCULLERS
- △ PEACE COSMA
- △ WILBON ENO
- △ CARDENAS GULLEYS MILL



1907 Wake County post offices shown on North Carolina map, published by Rand, McNally & Co., issued by N.C. State Board of Agriculture. Map from Elizabeth Reid Murray Collection.

Note that SWIFT CREEK IS MISLABELLED
 SMITH CREEK - RPU

Note that CARALEIGH IS LISTED
 TWICE - THE ONE WEST OF RALEIGH
 SEEMES TO BE CARALEIGH JUNCTION
 - MAYBE NOT A P.O. BUT WHERE
 R & S RAILROAD INTERSECTED
 S.A.L. RAILROAD - RPU

PARKLAND JUNCTION

UPCHURCH

RANDS MIL

BANCS

GULLEYS MIL

BALLENTEINE MILLS

CC TO WAKE CO
 MILL FILES

TO STREAM FILES:

△ BIG LICK

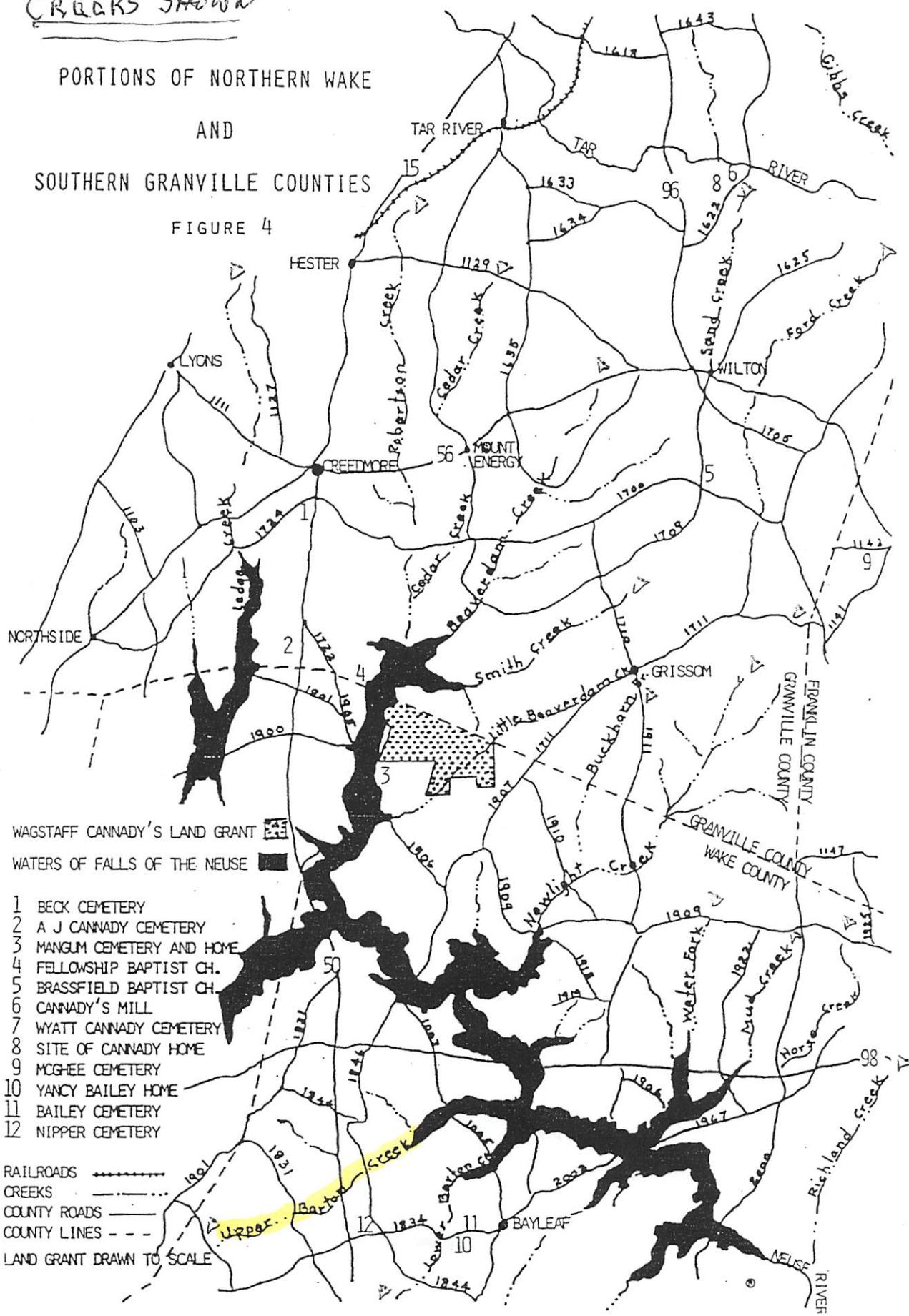
UPPER BARTON CREEKS - WAKE CO., NC

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AND
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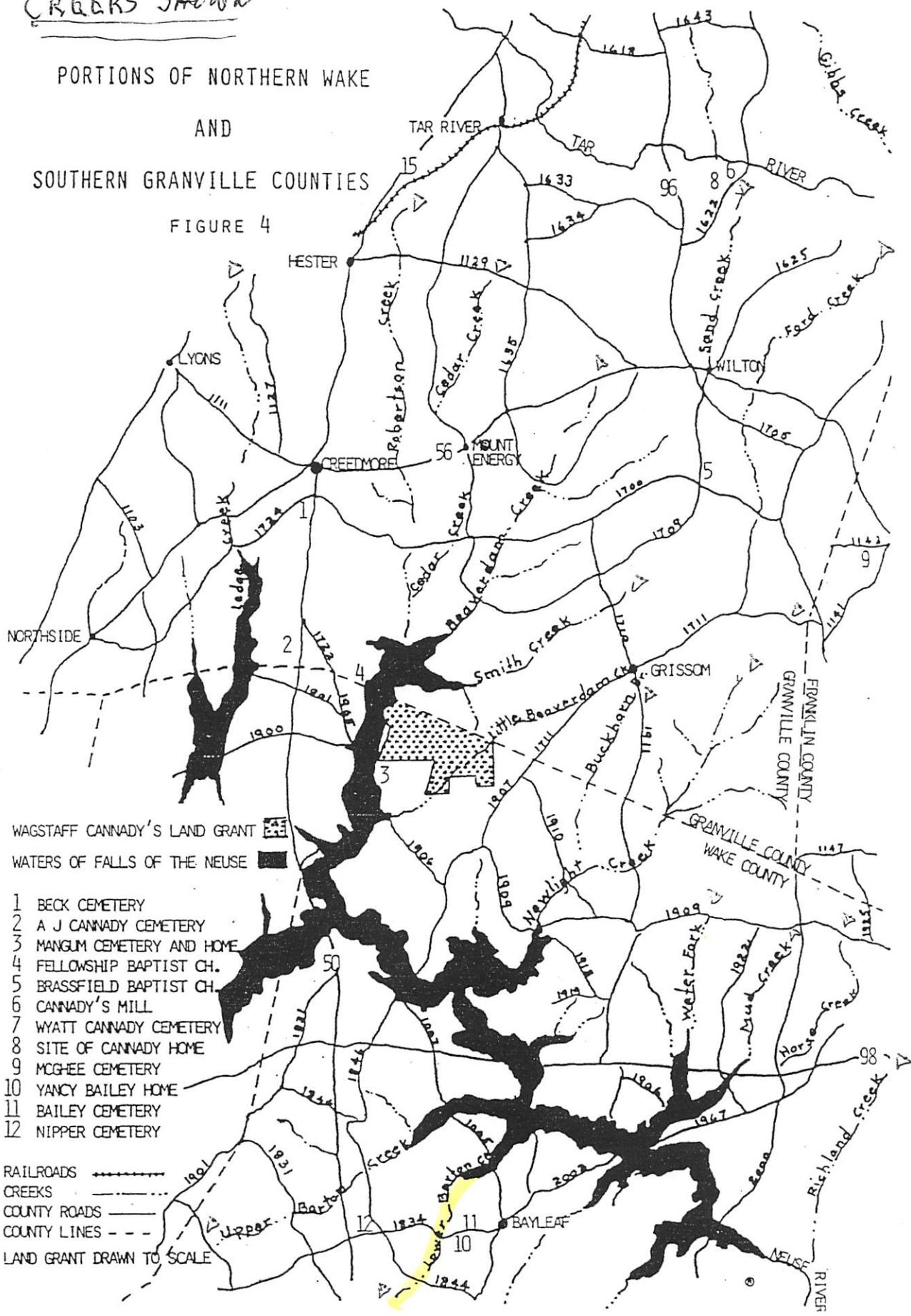
LOWER BARTON CREEK - WAKE CO., NC

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WATER FORK CREEK - WAKE CO., NC

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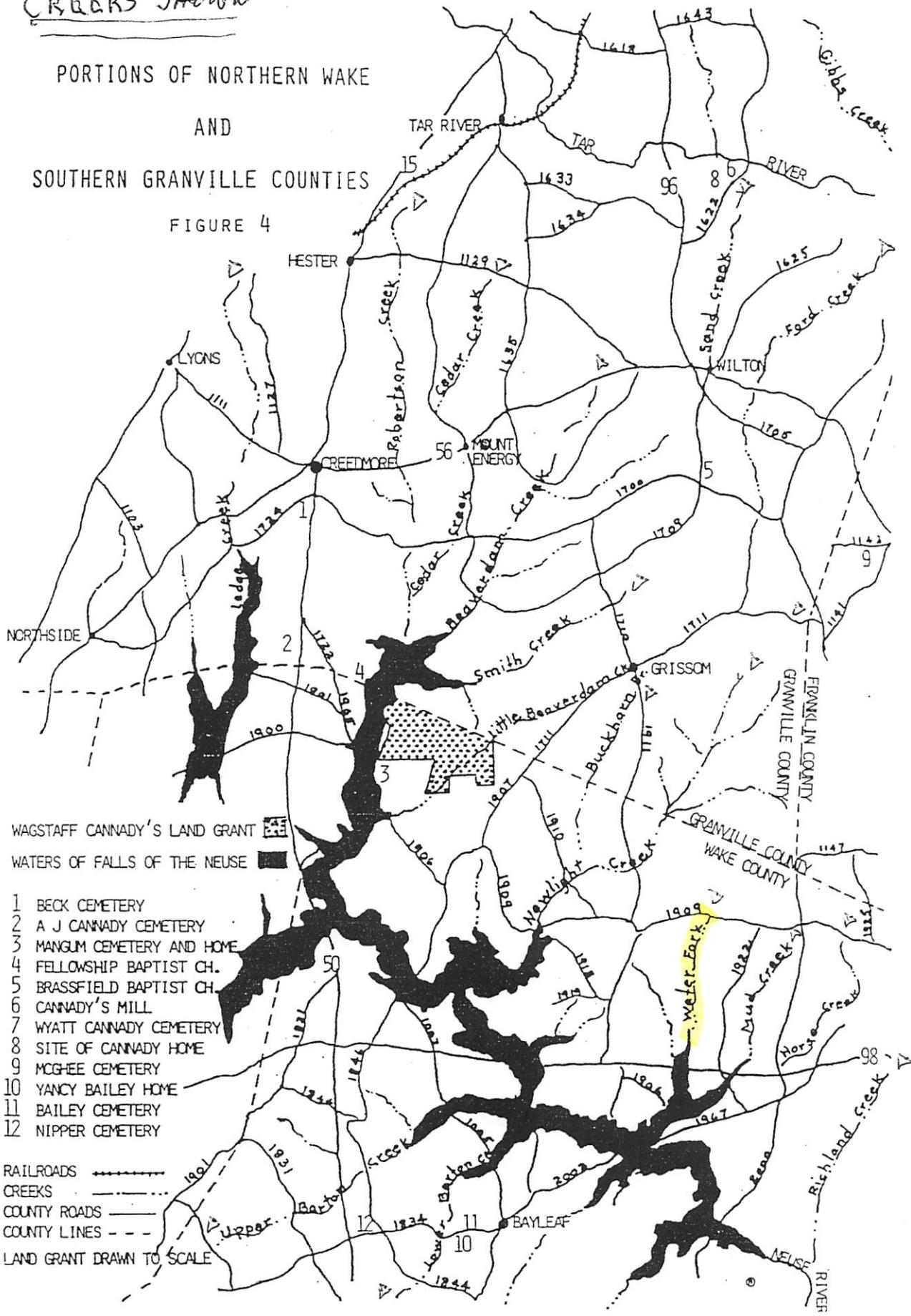
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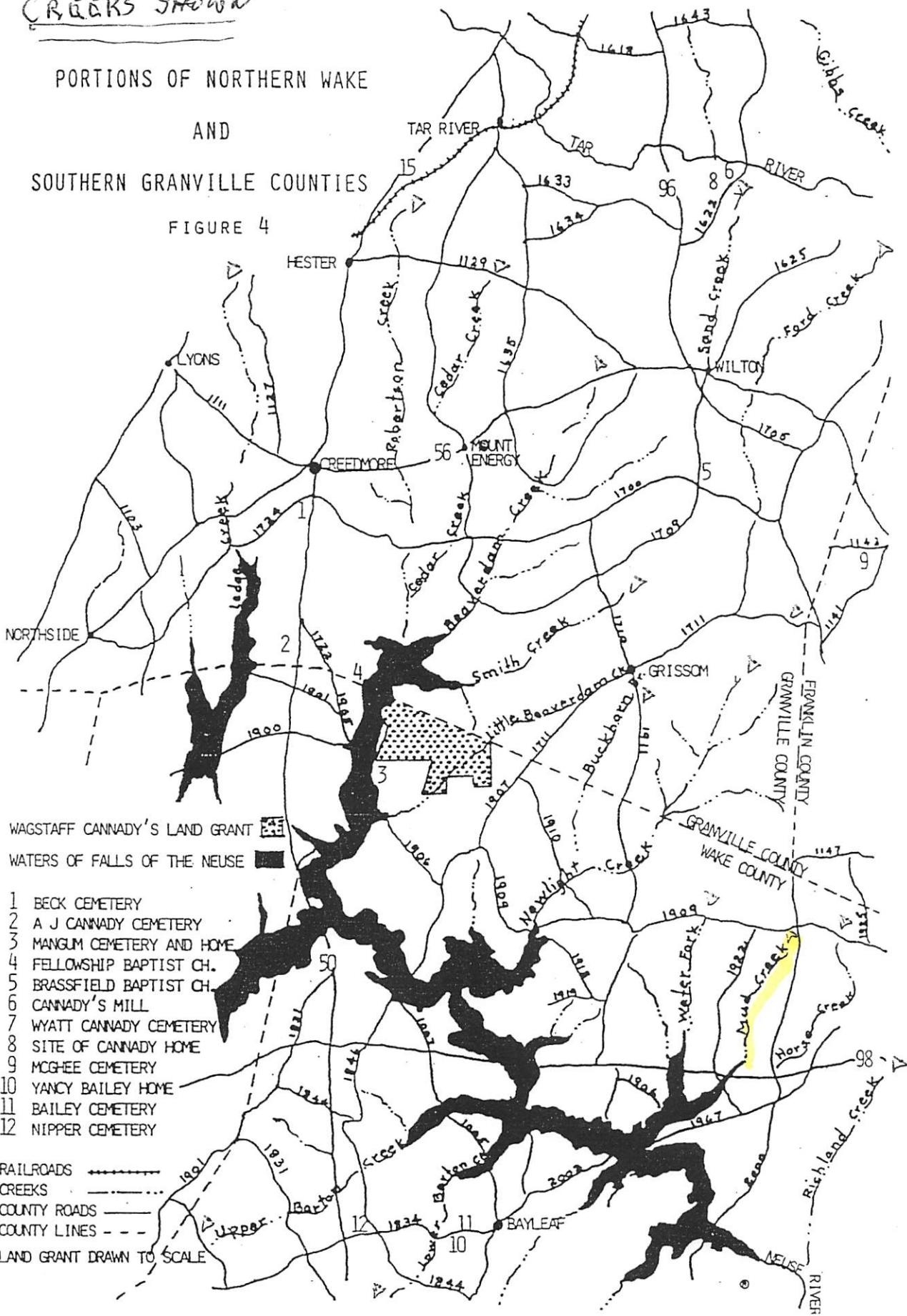
MUD CREEK - WAKE CO., NC

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HORSE CREEK - WAKE CO., NC

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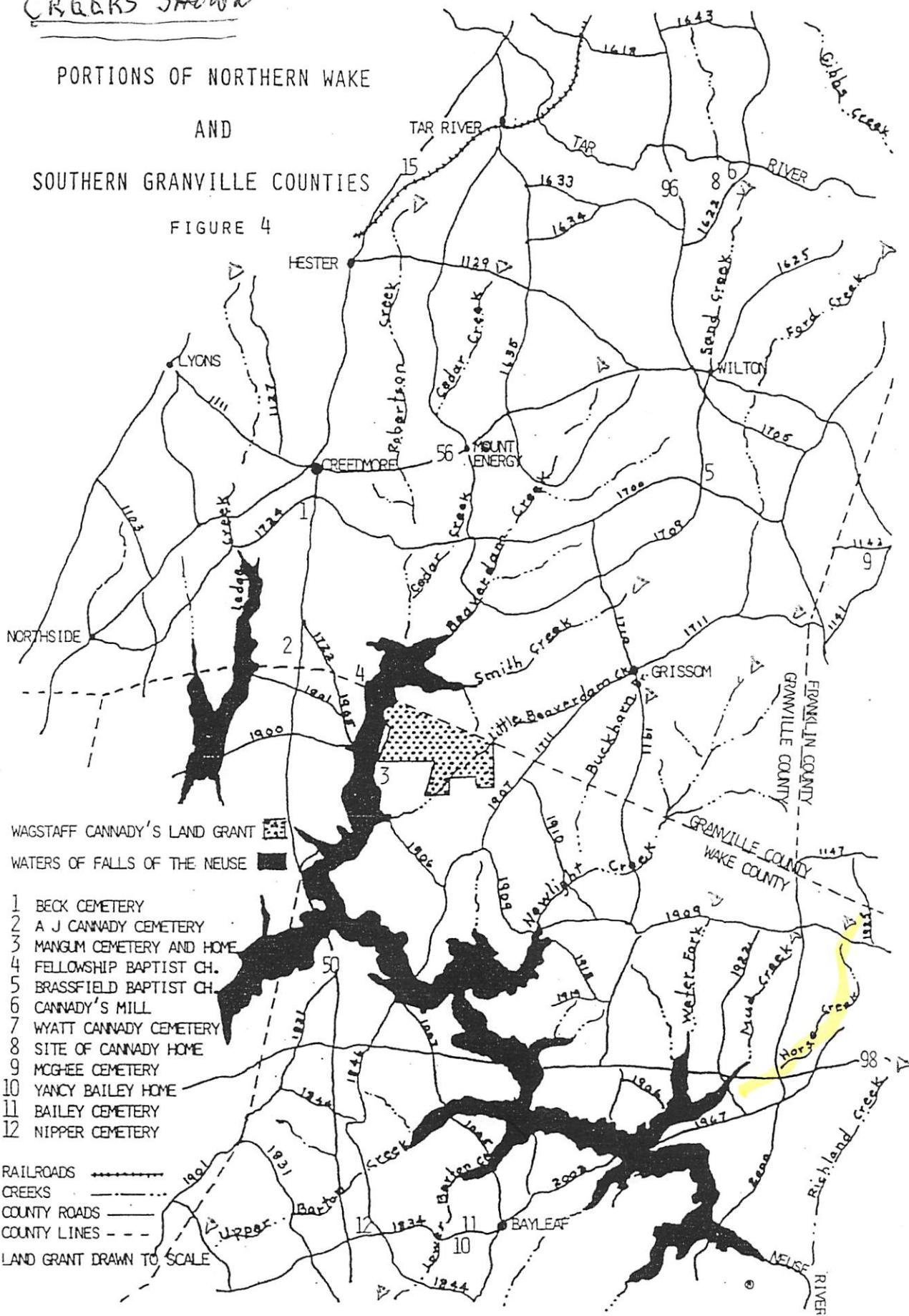
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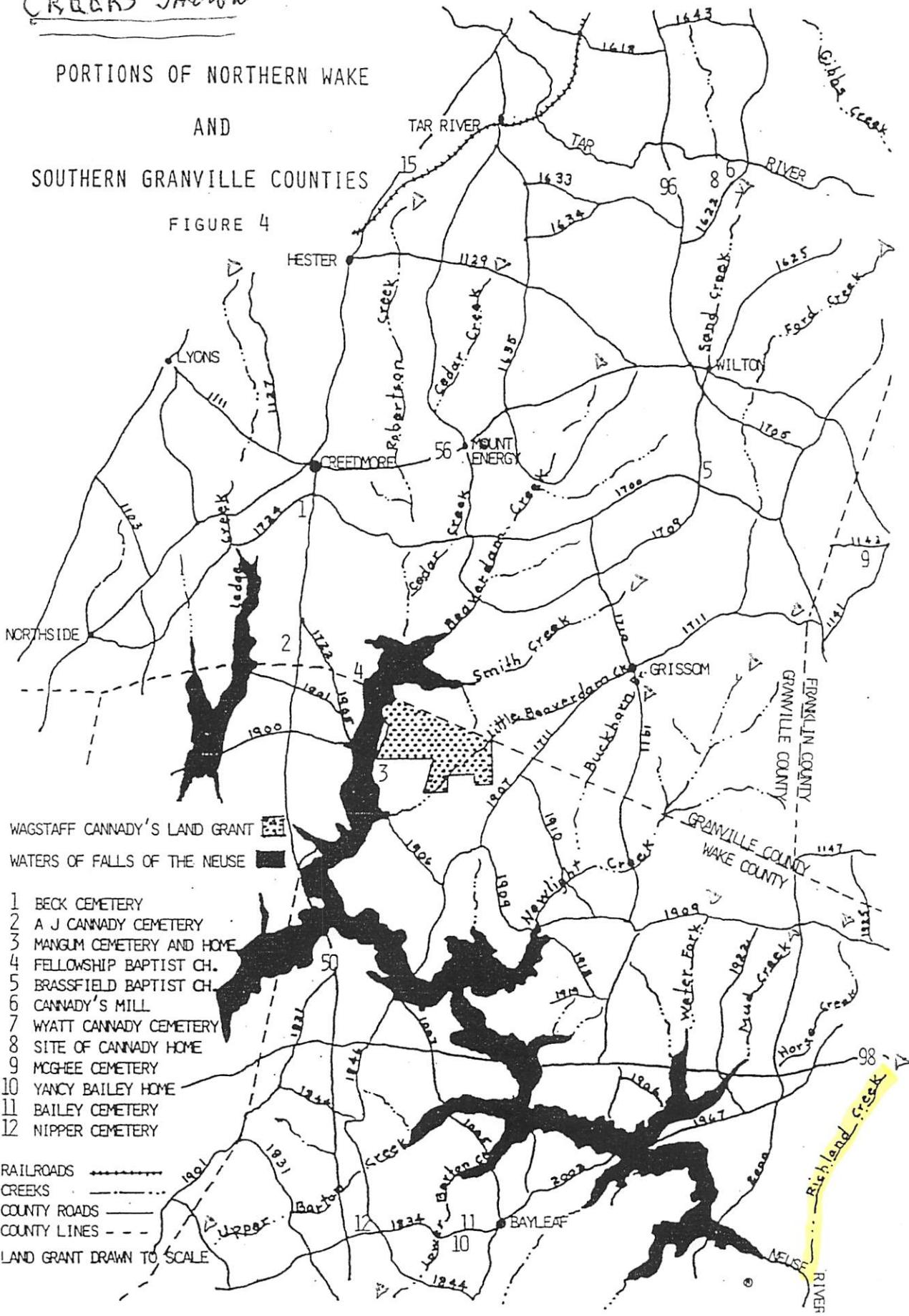
RICHLAND CREEK, WAKE CO., NC

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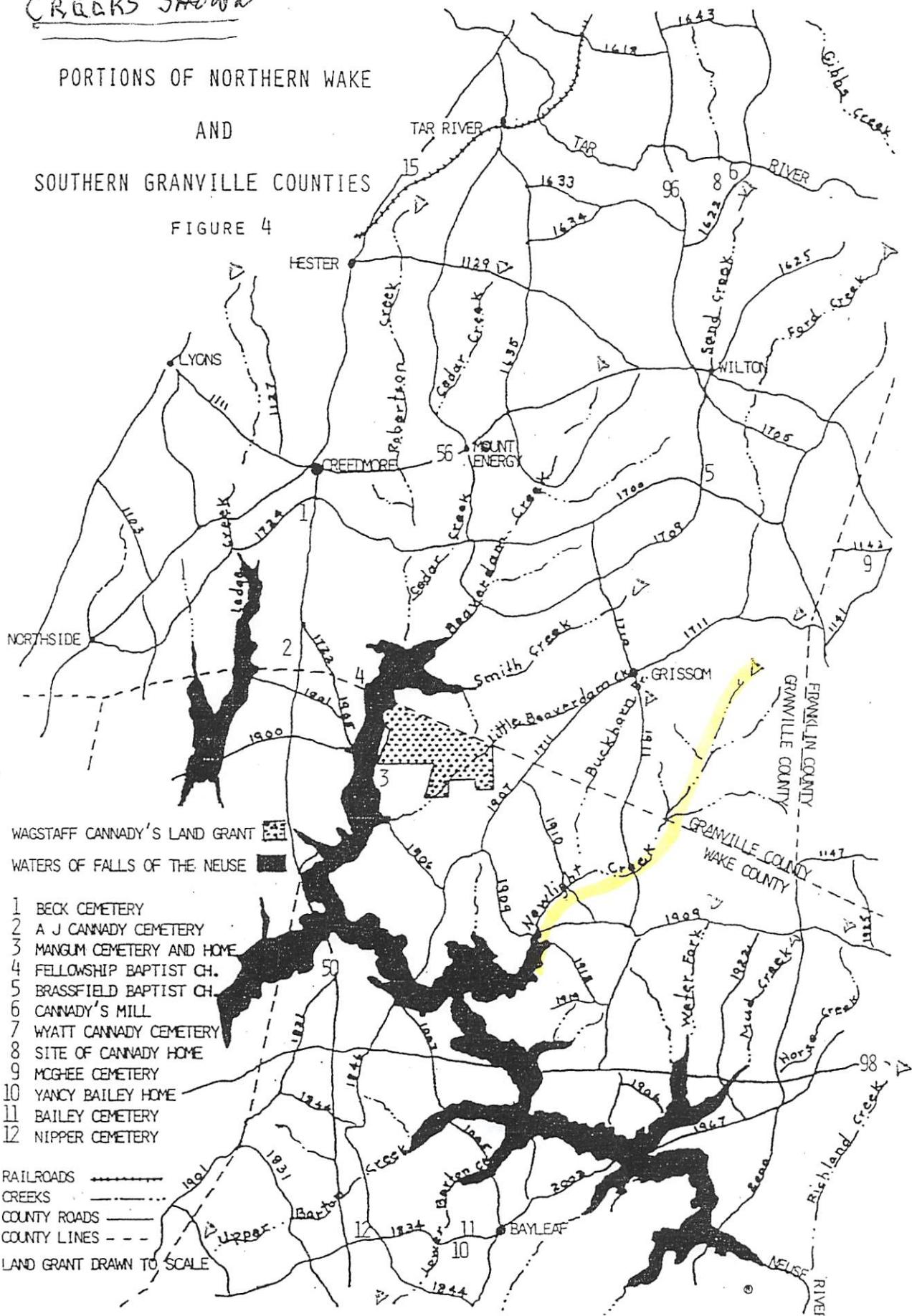
NEWLIGNT CREEK - WAKE CO NC
GRANVILLE CO, NC

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BUCKHORN BRANCH - WAKE CO., NC
GRANVILLE CO. NC

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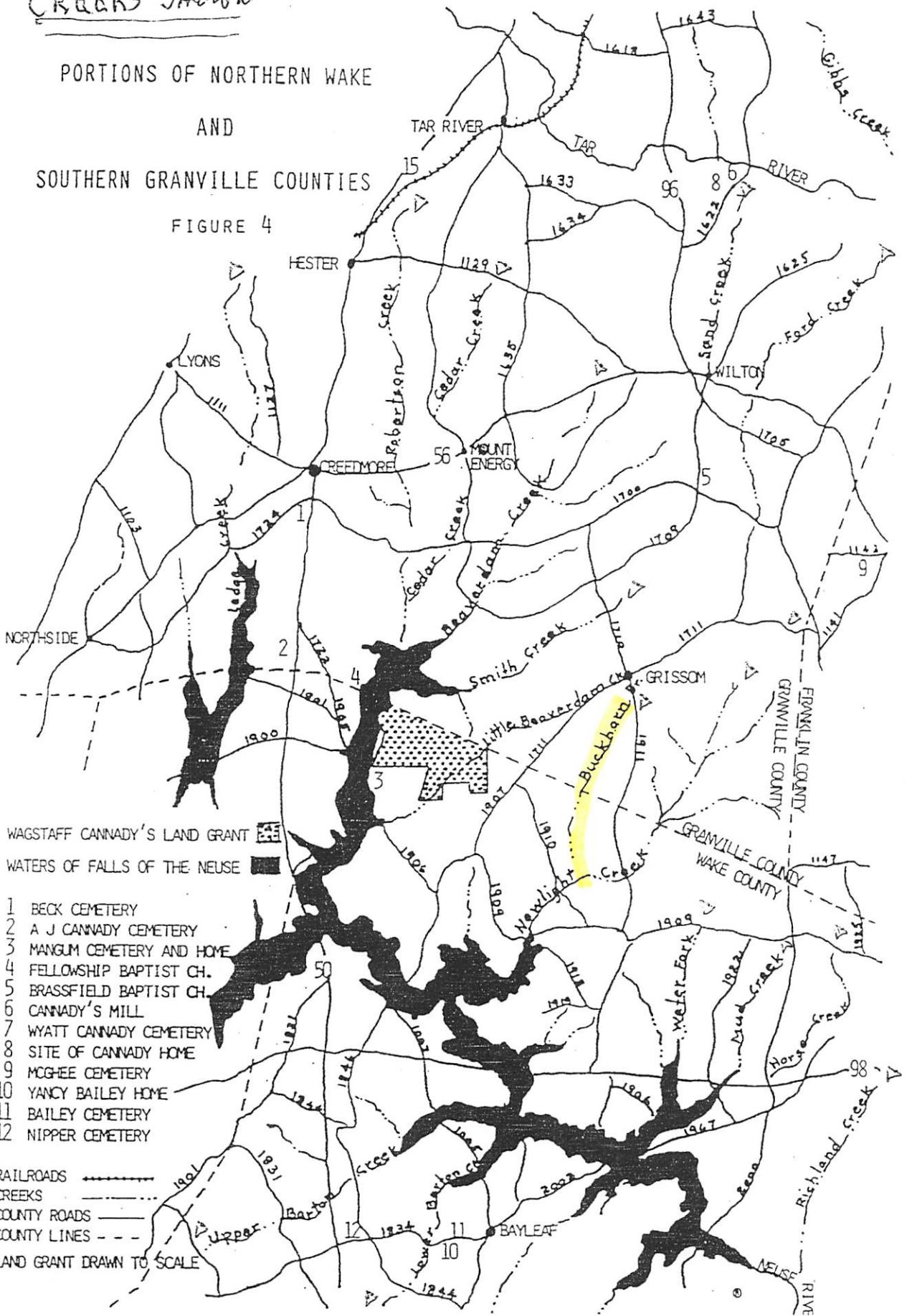
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LITTLE BEAVERDAM CREEK, GRANVILLE CO., NC

& WAKE CO., NC

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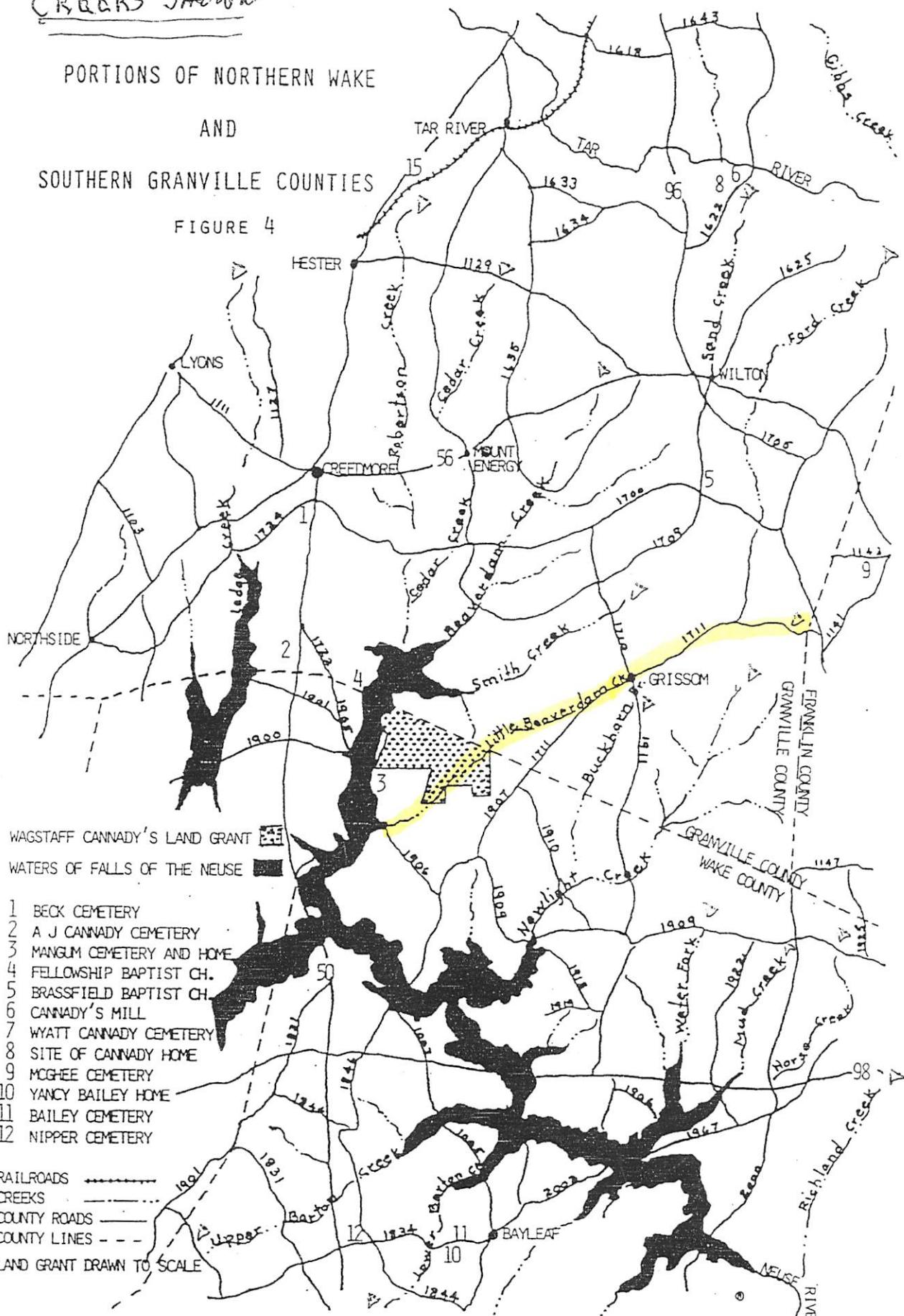
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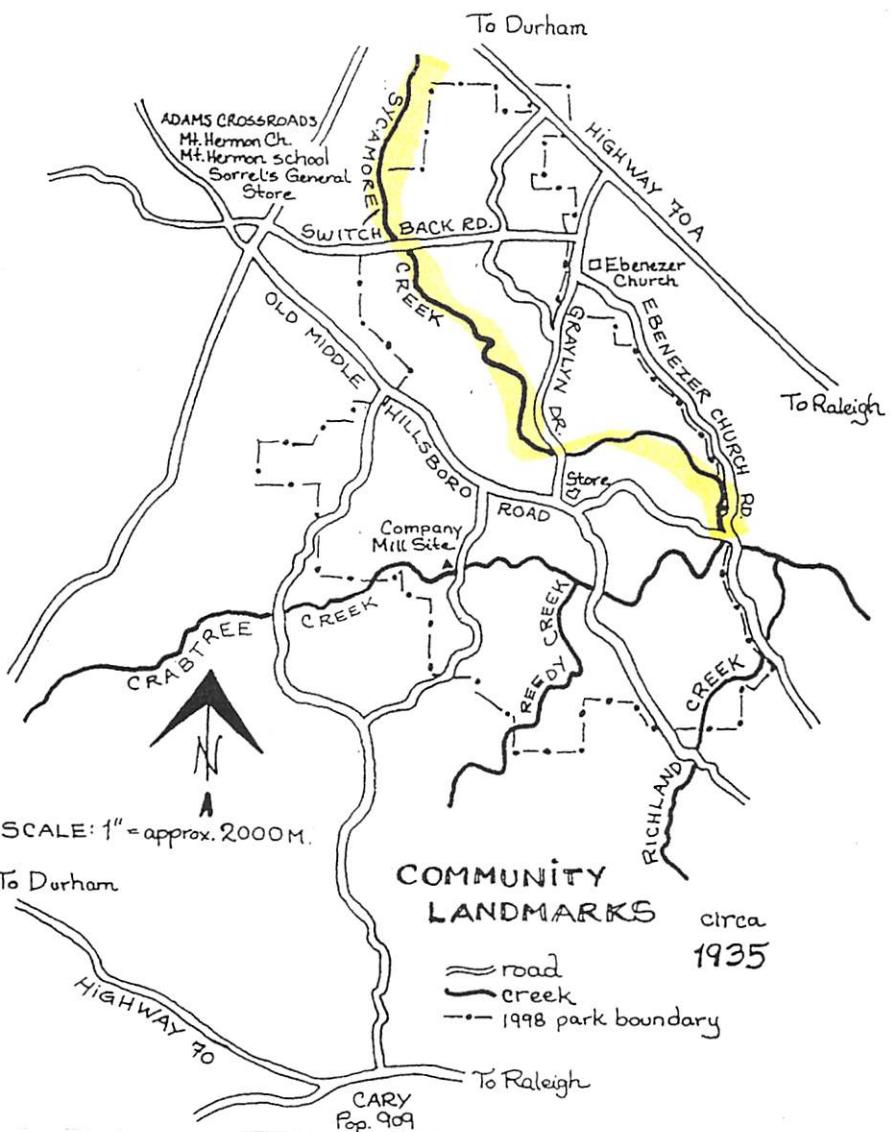
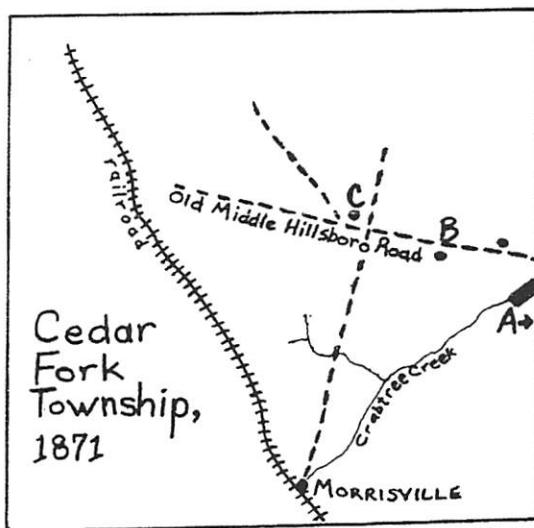
FIGURE 4



SYCAMORE CREEK - W.C., NC

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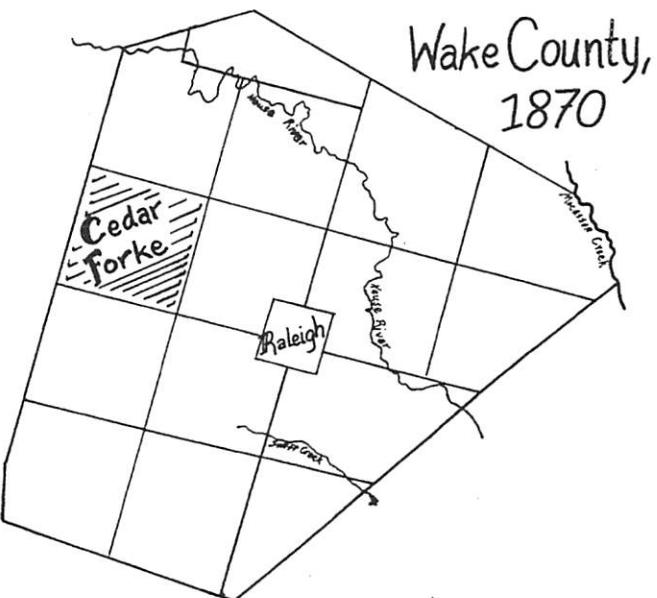
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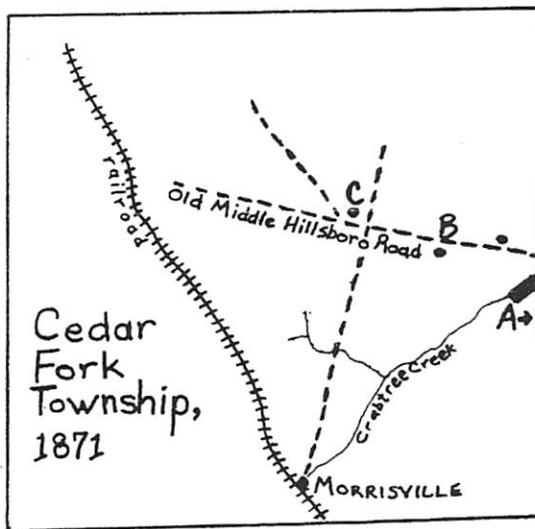
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REEDY CREEK - WAKE NC

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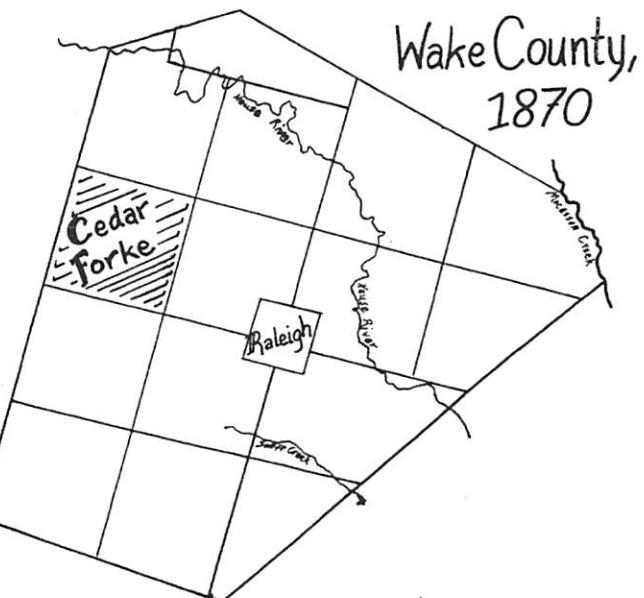
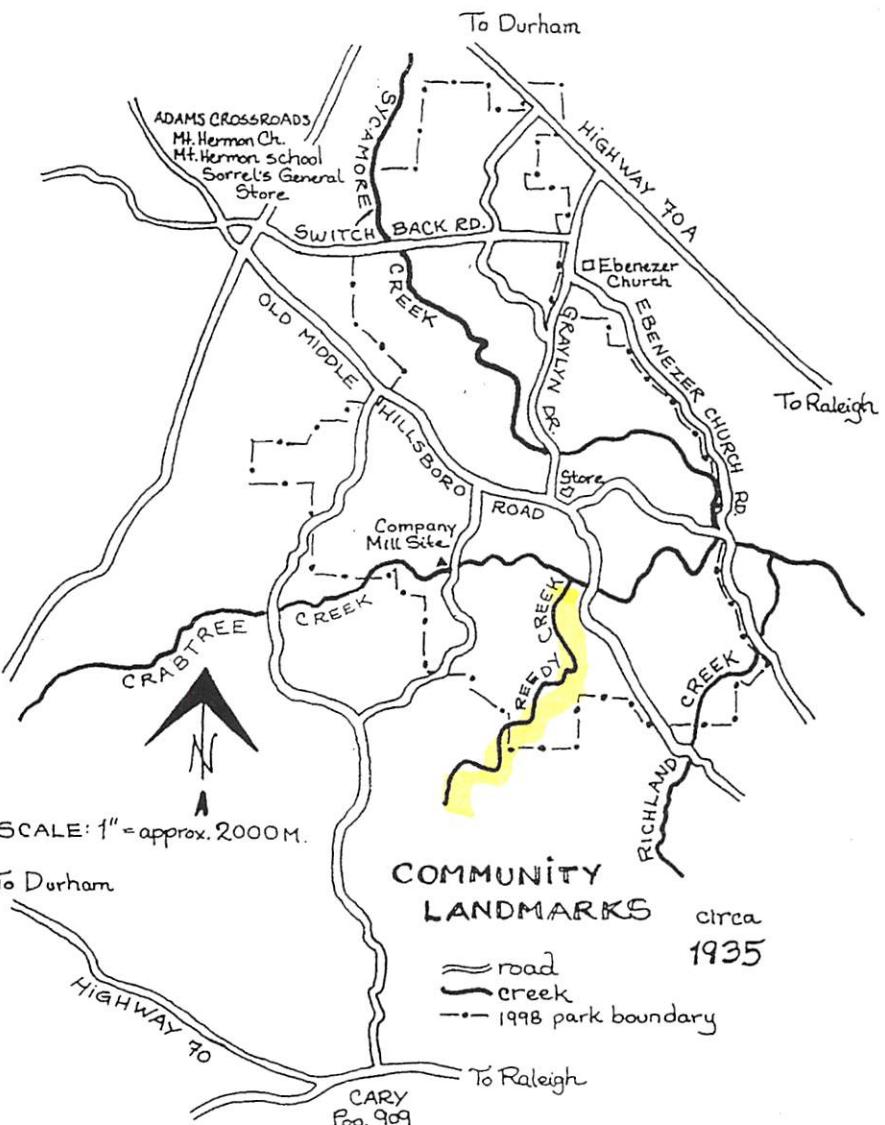
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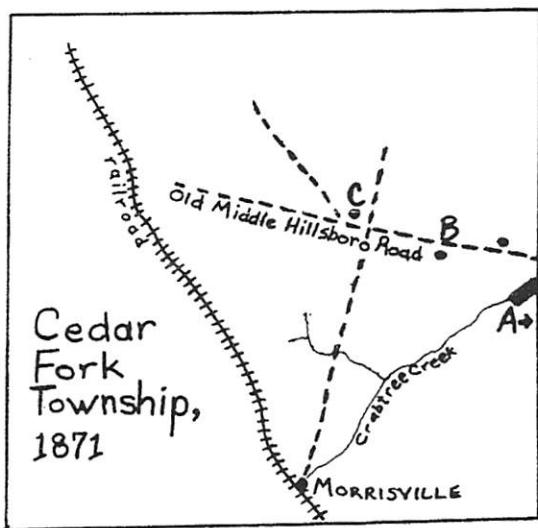
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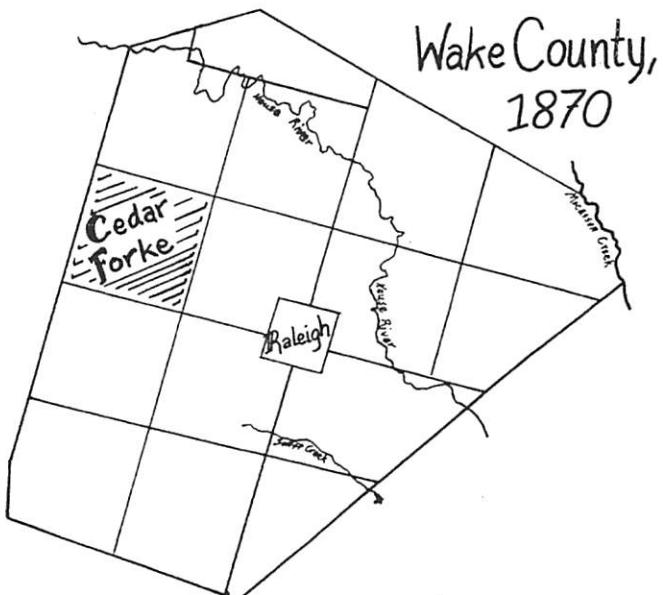
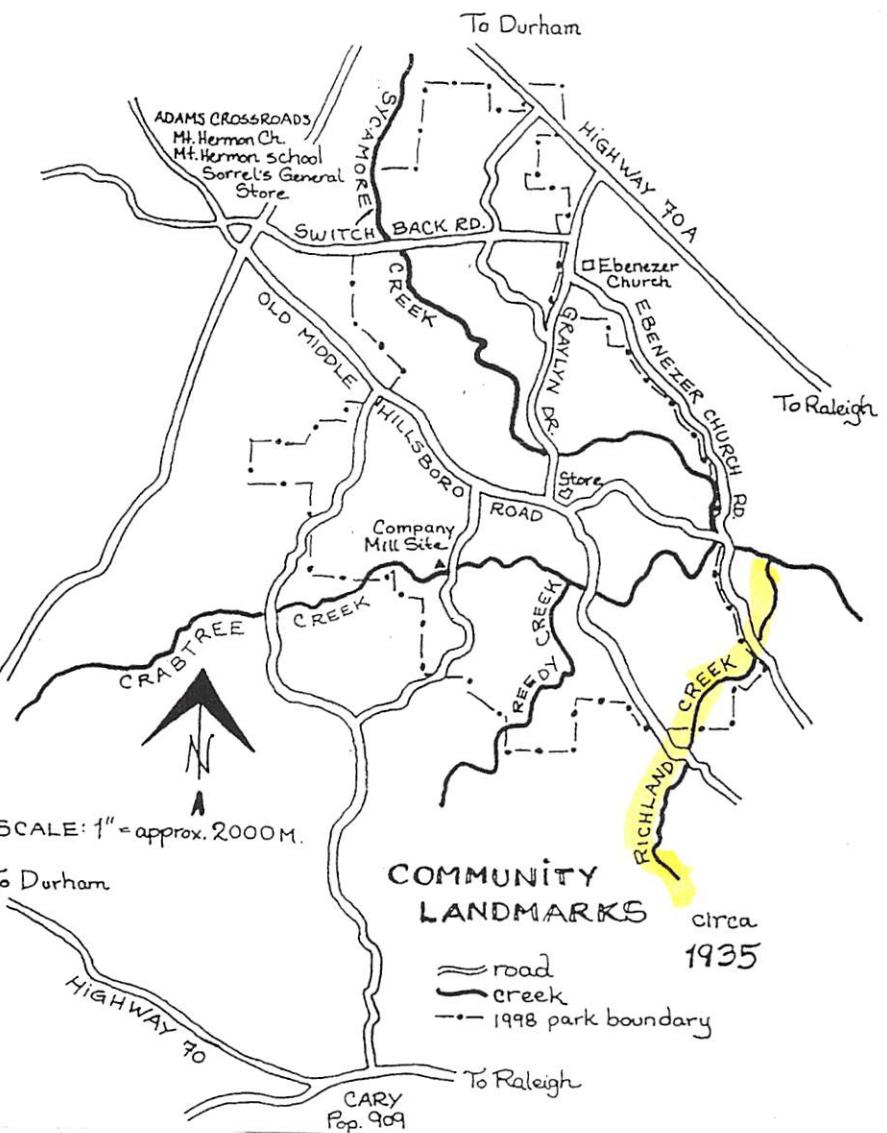
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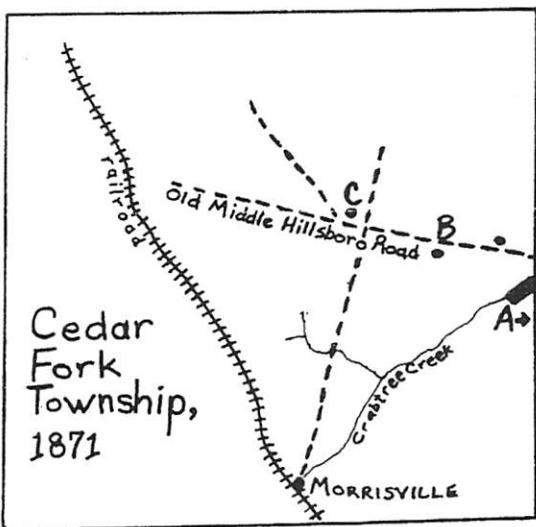
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CRABTREE GREEK - W.C., NC

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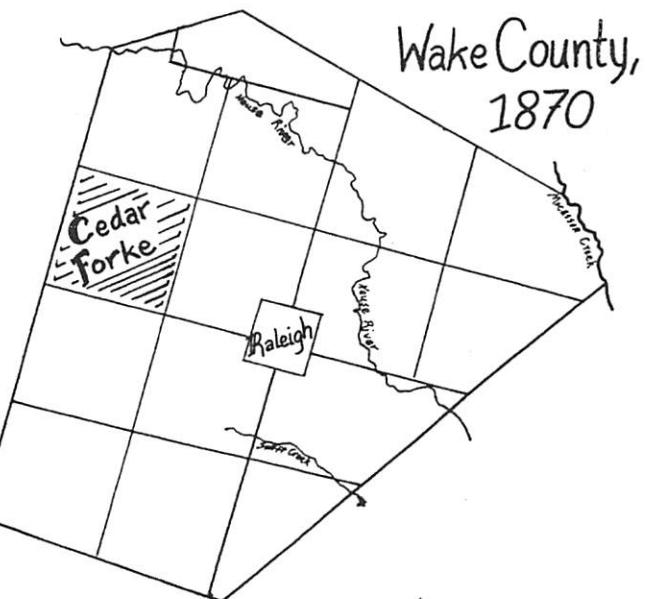
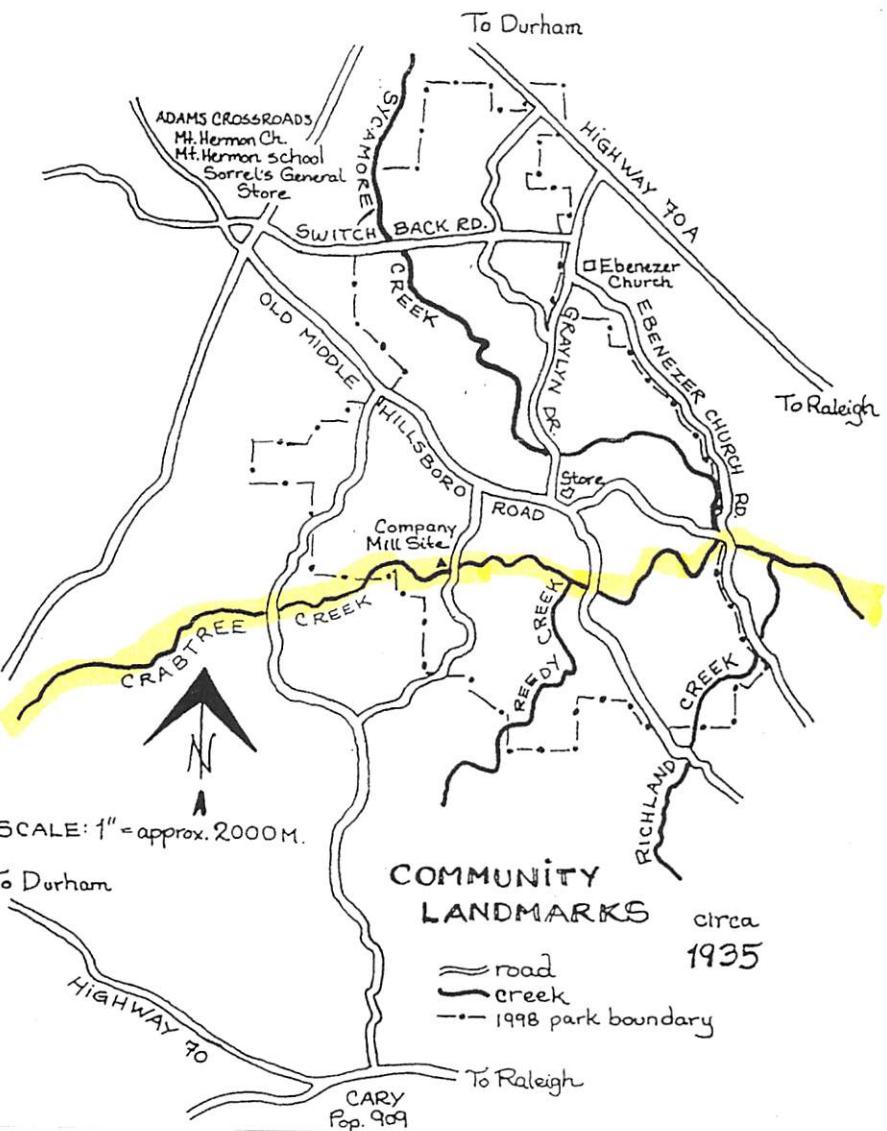
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BIG BRANCH, WHITE OAK TWP., W.C. NC

Survey Map Drawn 7MAR1969 by M.M.W
Checked by A. Earl Smith of Smith & Smith Surveyors - Service for
Hugh Kyle & the being I am D of Items A-G Transmuted
to RPL on 9 JAN 2010 by Stally Corrancy Smith. Original is
[WC/NC - Land Record - Western White]

ADJOINING LAND OWNERS

W = J. F. MELLS, EST

X = D. ROSCOE FRYER

$\gamma = \frac{1}{T}$. FLOYD ADAMS

Z = ROLAND E. CARPENTER
(WIFE = ILLDA F. -)

LOT DESCRIPTIONS - I-II WEST SIDE OF ROAD

1. 2.00 A (C) HOOKS ADDED 16 FEB 1977

2. 1.50 A A₁

(A) DIVIDED 15 JUN 1981

3 1.50A A₂

4. Z.00A (B) OTTS T. HOOKS - ADDED 4 AUG 1969

ADAPTED BY **VICINITY MAP** WHITEDALE
FNU TWP

5 6.081 ALARRY B. FAURELL & ET UX. PRISCILLA C. FAURELL - ADDED 23 SEP 1971

6 3-941A JEFFREY DAUGHTRY

7 3.880 A. GRAY HALL

8. 3-810 A MICHAEL WILSON ALLEN

9 4.236 A CHARLES E. GODLEY ADDED 14 AUG 1940

10. 3.144 A ^D JOE M. SEARS ADDED 18 JUN 1970

11-2-107 A ROBERT LEWIS

32.799 A = ACRES ON WEST SIDE OF RP (VS 32.789 ON MAP)

155502010 - Staley
says this is
WHITEHEAD
Land]

ON EAST SIDE OF ROAD

13. 1-839 A JAMES E. BENEDICT ADDED FEB 1970
ZEPHAN

13 1965 A ROGER E. NAYLOR - ADDED 295A
1970

14 6 320 A GLADSTONE H. KENT - ADDED 22 MAY 1969

ETUX SARAH C. KENT

10-122A

+ 7.548A SURVEYED PERC

19 670 A

+ $\frac{7.548A}{12.670A} \text{ SURVEYED PERC}$ BIG BRANCH 3/3RDS DOWN C.
 $+ 32.799A = 50.469A$ (VS 50.459A ON MAP) OF 44-FLOWS
 WEST TO WHITE OAK CREEK]

NOTE. SAW MILL BRANCH ENTERS
BIG BRANCH $\frac{2}{3}$ RDS DOWN EAST SIDE
OF 44-FLOWS
WEST TO WHITE
OAK CREEK

STONEY

CREEK, WAKE CO, NC

○ Partial Extract of Estate Paper of John W. Smith d 1860 (WC, NC)
Details re NAMES MENTIONED and more comments-

PG 2: Full Profile of John W. Smith (MAY 2009 pg 122 Pg Doc)

Tract 1 - To widow 800 Acre - Sewell Tract [PURCHASED FROM DR HENRY SEWELL] 557
ON MARKS CREEK 1/4 A

Tract 2 - 500 A. - on Poplar Creek, By JACKSON TERRELL, N. PRICE,
DORIS NINTON. 4 [NEEDRAM]

Tract 3 - 900 A - OLD PLACE/River Plantation - on Neuse River By
BURRELL TEMPLES, HENDERSON HODGE, KEARNEY H.

PG 7 COMMISSIONERS TO DIVIDE LAND - NOV 1862 TERM: GEO. W. SCARBOROUGH

RICHAUD W. DEBNAM, NEEDRAM PRICE, ALONZO MIAL, DAVID NINTON

PG 29 G. W. WILDER, ADMR [GASTON], PAY TAXES ON 2712 Acre of John W. Smith Estate - MARKS CREEK
10 AUG 1865. A US TAX FOR INSURRECTIONARY DISTRICTS DFT.

PG 48 Undated Petition NOV TERM 1860 - Estimate 3000 Acre - 3 Tracts

Against CHARLES H. NINTON, BURWELL TEMPLE, NEEDRAM PRICE

R. B. DEBNAM, On JAMES DUNN, CHARLES HORTON

PG 52 Commissioners to lay off Dower Land - 15 MAR 1861:

PG 60 M. C. HODGE, BENNETT BUFFALOE, JESSE PEEBLES, SOLOMON PAGE

W. S. FORT, JOHN L. FORT, DAVID HINTON, R. F. TEMPLE

C. H. HORTON, R. S. PENNY, H. TEMPLE, RICHARD B. SEAWELL

PG 61 → Slaves allocated - many!

PG 65 List of slaves to UPHURCH SMITH ~ 18 individuals

The 3 Tracts Described - AUG TERM 1862. SOLOMON GILES RICHARD

#1 Sewell Place - To widow. Against CHARLES HORTON, BROWN, UNDERHILL, DEBNAM

#2 Hilliard Place - Poplar Creek. Against Jackson Terrell, Needram Price,

David Hinton - 500 Acre

#3 Old Place - on Neuse River - Against Burrwell Temple, Henderson
Hedge, Kearney Hinchliffe, - 900 Acre - STONEY CREEK AT NEUSE

PG 123 JOHN W. SMITH DIED SEP 1860 INTESTATE

PG 128 - MARY SMITH SOLD HER 1/20 TO Francis Badger who bequeathed it to THOMAS

BRIDGES WHO SOLD SAME TO UPHURCH SMITH

Sarah Smith sold 1/20 & John Stephens sold 1/20 to Francis Badger - then
at his death to Mr RUFUS DUNN wife & son Dunn wife of

J. B. DUNN; then to THOMAS BRIDGES & Burrwell Temple then
to B. P. Williamson & Eastern Underhill; JNO GREEN & THOS BRIDGES → UPHURCH SMITH

Pg 2. widow allocated 800 Acre - SEWELL TRACT (Horne's Place) on
Marshes Creek bounded by CHARLES HORTON, SOLOMON BROWN,
GILEY UNDERHILL, RICHARD DEBNAM

Pg 57. Commissioners to Dower FEB TERM 1861 - 1 YEAR SUPPORT

C. L. HINTON, THOMAS R. DEBNAM, JAMES A. TEMPLE

CABIN BRANCH - SWIFT CREEK TWP - WAKE CO, NC
↳ RUNS INTO STEEP HILL?

○ FROM: WAKE TREASURES Vol 27 No. 1 WINTER/SPRING Pg 65-89

MORRIS... HOW A SEARCH FOR SCOTS ANCESTRY BECOMES A
LESSON IN THE HISTORY OF WAKE AND JOHNSTON COUNTIES

FINAL CHART
PG 83

By Diane L. Richard

Ancestors of Joseph Fredrick Morris

NOTE: This extract deals with the
heritage of SALLY RENCH which is of special
interest to KPL as her father owned land
on STEEP HILL CREEK, SWIFT CREEK TWP
Wake Co, NC.

John Morris
m. Abt. 1783 in Wake County, NC
d. Abt. 1819 in Wake County, NC

Russel Morris
b. Abt. 1795 in North Carolina
m. 13 Sep 1817 in Wake County, NC
d. Bet. 1860 - 1870 in Wake County, NC

Sally Rensch
d. Abt. 1894 in Wake County, NC

- I. -- RENCH (WRENCH) ↗ Begreft in will dated
19 MAY 1784 - inventory
A. △ Farm Rench, - □ 26 SEP 1784 son & wife
△ Etheldred JONES WIT:
△ REBECKAH -- JESSE THRAILRILL, LEWIS SMITH
Her will made 8 MAY 1801 (See MD 1801) □ WILLIAM FRANKS
(She m'd 1801) -- JONES had Rebeckah
↳ 300 A S. side Steep Hill Creek
↳ LONG BR., CABIN BR.
↳ SPRING BR. THOMAS
SON = JOHN WESLEY MORRIS
MAG CELESTIA G.
ROGERS b 1842
(NARROWS TWP, FC, NC)
• Joseph Frederick
Married to
1892 (WLC, NC)
- △ 2. SALLY RENCH md Abt 1783 (WC, NC) farm Morris wif RTCE
△ 3. Patience Rensch md (--) JONES [240 A both sides Swift Creek + 340 A]
△ 4. Rebeckah Jones (SD of farm) md -- MATTHEWS.
△ 5. Farm Rensch
△ 6. Leah Rensch md (--) Richards
△ 7. Rachel Rensch md (--) Preddy

A. JUN 1792 John Morris & Sally sell land
to ISAAC HUNTER; wit LEVIE JONES

B. SEP 1783 farm Rensch deed to Sally (Rensch)
Morris - probably a marriage gift

C. See separate extract that details more
about early purchaser of land in
Wake Co, NC - same is that part of
Johnston Co, NC that would become
Wake

1. Will abstract for John Rench^{viii viii} posted on a message board^{viii}:

in
1771

RENCHE, John Will R. 26 Dec 1874 p. 33

In the name of God, Amen. Wife, Rebeckah RENCH: for her widowhood all estate not herefore mentioned. Daughter, Charity: Furniture. Daughter, Salley MORRIS, wife of John MOORIS: 300 acres on S. side of Steep Hill Creek, on heads of Long Branch, Cabin Branch, and Spring Branch. Daughter, Patience RENCH: 240 acres land & plantation I now live on, on both sides of Swift Creek; and 340 acres the grant now in the office; furniture. Rebeckah JONES, daughter of my wife, Rebeckah: furniture. Son, John RENCH: 10 S. 19 May 1784.

Exc: Wife and Etheldred JONES

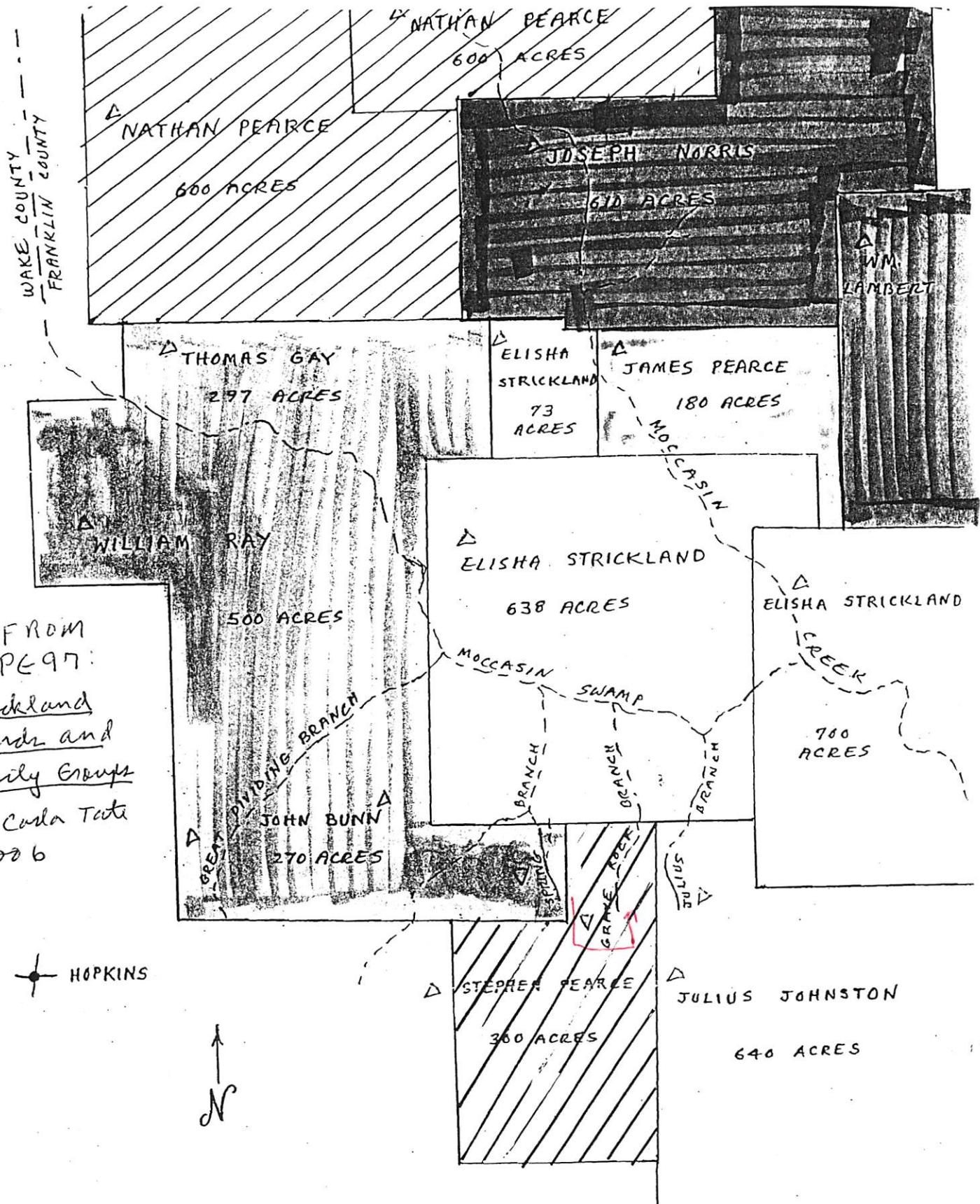
Wit: Jesse THRAILRILL (Jurat), Lewis (x) SMITH, William FRANKS (Jurat)

RENCHE, John Inventory R. 26 Sept 1784 p. 35

Livestock; household goods. 1 Nov 1784,

Exc: Etheldred JONES, Rebeckah RENCH

GRAVE ROCK BRANCH, WAKE CO, NC



FROM
PG 97:
Strickland
Records and
Family Groups
By Carla Tate
2006

HOPKINS

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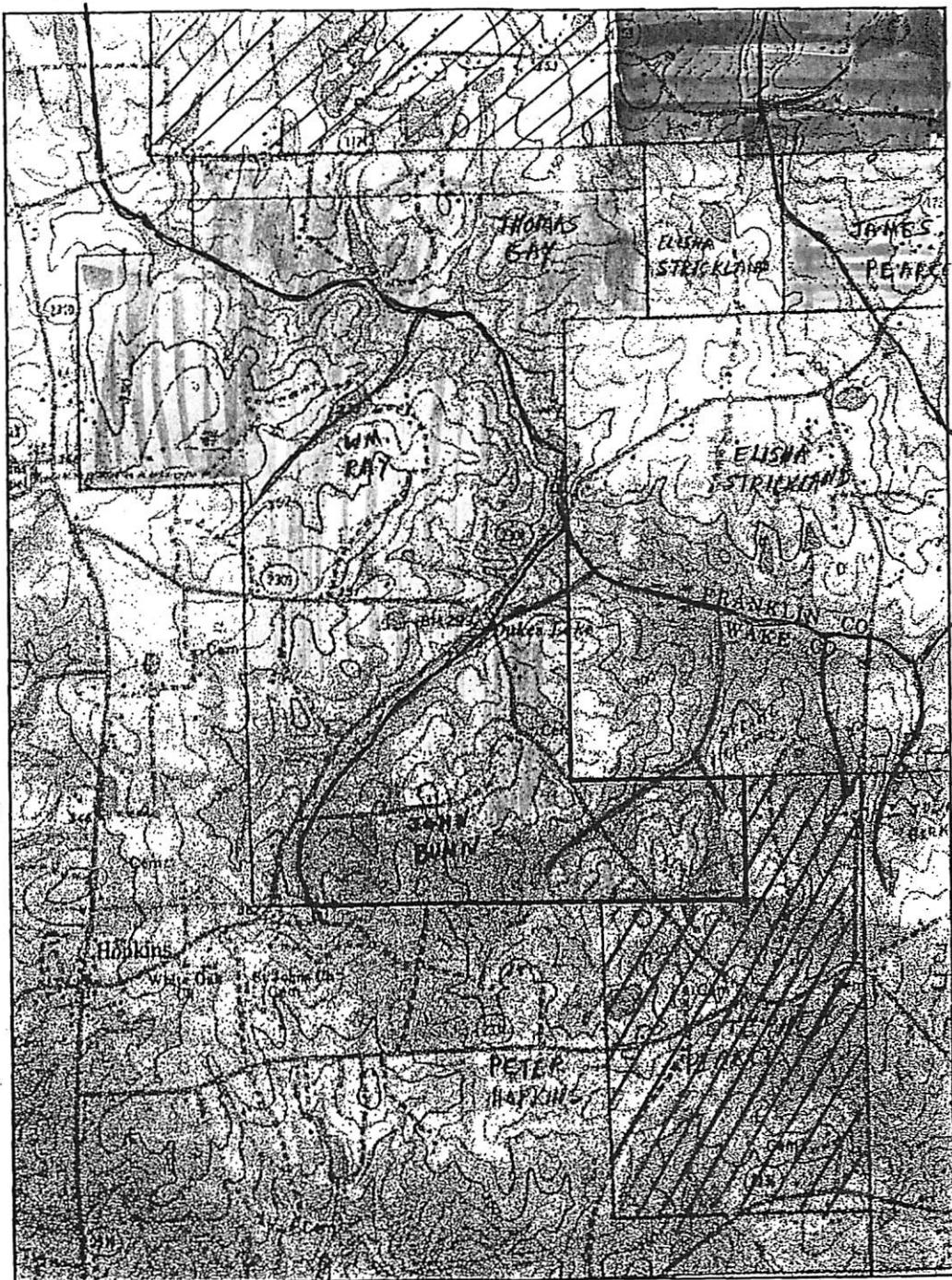
LAND GRANTS ALONG MOCCASIN CREEK

DANNY C. BUNN

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John Bunn

Topographical Map
Land Grant of John Bunn
Wake County, North Carolina



Scale 1:24 000
Bunn West Quadrangle
7.5 Minute Series (Topographic)

Bunn Families of Southeastern United States, p. 58
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MOCASIN CREEK WAKE CO, NC

○ From Book: Nail & Ray Panther Second Ed 1997
Abstracts of Ray & Pearce Records Examined by Author
WAKE CO., NC - Pg 965, 966

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SAW MILL BRANCH - WHITE OAK TWP, W.C., NC

Survey Map Drawn 7MAR 1969 by M.M.W

Checked by A. Earl Smith of Smith & Smith Surveyors - Same for Hugh Kyle & the Survey Team D of Items A-G transcribed to RPL on 9 JAN 2010 by S. Staley Coramcy & math. original to [WC/NC-Land Records - Western White]

ADJOINING LAND OWNERS

W = J. F. MILLS, EST

X = D. ROSCOE FAYER

Y = T. FLOYD ADAMS

Z = ROLAND E. CARPENTER
(WIFE = ILDIA F. -)

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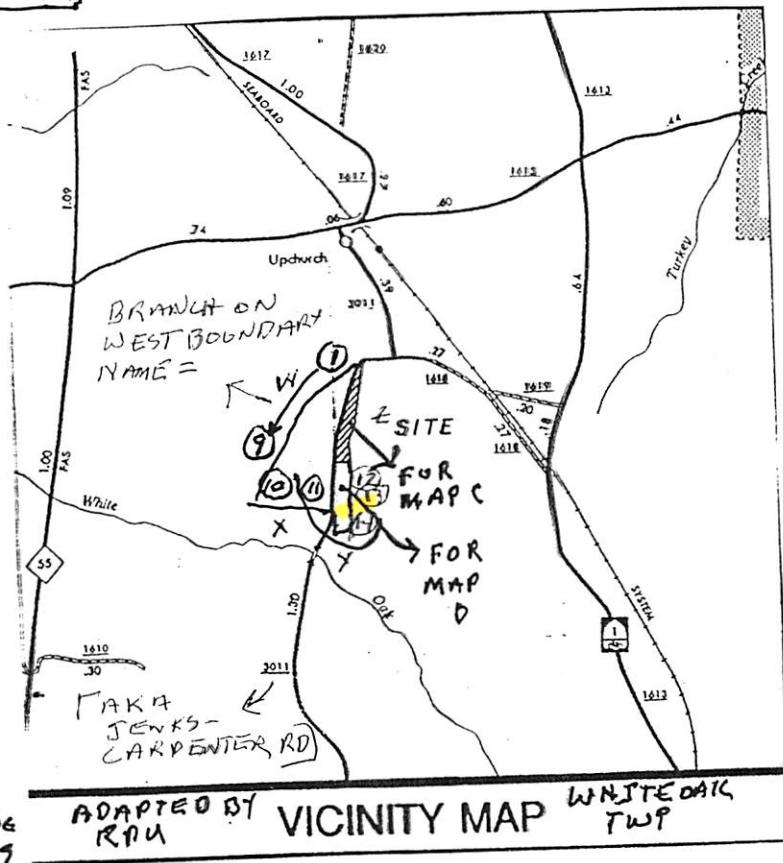
14 6.320 A GLADSTONE H. KENT - ADDED 22 MAY 1969

ET UX SARAH C. KENT

10. 122 A

+ 7.948 A SURVEYED PERC

19. 670 A + 32.799 A = 50.469 A (VS 50.459 A ON MAP)



5 5 5 5 0 2 0 1 0 - Staley
says this is
WHITEHEAD
Land

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BIG BRANCH 3/4 RDS DOWN EAST SIDE
OF 414 - FLOWS
WEST TO WHITE
OAK CREEK

SAW MILL BRANCH - WHITE OAK TWP., W. S. NC

Survey Map for Subdivision of Property of ELsie T. U
(nee MARY ELSIE TINSEN WIDOW OF HUGH KYLEY s/o ALBERT
DOCTOR U OF THE NATION^A U/I BURIES U Subday) - Rec'd
9 JAN 2010 by RPL from Staley (Caraway Grants - original
document filed WC/NL-Land Records - Western Ware) C
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SURVEYOR = A. EARL SMITH
of SMITH & SMITH SURVEYORS
AES Certified on 11 MAY 1988
PROPERTY DIVIDED INTO

4 lots

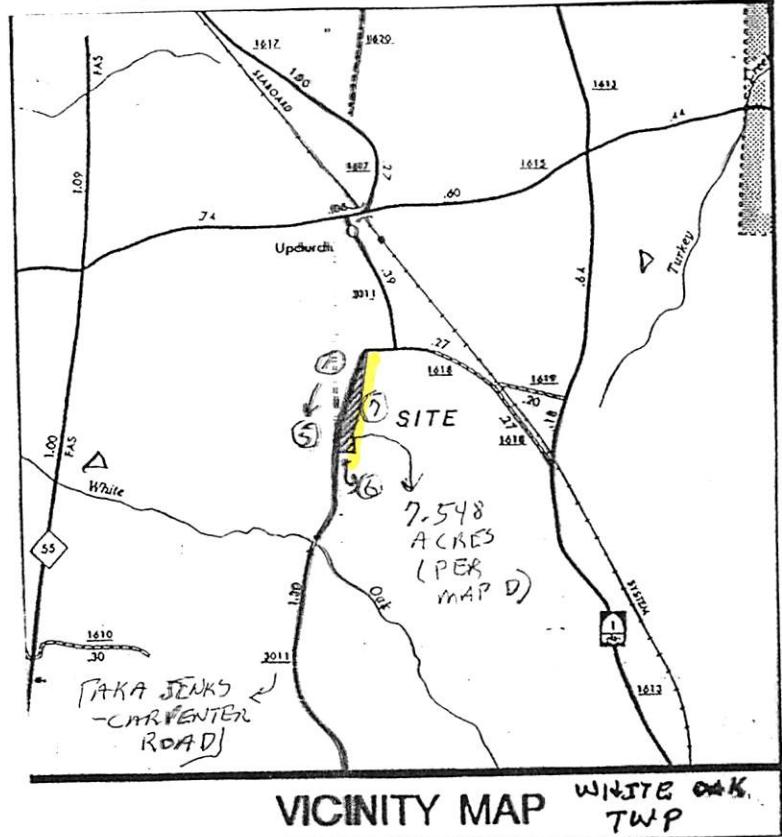
SAW MILL BRANCH RUNS
SOUTH ALONG THE EASTERN
EDGE OF THE PROPERTY

ALSO SEE OTHER SHEETS SENT ON
SAME DAY - A, B, D, E (^{TWO}_{SHEETS}), F, G

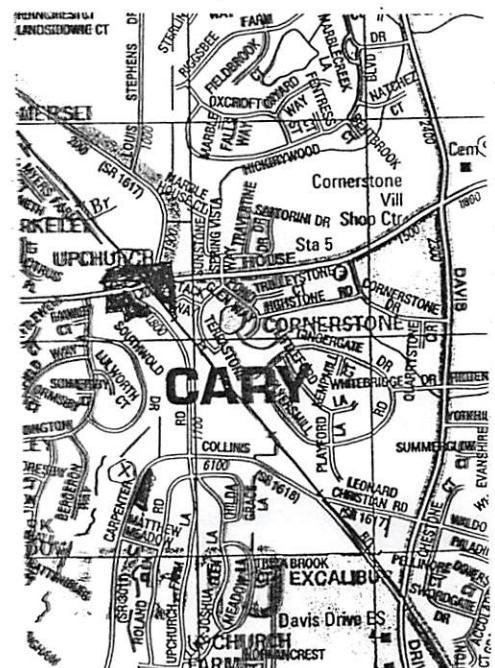
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- ①. OTIS T. HODGES
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 - ③. PATRICIA S. SMITH
 - ④. ROY W. PEEDIN
 - ⑤. HOWARD GRAY WALL
 - ⑥. ROBERT W. NICKMA
 - ⑦. IGLDA F. CARPEN

NOTE: See Map D Surveyed for Hugh Kyle U on
7 MAR 1969 in which 32.789 Acre across the
Road from the above 7.548 Acre and 17.670
Acre south of the 7.548 Acre (Total = 50.459 A
+ 7.548 = 58.007 A) were partitioned off.
Hugh died 29 FEB 1972; Elsie died 2 SEP 1994
GROSS ACRES OF THE 4 LOTS
1 = 2.596; 2 = 1.751; 3 = 1.529; 4 = 1.683 = 9.559 A



ADC MAP - RALEIGH/CARY
WAKE CO., NC

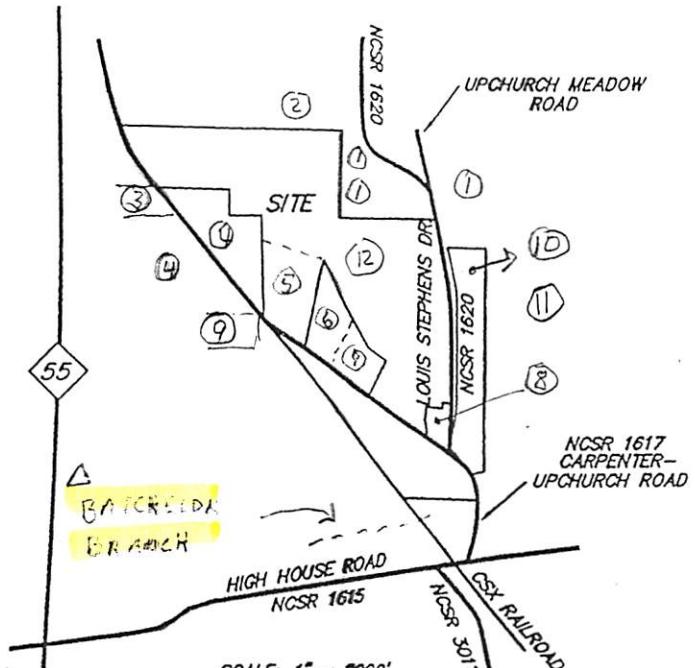


BATCHELORS BRANCH - WHITE OAK TWP, WC, NC

Survey map Dated 10 NOV 2008 by Stanley C. Smith of Smith & Smith Surveyors - Cedar Fork Twp - Wake Co, NC being Plan E (has 2 SHEETS) of Items A → G Rec'd by RPL on 9 JUN 2010 from Stanley Carraway Smith Original to WC/NC Land Records - Western Wake Stand of Wm Bastis U, Sr - Town of Cary Project 08-1617

NEIGHBORS:

- ① J. MICHAEL EDWARDS
- ② ANNIE B. MILLS
- ③ PAUL G. RUSSELL
- ④ JAMES WADE RUSSELL
- ⑤ CURRENT HOME Wm B. U, SR
- ⑥ PATRICIA & KUESTER
- ⑦ PAMELA U JOYNER
- ⑧ Wm B. U, JR
- ⑨ DORIS YATES U
- ⑩ PART OF 12
- ⑪ RIGSBEE FARM
- ⑫ LAND OF Wm B. U, SR.



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MARSIT CREEK - WAKE CO, NC

○ Partial Extract of Estate Paper of John W. Smith d 1860 (WC, NC)
Details re NAMES MENTIONED and more comments

PG 2: (See Profile of John W. Smith) MAY 2009 for 122 Pg Doc
Tract 1 - To widow 800 Acre - Sewell Tract [PURCHASED FROM DR HENRY SEWELL] 557 1/4 A
Tract 2 - 500 A. - on Poplar Creek, by JACKSON TERRELL, N. PRICE,
DORIS NINTON. 4 [NEEDRAM]

Tract 3 - 900 A - OLD PLACE / River Plantation - on Neuse River by
BURRELL TEMPLES, HENDERSON HODGE, KEARNEY U

PG 7 COMMISSIONERS TO DIVIDE LAND - NOV 1862 TERM: GEO. W. JACK BOROUGH
RICHARD W. DEBNAM, NEEDRAM PRICE, ALONZO MIAL, DAVID NINTON

PG 29 G. N. WILDER, ADMR, PAY TAXES ON 2712 Acre of John W. Smith Estate - MARKS CREEK DIST.
[GASTON] 10 AUG 1865 - A US TAX FOR INSURRECTIONARY DISTRICTS

PG 48 Undown Petition NOV TERM 1860 - Estimate 3000 Acre - 3 Tracts
Adjoin CHARLES N. NINTON, BURWELL TEMPLE, NEEDRAM PRICE
R. B. DEBNAM, On JAMES DUNN, CHARLES HORTON

PG 52 Commissioners to lay off Dower Land - 15 MAR 1861:
PG 60 M. C. HODGE, BENNETT BUFFALOE, JESSE PEEBLES, SOLOMON PAGE
W. S. FORT, JOHN L. FORT, DAVID NINTON, R. F. TEMPLE
C. H. HORTON, R. S. PENNY, H. TEMPLE, RICHARD B. SEAWELL

PG 61 → Slaves allocated - many!

PG 65 List of slaves to UPHURCH SMITH - 18 individuals

PG 79 The 3 Tracts Described - AUG TERM 1862. SOLOMON GILES RICH'D
#1 Sewell Place - To widow. Adjoin. CHARLES HORTON, BROWN, UNDERHILL, DEBNAM
#2 Hilliard Place - Poplar Creek. Adjoin. JACKSON TERRELL, NEEDRAM PRICE,
David Ninten - 500 Acres

#3 Old Place - on Neuse River - Adjoin. Burrell Temple, Henderson
Hedge, Kearney Upchurch, - 900 Acres - STONEY CREEK AT NEUSE

PG 123 JOHN W. SMITH DEED SEP 1860 INTESTATE

PG 128 - MARY SMITH SOLD HER 1/20 TO Francis Bridges who begatned to THOMAS
BRIDGES WHO SOLD SAME TO UPHURCH SMITH
Sarah Smith sold 1/20 & John Stephens sold 1/20 to Francis Bridges - then
at his death to his RUFUS DUNN wife & to Dunn wife to
J. B. DUNN; then 1/20 to Thomas Bridges & Burrell Temple then
to B. P. Williams & Eastern widow; 1/20 GREEN & BRIDGES to UPHURCH SMITH

Pg 2. Undown allocated 800 Acres - SEWELL TRACT (Hilly Place) on
Marsh Creek bounded by CHARLES HORTON, SOLOMON BROWN,
GILES UNDERHILL, RICHARD DEBNAM

Pg 57. Commissioners the Dower FEB TERM 1861 - 1 YEAR SUPPORT
C. L. NINTON, THOMAS R. DEBNAM, JAMES A. TEMPLE

WOLF PIT BRANCH, LITTLE RIVER TWP, WAKE CO, NC

BOOK: STRICKLAND RECORDS AND FAMILY GROUPS CARLA TATE 2007
WAKE CO, NC RECORDS - PG 26 - 357 - ITEMS OF INTEREST TO RPY

RE - Estate of Bertie Terrell Strickland - (Pg 266 he died 1896)

Pg 157 - 1851 Tax Roll - 1386 Acres - B.T. Strickland - James D.
Nease

Pg 159 - 9 FEB 1851 B.T. S purchased Bunn Mill from Nease

Pg 268 - Clara A. Strickland w/o B.T. S. owned her mill 14 APR
1880 (Deceased 1897). She leaves 1/2 of her estate
in trust for H.W. S. until he predeceased her - so
all went to DAU nee Virginia N. Strickland
wife of S.P. Gill. SPG d before 1894.

Pg 275 - Virginia had a life right to clara's land but on
23 NOV 1898 agreed to give it to her 5 children - each
to pay her \$30/year - some of the land in Dennis
Twp - Franklin Co, NC.

Map by Pittman Stell Co. Surveyor for Wake re division of the B.T. Strickland land among the heirs of the late Vane Gill, under an order of court of October 3, 1898 according to the commissioners' report. Map shows Mill pond (Note from author: now Bunn Lake), Rocky Branch, Beaverdam Branch, Wolf Pit Branch, Moccasin Creek and roads to Louisburg (Note from author: now Shepard School Road) and Raleigh.

Petition of Virginia N. Gill (mother of three infant children Bertie E., Sylvanus Z. and Alie A. and 2 children of age, who holds life estate in lands in Wake and Franklin Counties, requests partition of the land and requests appointment of a reputable and disinterested person to represent the children as their next friend in the action of partition about to be instituted. Signed Virginia N. Gill before George L. ____offski, D.C. 8/23/1898. Order that W.T. Smith be appointed next friend of the infants Bertie E., Sylvanus Z. and Alie A. Gill and be authorized to join in the special proceeding for partition. D.H. Young, Clerk Superior court 8/23/1898.

Petition for partition. Filed 8/23/1898 in Book C Partition (sic) p. 368 9/5/1905. Case No. 859. Virginia N. Gill et al. Ex Parte. Stated that her mother had died 12/7/1896 leaving a last will and testament which was admitted to probate in Wake County. All of the real estate of the testatrix was devised to Virginia N. Gill as a life estate and Virginia's children Walter C., James E., Bertie E. Sylvanus Z. and Alie A. are each entitled to 1/5 of the value of the land subject to the life estate of their mother. Walter C. and James E. are over 21 years of age and the other 3 children are minors, Bertie E. being 20 years old, Sylvanus Z. being 18 years old, and Alie A. being 15 years old, all of them living with their mother the petitioner Virginia N. Gill. The land was the property of Mrs. Clara A. Strickland and is described as "All that tract of land lying in Little River Township in the County of Wake and in Dunn Township in the County of Franklin

on the waters of Mocasin (sic) Creek, bounded on the North by the lands of Ambrose Upchurch and Benjamin Pearce; on the East by the lands of Joseph Glover and Henry Haywood's heirs; on the South by the lands of Noah Strickland, G.M. Bell and J.R. Edwards and on the West by the lands of Nannie A. Hunter, Lemon Chamblee, Thomas Wiggs and W.H. Chamblee, Jr." A large portion of the land is uncleared and yields a very small income, and it is greatly to the interest of all parties concerned that the land shall be divided before the life estate of the petitioner Virginia N. Gill shall terminate, so that the petitioners who are remaindermen may each own his land in severalty, with the right to improve the same and to render it more productive.

WHITE OAK CREEK, WHITE OAK TWP, WC, NC

Survey Map Drawn 9MAR 1969 by M. M. W

Checked by A. Earl Smith of Smith & Smith Surveyors - Serve for
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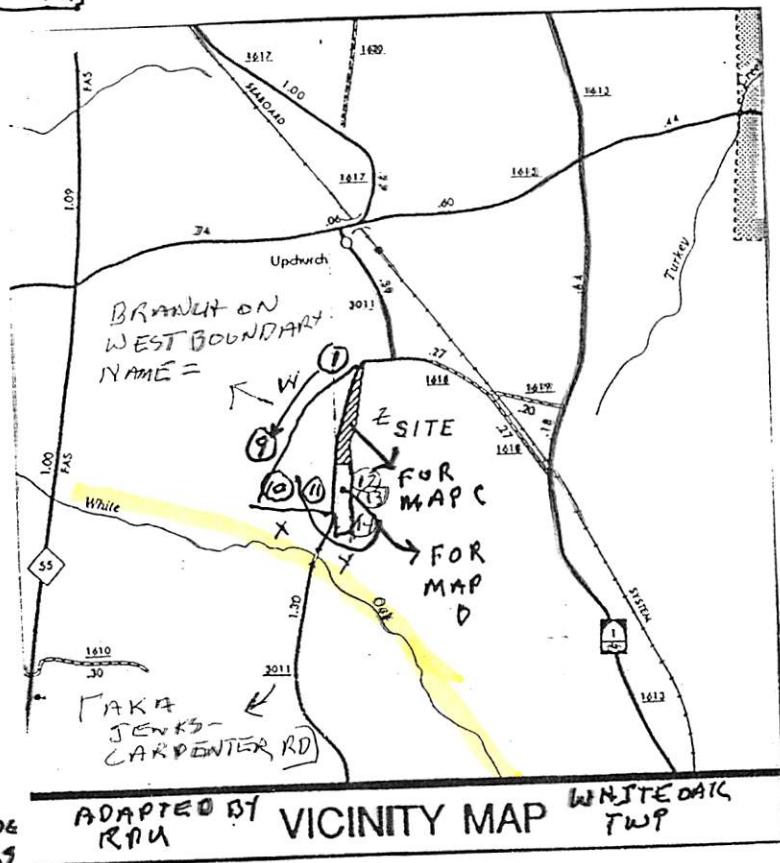
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SPRING BRANCH → MOCCASIN CREEK, WAKE CO., NC

○ FROM: Burns Families of SEUS - Vol I John, David, James, and
Wrightman Burns - 2006 By Danny Calie Burns - Pg 2

I. John Burns d 1804 (Wake Co., NC)

A. Jesse Burns - had issue by wife #1 but apparently none by
wife #2 LEVINIA WALKER

- △ 2. JESSE² BUNN (JOHN BURN¹ (BUNN)) was born Abt. 1760, and died 1816 in Wake Co., NC⁴. He married (1) UNKNOWN. was born ⁵. He married (2) LEVINIA WALKER 06 Nov 1813 in Wake Co., NC, USA⁶. She was born ⁷, and died 1825 in Wake Co., NC.

Notes for JESSE BUNN:

Jesse Bunn served in the Revolutionary War (p. 1023, Vol. 16, State Records of North Carolina). He enlisted in 1782 for a period of 18 months and was a Private in Raiford's Co. 19th Regt. of NC Continental Lines (Abraham Shepard, Col.) He was discharged from service in 1783. Jesse owned in excess of 1000 acres of land in Wake and Franklin counties of North Carolina. Most of his property lay along the Moccasin Creek that divided those counties.

Children of JESSE BUNN and UNKNOWN are:

- △△ i. ALFRED WALKER³ BUNN, m. REBECKAH MEDLIN, 28 Feb 1826, Wake Co., NC, USA⁸.

Notes for ALFRED WALKER BUNN:

After the death of his mother Alfred received 220 acres of land (p. 69, Record Book 7, Wake Co., NC) in Wake Co., NC, that his father had left to his mother at his death. That property was located where Spring Branch joined Moccasin Creek in Wake County. In addition, Alfred received 31 more acres in that same area that was his share of what his brother Jesse Walker Bunn would have received from his mother had he been living at the time of the division.

3. △ ii. DELILAH BUNN, d. 22 Sep 1868, Green Co., AL.
4. △ iii. ELIZABETH BUNN, b. Abt. 1795; d. Marshall Co., MS.
5. △ iv. GREEN WALKER BUNN, b. 1788, Wake Co., NC; d. Oct 1851, Franklin Co., NC.
△ v. JESSE WALKER BUNN, b. Abt. 1799, Wake Co., NC⁹; d. Bet. 1818 - 1825.

Notes for JESSE WALKER BUNN:

Jesse Walker Bunn served in the War of 1812. His military records indicate that he was only 15 years old when he was enlisted into the 43rd US Infantry in North Carolina by Lieut. Combs for a period of 5 years on April 18, 1814. The records further indicate that he had blue eyes, light hair, and a fair complexion and that he was born in Wake County, NC. While on duty, Jesse was at Camp Federal Point, Camp Greenfield and was confined at Fort Hampton for desertion. Last entry indicates that he was "learning music." This documentation can be found at the Olivia Raney Library, Raleigh, NC on microfilm #233 titled US Army Register of Enlistments 1798-May 17, 1815, Vol. 3, page 93.

Jesse Walker Bunn acquired land in Wake County, NC, from John Hopkins on 13 Jan 1818. However he did not live long enough to receive land from his father who had left 850 acres (p. 384, Record Book 12, Wake Co., NC) to his wife Levinia that was to be divided among his children at her death. Apparently Jesse Walker Bunn died prior to 1826 since in the division of that land in 1826 after the death of Levinia (p. 69, Record Book 7, Wake Co., NC) his share was divided among his surviving siblings.

- △ vi. GILLY BUNN, b. Abt. 1800, NC¹⁰.

Notes for GILLY BUNN: [S/o JAMES V, III & Q/S/o RILEY A. D. U, III]

△ Williford Upchurch was to appear before the Justices of Franklin County, NC, Court of Pleas and Quarters

Session to be held in Wake County, NC, in November of 1820 to answer a charge of Bastardy, committed on the body of Gilly Bunn. The 1850 census for Franklin Co., NC, indicates that Polly Bunn, 14, was living in the household with Gilly. The 1870 census for Franklin Co., NC, indicates that Ann Medlin was living in the household with Gilly Bunn at the time of survey.

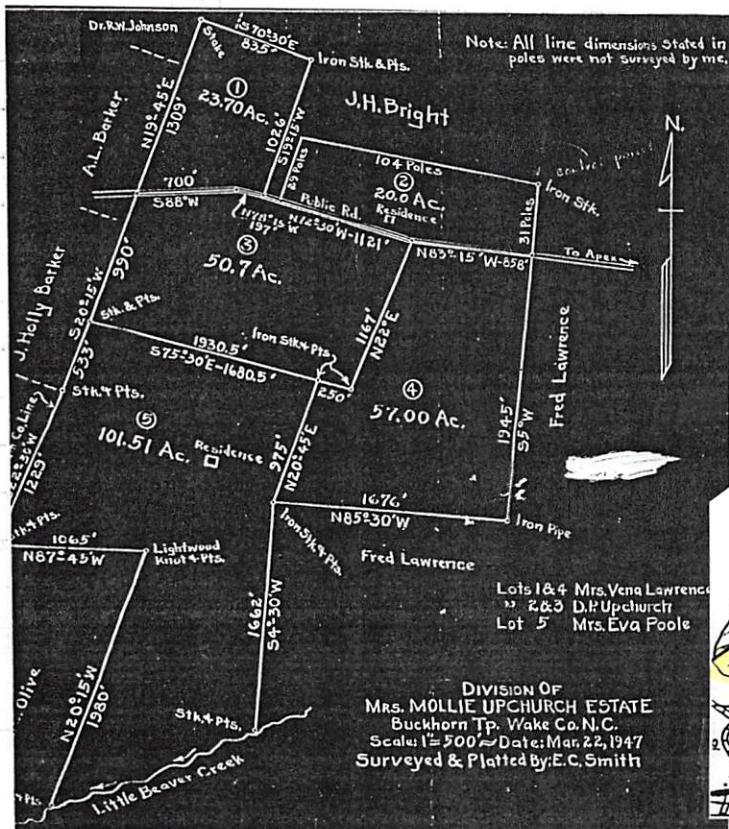
6. △ vii. RILEY WALKER BUNN, b. Abt. 1803, NC.
7. △ viii. WILEY WALKER BUNN, b. 1807, NC.

STREAM - LITTLE BEAVER CRK. WAKE CO., NC

O Abstract of a Plat of 252.91 Acre of Upchurch land in Buckhans
Twp, Wake Co, NC made by Surveyor E. C. Smith 22 MAR 1847 and
Rec'd by RPH 12 FEB 2010 from STALEY CARAWAY SMITH and
placed in his Profile. The survey was for the estate of
MOLLIE U nee MOLLY ELMYRA POWELL, widow of ISHAM PASCUAL U
Their place on the Upchurch Family Tree:

- I. Moses W - Head of Clan
A. Murray W
1. Isham Smith W
△ a. ISHAM PASCUAL W
27 JUN 1863 - 22 APR 1934
△ Ma (?) MOLLY ELMYRA
POWELL 1868 - 1946
i. Sidney Robert W
ii. Loraine Meltina W
△ iii. EVA PEARL W
△ Ma (?) BEVIE
CARLYLE FOOLE
△ iv. Dennis Paschal W
v. Frank Cleo W
△ vi. VENA LEE W
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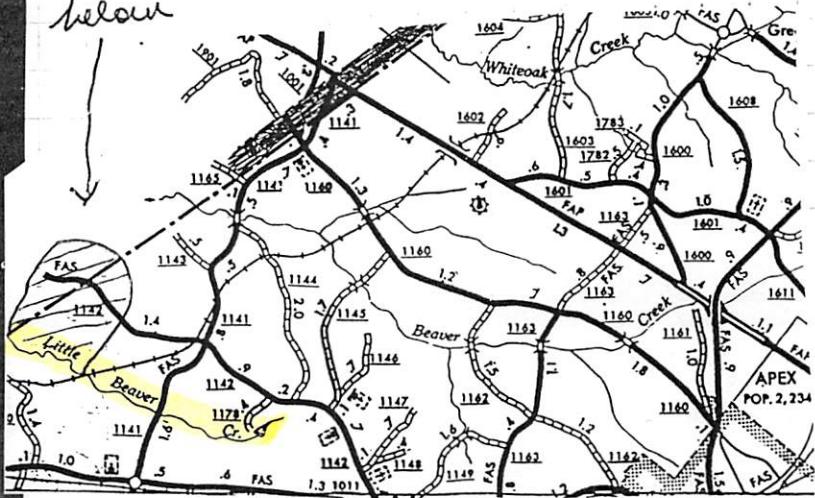


- Nate - Little Beaver Creek
 - Note that only 3 of the children of I.P.U.
& wife Melly/Mellie get land. They
were Mrs Vera Lawrence (nee Verna I.P.U.)
D. P. U (Dennis Faschal U) and Mrs
Eva Poole (nee Eva Pearl U)
 - Adjacent owners in Wake Co
 - △ .. Fred Lawrence - p Fred Lawrence
of Apex Area b Abt 1806 d 5 MAR 1972
 - △ .. J. H. Bright - p. John Henry Bright, SR
of Apex Area 1892 - 1971
 - Adjacent owners in Chatham Co
 - | .. BEVIE POOLE
 - △ .. J. Holly Barker
 - △ .. A. L. Barker
 - △ .. R. A. W. Johnson

Istman Paschal U was granted
4 parcels which might be same land.

- 14 JAN 1896 139/185 F1 am
 - △ 17. E. Nemo - Cameraman
 - △ • 23 FEB 1897 143/553 from SCOTT et al ^{FROM}
 - △ • 1 JUL 1911 250/554 - Fr Ayerstland T. Co.
 - △ • 7 MAR 1912 263/55 Fr. A. B. HUNTER ^{etc}

NOTE: The 252.91 Acres is in
the crosshatched area



MARKS CREEK, WAKE CO, NC

MAP II OF ALLOCATION OF LAND OF JOHN W. SMITH & SEP 1860
 (WAKE CO, NC) BY COMMISSIONERS 11 FEB 1863 - SEE PG 57 BFOFILE
 OF JWS 7 MAY 2009

△ JOHN COOPER'S CORNER

3 TRACTS:

△ 11 = MARKS CRK
 △ 2 E. P. ROBERTSON CORNER
 + 22 1/2 Acres part of land tract

#2	22 1/2 A
#3	60 3/4 A
#4	<u>55 1/4 A</u>
	1384.50 A

DISPOSITIONS:

△ 1 UPCHURCH SMITH
 22 1/2 A

△ 3 JOINTLY TO: 60 3/4
 △ JOHN WOODWARD
 △ JAMES WOODWARD

△ 4
 △ A. 188 1/4 A ERVIN GREEN
 △ B 170 A DESTY (GREEN)
 NOLLEMAN
 △ C. 188 1/4 A JOHN GREEN
 546.50

VS
 557.25
 A. ?
 TOTAL MAP II
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 + 546.50 =
 1920.25 A

△ DR
 JAMES DUNN
 CORNER

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△ SMITHFIELD
 ROAD

[SEWELL TRACT - PURCHASED
 FROM DR. HENRY SEWELL]

MARKS
 CREEK

△ CHARLES
 NORTON
 LINE

△ 3

60 3/4 Acres part of land

MOUTH
 OF LONG
 BRANCH

△ LONG BRANCH

△ TARBOROUGH
 ROAD 2

△ 23 = SOLOMON BROWN CORNER

DESCRIPTION OF NO 4
 NOT CLEAR - SEEMS TO
 INVOLVE THE HILLFARM
 AND NORTON TRACTS
 PLUS 100 ACRES NORTH
 OF ROAD FROM LAND
 PURCHASED FROM DR.
 HENRY SEWELL

△ 170 ACRES

△ HEAD OF
 POPLAR CREEK

△ WINDOW'S DOWER
 (NEC FRANCES
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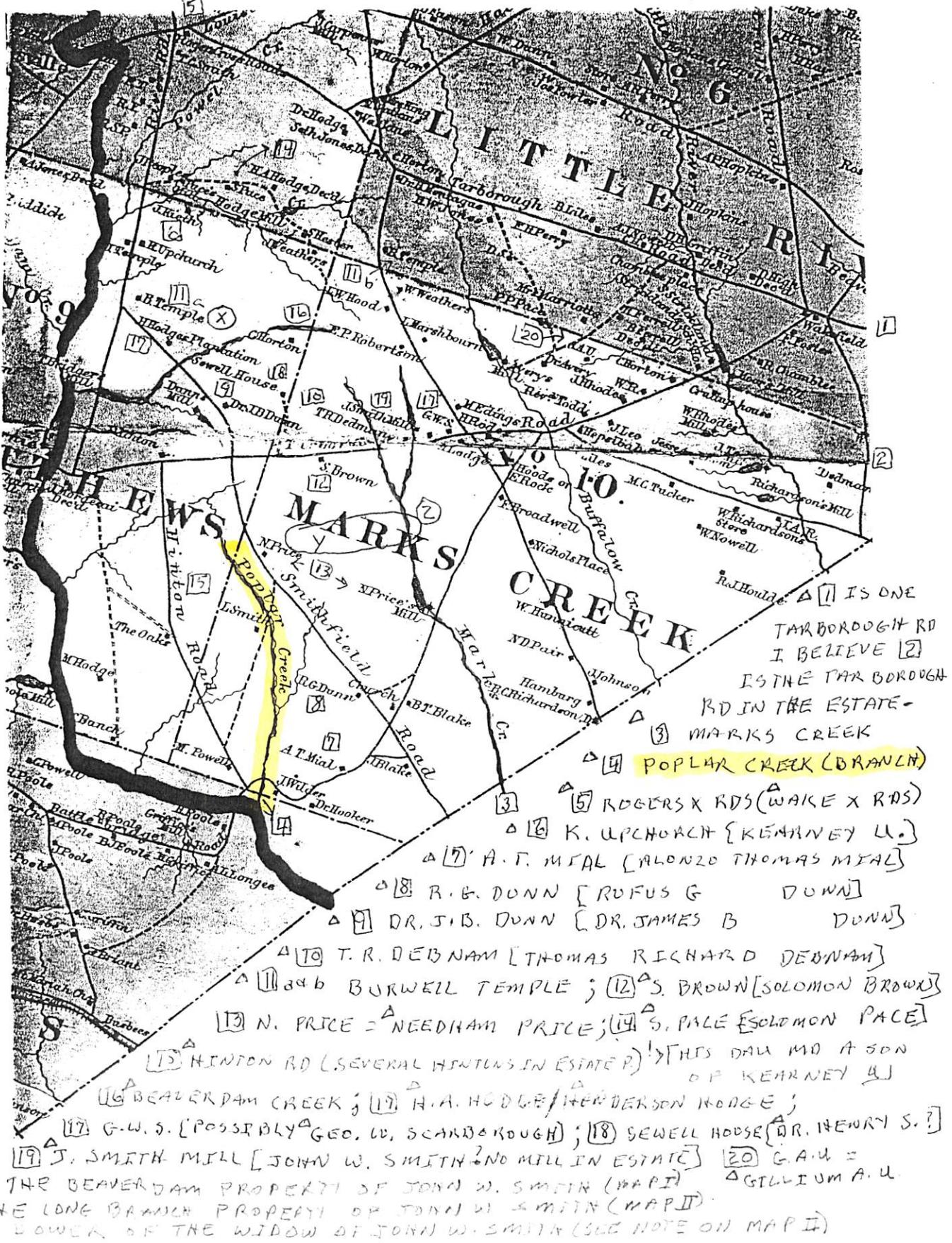
(SEE PG 59 - BFOFILE JWS
 7 MAY 2009) - 756 A LIES
 TO N, E, S OF MOUTH OF
 LONG BRANCH - POINTS:

* 13, * ALONG TARBOROUGH ROAD,
 S. B. DUNN LINE, CHAS NORTON
 COR., JOHN COOPER COR., E. P.
 ROBERTSON COR., * DOWN MARKS
 CRK, * MOUTH OF LONG
 BR - * ON ABOVE MAP

△ NEEDHAM PRICE LINE

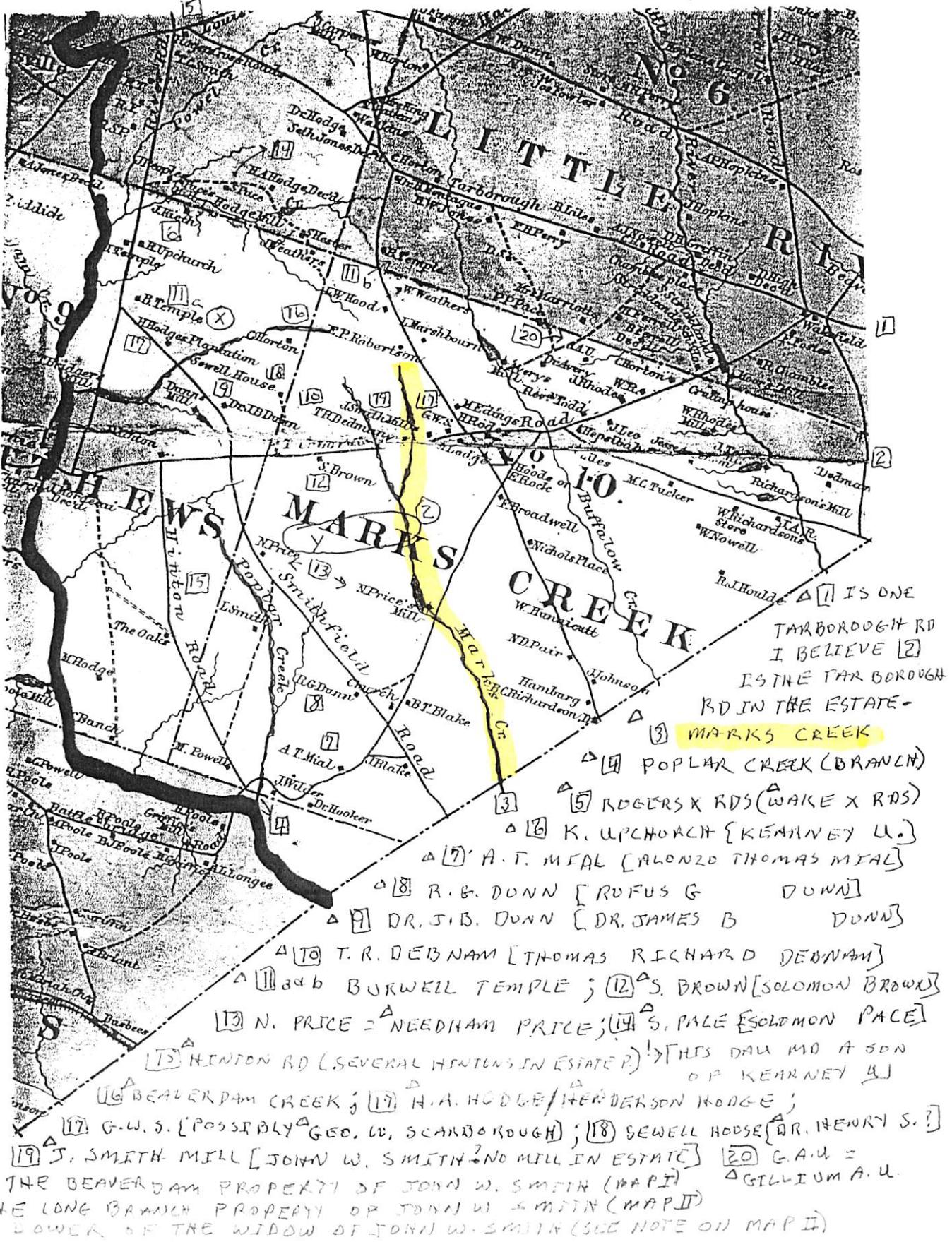
POPLAR CRIS-WL, NC

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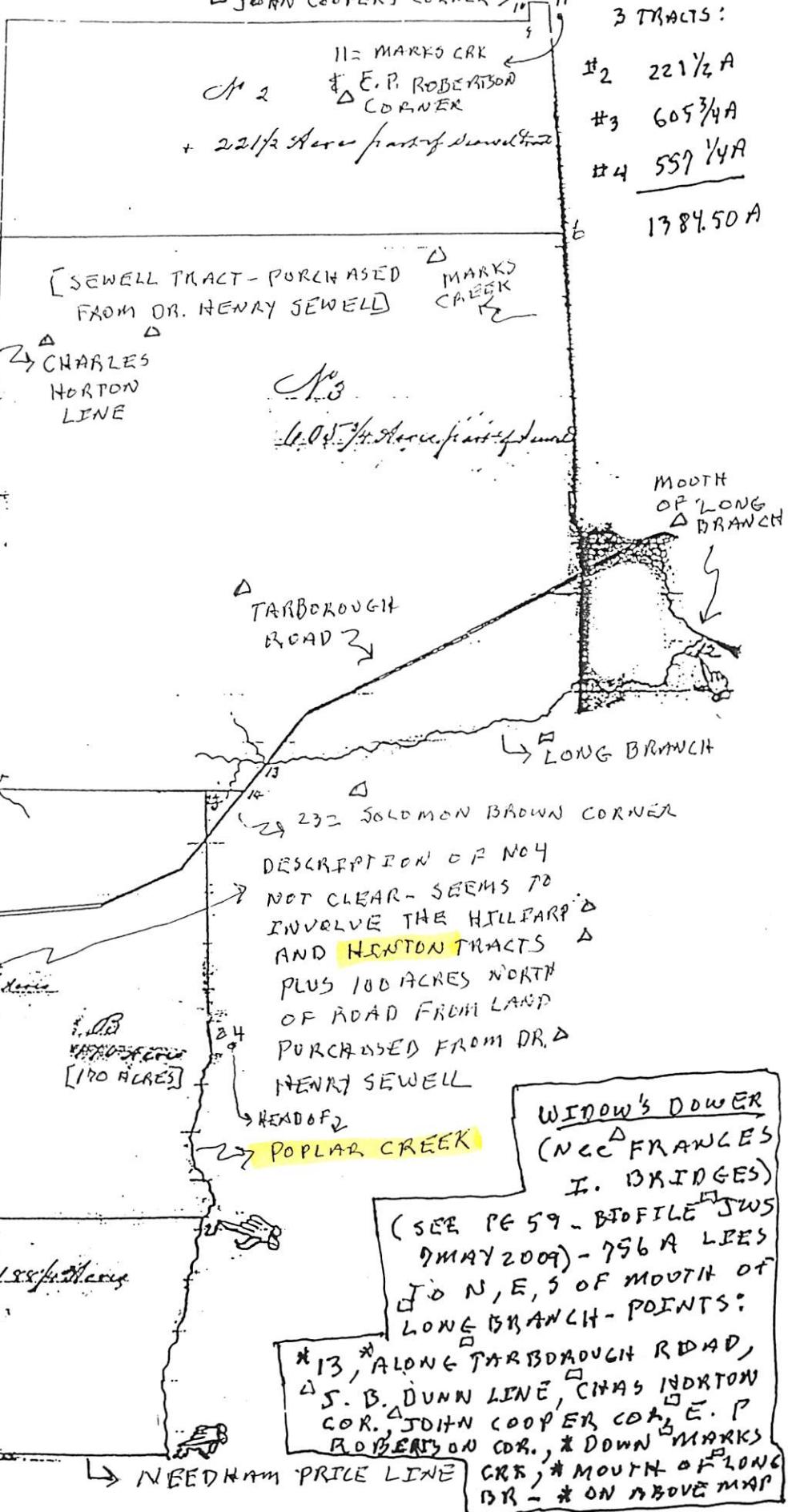
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 + 546.50 =
 1920.25 A



POPLAR CREEK - WAKE CO, NC

○ Partial Extract of Estate Papers of John W. Smith d 1860 (WC, NC)
Details re NAMES MENTIONED and more comments

- PG 2: (See Profile of John W. Smith) MAY 2009 for 122 Pg Doc
- Tract 1 - To widow 800 Acre - Sewell Tract [PURCHASED FROM DR HENRY SEWELL] 557 1/4 A
Tract 2 - 500 A. - on Poplar Creek, By JACKSON TEEARELL, N. PRICE,
DORIS NINTON.
4 [NEEDHAM]
- Tract 3 - 900 A. - OLD PLACE / River Plantation - on Neuse River By
BURRELL TEMPLES, HENDERSON NOOEE, KEARNEY U

PG 7 COMMISSIONERS TO DIVIDE LAND - NOV 1862 TERM: GEO. W. JACK BOROUGH

RICHAUD W. DEBNAM, NEEDHAM PRICE, ALONZO MIAL, DAVID NINTON

PG 29 G. N. WILDER, ADMR [GASTON], PAY TAXES ON 2712 Acre of John W. Smith Estate - MARKS CREEK DIST.

PG 48 Undown Petition NOV TERM 1860 - Estimate 3000 Acre - 3 Tracts
Adjoin CHARLES N. NINTON, BURWELL TEMPLE, NEEDHAM PRICE
R. B. DEBNAM, On JAMES DUNN, CHARLES HORTON

PG 52 Commissioners to lay off Down Land - 15 MAR 1861:

PG 60 M. C. HODGE, BENNETT BUFFALOE, JESSE PEEBLES, SOLOMON PRICE
W. S. PORT, JOHN L. FORT, DAVID NINTON, R. F. TEMPLE
C. H. HORTON, R. S. PENNY, H. TEMPLE, RICHARD B. SEAWELL

PG 61 → Slaves allocated - many!

PG 65 List of slaves to UPLURCH SMITH - 18 individuals

PG 79 The 3 Tracts Described - AUG TERM 1862. SOLOMON GILES, RICH'D
#1 Sewell Place - To Undown. Adjoin. CHARLES HORTON, BROWN, DODGE, NOOEE, DEBNAM
#2 Hilliard Place - Poplar Creek. Adjoin Jackson Teearell, Needham Price,
David Ninten - 500 Acres

#3 Old Place - on Neuse River - Adjoin Burrwell Temple, Henderson
Hodge, Kearney Upchurch, - 900 Acre - STONEY CREEK AT NEUSE

PG 123 JOHN W. SMITH DIED SEP 1860 INTESTATE

PG 128 MARY SMITH SOLD HER 1/20 TO Francis Badger who bequeathed it to THOMAS
BRIDGES WHO SOLD SAME TO UPLURCH SMITH

Sarah Smith sold 1/20 & John Stephens sold 1/20 to Francis Badger - then
at his death to Mr RUFUS DUNN wife & to Dunn wife of
Dr J. B. DUNN; then 1/20 to Thomas Bridges & Burrwell Temple then
to B. P. Williamson & Eastern Miller; 1/20 given to THOS BRIDGES → UPLURCH SMITH

Pg 2. Undown allocated 800 Acres - SEWELL TRACT (Hilly Place) on
Marshes Creek bounded by CHARLES HORTON, SOLOMON BROWN,
GILES UPCHURCH, RICHARD DEBNAM

Pg 57. Commissioners to Down FEB TERM 1861 - 1 YEAR SURVEY
C. L. NINTON, THOMAS R. DEBNAM, JAMES S. TEMPLE

NEUSE RIVER - WAKE CO, NC

MAP I OF ALLOCATION OF LAND OF JOHN W. SMITH d SEP 1860
 (WAKE CO, NC) BY COMMISSIONERS 11 FEB 1863 - SEE PG 77 BDFELL
 OF JOHN W. SMITH 7 MAY 2009.

TWO TRACTS:

#1 ALFIN TRACT - 596 3/4 A

#2 BEAVERDAM TR. 335 A

TO UPCHURCH
SMITH

ALFIN TRACT TO NEIRS
OF DEC'D SON ELAM
SMITH!

- Δ D. 75.00 A SARAH (SMITH) STEPHENS
- Δ E. 130.25 A FRANKLIN SMITH
- Δ F. 129.50 A MARY (SMITH) WOOD
- Δ G. 130.00 A ELEM SMITH (ELAM)
- Δ H. 133.25 A JOHN S. STEPHENS

598.00 A

VS
596 3/4
IT?

TOTAL
MAP
DISPO-
SITION:

596 3/4
335
598

1529.75 A

Δ HENDERSON WOOD HUS OF MARY (POLLY)
 Δ CHARLES STEPHENS HUS OF
 "SARAH "SALLY"

COMMISSIONERS:

Δ N. Price, seal

Δ Thos. R. Debnam, seal

Δ Geo. W. Scarborough, seal

Δ David Hinton, seal

SURVEYOR: Δ F. BEAVERS \$50

CHAIN BEARERS:

Δ J. S. LASTER \$4

Δ JOSIAH NORTON \$4

TOTAL ESTATE

LAND

DEPOSITIONS:

MAP I 1529.75 A

MAP II 1920.25 A

WINDOW 756.00 A

RIVER TRACT 55.00 A

4,261.0 A

TO MARY (SMITH) WOOD (NOT PLATTED)
 ON NEUSE RIVER

KEARNEY
UPCHURCH
J.S. LASTER
STONEY CREEK

H. A. HODGE CORNER

H. A. HODGES LINE

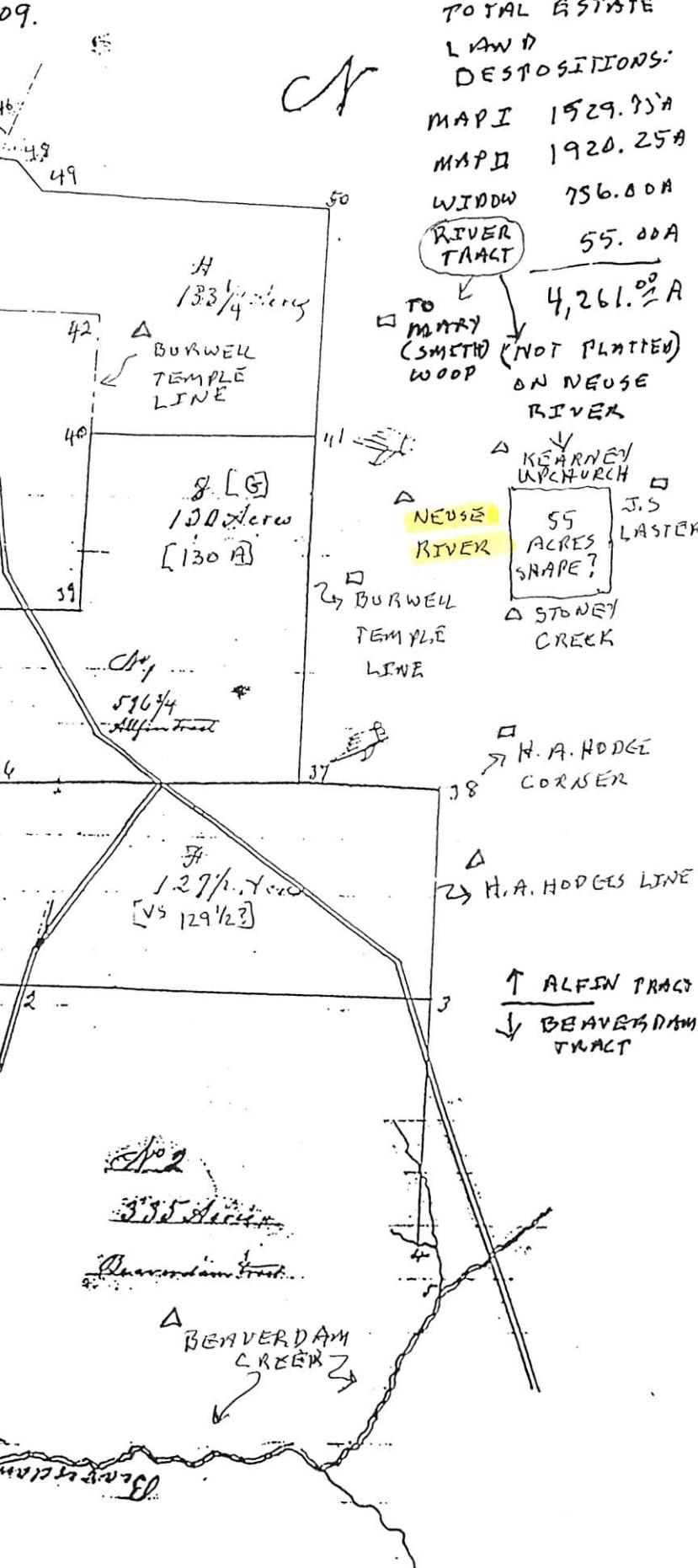
↑ ALFIN TRACT
 ↓ BEAVERDAM TRACT

1.29 1/2 Yds
 [VS 129 1/2?]

Beaverdam
Creek

Beaverdam Creek

Beaverdam Creek



STONEY CREEK - WAKE CO, NC

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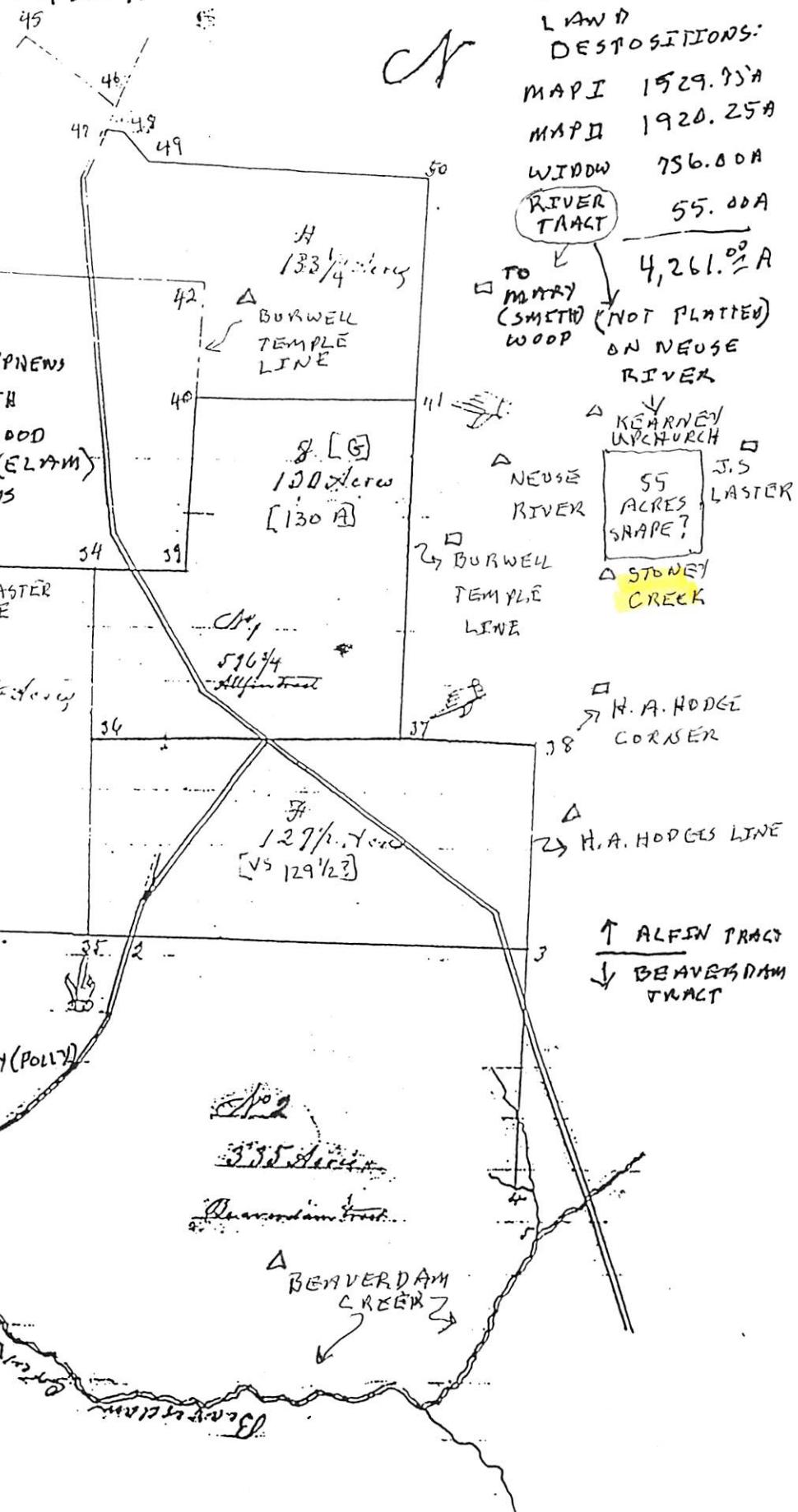
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LONG BRANCH - WAKE CO, NC

MAP II OF ALLOCATION OF LAND OF JOHN W. SMITH & SEP 1860
 (WAKE CO, NC) BY COMMISSIONERS 11 FEB 1863 - SEE PG 59 B. SOFTFILE
 OF JWS 7 MAY 2009

JOHN COOPERS CORNER \rightarrow 11

3 TRACTS:

- #2 22 1/2 A
- #3 605 3/4 A
- #4 557 1/4 A

1384.50 A

DISPOSITION:

#2 Δ PURCHASED SMITH
 22 1/2 A

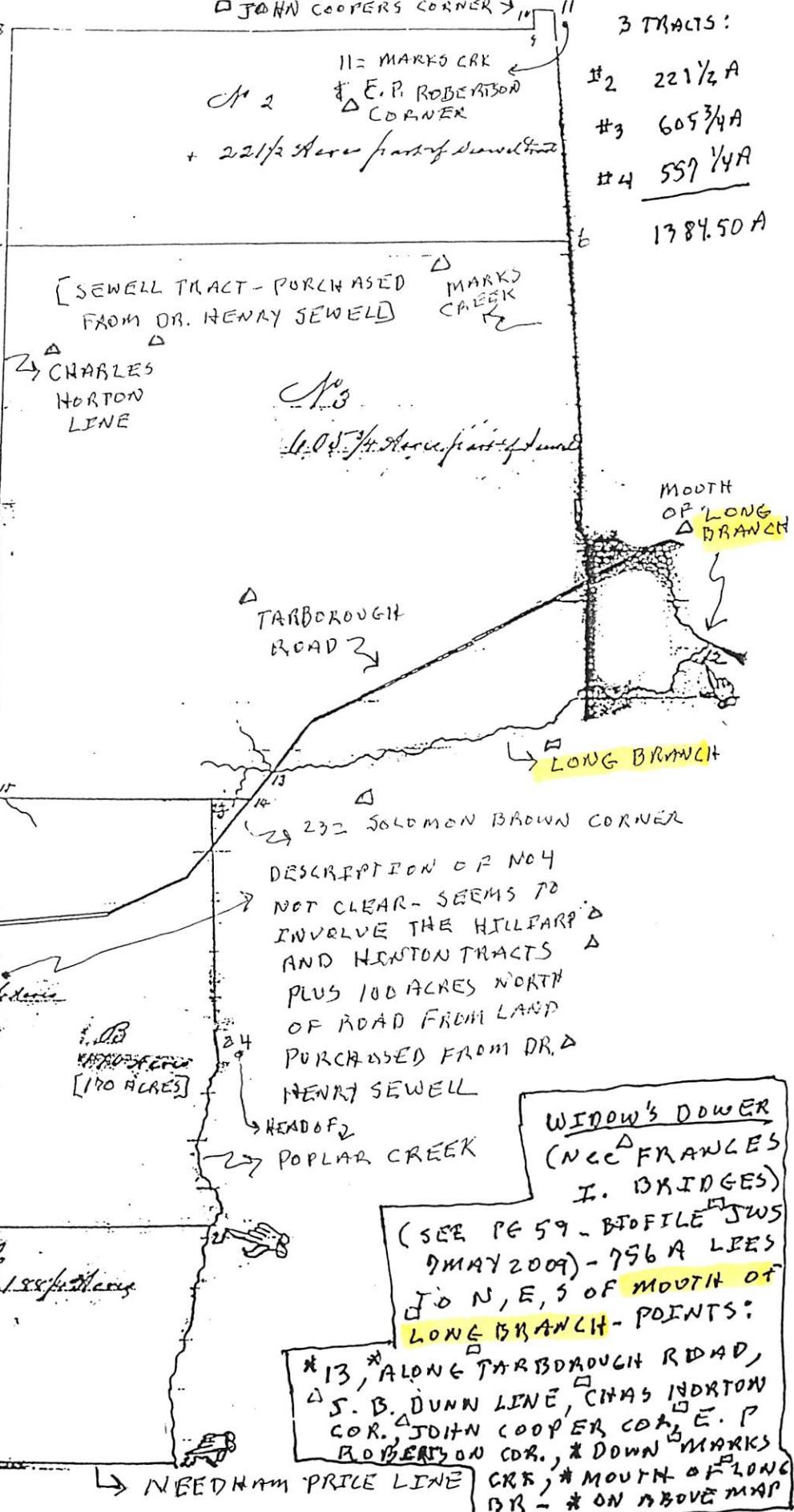
#3 JOINTLY TO: 605 3/4
 Δ JOHN WOODWARD
 Δ JAMES WOODWARD

#4
 Δ A. 188 1/4 A ERVIN GREEN
 Δ B 170 A DESTY (GREEN)
 NOLLEMAN
 Δ C. 188 1/4 A JOHN GREEN
 546.50

VS
 557.25
 A. ?
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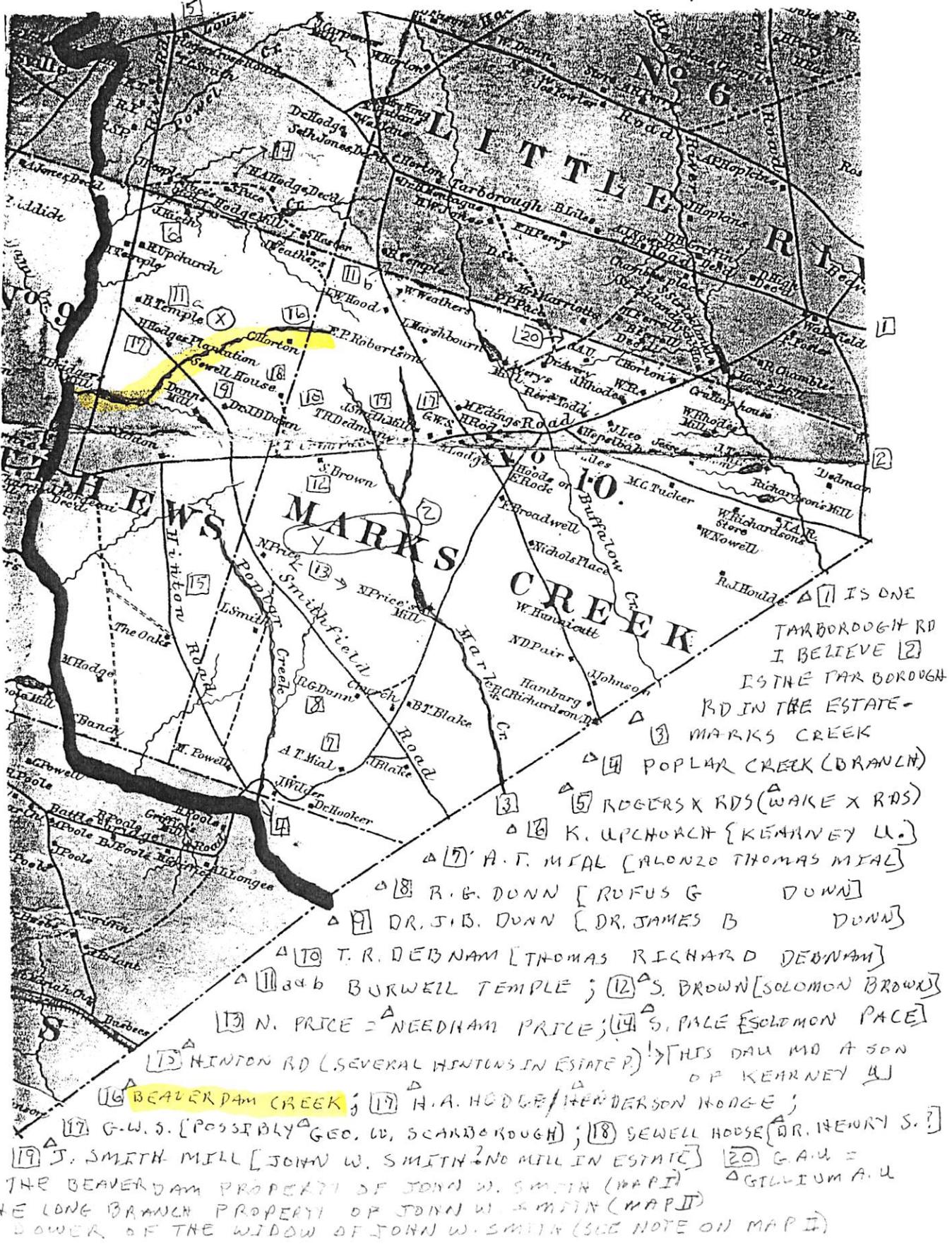
Δ DR. JAMES DUNN
 CORNER

Δ SMITHFIELD
 ROAD



BEAVER DAM CRK, WC, NC

O EASTERN WAKE CO, NC - 1870 FENDOL BEAVERS MAP
A HELP IN LOCATING LAND HELD BY JOHN W. SMITH AT
HIS DEATH SEP 1860. SOME TO NEPIEW UPCHURCH SMITH
LISTED BELOW ARE SITES ON THIS MAP THAT MATCH CITATIONS
IN THE ESTATE PAPERS FOR JOHN W. SMITH - TO WC, NC - MAPS
A KNIGHTDALE AREA



SPREAM FILE - WAKE CO, NC MARKS BRANCH
WHITE OAK TWP

○ RPH extract of a Petition to the AUG 1846 Session
of Wake Co, NC Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions
by Mrs MARGARET U (nee MARGARET YATES)
widow of ^ABuster U (s/o Nathan U, I) who died
10 OCT 1845. asking for a lower allocation from
the 206 acre tract owned by the deceased and
on which he lived at the time of his death.

Margaret lists the 8 surviving children of Buster U
leaving out Jackson U who is presumed deceased
[However, Jackson U is on the 1850 census in the
name of his Mother - RPH ??]. Son Jubal U is
said to be a minor having been born in 1829

The 206 acres is said to be on ^AMARKS BRANCH
in Wake Co, NC adjoining the lands of ASHWELL McGEE
and HENRY JONES

Transcrip in ^AWESTERN WAKE LAND FILE

CENSUS - WESTERN DIV

WAKE CO, NC - 1850

	Name, FARMER \$ 5045	BAPT	Age
△	Ashwell McGee	1805	45
	Caroline McGee	1849	1
	Charles McGee	1838	12
	Delina McGee	1843	7
	Eliza McGee	1833	17
	Elizabeth McGee	1842	8
	John McGee	1836	14
	Josiah McGee	1844	6
	Obediah McGee	1840	10
	Paschal McGee	1831	19
	Sally McGee	1846	4
	Syney McGee	1810	40
	William McGee	1830	20

CENSUS - WESTERN DIV

WAKE CO, NC - 1850

Name	BAPT	Age
Calvin Jones	1830	20 NC
Caroline Jones	1835	15 NC
△ Henry Jones	1795	55 VA
James Jones <small>CARPENTER</small>	1845	5 NC
John Jones	1833	17 NC
Lucy Jones	1810	40 NC
Martha Jones	1847	3
P R Jones <small>CARPENTER</small>	1829	21
Rufus Jones	1849	1
William Jones	1843	7
Young Jones	1836	14

NOTE: As of 20 JAN 2009 I was able to locate census records
for the Ashwell McGee and Henry Jones Families in Western
Wake Co, NC in 1850 but they were not listed next door
to Margaret (Yates) U. In the 1840 census Henry Jones not
found but Ashwell McGee was found in Swift Creek Twp.
Since Ashwell was worth \$5045 in property in 1850 it
is possible he owned a tract next to Buster U but did
not live on it.

FULL PETITION PLACED IN BIOFFICE OF MARGARET YATES

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 (son)

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Ancestors of Joseph Fredrick Morris

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d: Abt. 1819 in Wake County, NC

Russel Morris
b: Abt. 1795 in North Carolina
m: 13 Sep 1817 in Wake County, NC
d: Oct. 1864 - 1870 in Wake County, NC

Sally RENCH
d: Abt. 1804 in Wake County, NC

m/d) CELESTIA G.
ROGERS b 1842
(NARROWS TWP, FC, NC)
• Joseph Frederick
Morris b
1812 (W/C, NC)

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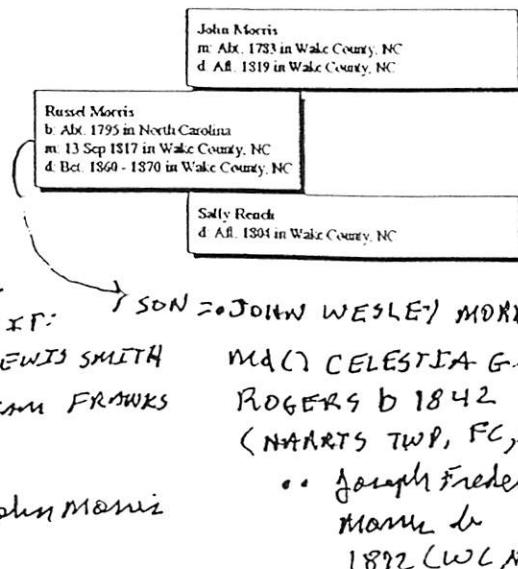
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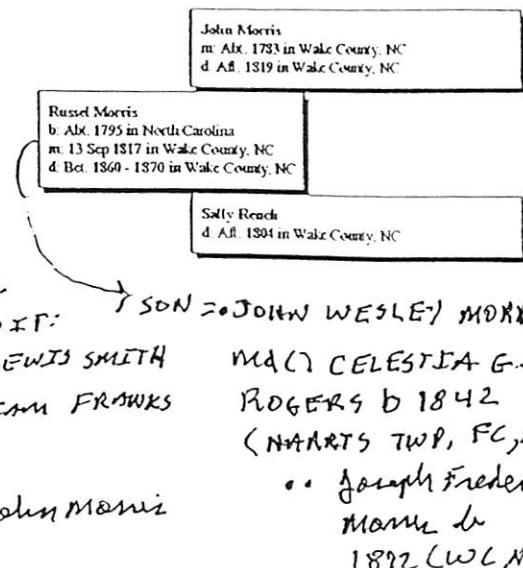
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- △ 5. John Rench
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RENCHE, John Will R. 26 Dec 1874 p. 33

In the name of God, Amen. Wife, Rebeckah RENCH: for her widowhood all estate not herefore mentioned. Daughter, Charity: Furniture. Daughter, Salley MORRIS, wife of John MOORIS: 300 acs on S. side of Steep Hill Creek, on heads of Long Branch, Cabin Branch, and Spring Branch. Daughter, Patience RENCH: 240 acs land & plantation I now live on, on both sides of Swift Creek; and 340 acs the grant now in the office; furniture. Rebeckah JONES, daughter of my wife, Rebeckah: furniture. Son, John RENCH: 10 S. 19 May 1784.

Exc: Wife and Etheldred JONES

Wit: Jesse THRAILRILL (Jurat), Lewis (x) SMITH, William FRANKS (Jurat)

RENCHE, John Inventory R. 26 Sept 1784 p. 35

Livestock; household goods. 1 Nov 1784,

Exc: Etheldred JONES, Rebeckah RENCH

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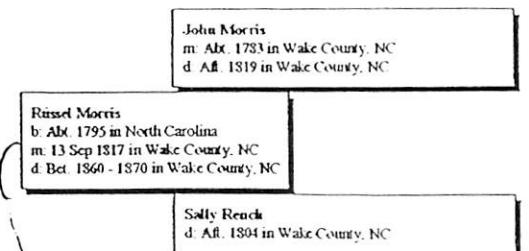
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 & WILLIAM FRAKES

300 A S. side step Hill
 4 LONG BR, CADO BR
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FINAL CHART
PG 83

By Diane L. Richard

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 m(d) REBECKAH --
 Her will made 8 MAY 1801
 (She m(d) -- JONES & had Rebeckah
 JONES)
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 △ □ 2. SALLY RENCH md Abt 1783 (WC, NC) farm Morris wit THOMAS
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 △ □ 4. Rebeckah JONES (SD of John) md -- MATTHEWS
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Subject: Map of Pace Lands in Franklin Co. NC

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CC TO JAMES P. JONES

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Please keep me updated on your progress with your map

Carla Tate

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DOWN LOAD

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Some Pace Family Land Grants in North Carolina

Below is a map of the area in North Carolina referenced in the Pace Society of America publication, BULLETIN #25 (September 1973), edited by Marion Pace Mehrkens. The locations of the Pace land grants are identified by number.

To read the article accompanying the map, see Pace Society of America, BULLETIN #25 (September 1973).

△ 1 -- William Pace -- 1 Oct 1753 -- 425 acres -- South side of Crooked Creek: corner and lines of Lodowick Alford.

FRANKLIN CO, NC

△ 2 -- James Pace -- 1 Nov 1752 -- 640 acres -- In the fork of Crooked Creek. "where the schoolhouse stood."

NASH

△ 3 -- William Pace -- 9 Oct 1783 -- 140 acres -- South side of Turkey Creek, mouth of Sassafras Branch; lines of Lamond and Strickland.

CO NC

△ 4 -- James Pace -- 26 Sep 1789 -- 95 acres -- On south side of Turkey Creek; corner and lines of Solomon Strickland.

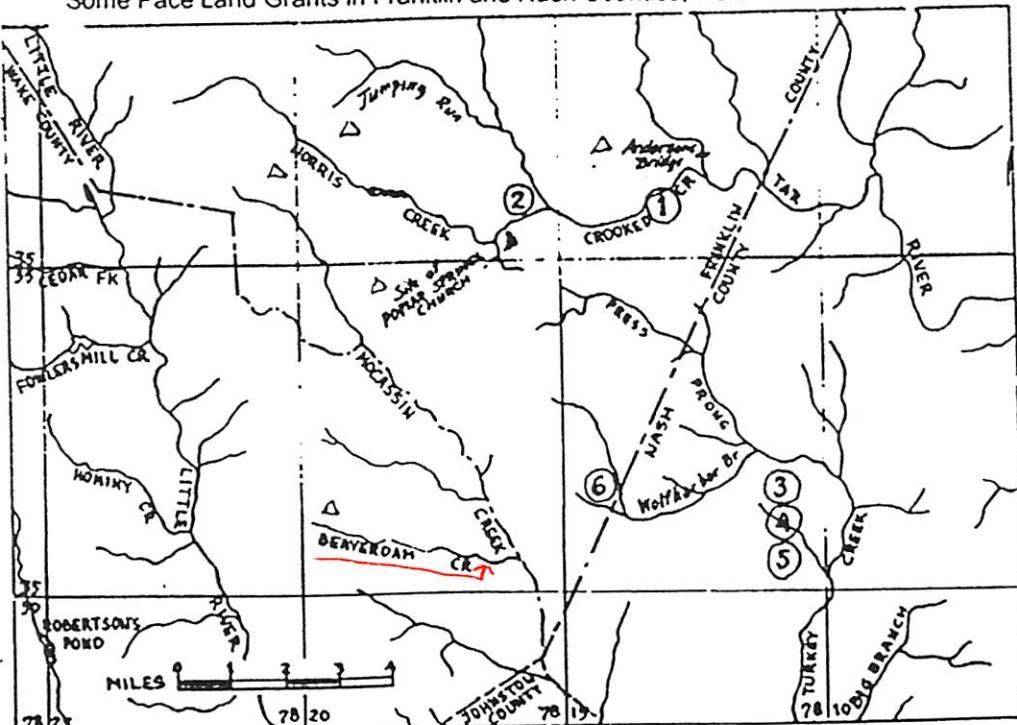
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△ 5 -- William Pace -- 13 Jun 1786 -- 100 acres -- On the waters of Turkey Creek and Joes Branch; lines of Solomon Strickland and Samson Powell. Transferred to William Pace by deed of transfer from George Pace dated 13 Jun 1786. Sold 10 Oct 1795 to William Fore.

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△ 6 -- John Pace -- 16 Jan 1795 -- 100 acres -- On the fourth prong of Wolfsharbor Branch, near the head of Bryant's Creek; lines of Massey, Lambert and Heartsfield. Sold in 1805 to Francis Anderson.

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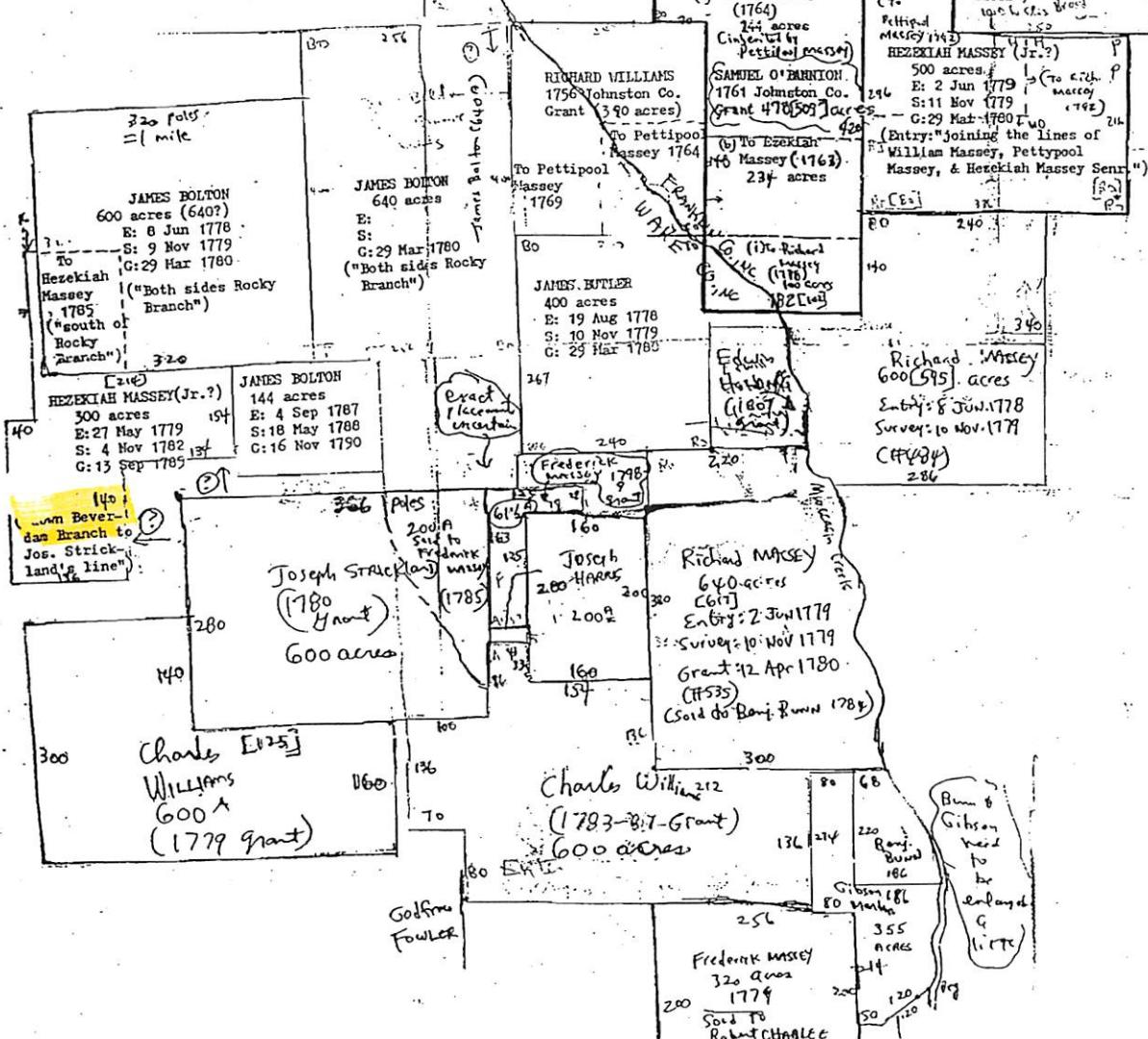
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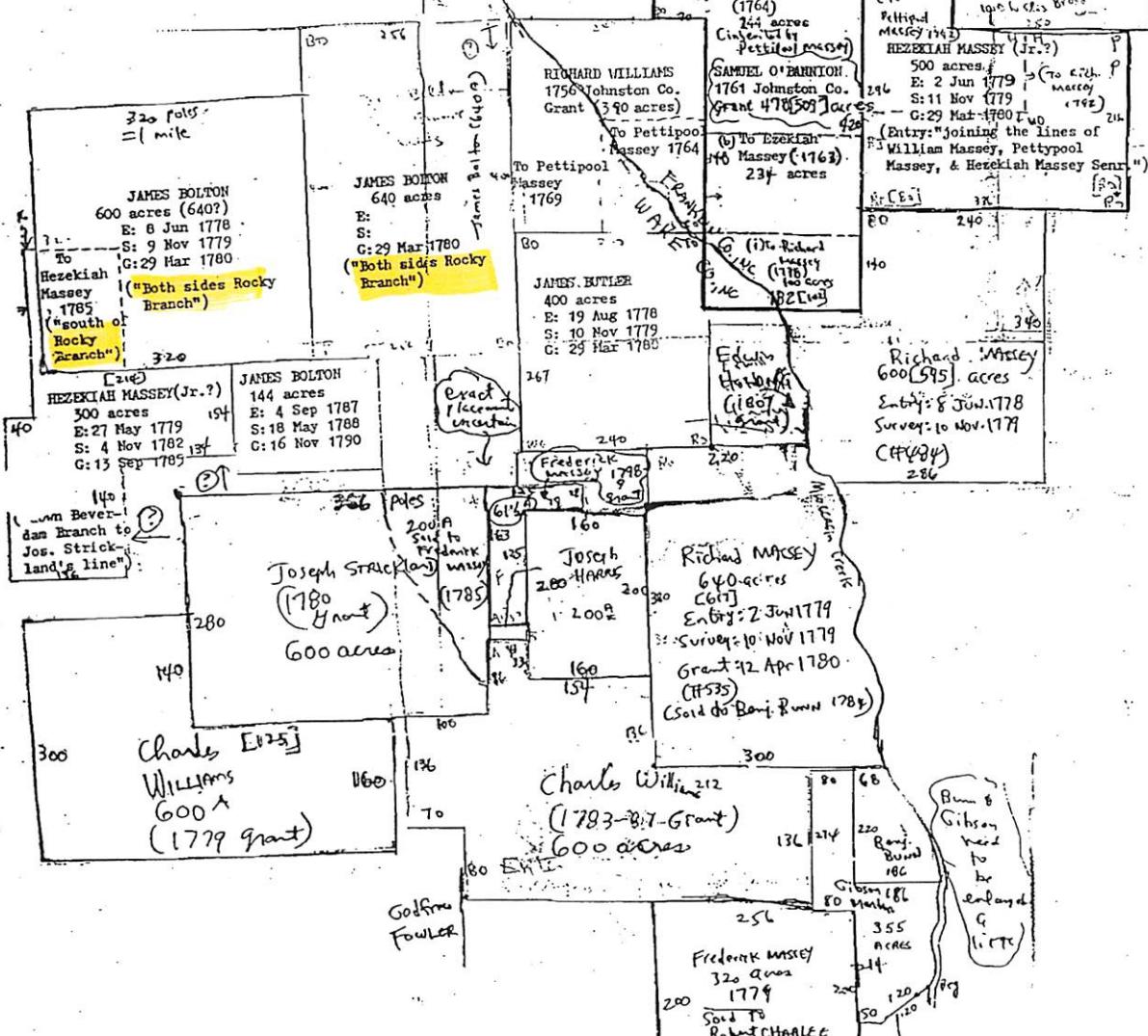
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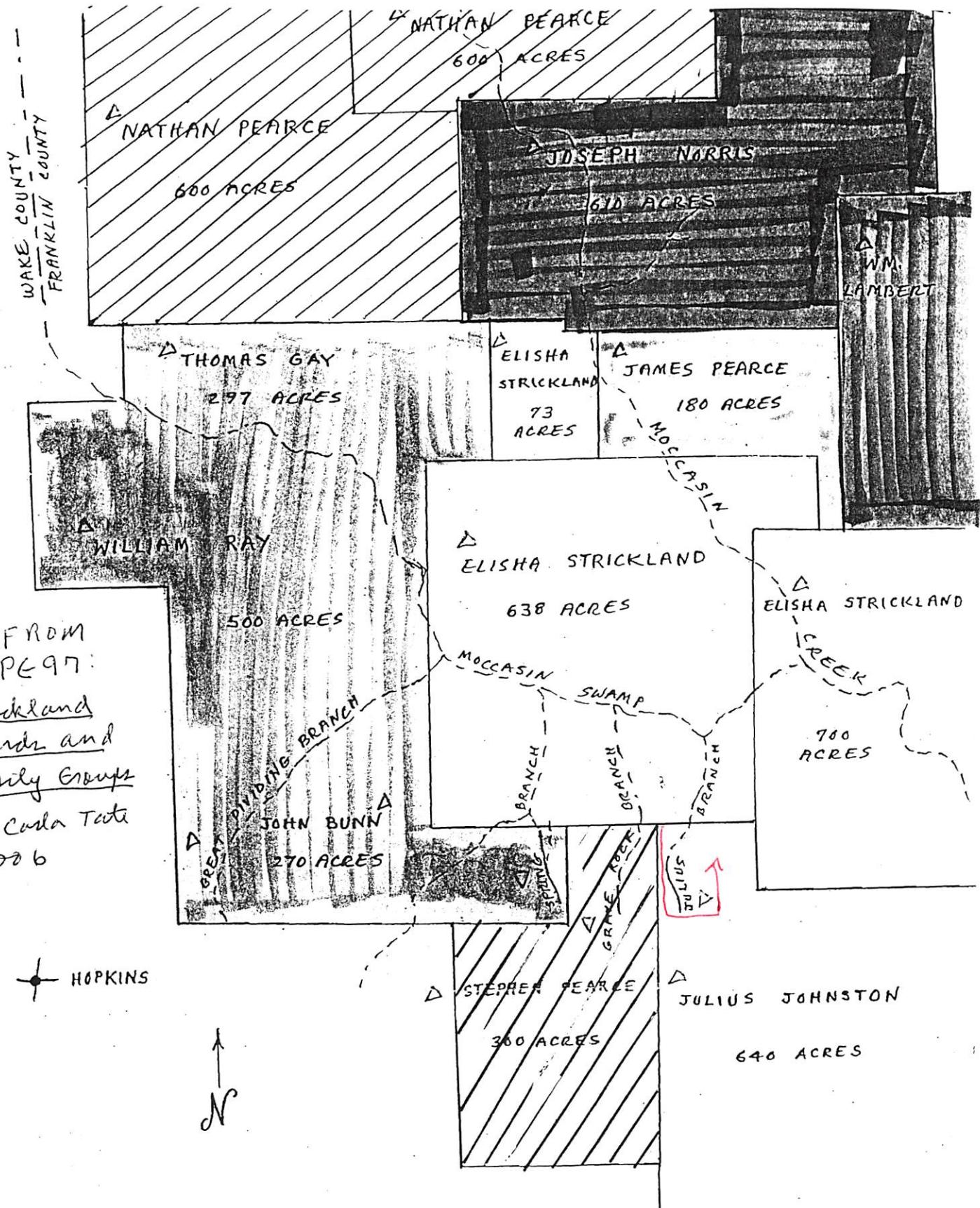
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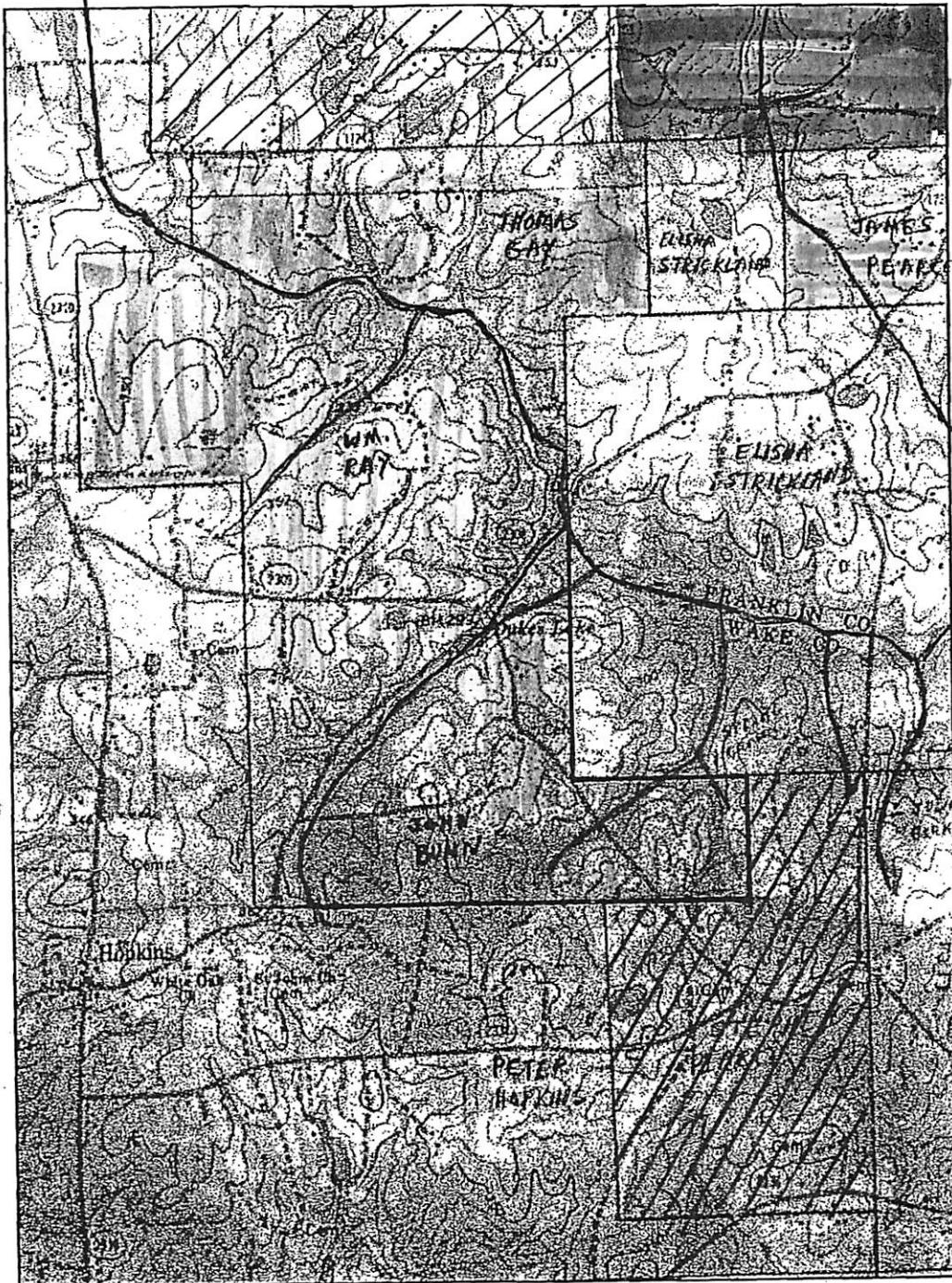
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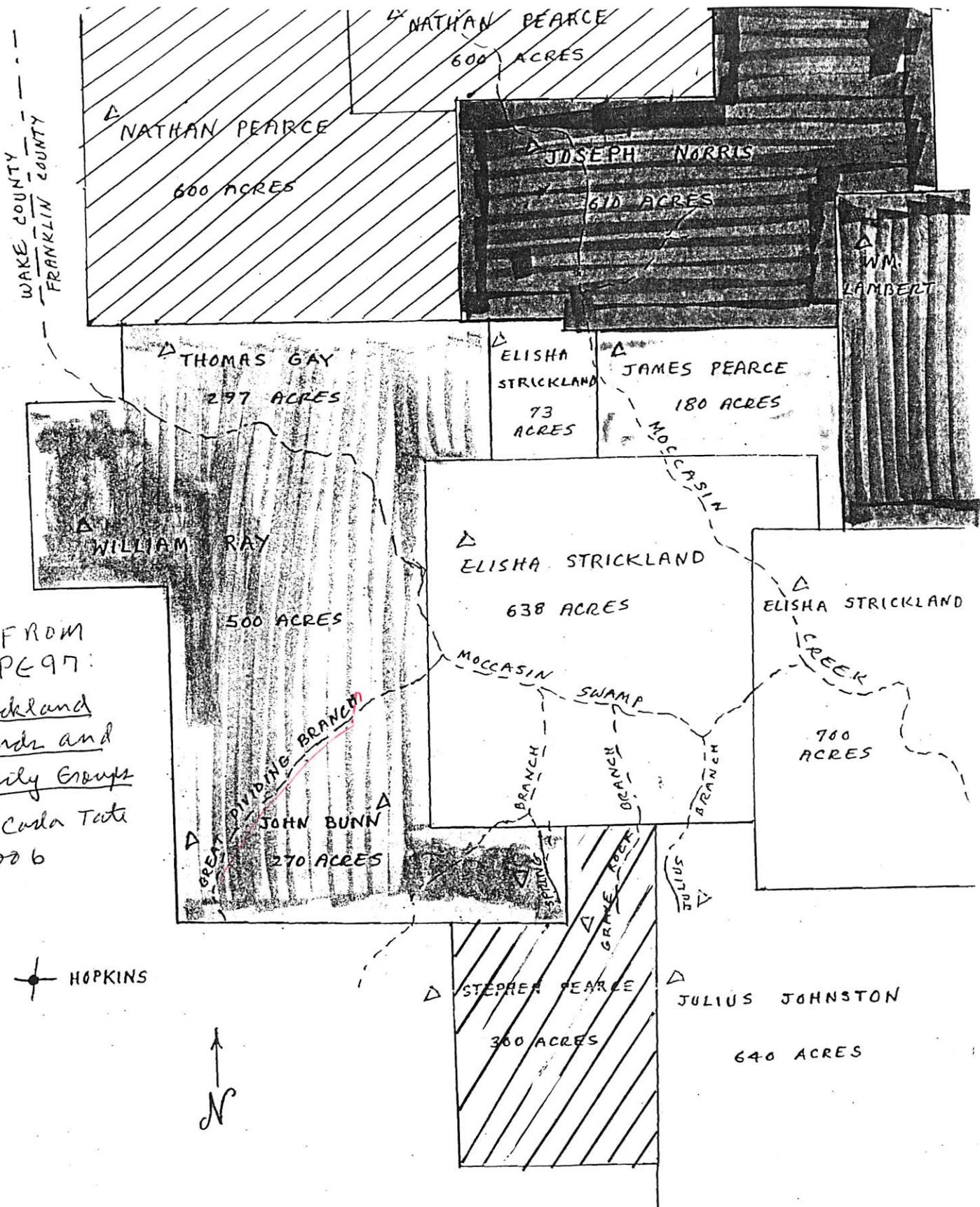


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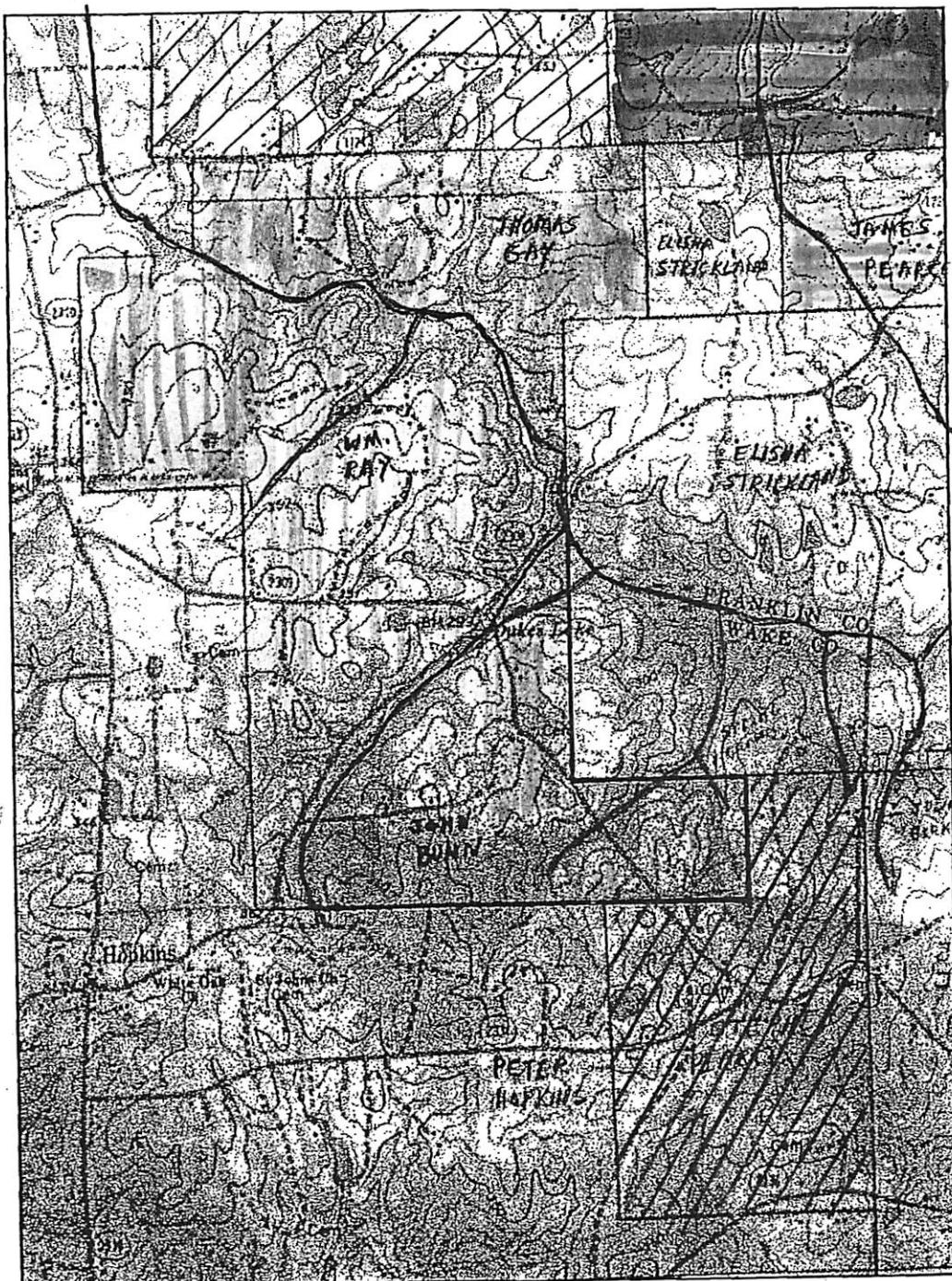
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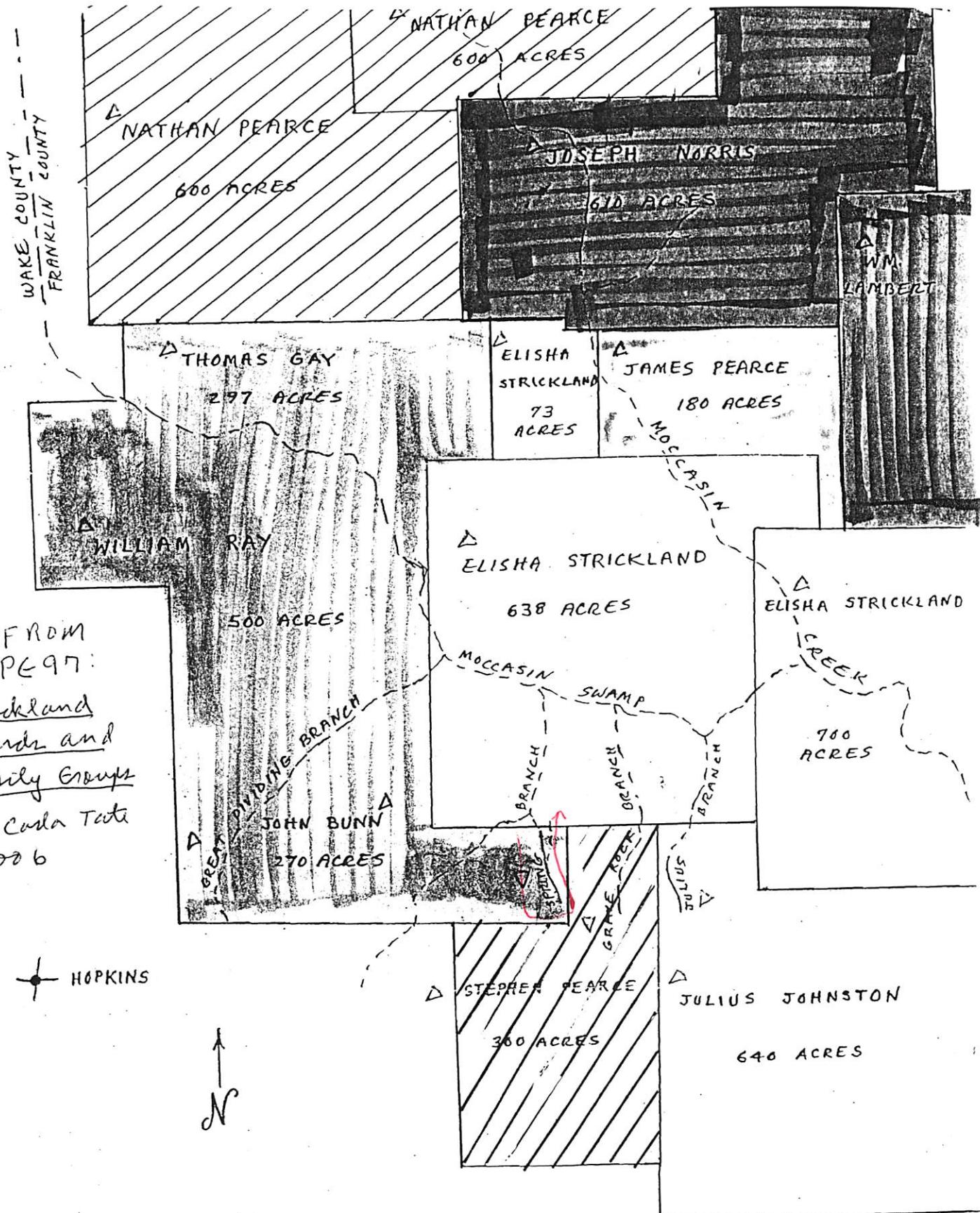


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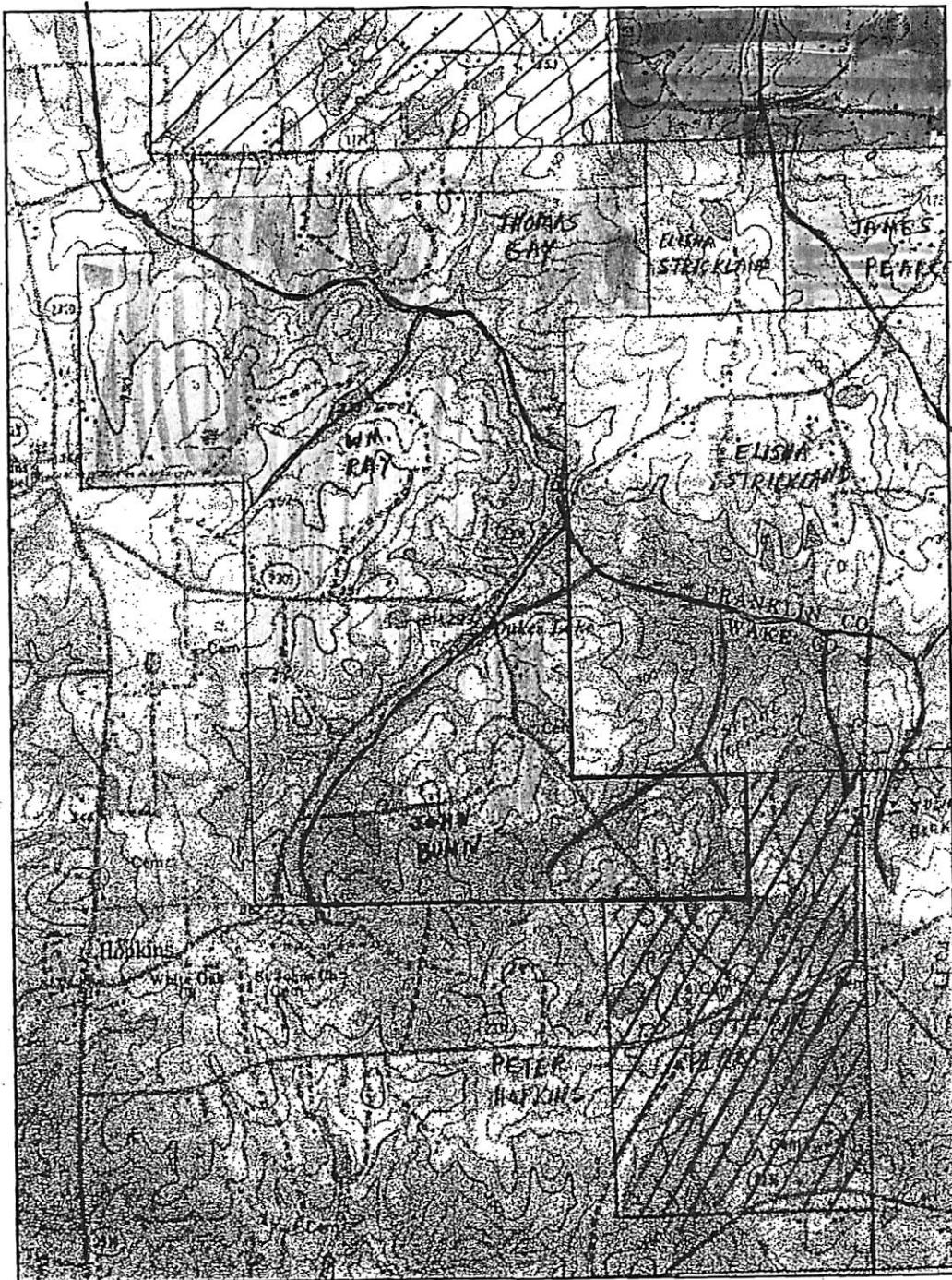
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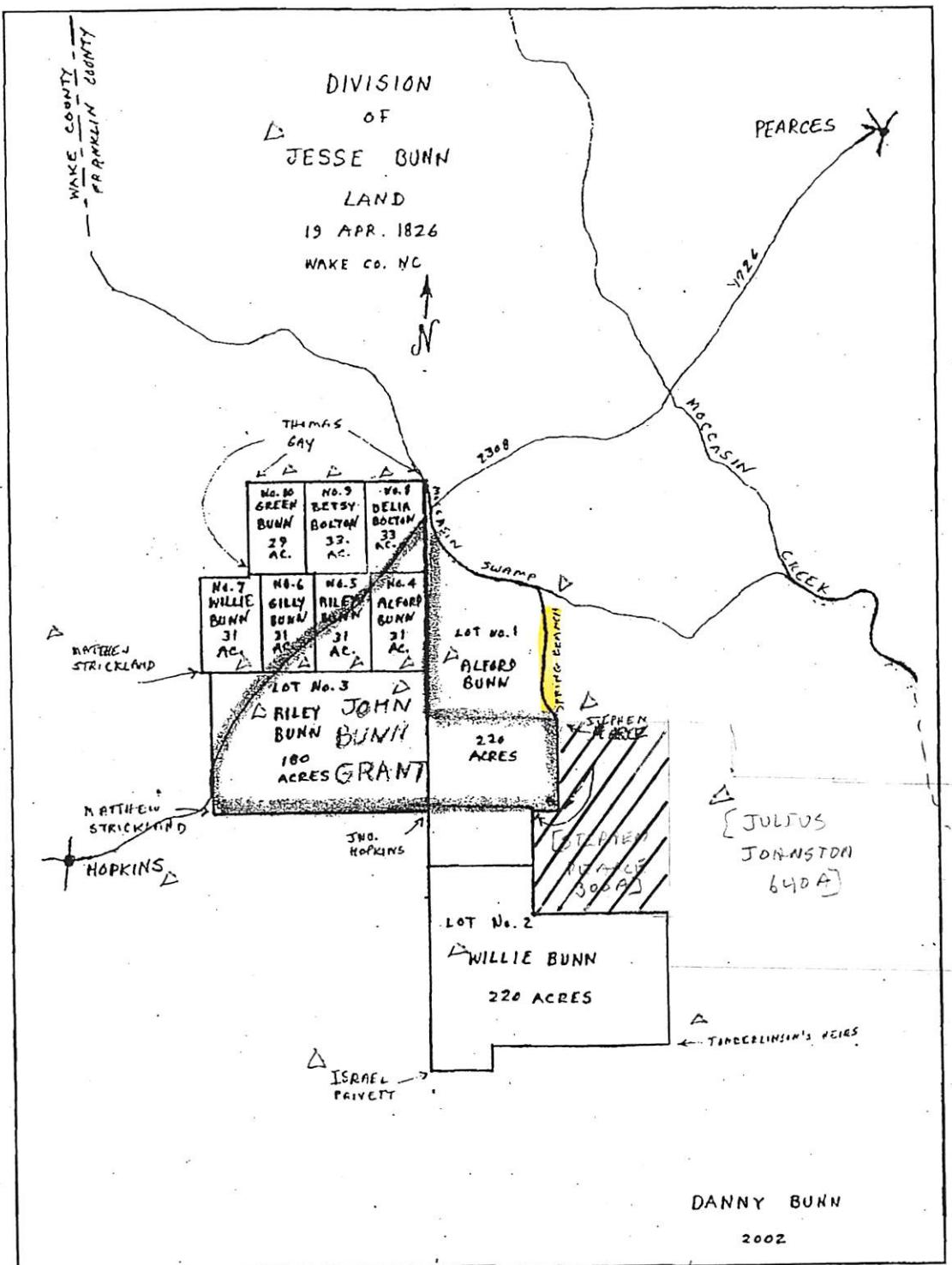
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John Bunn

Division of Jesse Bunn Land

Wake County, North Carolina



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Jesse Burn's land

Jesse Burn dec'd. division of lands
to
the legatees

			Stephen Pearce's land
	Small branch	53	Lot No 2 220 acres W. Miller Burn valued to <u>\$220.00</u>
Lot No 1, Alfred Burn		52	
220 Acres Value to		51	
<u>\$275.00</u>		50	
Allocated Survey			
108.33 A. Billy Burn \$14.	104.31 A. Alfred Burn \$22.	Lot No. 3	Joseph Hopping South 561 South Hopping's lot by a scale of one 100 poles to the inch.
109.33 A. Bobby Burn \$40..	105.31 A. Riley Burn \$30.	180 acres to Riley Burn	
109.29 A. Green Burn \$33.50	106.31 A. Billy Burn \$30.	valued to	
	107.31 A. Willie Burn \$33.50	<u>\$270.00</u>	

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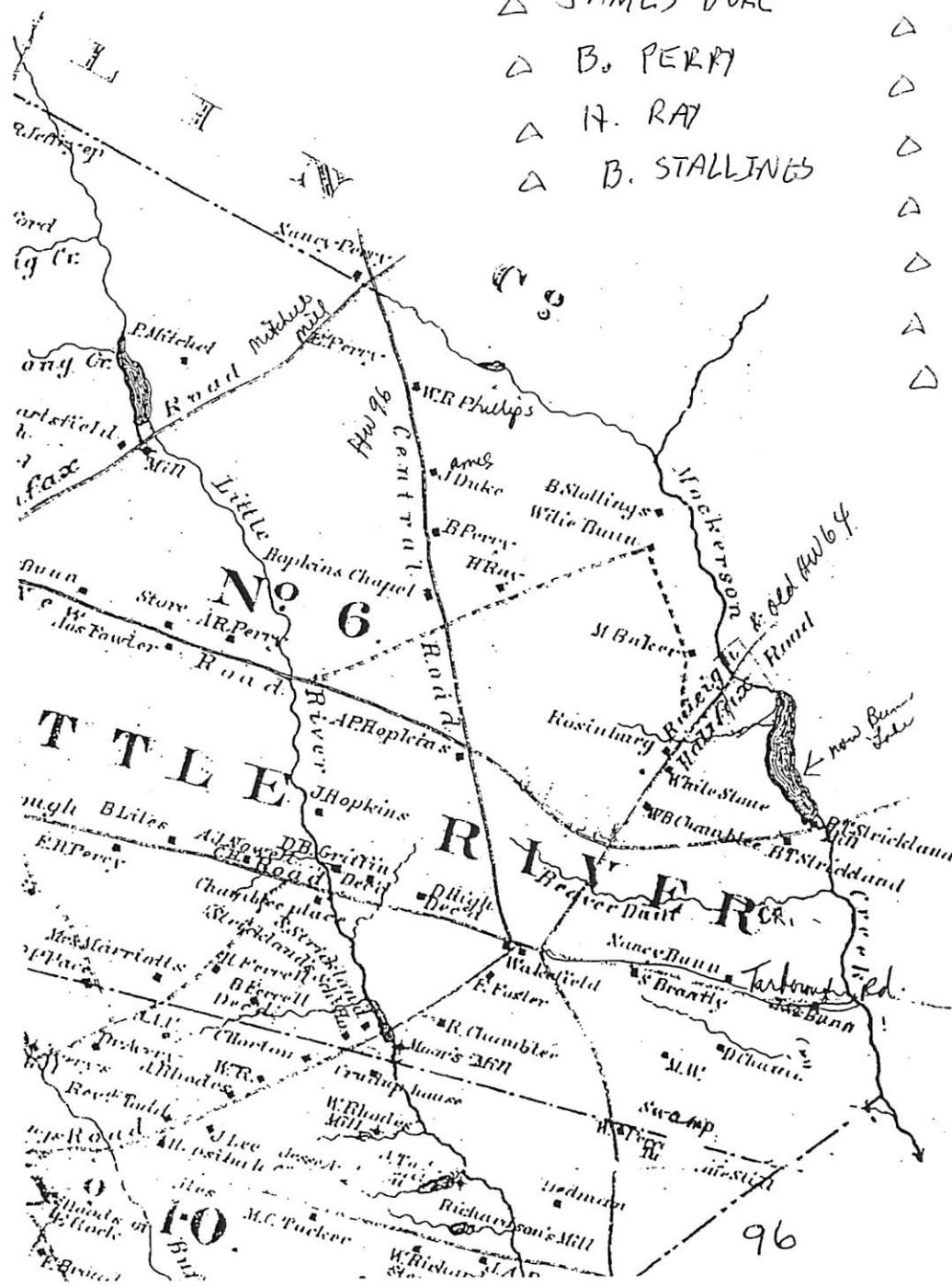
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WAKE CO, NC 1878

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△ JAMES DUKE
△ B. PERRY
△ H. RAY
△ B. STALLINGS

△ WILLIE BUNN
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PG 197

△△ Deed from William G. Strickland to Samuel W. Atkins 12-16-1858

This Indenture made this the 16th day of December in the year of our Lord one Thousand eight hundred and fifty Eight, between William G. Strickland of the first part and Samuel W Atkins of the second part all of the county of Wake and state of North Carolina, Witnesseth that the said WG Strickland for and in consideration of the sum of Six hundred and sixty one dollars and twenty five cents, has bargained and by these doth grant bargain sell and deliver to the said Samuel W Atkins his heirs and assigns forever, a certain (sic) or parcel of land lying on the waters of Swift Creek & bounded as follows to wit, Beginning at a white oak Said Atkins corner, running west 136 pole to a Stake, William Stewarts corner, thence North 154 ½ pole to a Stake PW Dowds Corner thence East 139 pole (sic) to a Stake, Said Dowds corner, thence South 1 ½ degrees West 154 ½ pole to the first station containing one hundred and thirty two and one fourth acres, with all and every the appurtenances thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining and I do hereby covenant to and with the said Samuel W Atkins that I have before the execution of this deed full right absolute and lawfull authority to sell the said Land and premises, and agree hereby to warrant and forever defend the right and title of the same to him the said SW Atkins his heirs and assigns forever, In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the day and year above written

Signed sealed and delivered in presence of
WG Upchurch

W G Strickland (seal)

State of North Carolina
Wake County
Duly acknowledged before me
Same be registered

Clerk office 16 Decr 1858
The execution of the foregoing Deed was this day
V.C. Strickland whose name appears thereto Let the

Thomas J Utley Clerk

Registered in the Register office of Wake County in Book No 22 and Page 281 December 23th
(sic) 1858

Hinton Hudson Regr

MOCCASIN CRK, LITTLE RIVER TWP, WAKE CO, NC

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the children as their next friend in the action of partition about to be instituted. Signed Virginia
N. Gill before George L. ____ offski, D.C. 8/23/1898. Order that W.T. Smith be appointed next
friend of the infants Bertie E., Sylvanus Z. and Alie A. Gill and be authorized to join in the
special proceeding for partition. D.H. Young, Clerk Superior court 8/23/1898.

Petition for partition. Filed 8/23/1898 in Book C Partition (sic) p. 368 9/5/1905. Case No. 859.
Virginia N. Gill et al. Ex Parte. Stated that her mother had died 12/7/1896 leaving a last will
and testament which was admitted to probate in Wake County. All of the real estate of the
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E., Bertie E. Sylvanus Z. and Alie A. are each entitled to 1/5 of the value of the land subject to
the life estate of their mother. Walter C. and James E. are over 21 years of age and the other 3
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being 15 years old, all of them living with their mother the petitioner Virginia N. Gill. The land
was the property of Mrs. Clara A. Strickland and is described as "All that tract of land lying in
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on the waters of Mocasin (sic) Creek, bounded on the North by the lands of Ambrose Upchurch
and Benjamin Pearce; on the East by the lands of Joseph Glover and Henry Haywood's heirs; on
the South by the lands of Noah Strickland, G.M. Bell and J.R. Edwards and on the West by the
lands of Nannie A. Hunter, Lemon Chamblee, Thomas Wiggs and W.H. Chamblee, Jr." A large
portion of the land is uncleared and yields a very small income, and it is greatly to the interest of
all parties concerned that the land shall be divided before the life estate of the petitioner Virginia
N. Gill shall terminate, so that the petitioners who are remaindermen may each own his land in
severalty, with the right to improve the same and to render it more productive.

JULIUS BRANCH - LITTLE RIVER TWP, WAKE CO, NC

BOOK: STRICKLAND RECORDS AND FAMILY GROUPS CARLA TATE 2007
WAKE CO, NC RECORDS - PG 26 - 397 - ITEMS OF INTEREST TO RPY
PG 53, 54

△△ Deed from Nathan Upchurch to Matthew Strickland 1-29-1802

This Indenture made this twenty ninth day of January in the year of our Lord, One Thousand Eight hundred and two between Nathan Upchurch of the State of North Carolina & County of Wake of the one part, and Matthew Strickland of Franklin County, and State aforesaid of the other part Witnesseth, that said Nathan Upchurch for and in consideration of the sum of two hundred pounds, Current Money of this State, to him in hand paid by the said Matthew Strickland, the receipt whereof he doth hereby acknowledge, himself fully satisfied contented and paid, hath given granted, bargained and sold aliened enfeoffed and confirmed and by these presents doth give grant, bargain sell alien enfeoff & confirm unto the said Matthew Strickland his heirs & assigns forever a Certain Tract or parcel of land, situated lying and being in the County aforesaid, on the Branches of Mockerson (sic) Creek, and is bound as follows, Begining

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Sign'd Seal'd & Deliver'd

In presence of

△ Nathan Massey Jurat
△ Obadiah Strickland

his
Nathan Upchurch Seal
mark

Wake County

August Term 1809

The execution of this Deed was in Open Court duly proven by the Oath of Nathan Massey a Subscribing Witness thereto & ordered to be Registered

Teste Wm. Hill Clk

Registered in the Registers Office of Wake County in Book V and Page 145 the 13th day of Sept.
A.D. 1809 - Examd by Richd Ligon

Teste Rich Smth Regr.

JULIUS BRANCH, LITTLE RIVER TWP, WAKE CO, NC

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Sign'd Seal'd & delivered in presence of us
Wm. High, Jeremiah Rhodes, Nathan Massey (Jurat)

[begin p. 142] Wake County

Matthew Strickland seal
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Test R. Smth Regr.

Examd By Rich Ligon

PERSIMMON BRANCH, LITTLE RIVER TWP, WAKE CO, NC

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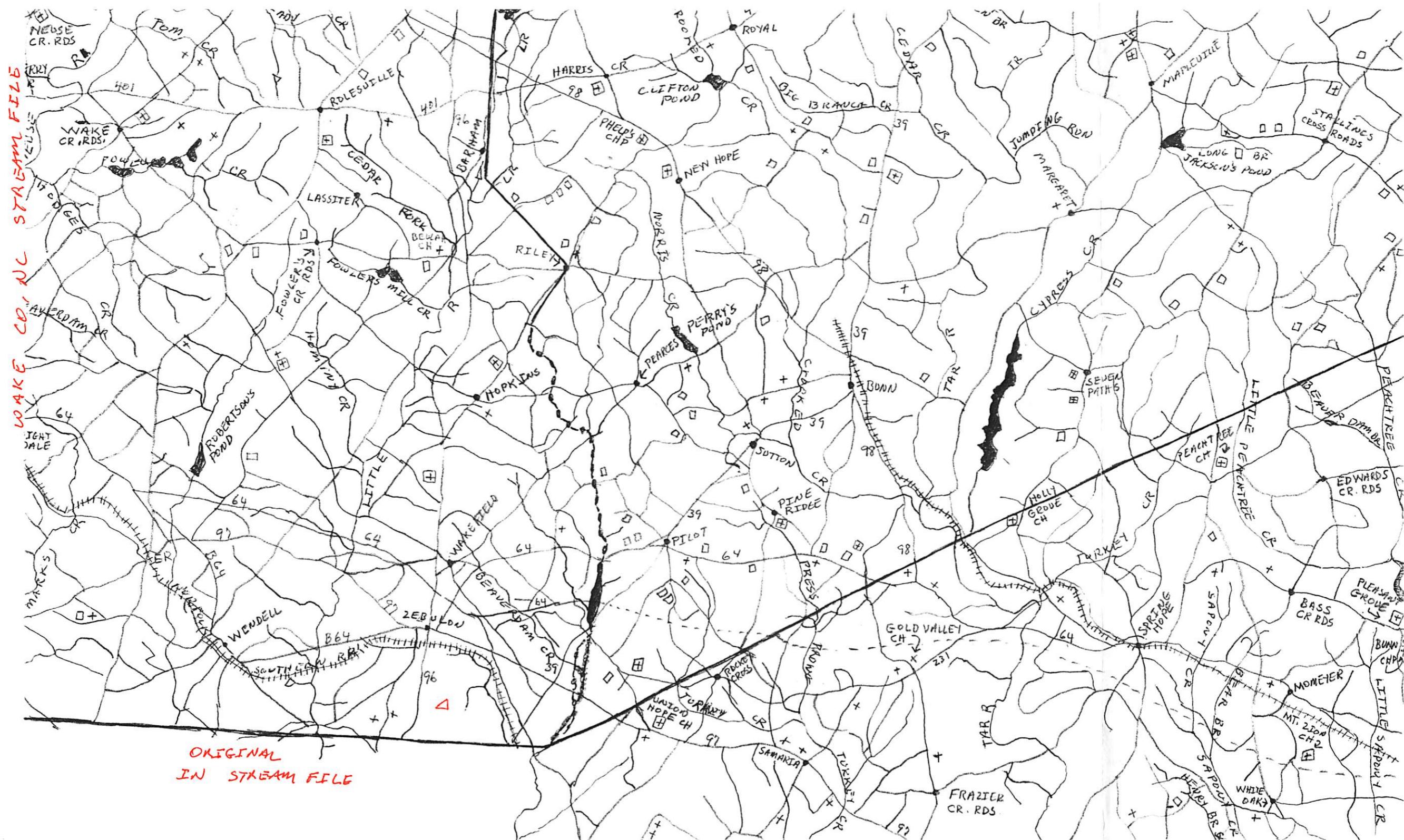
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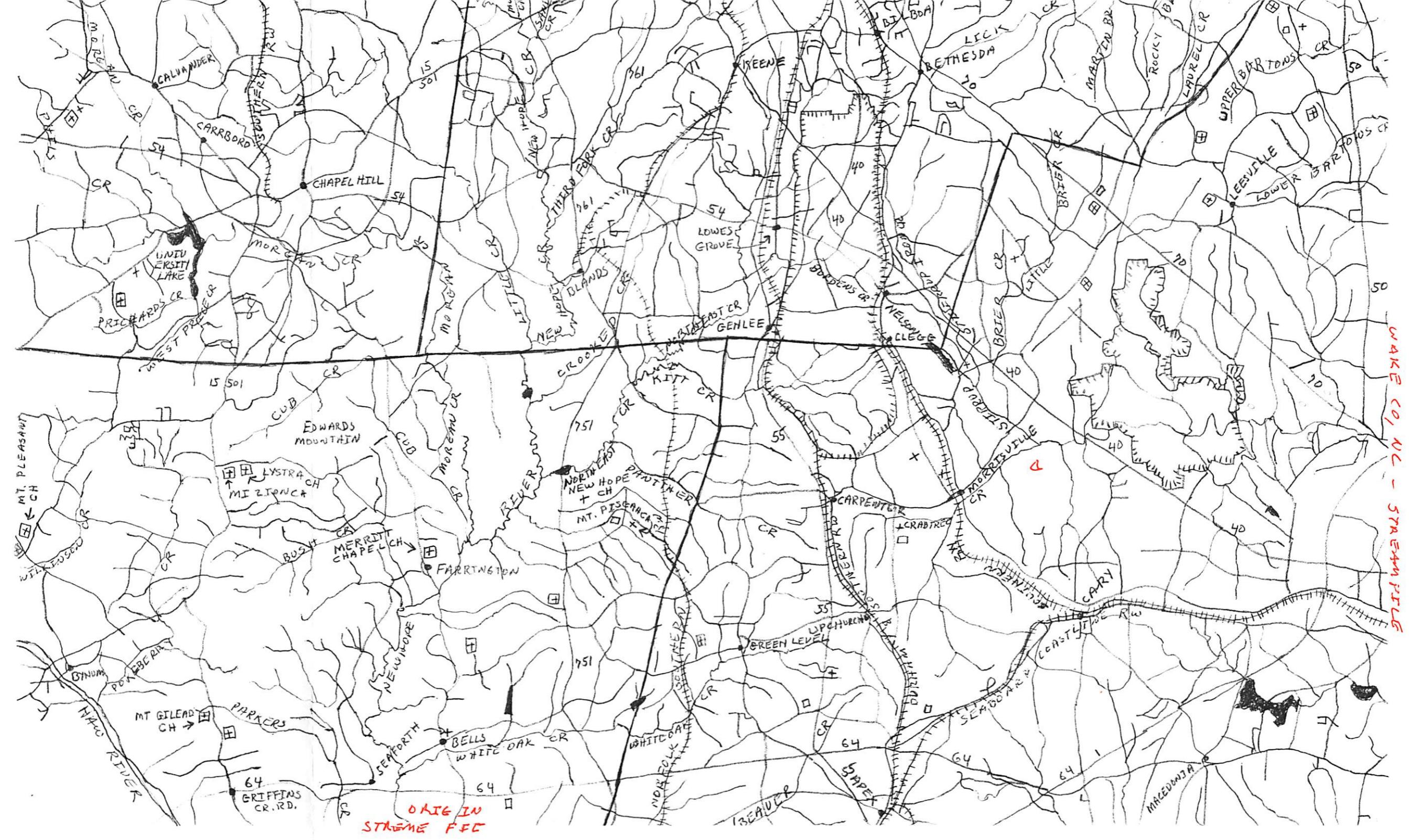
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RICHLAND CREEK IN WAKE
FOREST TSP, WAKE CO, NC

○ Map of land of DAVID GILL (deceased) Surveyed 10 MAR 1886
on the Neuse River in Wake Co, NC - obtained by RPU
19 DEC 2005 from Wake Co, NC Register of Deeds Office
- Placed in Geographical File - Wake Co, NC - Property Maps
D-2 - 538 Acres

MAP OF
A TRACT OF LAND
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Heirs of David Gill, Dec'd, March 10, 1886
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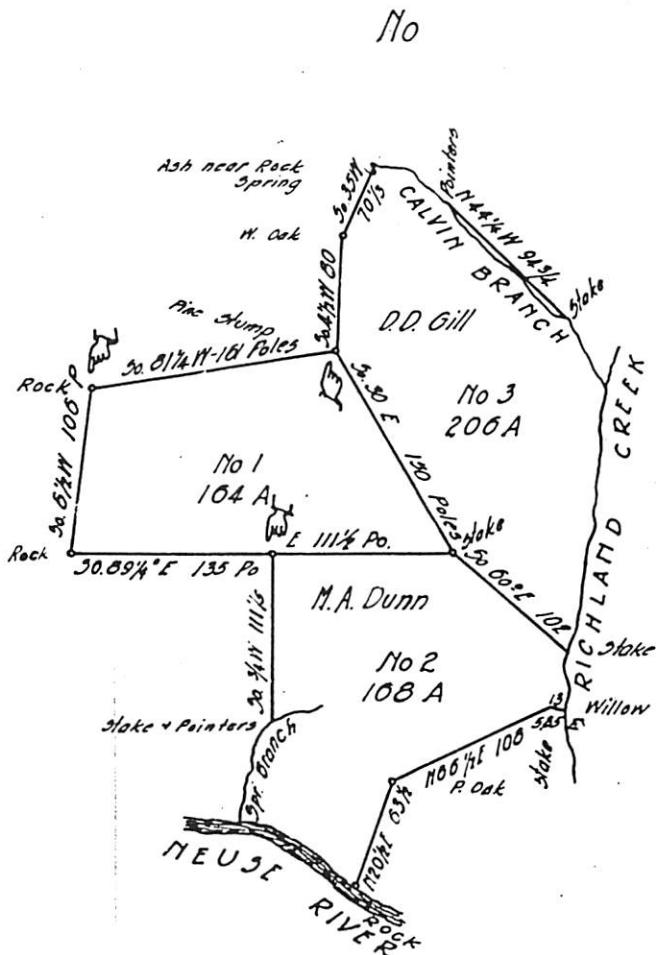
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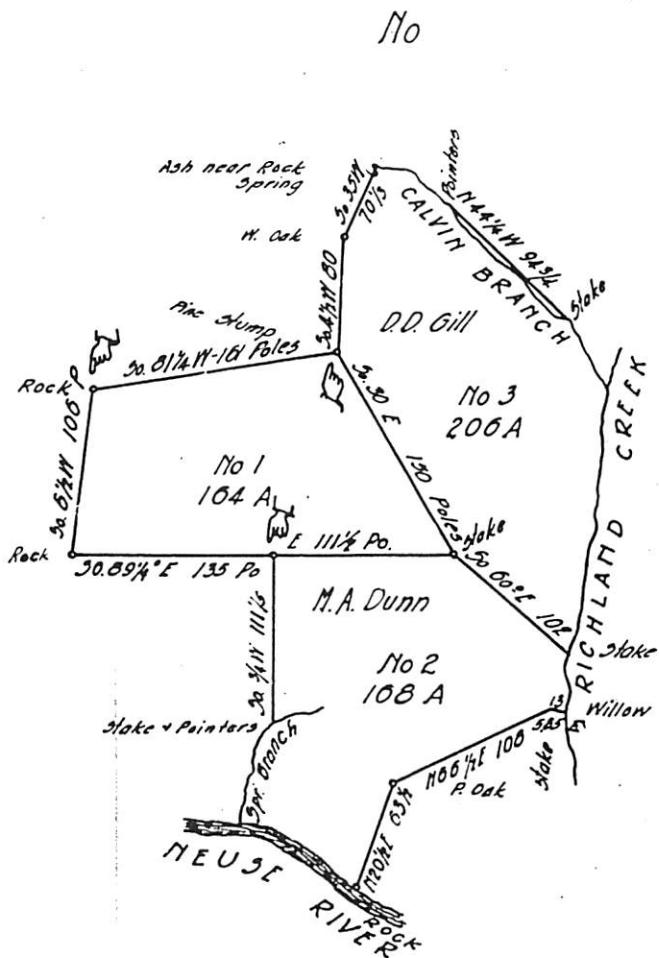
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FOREST TSP, WAKE CO, NC

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NAME'S INCLUDED

NOTE - OXFORD-SMITHFIELD ROAD

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- - FOWLE (Heirs)
J. P. HAYWOOD
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\$ OLD STAGE ROAD

HOG PEN BRANCH
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DEAN'S BRANCH
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WALNUT CREEK -
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GEOGRAPHICAL FILE - WAKE CO, NC PROPERTY MAPS -

C-6 & C7

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Note that both the Old Road and the New Road
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- △ Sam Surles
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- △ Peter Fawcett
- △ - - PLUMMER
- △ - - DODD
- △ - - WEST
- △ - - CAUDLE

- △ Walnut Creek Avent-Ferry Rd
- △ Bushy Branch
- △ One Mile Branch

BUSHY BRANCH
- WAKE CO, NC

○ A. W. GOODWIN FARM - 20 TRACTS = 837.99 Acres Plotted

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LONGFORD BRANCH - BARTON'S
CREEK TSP. - WAKE CO., NC

○ Map of Land of Wiley Elkins on Neuse River, Wake Co., NC
Platted in 1899 - Obtained 19 DEC 2005 by RPH from
Register of Deeds Office - Total 561 Acres - Placed
in Geographical File - Wake Co., NC - Property Maps - D-1

NOTE: This Map has special significance as it shows the location of LONGFORD BRANCH which runs into the Neuse - also shows TATES ISLAND

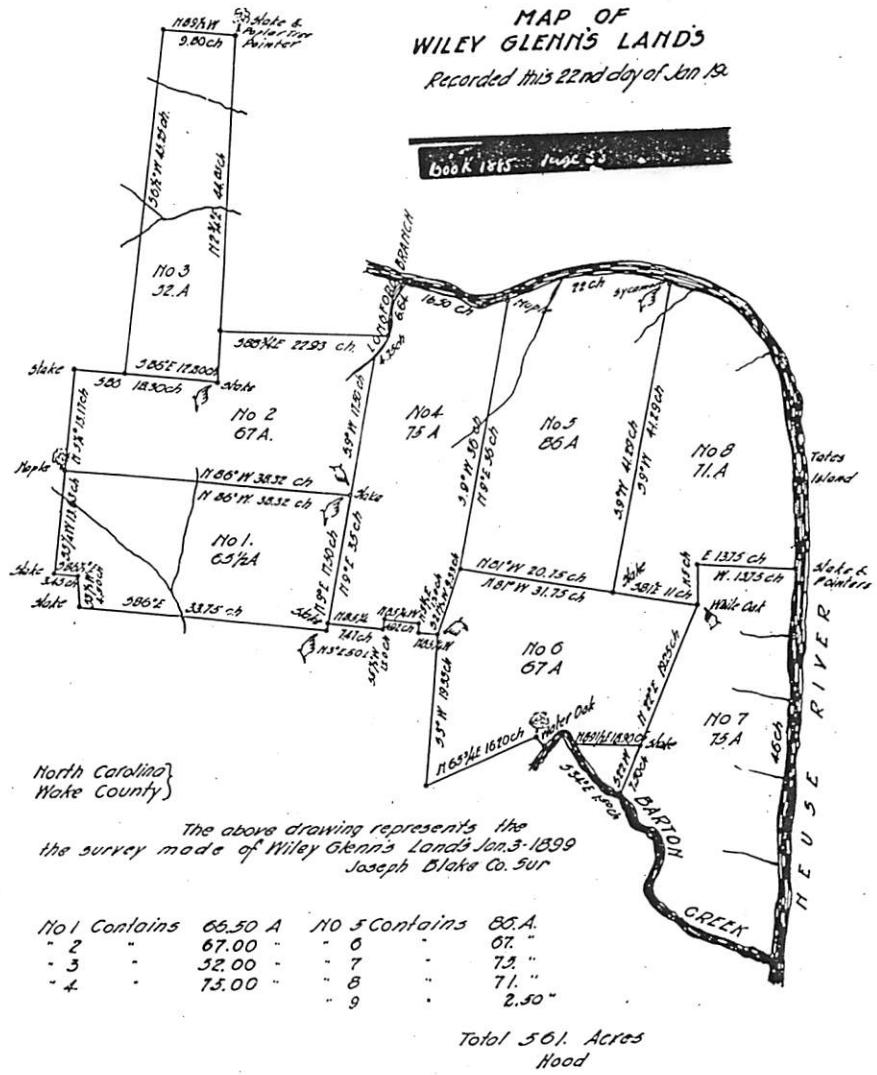
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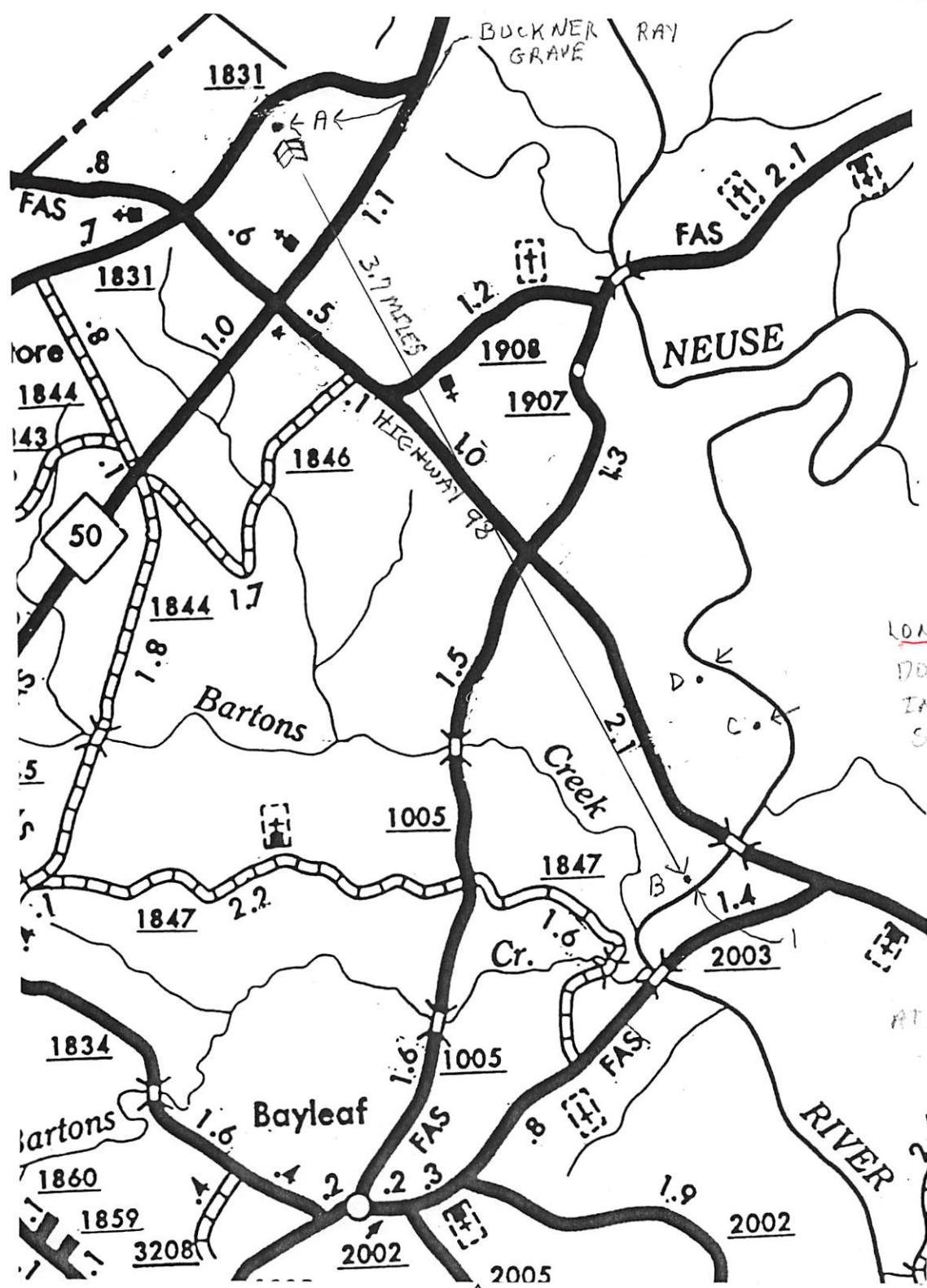
BUCKNER RAY

WILLIS THOMPSON



LONEFORD BRANCH - BARTON'S CREEK TOWNSHIP - WAKE CO, NC

ENLARGED MAP OF WAKE CO, NC MAP IN BARTON'S CREEK TOWNSHIP - RE BUCKNER RAY LAND & LONGFORD BRANCH



SCALE:
1 INCH = 3520 FEET

THE 1899 SURVEY
OF 561 ACRES OF
LAND OF WILEY
GLENN PLACES IT
IN THE FORK OF
BARTON'S CREEK
& NEUSE RIVER
["B"]. THE SCALE
ON THAT SURVEY
WOULD PLACE
THE MOUTH OF
LONGFORD BRANCH
AT DOT "B". ANOTHER
INTERPRETATION OF THE
SURVEY IS THAT THE
WILEY GLENN LAND
RUNS UP TO THE
BEND OF THE
NEUSE AT "C". THIS
WOULD PLACE
THE MOUTH OF
LONGFORD BRANCH
AT POINT "D".

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SO, THE 280 $\frac{5}{8}$
ACRES SOLD ON
12 FEB 1864 (REG-
ISTERED 7 AUG 1866)
BY WILLIS THOMPSON
& BUCKNER RAY

TO WILLIAM UPCHURCH (WILLIAM GEORGE UPCHURCH) WOULD BE LOCATED
EITHER: #1 BETWEEN "B" AND PRESENT DAY HIGHWAY 98
OR #2 JUST UP RIVER FROM "D"

NOTE THAT POINT "B" IS 3.7 MILES FROM THE GRAVE OF BUCKNER RAY

STREAM FILE - WATSONS BRANCH - WAKE CO, NC

○ JACOB FRANKS & MARY ANN ASHLEY - FAMILY HISTORY 286

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SMITH

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△ □ & CIVILLA) D/o JACOB MILLER & CATHERINE — TO NC

- ABT 1711. SETTLED IN CRAVEN (NOW JONES) CO, NC ON

- THE TRENT RIVER

APPOINTED △ < 1. JACOB FRANKS b 17XX() d 1790() REC'D LAND GRANT
PATROLER NO 69 STATE OF NC 9 AUG 1779 640 ACRES BOTH SIDES

WITH WM BROWN DD OF DUTCHMANS BRANCH & WATSON BRANCH

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COPY OF ARTICLE △

F 286 PLACED △

WITH BIOFILE △

OF JACOB FRANKS △

d 1790

MD () SARAH FAEMAN

ii. ANTHONY FRANKS b 1803() d 1871()

SEE
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iii. WESLEY FRANKS

MD 31 OCT 1816 () SALLIE ANDREW

BONDSDMAN: EDMUND LANE

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HORSE CREEK-WAKE CO, NC

○ Re CINDY MIZE INPUT TO RPU 26 MAY 2007 RE RAY HISTORY
HER 10 PAGE RPT CONCERNS 4 EARLY RAYS OF WAKE CO, NC;
JOSEPH RAY b 1754; JOHN C. RAY b 1759; LUKE RAY b 1760, NATHAN RAY 1765
RE: LUKE RAY b 1760:

4. LUKE² RAY (RAY¹) was born 1760, and died 1810 in Wake Cty, NC. He married (1) UNKNOWN. He married (2) RUTHY CAPE January 09, 1804 in Wake Cty, NC, daughter of WILLIAM W. CAPE.

Luke Ray is first mentioned in Wake Cty Court records when he purchased land on Feb 3, 1778 so he was alborn prior to 1757

Although this is the earliest surviving record of our Ray ancestors owning property in Wake Cty, NC, there were probably earlier deeds that were destroyed by the 1832 fire in the Register's office. The 1781 Wake County Tax list (Captain Robert High's District) shows Luke Rake Ray as the owner of 100 acres, 4 hours and 12 cattle valued at 116 pds. On March 4, 1783, Luke acquired by grant 158 acres on the north side of the Neuse River. On November 16, 1791 by State Grant #1103 Luke Ray acquired 150 acres on the north side of the Neuse River and on both sides of Horse Creek adjacent to Stafford's Corner, Cedar Hill and a small path. The 1799 Wake Cty, NC Tax list shows Luke Ray as the owner of 300 acres and 4 slaves.

More About LUKE RAY: Burial: Wake Cty, NC

Children of LUKE RAY and RUTHY CAPE are:

iv. RACHAEL RAY, b. 1788

v. JAMES RAY, b. 1785, d. 1819, Wake Cty, NC

ix. BIDDY RAY, b. 1800, NC

vi. POLLY RAY, b. 1796, NC

vi. WINNIFRED RAY, b. 1790, m. JOSEPH DAVIS, November 01, 1825.

vii. JOHN RAY, b. 1787, m. FANNY LITTLE, February 15, 1813, Wake Cty, NC, b. 1788, NC

vii. CHARLES RAY, b. 1791

9. BIDDY³ RAY (LUKE², RAY¹) was born 1800 in NC. She married JOHN HARRISON January 13, 1823 in Wake Cty, NC. He was born 1788 in NC.

Children of BIDDY RAY and JOHN HARRISON are:

i. JESSE⁴ HARRISON, b. 1827.

ii. JOHN (JR.) HARRISON, b. 1830, m. LAWRA E. PARKER, November 19, 1850, Wake Cty, NC.

iii. RUTHA HARRISON, b. 1834.

iv. CARA G. HARRISON, b. 1836.

v. CALVIN HARRISON, b. 1841.

vi. BURTON HARRISON, b. 1843

vii. LOVEL HARRISON, b. 1845.

viii. NEWTON HARRISON, b. 1849

TERRIBLE CREEK, WAKE CO, NC

○ EXTRACT OF WILL OF DAVID STEPHENSON, SR OF WAKE
CO, NC - written 29 JAN 1808 - Proven MAY TERM 1808 BY
△ WM LANE & JOHN MOSS - Subscribing witness - Recorded
BOOK PG 9 10 JUN 1808

TO DAU △ TALITHA STEPHENSON [MD WM N. PEGRAM] {LIVED IN HARNETT CO}
40 A on Swift Creek Adjoining land of his son Simon Stephenson
After her death the 40 A goes to his son Stephen Stephenson
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TO SON △ JONATHAN STEPHENSON - 160 A purchased from DAVID HORTON
{In 1840 in Meckley Co, TN} → [TN?]
TO SON △ BRITTIAN STEPHENSON - 40 A purchased from son for others
TO DAU △ POLLY STEPHENSON 150 A purchased from John Lassiter
↳ MD (7) △ ALVIN UTLEY - moved to AL
TO SON △ DAVID STEPHENSON, JR
191 A purchased from Anthony Frank
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TO SONS DAVID & STEPHEN added assets - no land
Executors: SIMON STEPHENSON & JONATHAN STEPHENSON

RPU QUESTIONS:

Why did Talitha's land revert
and not Polly's?

Why was Gs Joshua given
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Was Joshua's middle
name MYATT?

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SWIFT CREEK, WAKE CO, NC

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TO SON [△]SIMON STEPHENSON - NO LAND {In 1840 in Weakley Co, TN}
TO SON [△]JONATHAN STEPHENSON - 160 A purchased from DAVID NORTON
{In 1840 in Weakley Co, TN} → [TN?]
TO SON [△]B R I T T E R STEPHENSON - 40 A purchased from son for others
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CAMP BRANCH, WAKE CO, NC

○ The Philip Jones Family - Alan R. Jones - 24 APR 2007 - DOC
 "DOC" actually refers to two documents obtained by
 RPH from Alan R. Jones on 24 APR 2007. The second one
 includes Pages 13 - 25 and is actually an oral interview
 given by 90 year old CAROLINE AUGUSTA JONES "CARRIE"
 to Charles H. Utley in 1936. Carrie never married, was a
 teacher and lived in Swift Creek TSP, Wake Co, NC. She
 was b. Barnabas Jones, II "Barney Jones" 1819-1906; G-1/2 Master Jones
 & G-2/3 Ethered Jones 1748-1835. Charles H. Utley was a student
 of Carrie.

EXCERPTS - (PART I)

Carrie b 6 APR 1846 - Her F & M descended from the LANCES -
 Her FAT was 63/4 Ethered Jones who m^d Jane Lane. His M^d Martha
 Helen Stephenson was D^d/o Stephens Stephensons whose wife
 was ^D Rebecca Jane McCullers D^d/o Cal Joel Lane or his sister.

Rebecca was sister of John McCullers who had a son George McCullers.
 Ethered Jones owned about 15,000 Acres which included his Piney
 Woods at Fugueay where his home was + land along Ament
 Ferry Rd from Swift Creek to Key and Camp Branch + Ament-
 Ferry Rd opened abt 1820

Carrie taught from age 16 starting in Civil War + for next 50 yrs. She
 had as local students Dr LEN G. BROUGTON + his brother
 Dr CHARLES BROUGTON in late 1800's. Later she had
 Rev TITUS MILLS "TITE", Mr George Beavers {

^D Daisy OLIVE

well educated

TEACHERS OF CARRIE = * Charles Herman Stephenson - Great Citizens

* Rev J. W. F. Rogers highly educated & FAT of Dr. J. M. Rogers of Raleigh

* JOSEPH BENNETT - highly educated & Mrs Minnie of Wake Forest

* MISS POLLY ANN PENNY - highly educated, her sister * MISS JULIA PENNY
 less so - Their BRO = JESSIE PENNY - all 3 children of late ^D JIM PENNY

* PROF NAS JONES of Apex s/o GRAY JONES - was educated at
 Wake Forest. Gray Jones had many shops. Near one of
 them NAS set up a school with * MISS LAURA MILLARD
 & * MISS STELLA MILLARD of Goldsboro, NC. LAURA and
 NAS who died in the prime of his adulthood

DUTCHMAN CREEK, WAKE CO, NC

○ The Philip Jones Family - Alan R. Jones - 24 APR 2007 - Doc
From Oral Interview of Caroline Augusta Jones "Carrie"
Re Schools of Western Swift Creek TSP, Wake Co, NC

FIRST SCHOOLS:

The first school tradition claims, was located on the top of Swift Creek Hill on the West side of the road. This was perhaps between 1825 and 1840. The Spaights and Stephensons, Harrisons, and Popes, the Taylors and Browns and Martin Jones were its patrons. Later, just before the Civil War, there was a school house on Dutchman in front of Oak Grove Primitive Baptist Church, this school has one living representative in the person of Miss Carrie Jones. Later the school house stood near the present home of T. L. Jones, then to where the Junior Lodge now stands in the grove of Swift Creek Church, later it was moved to the hill on the road just South of Dutchman. With the new century came the present site at Fairview Church. It was secured and the present building began.

About 1840 the Rev. Johnson Olive conducted a school near the present home of his grandson, Mr. Walter Olive. * My father attended this school in his boyhood. About 1850 a school was opened at Holly Springs, for boarding pupils as well as local students. My mother was one of the few from this section to attend the school and her companion was the daughter of Lorenza Franks. About 1840 William R. Utley of Haywood, Chatham County, attended a boarding school at Apex. This school, as Mr. Utley described it to me, was located two or three hundred yards West of the old Apex Academy where the late Rev. J. M. White taught in 1833 and which he named the Excelsior Academy. Now not a living representative of these schools is here to tell us about them. But they served their day and generation well, their teachers were of the best colleges, grounded in Latin, Greek and Mathematics and were firm disciplinarians.

RPH QUESTION: Does "my" represent the interviewee who was ^{CHARLES R. UTLEY} or the interviewee - ^{Caroline} Augusta Jones?

CAMP BRANCH - WAKE CO, NC

© The Philip Jones Family - Alan R. Jones - 24 APR 2007 - 02
From Oral interview of Caroline Augusta Jones "Lassie"
Re ROADS OF WAKE CO, NC

ROADS:

The earliest comers to this vicinity came either on horseback or tramping through the virgin forest. For here indeed was a hunters paradise. Bear are said to have been more numerous than cotton tails are now; deer roamed the forest in herds; turkeys more plentiful than birds are in our time. The streams literally swarmed with the finest fish. No hostile Indians were near by; in fact it was only when passing through from East to West or West to East that Indians foot touched this favored land. Neither history nor tradition has recorded a single massacre in this section of North Carolina. A log cabin in the wilderness, a gun and dog, and the dog unnecessary, a little patch for corn, no near by neighbors, no taxes to pay, no school to patronize, not even a church to attend. These pioneers lived a free and easy life. An Indian trail led down the Neuse River, perhaps the oldest road in the county is the Old Stage Road.

In 1771 Gov. Tryon on the way to Alamance had the old Haywood Road cut and named it in honor of an English spot dear to his heart, Ramsgate. From it we get the corruption Rhamkatte. Ten years later when Lord Cornwallis was marching from the scenes of the Battle of Guilford Court House he had the old Smithfield Road cut for the army to travel. Years ago there were evidences that the army camped on the little stream that since era has been called Camp Branch.

In 1813 Martin Jones settled in the woods nearly a mile North of the home of Mr. Reuben Jones, he dug a well and planted walnut trees. Evidently the Avents Ferry Road was not here then. When the road was cut some years later, he moved and built a permanent home where his grandson, Reuben, now lives. Raleigh was then a small village, Fayetteville was the trading center and remained such for many years.

BUFFALO CREEK, WARE CO, NC

ARTICLE IN WAKE CO, N.C. HERITAGE BOOK - RE: EAGLE ROCK COMMUNITY & DR THOMAS HENRY AVERA - PG 39, 40

I - AVERA - lived somewhere in NC - had 5 sons

A. William W. Avera md () MARY L. — They were living in the area of Buffalo Creek, Wake Co, NC before 1847. His will of 1847 leaves all to wife Mary for life and then to their 2 children

1. ANNE AVERA

2. THOMAS HENRY AVERA

After the 1st b. 3 MAR 1832() d. 1912
was Thomas (Bur - Family Cemetery)

had house md () PARTHENIA SMITH **
designed but never

built - but
place used
for Blount St
house - Raleigh

MD () BARTHENIA SMITH
(D/O UPCURCH SMITH)
d. 1914 (BUR - AS HUSB)

Attended Longfellow School in Raleigh
then in 1854 studied medicine at
Univ of PA. While in PA he came to
NC for work & met 6 year old

BARTHENIA SMITH & promised to
return & marry her which 10 years
later he did [VS MD ABT 1861-? RPH]

Thomas enlisted in CSA 1862 - Surgeon - Co B. Chapman
Brigade. Both names Harry Smith was a faithful servant
Had house built 1874 Eagle Rock. 5 children - only Mary and

** RPH NOTE: Leggie survived to adulthood

Carry her
as PARTHENIA

a. Mary Avera - attended Crown Academy - Md () MOSES
CAMERON WINSTON of Sowdering - lived lot Raleigh then SELMA

b. Leggie Avera - before mg taught at Wendell Prepatory Academy
Abt 1896 Md () JOHN PRESCOTT + WINSTON*. He had a
Haberdashery Shop in Wendell - They participated in the
HESPERIBAII Church * = BROTHERS

SISTER OF
WHITENEY
UPCHURCH

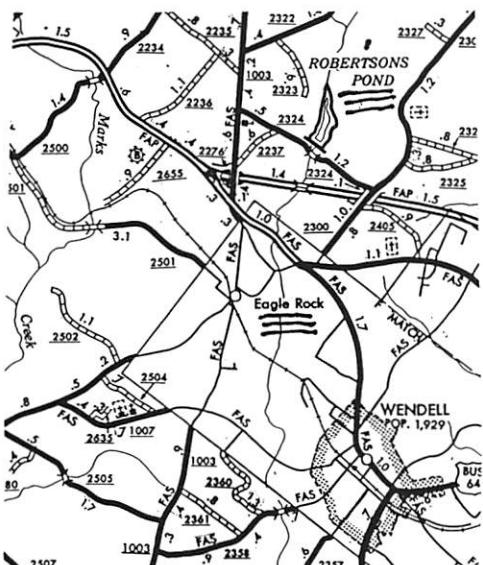
i. William Augustine Munster "Bill" attended UNC
in 1920's Bar Arlington. Became a Pilot plane
Pan Am Clipper, Flew brother of Will Rogers +
Uncle Port Name from Alaska. Taught Lindbergh
to fly at Brooke Field, TX. Md 3 times

Md (1st) () KATHRYN OSBY¹¹; Md (2nd) --- Md (3rd) ---

(I) Elizabeth Munster "Betsy" Md () W. G.
BROADFOOT who later bought the 1874 House

(A) The Author of the Article on Pg 39, 40
is THOMAS W. BROADFOOT. Is he
a descendant of Betsy & WGB? - RPH

RPH NOTE: See Eagle Rock on map. The family
had a grist mill - presumably at ROBERTSON'S
POND per other records - See MAP



DUTCHMAN CREEK, WAKE CO, NC

○ THE PHILIP JONES FAMILY - ALAN R. JONES 24 APR 2007 DOC

I. -- JONES - Had 2 sons (A+B) who moved VA → NC (A WELCH FAMILY)

A. JAMES JONES MD (MARY) MARRIED CHISDAEN:
 1708 → JOHNSTON CO, NC WELL PATIENCE RENCH
 B. PHILIP JONES b ABT 1720 d 1760 (NC) - 6 CHILDREN SALLY " RENCH
 ABT 1840 (WC, NC) JOHNSTON NOW WC CHARITY "
 MD, () REBECCA - - b-d 21 NOV 1804 MD (2ND) 1764() -- (WRENCH)

In 1757 Philip recd a Land Grant (#186, BK 19, Pg 219 10 MAY 1757)
 in Johnston Co, NC in favor of DUTCHMAN & SWIFT CREEKS "WILLETT"
 Home built between present-day homes of CLARENCE PIERCE
 & WM POWELL "Uncle Billy"

1. LEAH JONES (F) b ABT 1741 (WC, NC) d WC, NC MD (JOHN RICHARDSON)
2. RACHEL JONES b ABT 1743 (WC, NC) MD (ANDREW PREDDY)
3. REBECCA JONES b ABT 1745 (WC, NC) MATT NEWS
4. JESSIE JONES (M) - was a Private in the - b ABT 1750 d NOV 1830
 Revolution & later a large Planter SE Wake Co, NC (WC, NC)
 MD WINNIFRED SYKES
5. RUSSELL JONES I was in the Revolution - later granted
 b ABT 1753 land in Franklin Co, GA then moved to Union Co, GA
 (WC, NC) where he died in 1828 (VS & FRANKLIN CO, GA) JOHNSON
 MD (1st) ---
 MD (2nd) ANNA ---
 MD (3rd) SARAH ---

a. RUSSELL JONES, II - Became famous in GA → CO NOW
 (SR?) (1749) WC, NC

I. JOSEPH LANE, I (GENERAL) 1835 (NC). Member of Colonial Militia. In 1772-1773 was an
 Ensign in Col JOHN NINTON's RGT N.C. COL. MILITIA, WC, NC

A. BARNABAS LANE, I In Revolution became a CAPT. MD ABOUT 1775(?)
 1. MARTIN LANE → JANE LANE who d APR 1786 after birth of 5th Child
 2. BARNABAS LANE, JR DRED FOUGHT AT MOORE'S CRK, COWPENS, GUILFORD COURT HOUSE
 3. JANE K LANE DRED GRANTED 12,000 ACRES ON SWIFT & MIDDLE CREEKS

a. Elizabeth Jane b 10 FEB 1796 lived with Aunt } TO
 SARA (LANE) McCULLERS UNTIL MD TO ABLE OLIVE } TN
 (WIFE OF MATT NEW McCULLERS → BOND 9 FEB 1815
 d 1855 [SALLY]

b. ALLEN JONES b 6 MAR 1798 MD 1815(?) LATRY, ELKINS
 just before Dred d 1835 he gave son Allen 2353 A
 No record of any children of Allen & Latry

* C. AUGUSTINE JONES b 11 FEB 1881 (Wake Co, NC)
 a. 10 MAR 1861 (Bur Middle Oak TSP, WC, NC) near
 Pleasant Grove Bapt Church MD EDITH BARKER

* d. MARTIN JONES HAD A SON BARNABAS JONES
 "LITTLE BARNEY"
 e. BARNABAS JONES, I "BARNEY JONES, I"

b 30 MAR 1786 (WC, NC) → BARNABAS JONES OF SWIFT CREEK
 d 30 MAR 1844 MD 1 JAN 1835 TSP WAS NAMED FOR HIM MARY MO
 "POLLY" MARY ROWLAND b 30 MAR 1808 d 18 MAY 1901 - BOTH BUR RAM CEM BARNEY JONES PRECINCT WC, NC
 TWICE MORE

* = SEE ADDED
 EXTRACTS

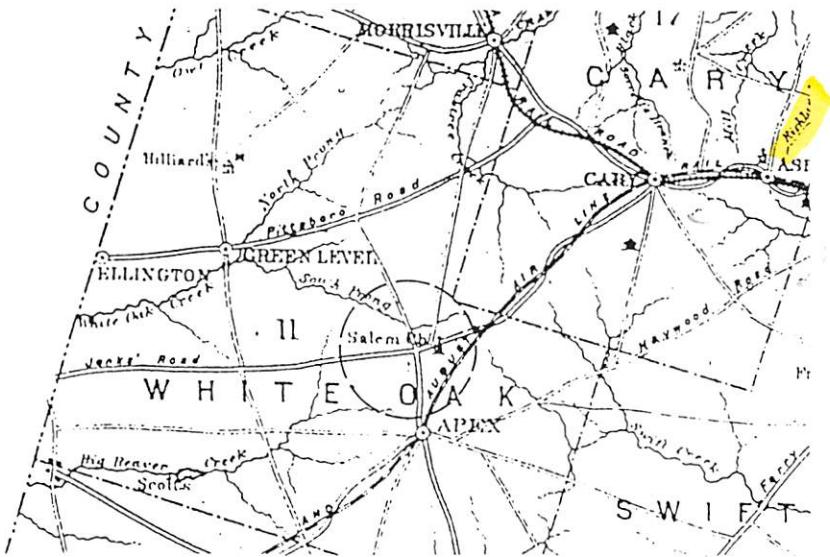
- LOCATION OF SALEM BAPTIST CHURCH IN APEX,
NC From "150" - Salem Baptist 1840-1990" PG 4,5

CROSSFILE

- A. W. SHAFFER
- GEOGRAPHICAL FILE; WAKE CO, NC
- SALEM BAPTIST CH. WAKE CO, NC
- STREAM FILE FOR WAKE CO, NC
- SWIFT CREEK
- BIG BEAVER CREEK
- WHITE OAK CREEK
- OWL CREEK
- CRABTREE CREEK
- MILL CREEK
- BLACK CREEK
- SORRELS BRANCH
- WILLIAMS CREEK
- RICHLANDS(?) CREEK↑

NOTE: On page 3 there is a statement that as of 1840 the only road to serve the church was the Fayetteville - Durham Road on the east side of the church property - road later abandoned

The road on which Salem is located (now officially named Salem Church Road) is a "ridge" road dividing two major watersheds of the area. The property lying south of the road drains into the Swift Creek Watershed (first into Williams Creek and then into Swift Creek), and the property on the north side of the road drains into the Crabtree Creek Watershed. The Durham and southern Railroad (now owned by the CSX Railroad), which also borders the property, "rides" another ridge with the runoff on its west side feeding into White Oak Creek, and ultimately into Jordan Lake.



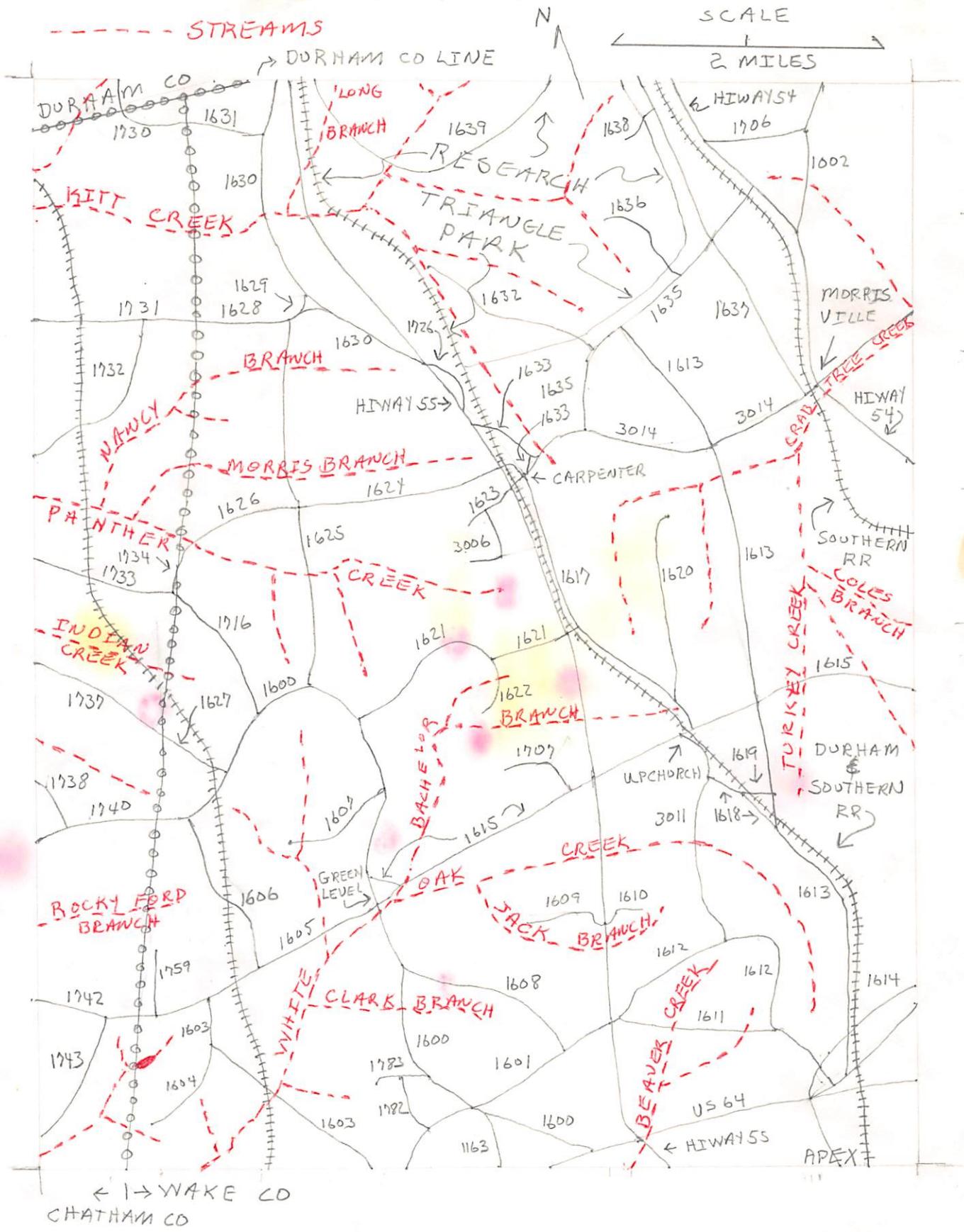
A. W. Shaffer's 1887 Map of Wake County

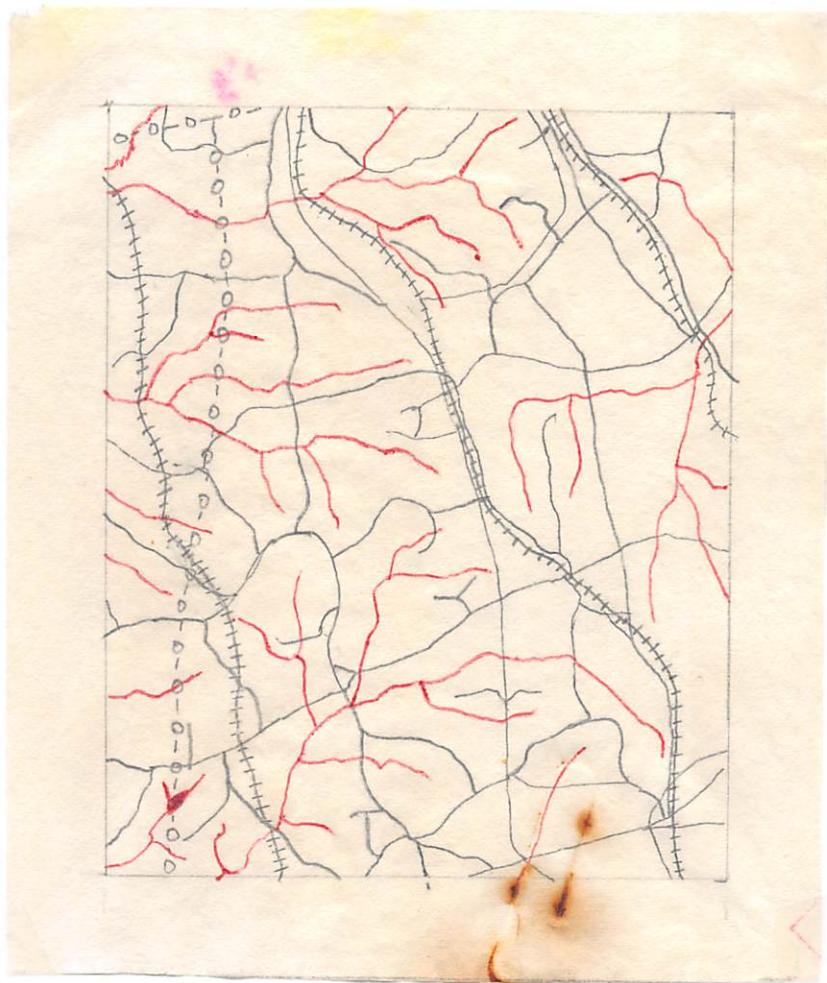
For many years, Salem Church Road was the main road between Apex and Raleigh. According to the church minutes of 1925, when the Highway Commission was considering re-routing what was then Highway 50 (and later U. S. Highway 1), the Salem congregation sent the following petition to the Commission:

And especially do we ask that you follow the Old Road by Salem Church. This church has been [sic] Located Here for about One Hundred Years and this Road has been [sic] here for more than One Hundred Years. We feel that to Change this Road will Be a Hardship and Inconvenience to Church and Surrounding Community. We do Earnestly ask and Petition you to give this your Earnest Consideration and hope that In Your Wisdom and good Judgment you will grant Us this Request.

The request evidently fell on deaf ears, however, because the road was changed beginning about a half-mile south of the church. After crossing under the Durham and Southern Railroad through a new underpass, it rejoined the old road approximately one mile north of the church near the old truck weigh station.

This change reduced the road to just another country road until the late 1970's and the 1980's when, because of Apex and Cary's mushrooming growth, commuters found a "shortcut" to their jobs in the Research Triangle Park, so named because of its proximity to Raleigh, Durham, and Chapel Hill.





O Zebulon Record TITVR 19 SEP 1996 Zebulon, NC

20 Years Ago / From The Zebulon Record

Murray's gristmill pond destroyed in 1976 drought

From the Zebulon Record

Thursday, Sept. 16, 1976

Hoover Murray's gristmill pond is dead. Hundreds of odorous dead fish lay on the dry, cracked mill pond bed. A few months ago, the pond had been thriving.

"I haven't seen anything like this since 1934," he said. That was one year after Murray began running the gristmill with his wife.

The pond, located nine miles from Zebulon in Samaria, used to serve as power for the manufacturing of hog and chicken feed.

During that time, the mill was a key economic factor in the community. However, the gristmill closed in 1970 when state regulations made it too costly to operate. Now, Murray sells feed, corn, wheat, and other supplements.

Due to the ongoing drought, the pond waters have steadily reduced. In July,

Murray said, the pond was half its normal size. The only water in sight now is a slight flow from Prespong Creek, which normally feeds the 100 acre pond.

"In 1934, it dried up just like this," he recalled. "It didn't get back to its normal level until the snow came. Since then, the water level has gone up and down, but never anything like this."

The ongoing drought has reduced significant amounts of water in the area, and residents are conserving water.

HOOVER MURRAY

STREAM FILE - PRESPONG CREEK ↑

STREAM FILE - CEDAR FORK CREEK

Zebulon Record THUR 22 AUG 1996 Zebulon, NC

20 Years Ago / From The Zebulon Record

Mitchell Mill dedicated for protection as natural area

From the Zebulon Record

Aug. 19, 1976

In a special dedication ceremony held Aug. 11, 1976, the deed to a 68-acre tract of land was presented to Governor Jim Holshouser by Trent Ragland, president of Martin Marietta Aggregates.

The land will become a protected natural area as part of the state park system.

The area, known as Mitchell's Mill, is located west of N.C. 96 approximately 12 miles from Zebulon.

In accepting the deed, Governor Hol-

shouser said, "One of the major thrusts of this administration has been an effort to set aside and protect valuable areas of land and waterways."

We have worked hard to assure that our people have access to parks and natural areas throughout North Carolina. And we are lucky that we have the kind of people doing business in our state who really care about North Carolina and feel a civic responsibility to do something for people."

The tract of land includes a large outcropping of granite and two fresh water streams, the Little River and Cedar Fork

Creek. Together, they form Mitchell's Pond. At one time a grist mill was operated on the stream. The dam used for the mill can still be seen.

"This site that we are receiving today is the kind of place that will be a living museum and classroom, a place for people to relax, and a future laboratory for future generations," Holshouser added.

"We are deeply grateful to Martin Marietta Aggregates for this unusual gift and we hope that it will inspire others who own important natural areas to consider doing what they can do to help us protect these valuable resources."

TRENT RAGLAND

STREAM FILE - CEDAR FORK CREEK

GEOGRAPHICAL FILE - MITCHELL'S POND, WAKE CO, NC

BEAVER CREEK, WAKE CO, NC

Zebulon Record THUR 14 NOV 1996 Zebulon, NC

Beaver's Chapel United Church of Christ celebrates 104th year

"It Takes a Village" was the theme of the 104th anniversary celebration of Beaver's Chapel United Church of Christ.

It was in 1892 that the church was organized under the leadership of the Rev. B.F. Perry and five members: the Rev. C.W. Richardson, Sarlin Yarborough, John Yarborough, Banister Horton and John Horton. A number of the heirs of those original members are still active with the church.

The 104th celebration began Saturday night with a fellowship banquet at the CCO Center in Zebulon. Pastor William McCoy and members and friends of Beaver's Chapel enjoyed an evening of music by the Capitol City Five, then dinner and a speech by Jonathan F. Koffa.

Koffa, who first came to Zebulon as town planner, then was promoted to assistant town manager and currently serves as interim town manager, grew up in Monrovia, Liberia, in West Africa. He attended Shaw University, then earned a master's of public administration from N.C. State University. He is currently a law student at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.

Koffa delivered an inspiring message on the need for everyone to be active participants in the "village."

Also on the program were three older members of the church: Alma Price, Maddie Morgan and Irene Richardson. The celebration continued with the Sunday morning service. McCoy delivered a strong message relating to diligence.

STREAM FILE
(BEAVER CREEK
- WAKE CO, NC)

By Marjorie Ellis McLean



Marjorie's Clipboard

There was much relevance, as members recollected and reviewed their rich and humble heritage. This included how the church derived its name — the first church having been built near Beaver Dam Creek.

The church persevered many trials and tribulations. During the Depression, it became necessary to sell the church. Miraculously, when it was put on the market to be sold, according to church history, only the man who wanted to sell the church bid on the property. It was then that the Rev. Dowd advised members to buy the church back at the auctioned price. This was done, the Depression ended, and the church debt was paid off.

Among the old-timers who played active roles in laying the foundation for today's church were R.P. "Pete" Richardson, Rush Baker, J.T. Locke, Lona Richardson, Daisy Fowler, Christine C. Locke and Irene Richardson.

Many of the children of yesterday — LaVerne and Elsie Locke; Emma Tuck; Barbara Nell Tuck; Mary Price; Catherine Champion; Ray Fowler; Dorothy High; Hattie Pretty; and Gladys, Marjorie, Dorothy and Clara Reid — became active adults in the community. Several have, however, gone to their final resting place. Their impact on the community will long be felt.

WAKE CO,
NC
ZEBULON

B. F. PERRY, MDS
C. W. RICHARDSON, MDS
SARLIN YARBOROUGH
JOHN YARBOROUGH
BANISTER HORTON JOHN HORTON

Beaver's Chapel continues to impact the community. In the old days, Jonathan Bunn, who worked for Whitley Furniture, would borrow the furniture delivery truck on Sundays and take the young men to church in the back of the truck. Buster Baker, who worked for Toney's Funeral Home, owned a black Cadillac and would transport the women to church if there was no funeral.

Then there were the two choirs, the "note" choir and the regular choir. Henry Pearce, Hubert Fowler, Pete Richardson, Daisy Adams, Ernest Adams, Clifton Champion, Georgia Mae Adams, Marjorie Reid, Gladys Reid, Jonathan Bunn, Mary Ruth Bunn, Hattie Preddy, Shirley Pretty, Mary Price and Emma Tuck were among the choir members.

Beaver's Chapel United Church of Christ continues to be a pillar in the Zebulon community. Over the years, Deacons Clifton Champion, Donnie Beckwith, Garlene Privette, Harriston Hodges, Edward June Miles and Robert Mangun, as well as ministers including T.J. Moore, J.P. Mangun, Dr. W.M. Lake, L.E. Young, M. Ray, R.L. Haith, W. Barton, D. Jones and McCoy, made lasting contributions to the longevity of the church. Dedicated members, including the late Lena Rogers, have influenced what a church, small in numbers, can do when working toward a common goal.

In regard to the church, Marjorie Reid Young, church historian, stated, "Together we develop a progressive village for our children. He (McCoy) challenges us to continue the tradition of being a resource in the village that raises the child."

(Marjorie Ellis McLean is a veteran writer and Zebulon native who submits a weekly column to the Zebulon Record.)

STREAM FILE - SWIFT CREEK, WAKE CO, NC

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Committee of 4 appointed
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SHADRACK COLE [JR], Dec'd

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JAMES WOOD

WOODROW

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OF THE COMMITTEE - WITH PLOT - Committee as in #2 + JOHN WILLS

PARCEL 1 - GOODLOW LINE - 82 A → SALLY COLE

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WOOTENS CORNER - 75 A → SHADRACK COLE [JR]

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Wit: John Hopkins, ___ Hr

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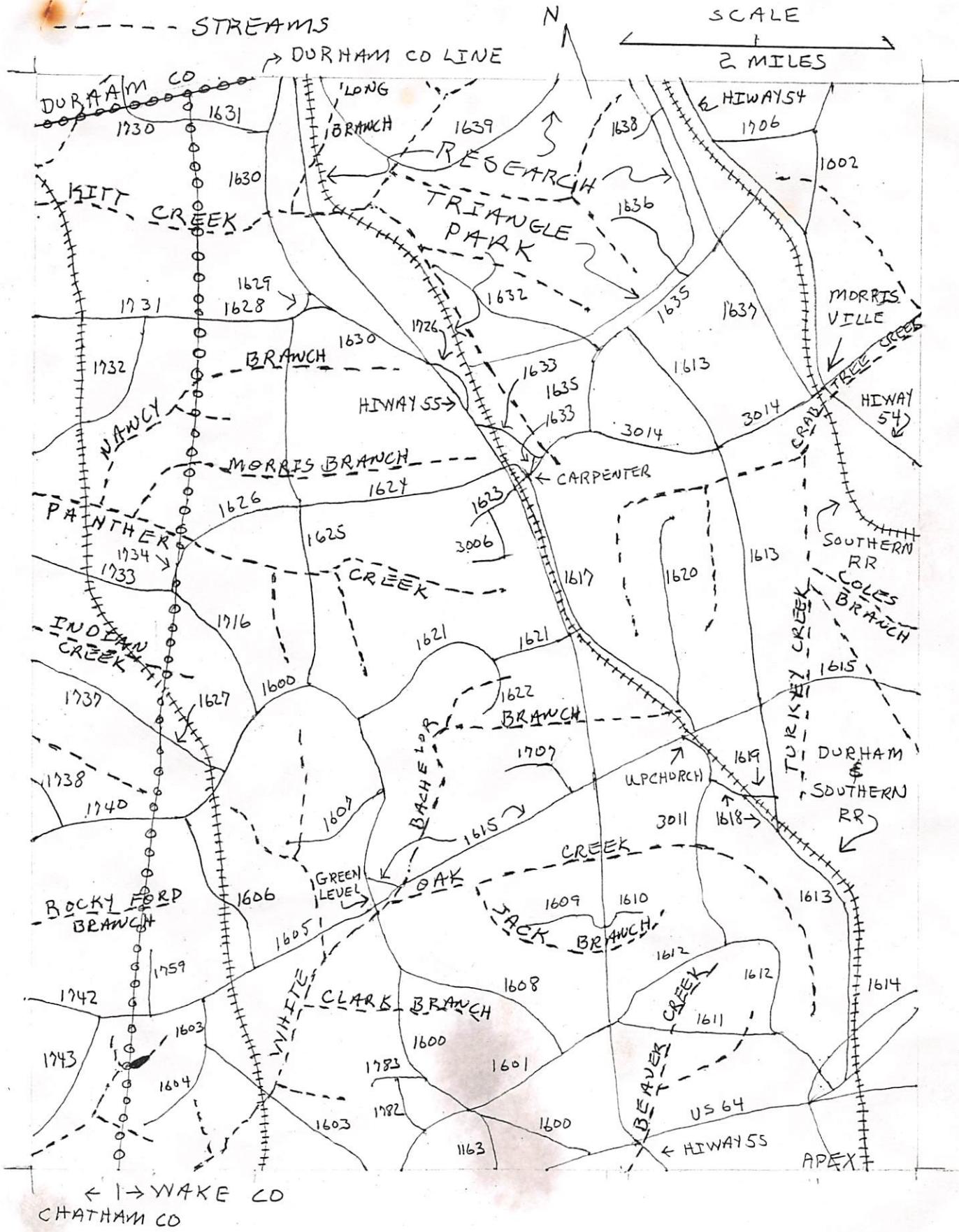
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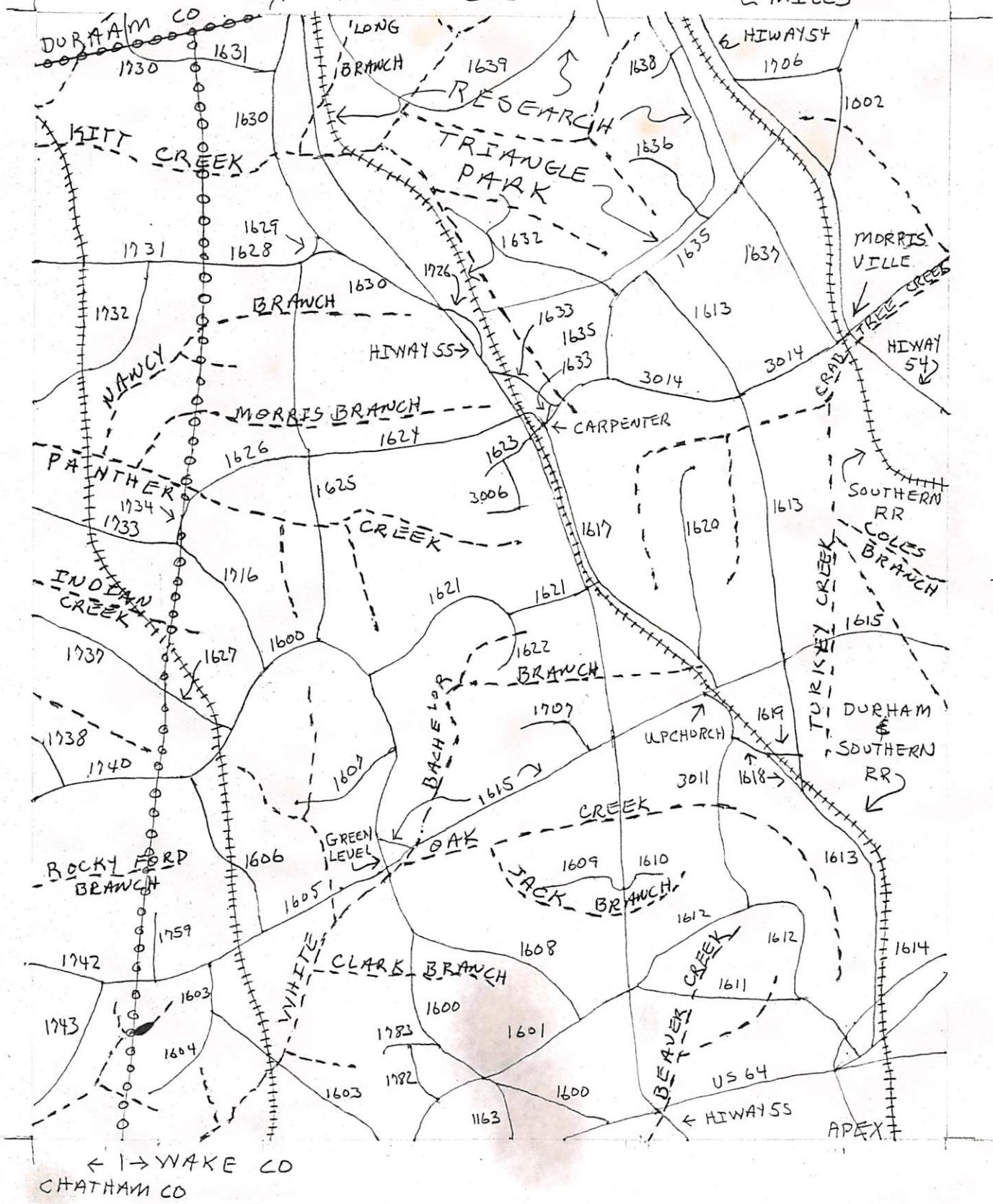
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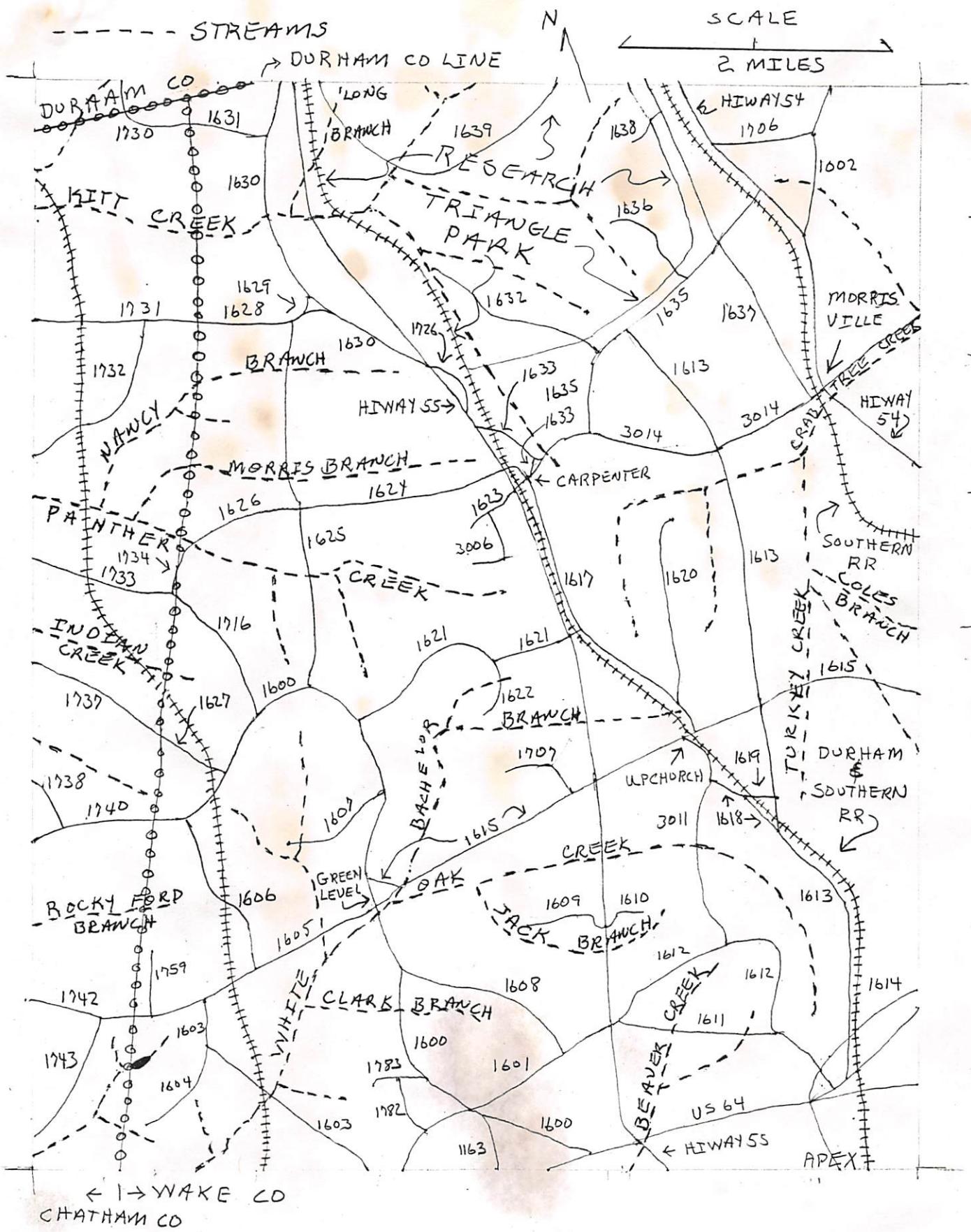
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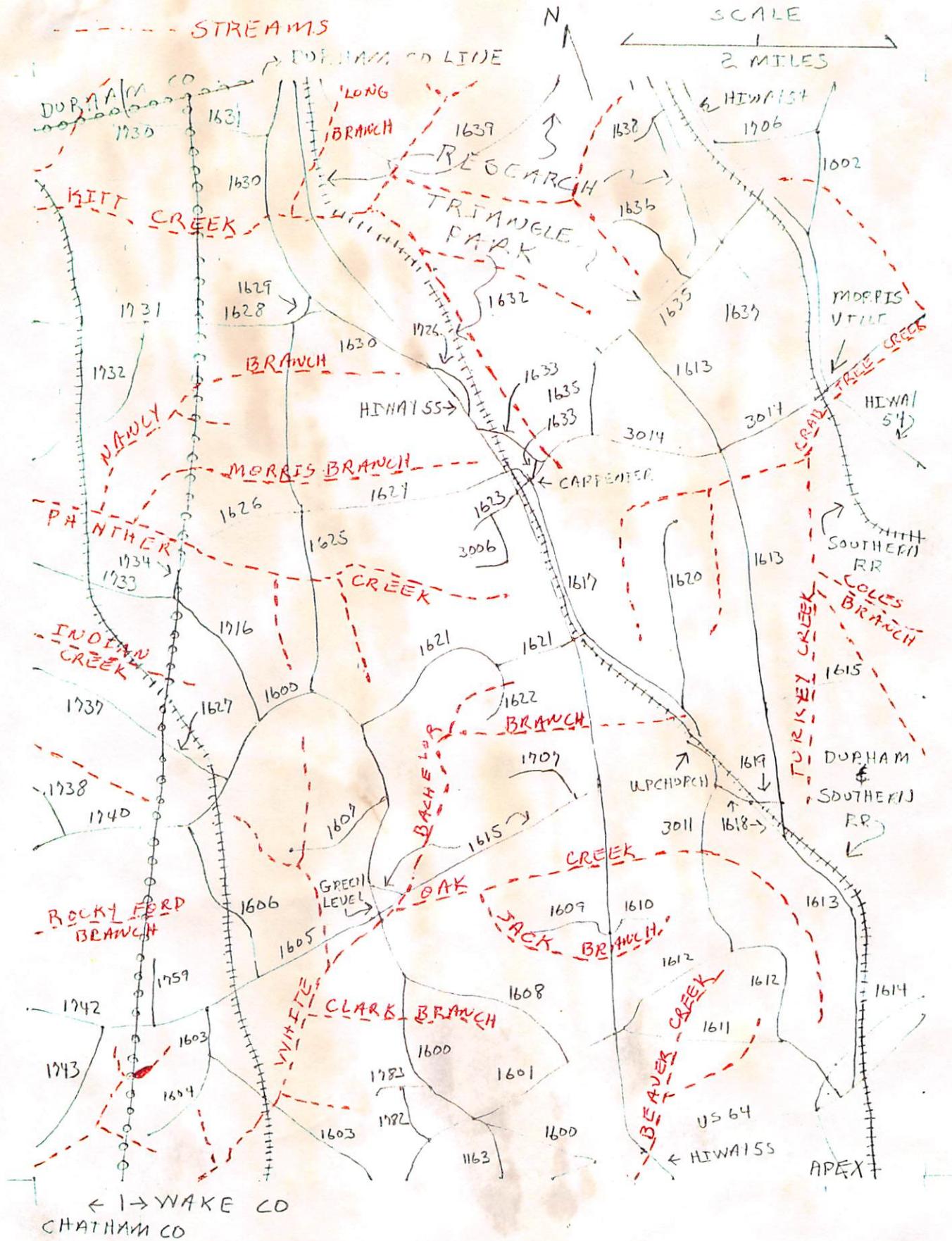
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LOCATION - WARE CO, NC - GRAVE ROCK

DEED :

FRANKLIN CO, NC
26 MAY 1802

Obtained by RPH
& John See II, Jr.
on 15 OCT 1990

DEED BK 12 PG 78 [mentioned in 41 Pg 50]

Kinchin Strickland to John Pace

300 Acres Both sides of Mockerson Creek
↳ Part in Wake & Part in Franklin

Adjoining : Richard Upchurch
James Upchurch
Dinane Pearce

Grave Rock in Wake Co A

Stephen Pearce
Nathan Upchurch
William Ray

This being the land held by Elasha Strickland
and given to his son Kinchen Strickland
by will

Witness : Nathan Massey
Isaac Strickland

STREAM - WAKE CO, NC - LITTLE RIVER
CONT will of William Kearney Phillips, I (for locations)
• To GS - Frank J. Phillips Franklin Co, NC.
140 Acre Wake Co, NC

written 29 DEC 1911
Probated 5 AUG 1914

Attorneys G. D. Stallings
W. K. Phillips
M. G. Sanderson
Guy Howard

24 Acre - Wake Co, NC on Little River ↑

Attorneys - F. R. Rogers
W. B. Fenell

1/3 of 69 Acre - AKA see Henry Hopkins Trad - Wake Co, NC

• To GS William Kearney Phillips, II

190 Acre Wake Co, NC on Little River ↑
AKA Jim Harris & Gaston Hodge Place

• To son Jefferson Haywood Phillips

115 Acre Wake Co, NC (under revision of
the donor of M. S. Patterson)

Attorneys:
G. H. Ratliff
B. J. Ratliff

50 Acre Wake Co, NC (where Jesse Burns
now lives)

Attorneys: B. H. BRANNAN
W. H. Ratliff, dec'd

1/3 of 69 Acre of John Henry Hopkins Trad - Wake Co, NC

• To GD - Wilhelmina G. Phillips

49 Acre - Wake Co, NC

Attorneys - Walter Baum
Sidney Baum

150 Acre in Wake Co, NC (At death of his wife)

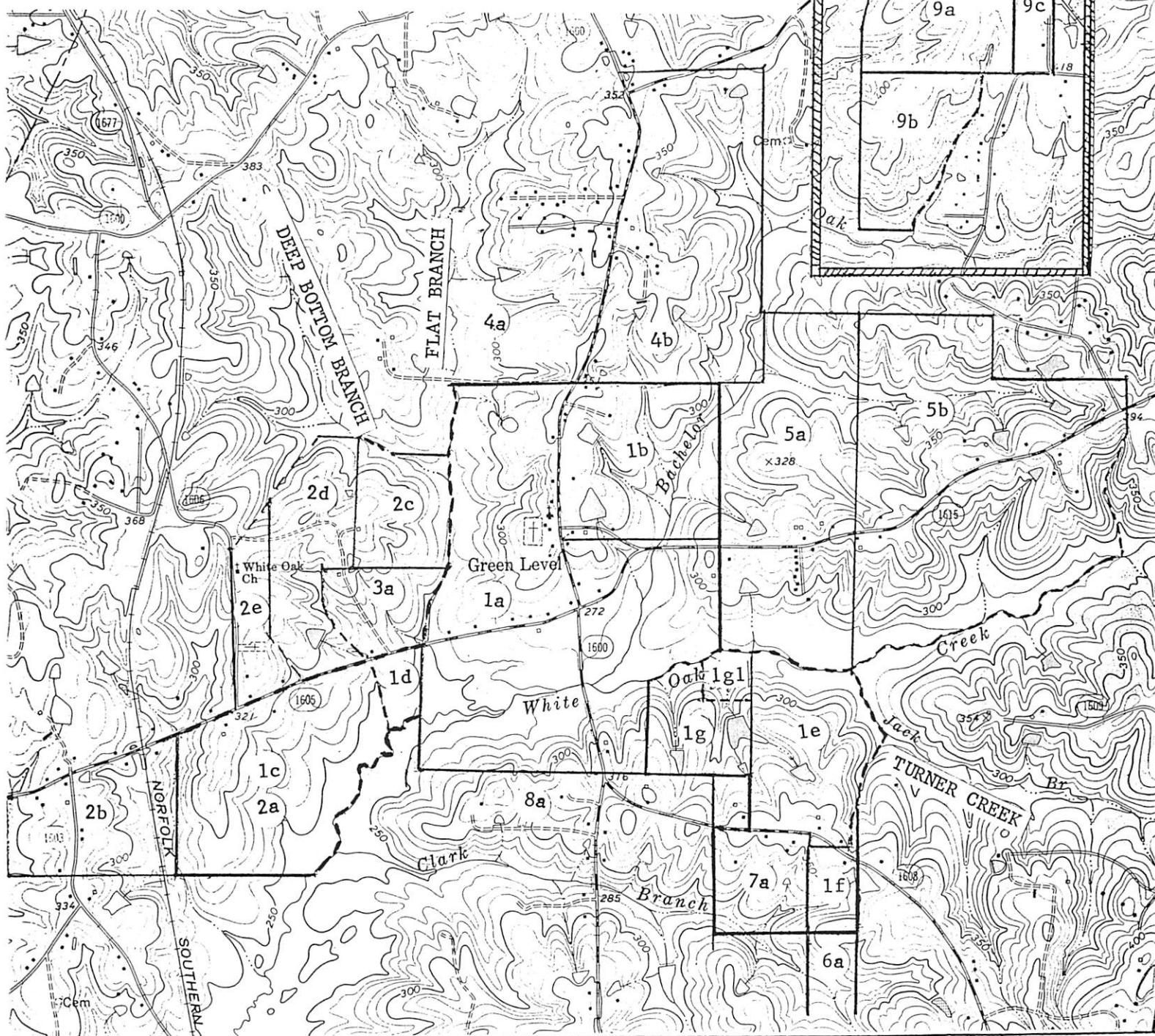
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DEEP BOTTOM BRANCH

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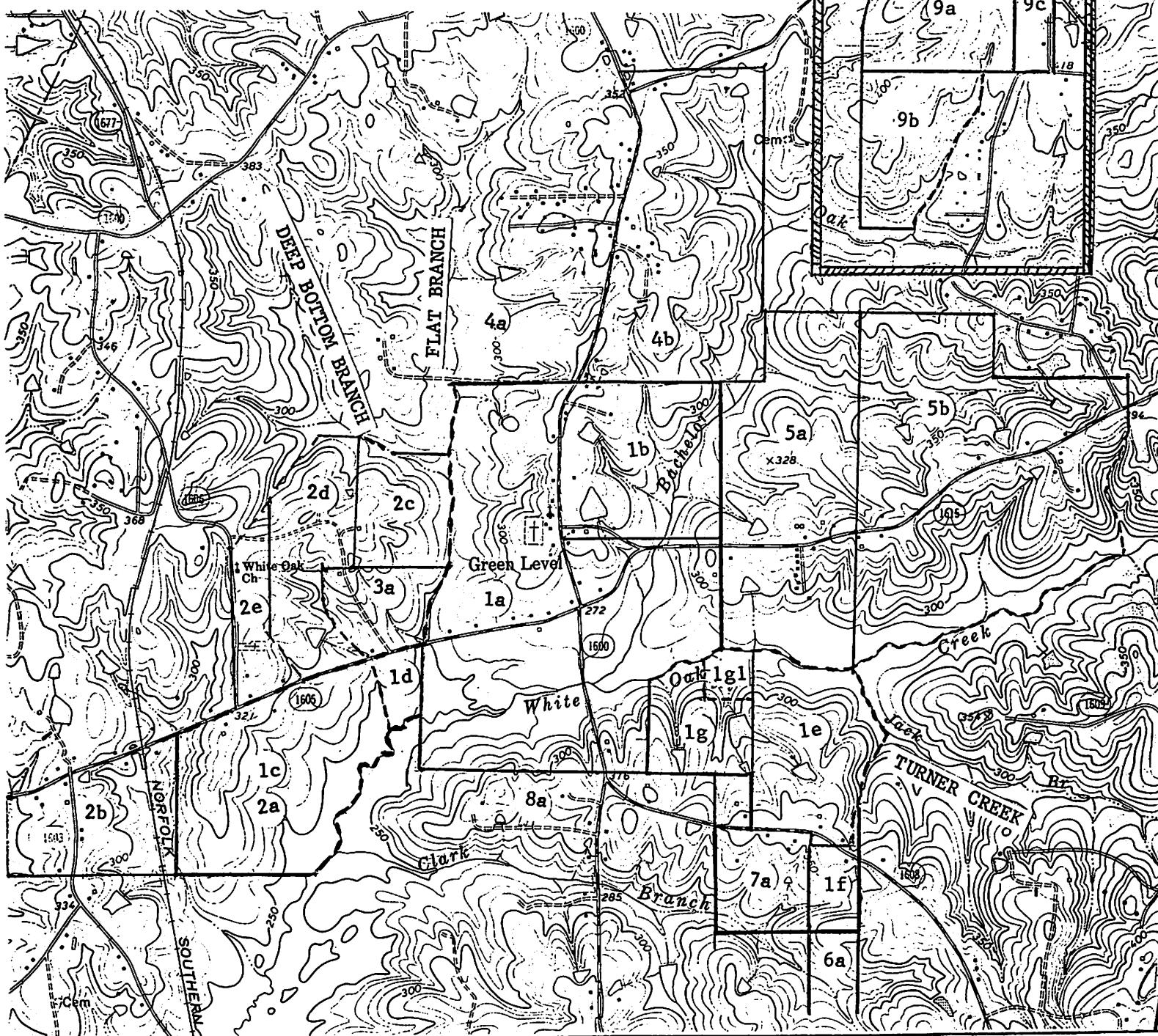
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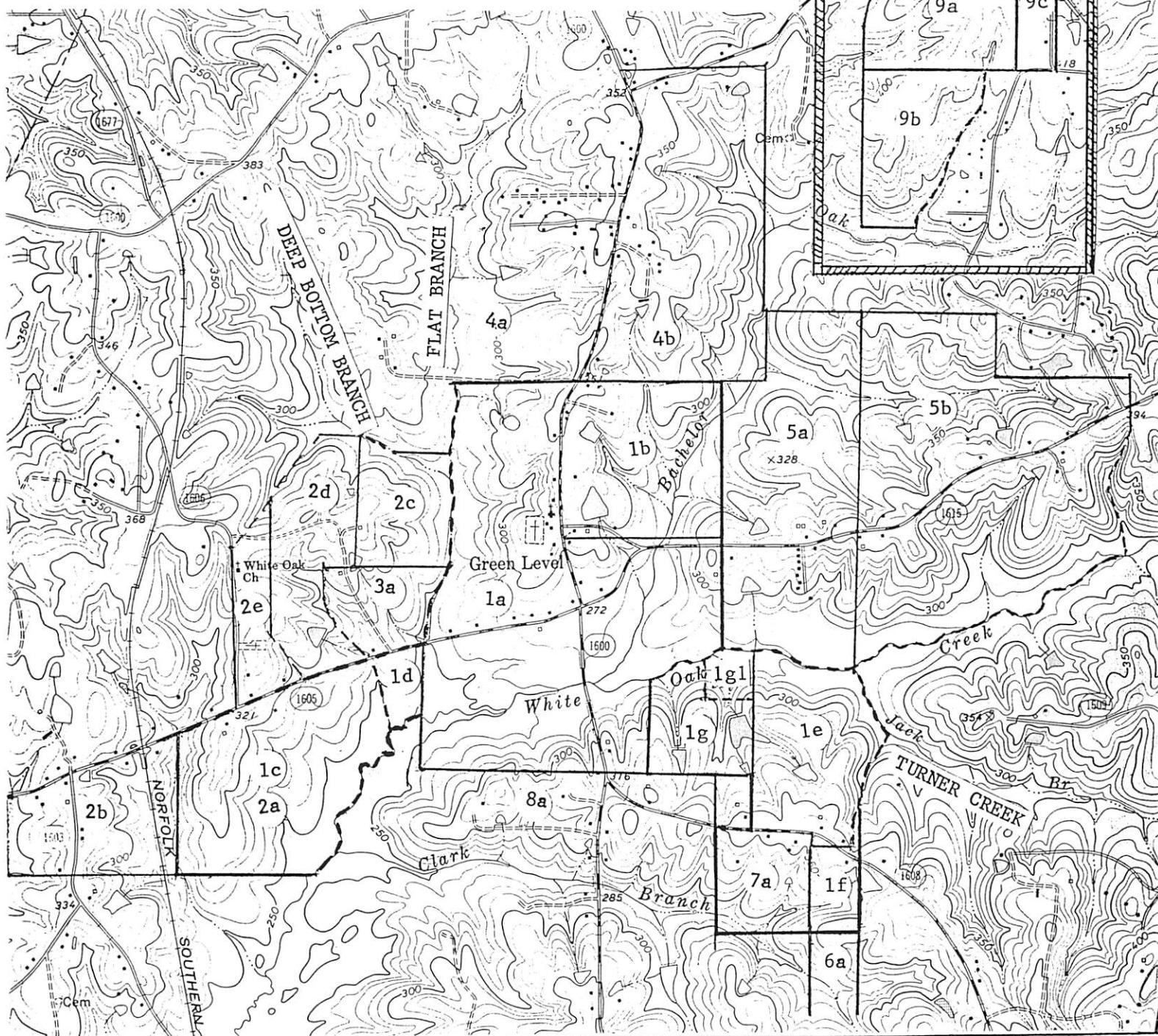
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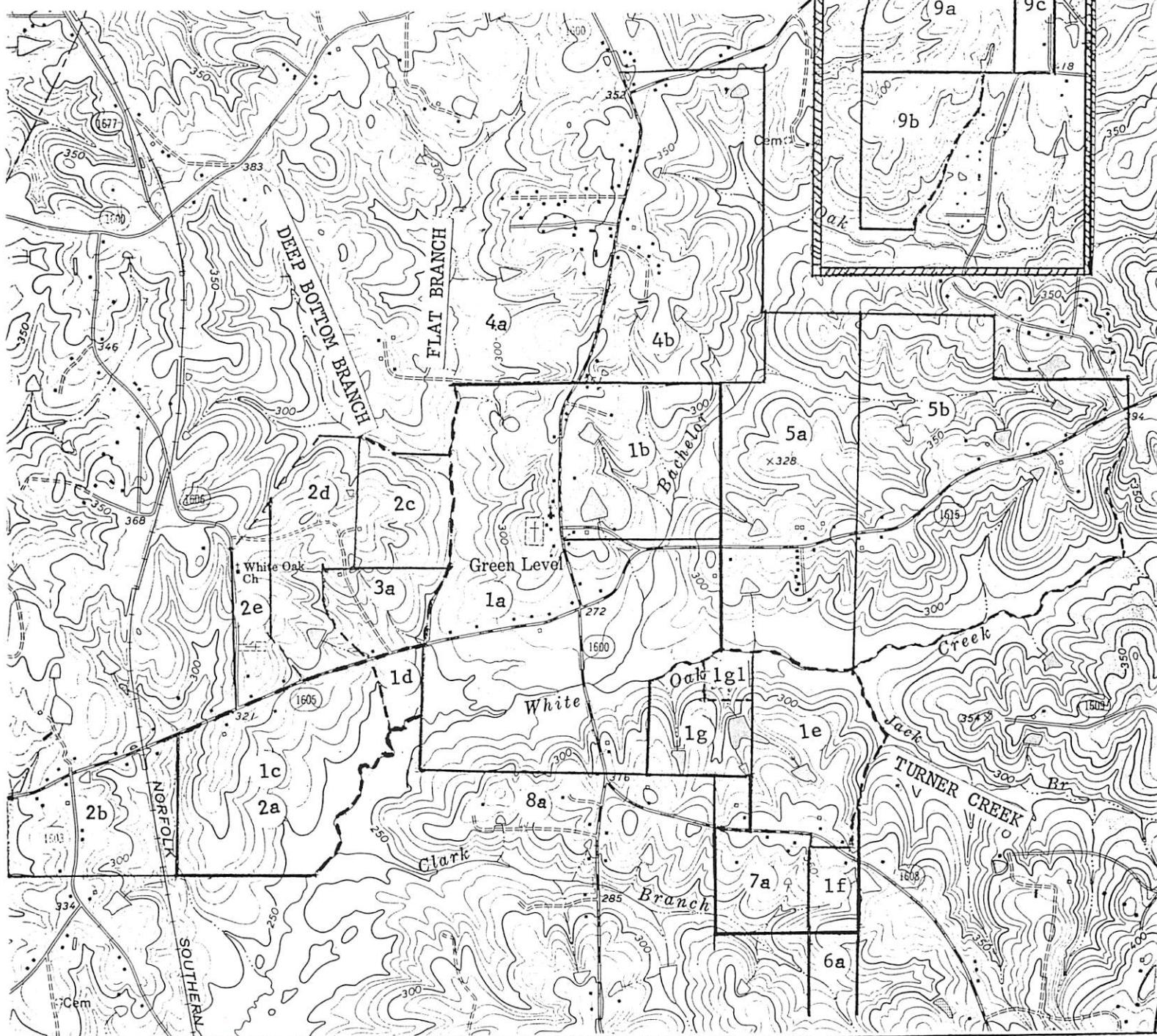
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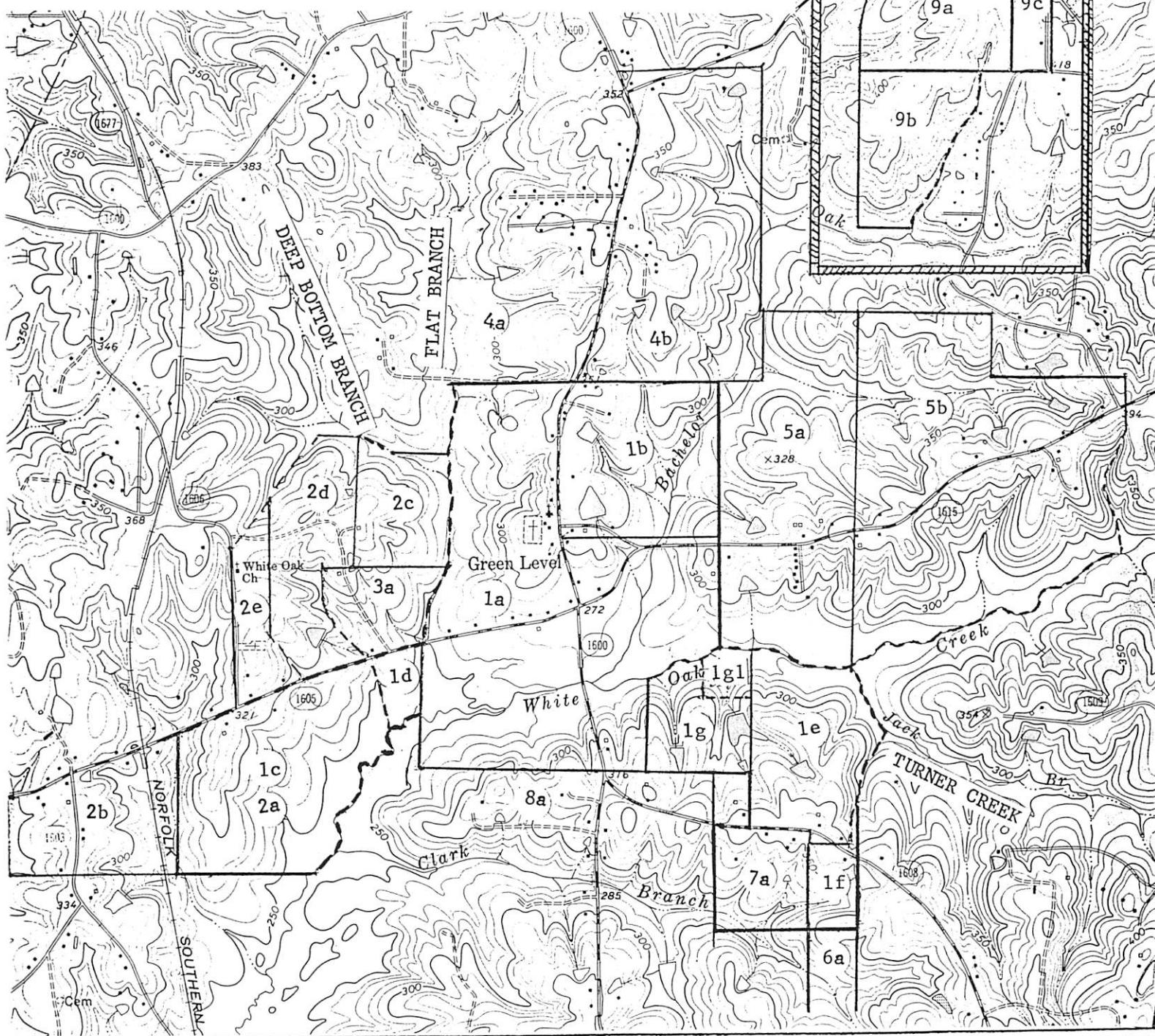
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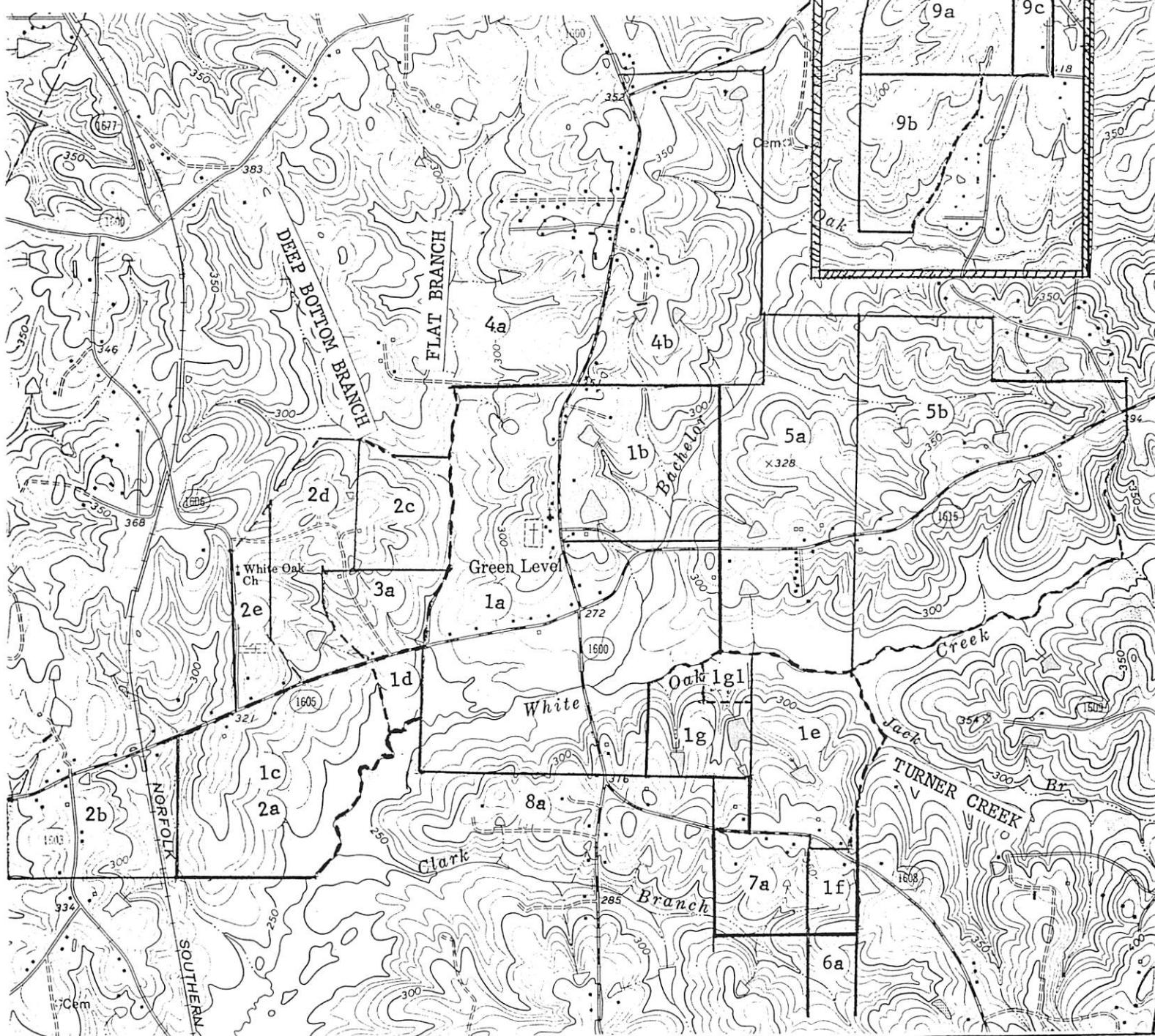
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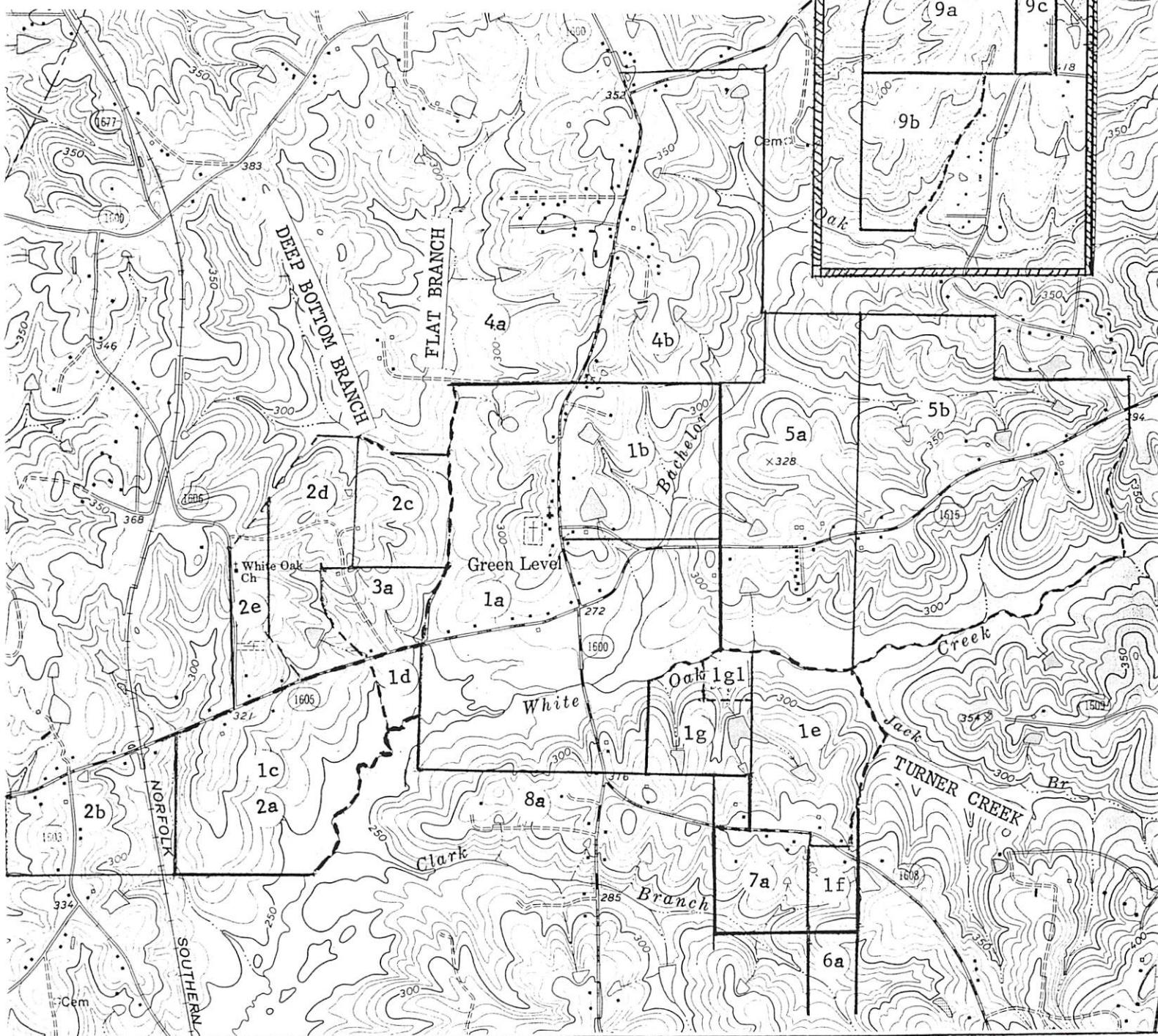
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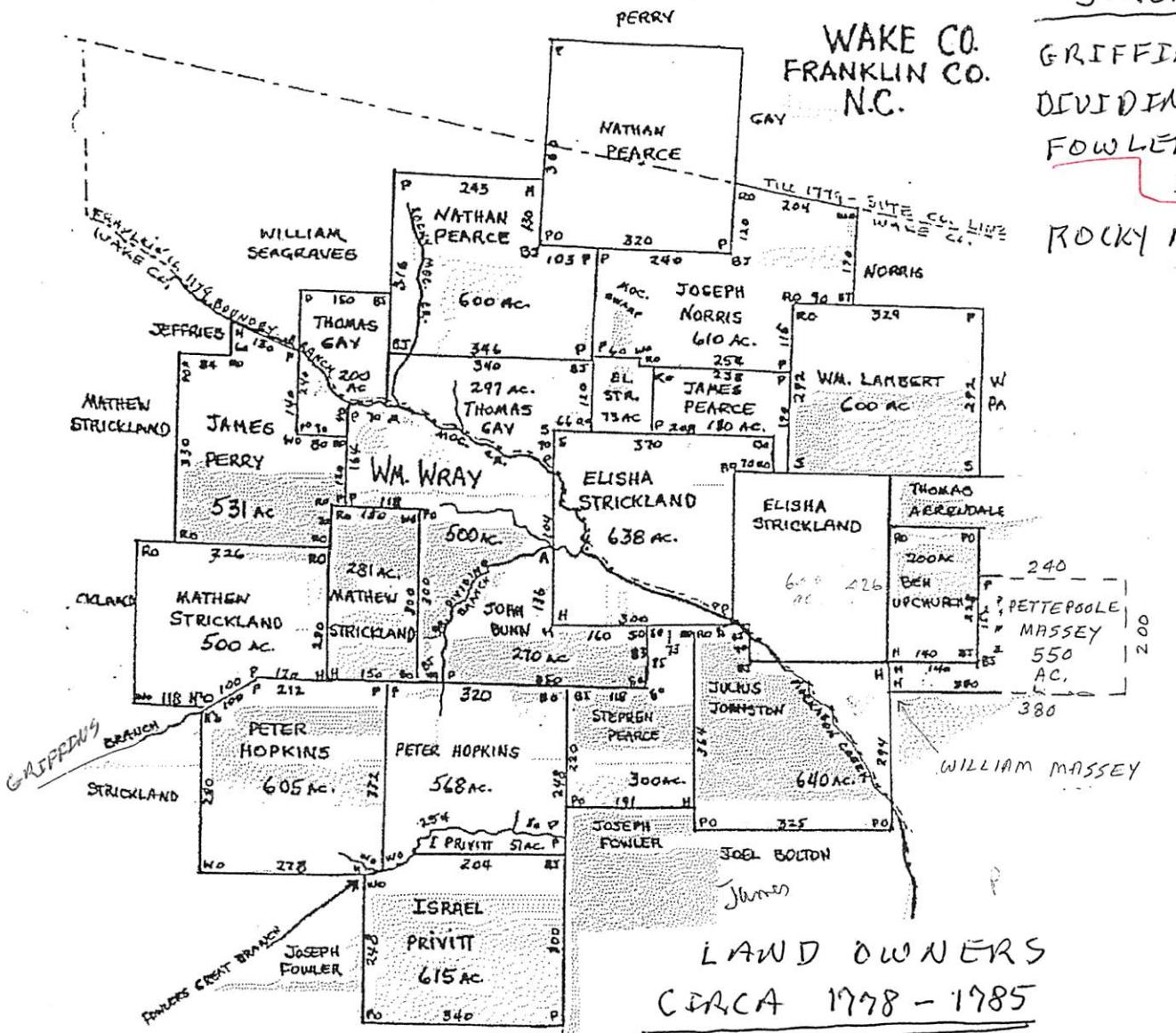
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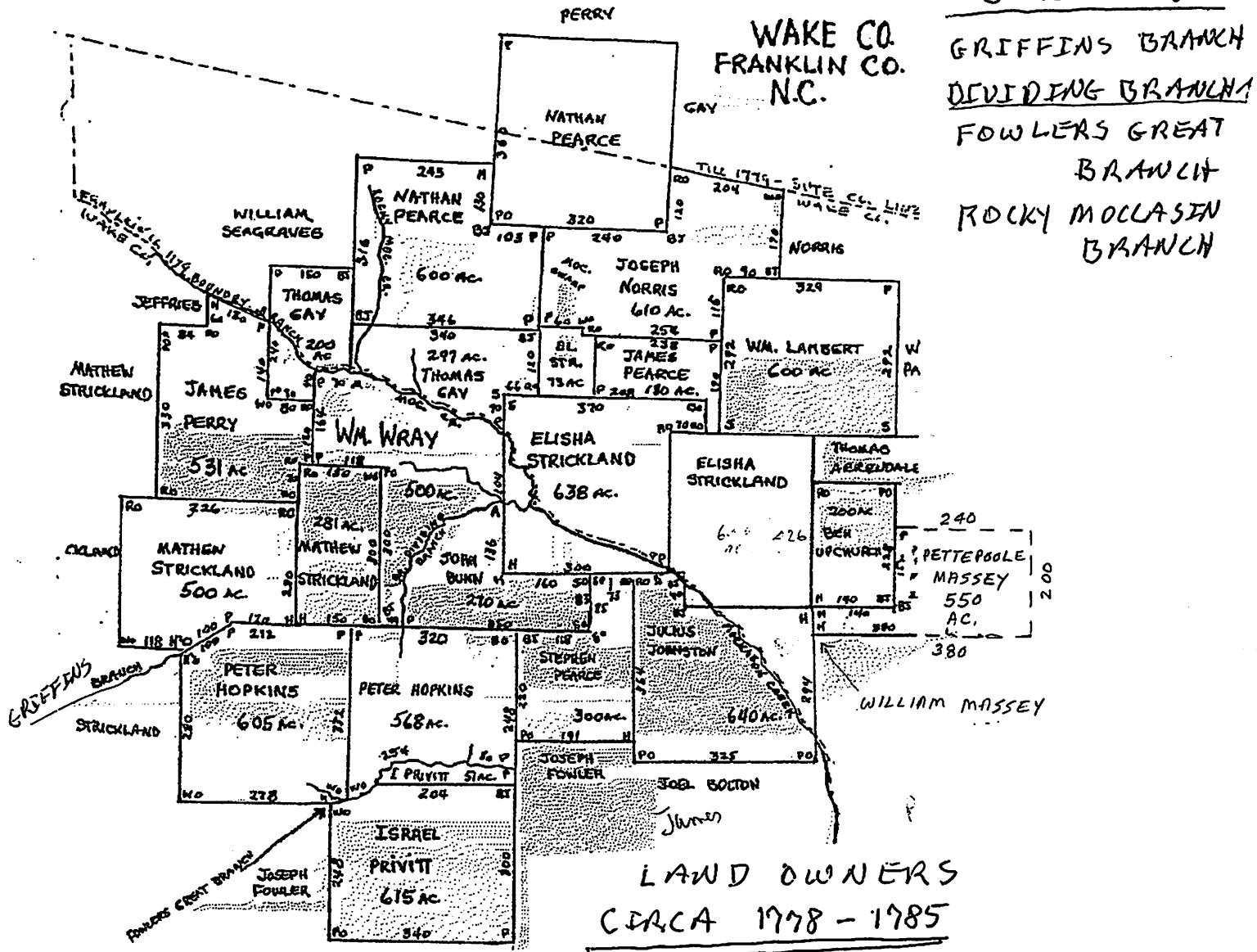
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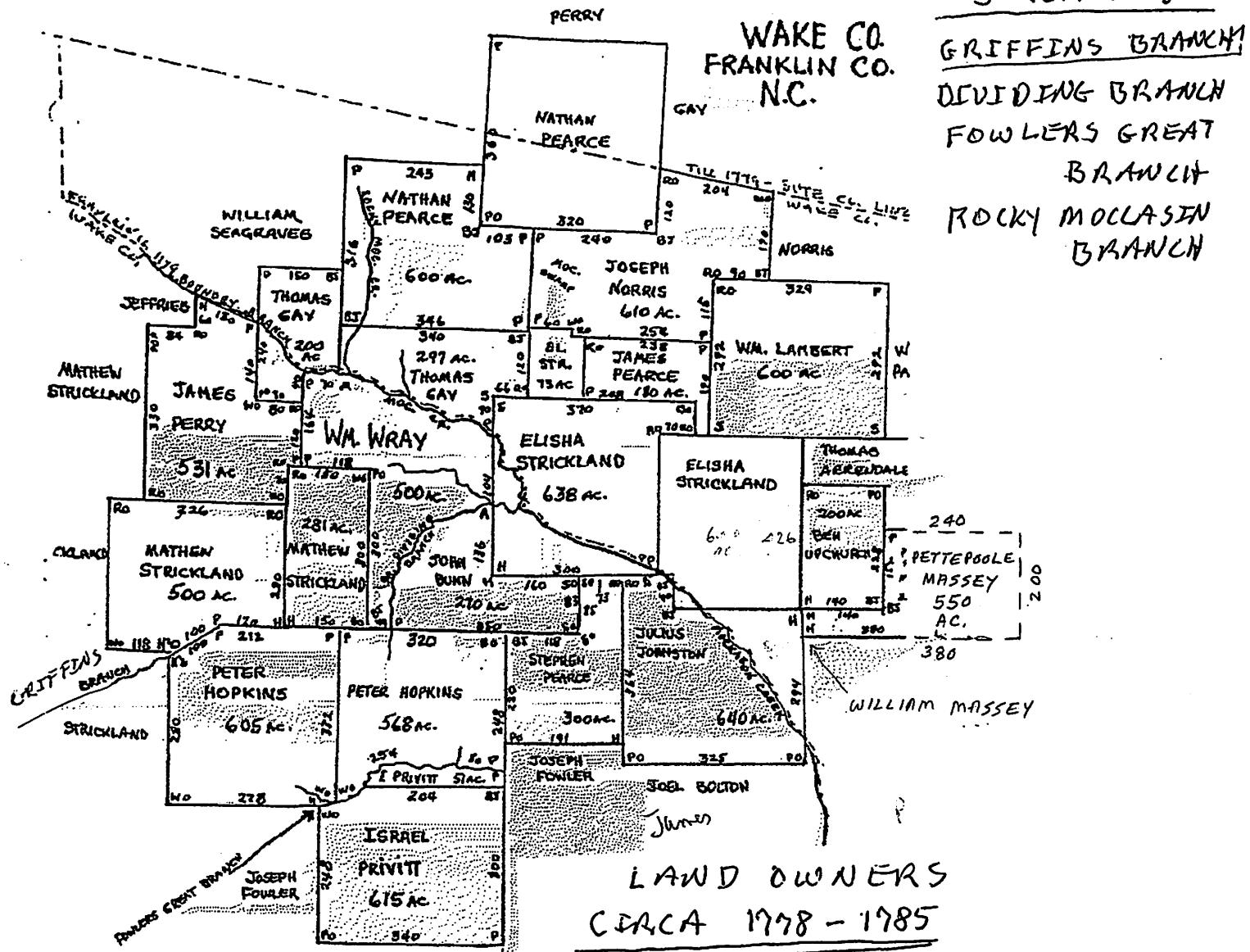
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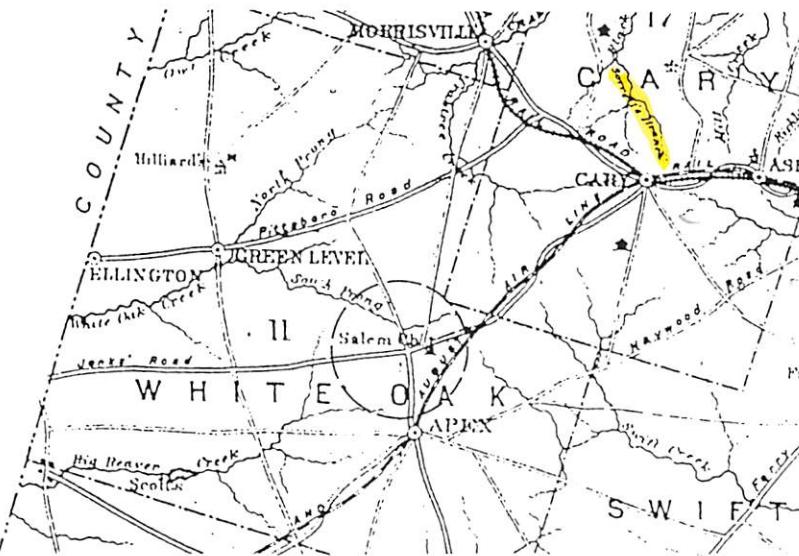
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The road on which Salem is located (now officially named Salem Church Road) is a "ridge" road dividing two major watersheds of the area. The property lying south of the road drains into the Swift Creek Watershed (first into Williams Creek and then into Swift Creek), and the property on the north side of the road drains into the Crabtree Creek Watershed. The Durham and southern Railroad (now owned by the CSX Railroad), which also borders the property, "rides" another ridge with the runoff on its west side feeding into White Oak Creek, and ultimately into Jordan Lake.



A. W. Shaffer's 1887 Map of Wake County

For many years, Salem Church Road was the main road between Apex and Raleigh. According to the church minutes of 1925, when the Highway Commission was considering re-routing what was then Highway 50 (and later U. S. Highway 1), the Salem congregation sent the following petition to the Commission:

And especially do we ask that you follow the Old Road by Salem Church. This church has been [sic] Located Here for about One Hundred Years and this Road has been [sic] here for more than One Hundred Years. We feel that to Change this Road will Be a Hardship and Inconvenience to Church and Surrounding Community. We do Earnestly ask and Petition you to give this your Earnest Consideration and hope that In Your Wisdom and good Judgment you will grant Us this Request.

The request evidently fell on deaf ears, however, because the road was changed beginning about a half-mile south of the church. After crossing under the Durham and Southern Railroad through a new underpass, it rejoined the old road approximately one mile north of the church near the old truck weigh station.

This change reduced the road to just another country road until the late 1970's and the 1980's when, because of Apex and Cary's mushrooming growth, commuters found a "shortcut" to their jobs in the Research Triangle Park, so named because of its proximity to Raleigh, Durham, and Chapel Hill.

Stream File - Wake Co., NC

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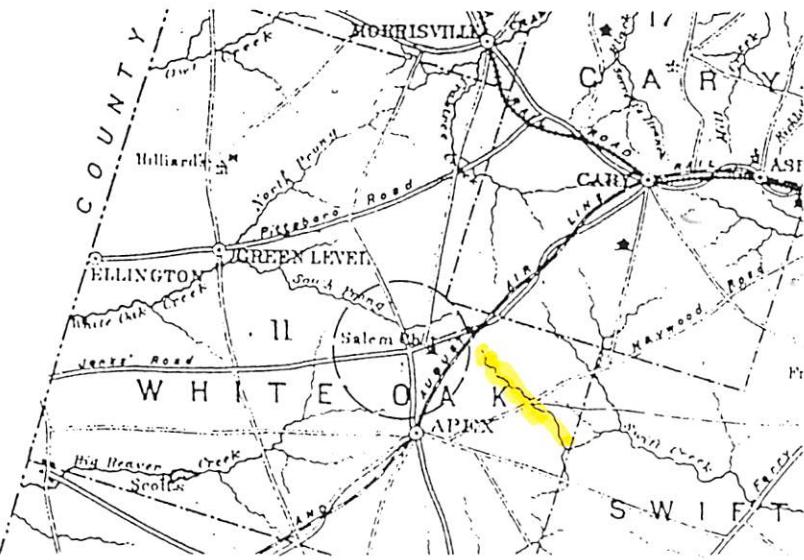
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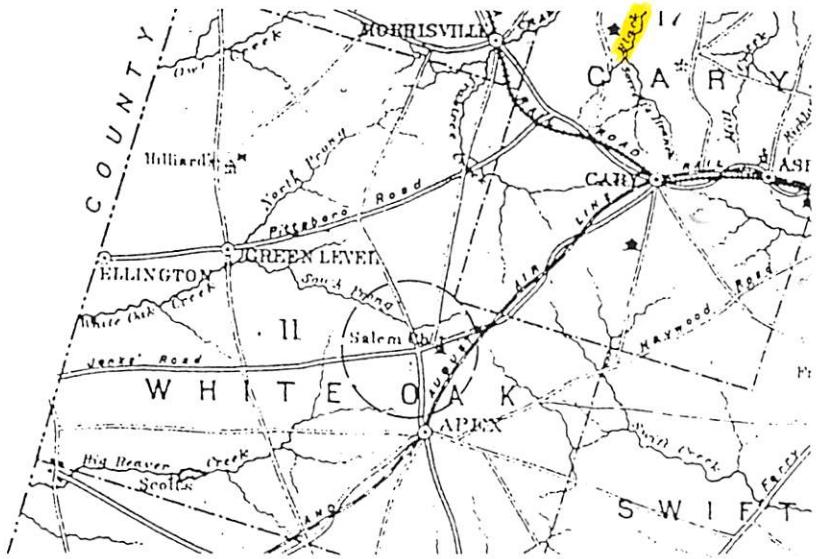
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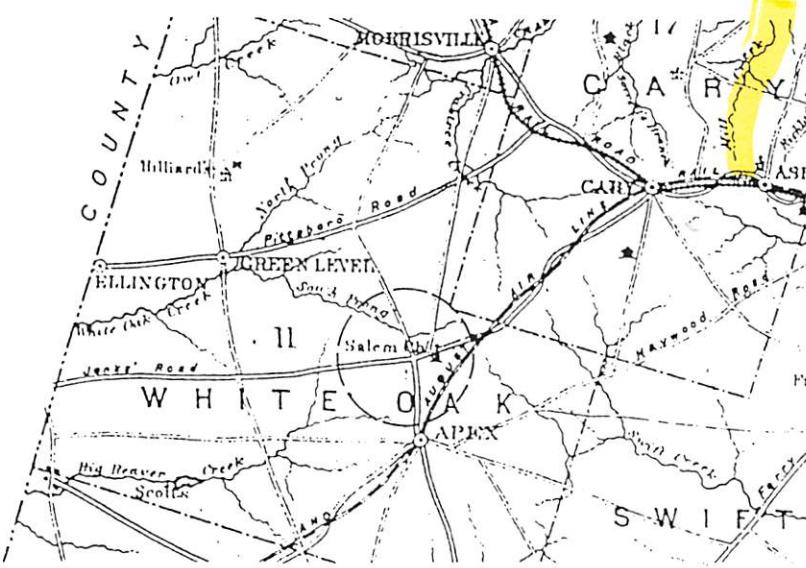
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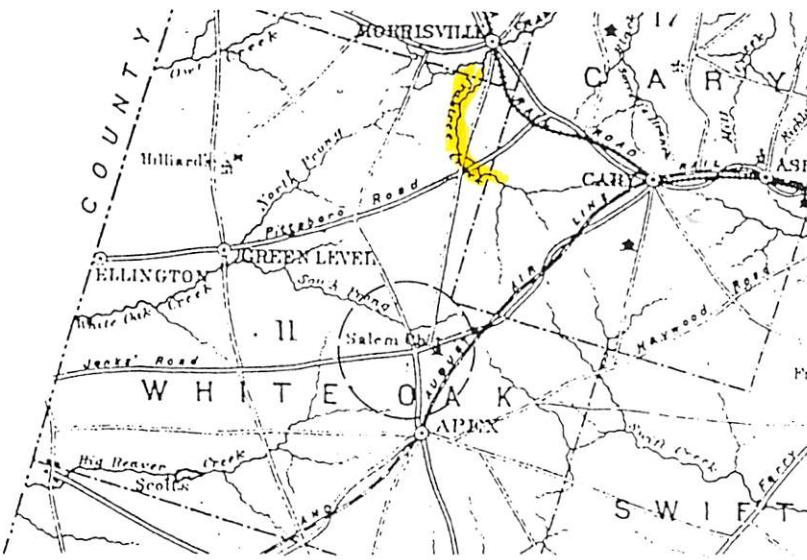
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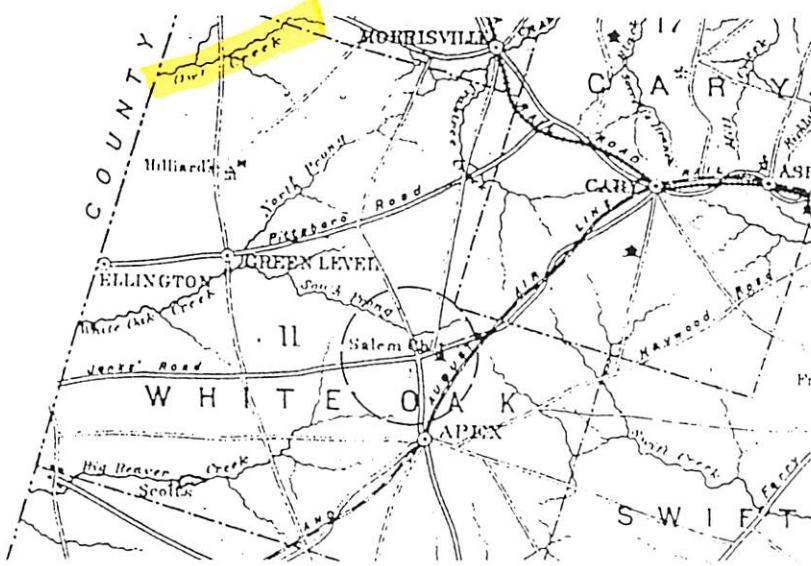
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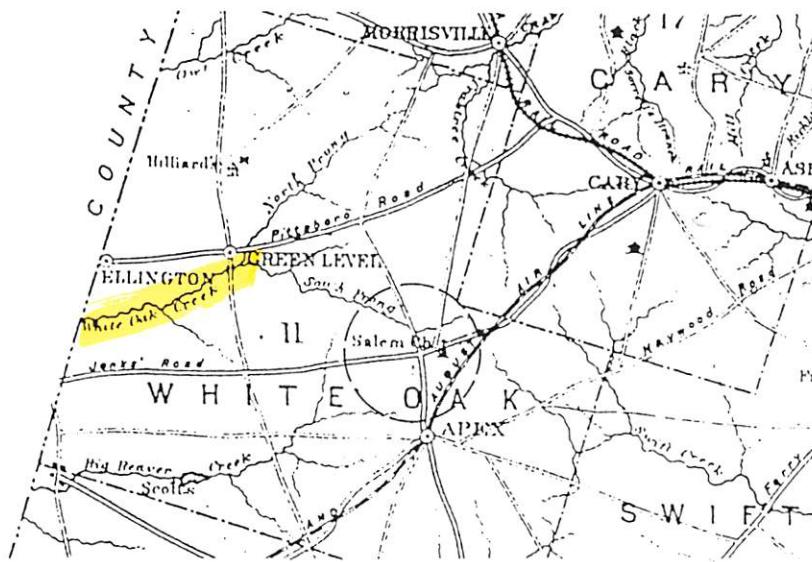
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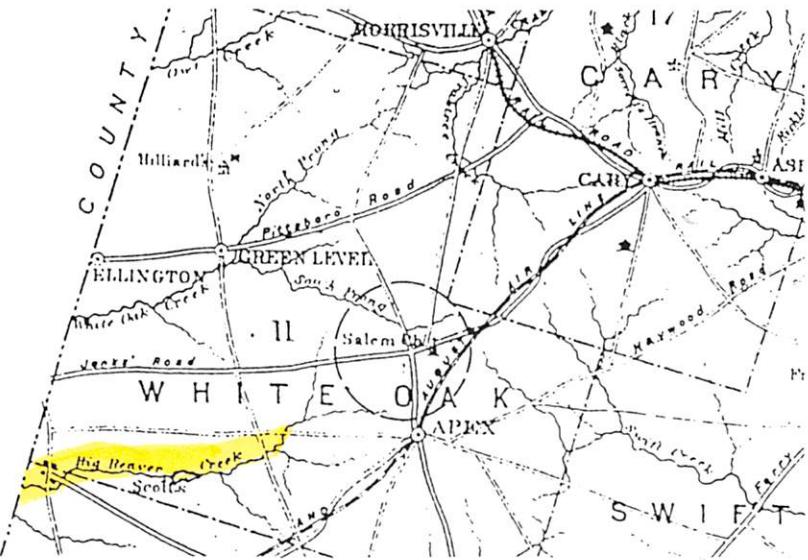
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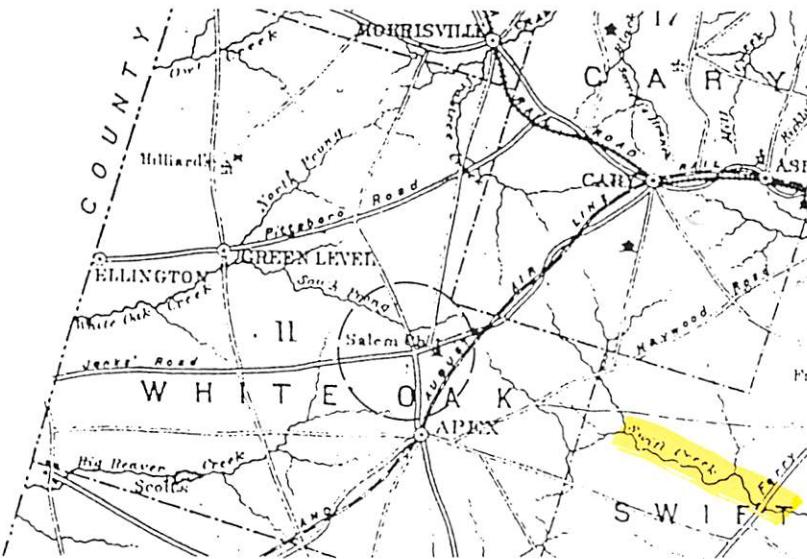
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BETTS FAMILY - WAKE CO, NC FAMILY HISTORIES 94-99 NC HERITAGE BOOK B = BETTS

∴ W^M B, Elder England → Northumberland Co, VA 1635 - HIS DIRECT DESCENDANT WAS:

A. THOMAS B, SR - In Isle of Wight Co, VA in 1750 & 1773

* 1. JOSEPH B, SRd 1806 (Wake Co, NC) m(a) MARY -- Moved from Hardy Dist NW Isle of Wight Co, VA to Buckhorn TSP, Wake Co, NC - Spring or summer of 1804 - Assoc with Holly Sprt Bapt Church

A. HARRY B; B. SUSANNAH B; C. DEWEY B; E. JAMES B; F. JOSEPH B, JR
ma (sf) 1819() NANCY CLIFTON, MD (2nd) 1828() SARAH CLIFTON

* IN 1804 WHEN JOSEPH BETTS, SR MOVED VA TO NC HE WAS ACCOMPANIED BY HIS NEPHEW ANDREW BETTS

D. BARZILLA B, SR - Bought his FAT farm near Holly Sprt & sold 1832 to WHEELER 120
(ma 1820() JANE YATES b 1802 (Wake Co, NC) & 1870 (Wake Co, NC) d/o SETHRD YATES
→ to Isle of Wight, VA & 1833 (Wake Co, NC)

i. LIZZELLA B & 1870() md (7) HARRIS VAUGHN; 2. SAMUEL B. b abt 1832
3. CALVIN B d Oxford, NC j. JAMES MARSHALL B b abt 1825 md 1845 ()
SARAH NEWLAND b abt 1826; 6. JOSEPH JOHN B b 1828 (Wake Co, NC)
d 1903 (Randolph Co, NC) md 1848 (Anne Gibson Hill 1833 & 1912 (Ashland)
7. BARZILLA B JA - never md; 8. BILLY B.
4. ANDERSON B b 1830 (Wake Co, NC) & 1912 (Raleigh, NC) - Master Carpenter for
Raleigh-Gaston RR md 1852 (Raleigh, NC) ELIZABETH JORDAN b 1833()
d 1909(). Lived many years across road from Dr. Wood Baptist Ch - Wake Co, NC
- Later lived 117 S. West St Raleigh, NC - Elizabeth = d/o CALVIN JORDAN

I. BUCKNER RAY

A. AURORA O. RAY
MD BARTLEY
JEFFERSON H

B. ZADOCK RAY

CSA - never recovered fully
died soon after
war - 4 months
MA (2) ARTELIA
NIPPER (ran a
Boarding House
Wilmington & New
Orleans)

1. TESSIE LEE RAY
2.
3.
4.

a. LELIE ADA B b 1855 & 1856; b. CALVIN J. B b 1853() d 1918()
md () SALLIE MCNEILL BROOKSIDE b 1856 & 1920; c. CHARLES
HENRY B b 1857 & 1926 md 1887() ROXANNA JOHNSON b 1869 & 1949
e. OSCAR LEON B b 1862 md (7) ADDIE BARKLEY d 1962;
f. WILLIE A. B b 1866 & 1905; g. ALGEMEN B b 1868 & 1871;
h. OTIS ALLEN B b 1872 & 1945 md () SAIDE FAISON d 1949
d. WILMER CONRAD B, THE ELDER b 1859 & 1915 () MO 1894()
→ TESSIE LEE RAY b 1871 & 1940 of Burtom Creek TSP, NC first
lived in Hillsborough, NC but returned to Edenton St, Raleigh, NC
i. BREVARD B } IN THE 1920'S THESE TWO
j. WILMER ZADOCK B "W.L." } FORMED THE BETTS COAL &
BS NC STATE 1917 Bridge Engineer for NC, Purchasing Agent
NC, 1st mqi Requinde Coliseum. md 1922() MOULTRIE DRAKE
a Meredith student from Bennettsville, SC. Lived with TESSIE
116 Kilkenny Rd, Cameron Park, Raleigh, NC

2 THOMAS BETTS, SRd BEFORE 1790

See separate
Extract
for
Descendants

* A. ANDREW B
on 1805 & 1810 Tax Rolls
of Buckhorn TSP Wake
Co, NC owned 150 Acre
estate **Utley's Creek** - Dis-
position unknown. Prob
deed interests md 1789
(1) SALLY WHITE of
Sandy Co, VA

(I) WILMER CONRAD B. Duke Grad, Psychiatrist, md ()
GEORGE ELLIN FORBES - Rep 3615 Alleghany Rd, Raleigh
(A) ELLEN B [AUTHOR OF (94)] m(2) STEPHEN M. ROWE
(B) WILMER CONRAD B, III "BILL" M.D. [AUTHOR OF (96)
[why is he III? - not (95)]
(C) WILEY FORBES B
(D) THOMAS ANDERSON B
(II) ELIZABETH B - later Fairview, NC

CROOKED CREEK → NEUSE RIVER, WAKE CO., NC
By W^M Canell Ray 1999 [RAY]
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From: The Ray Family of Wake Co., NC By W^M Canell Ray 1999 [RAY]
Buckner Ray Family [Father of Aurora O. Ray]

The family grew up on a farm in northern Wake County near the Rodgers Store Post Office. Artifacts of an Indian civilization were found on the farm dating back over one thousand years.

Four of Buckner's children (George, Robert, Willis and Mary) married children of the Penny family. The area around Rodgers Store Post Office must have been a small farming community in the period just after the Civil War.

The 1850 Census reveals that Buckner Ray (known as Buck) was a farmer who owned real estate valued at \$1,500. The 1860 Census shows the value of his real estate had increased to \$2,000 and his personal property had an estimated value of \$5,000. The 1870 Census indicates that the value of his real estate had declined by fifty percent to \$1,000 and the value of his personal property had declined by seventy percent to \$1,500. This decline in assets was probably due to the Civil War. Buckner Ray was 43 when the Civil War began. Buckner enlisted in the Confederate Army on December 4, 1864 at age 46 and he served as a 2nd Lieutenant in Company K of the 6th North Carolina Senior Reserves (Seventy Sixth Regiment).

Senior Reserves in North Carolina were composed of men between 45 and 50 years of age. The Fourth, Fifth and Sixth Reserves were formed into the Second Brigade under the command of Colonel John F. Hoke, with headquarters in Salisbury. At the beginning of the war, Hoke was Adjutant-General of North Carolina. At the end of 1864, Buckner Ray's Brigade was stationed at Salisbury (approximately 100 miles west of Raleigh, the State Capital). This Brigade guarded prisoners, railroad bridges, and arrested deserters. The services performed were indispensable and relieved other troops for service in the field. On some occasions there were fights with deserters who were armed and, when banded together, made themselves a terror to certain neighborhoods. It appears that the only time Buckner Ray's Brigade came in contact with the enemy was when Stoneman made his raid at Salisbury to release Union prisoners. On March 4, 1865, Buckner Ray's Brigade was no longer needed to guard the prisoners at Salisbury and was ordered to High Point (40 miles northeast of Salisbury) and then placed in the Seventh Congressional District to arrest deserters. The regimental headquarters was at Asheboro. On March 16th the regiment was ordered to Greensboro. Upon the surrender of Confederate General Johnston, some members of the Senior Reserves were officially released from service, but the majority returned home without ceremony.

According to family tradition, Jane Caroline Ray is a true heroine. During the later stages of the Civil War, armed soldiers ordered Caroline to leave her home on Old Creedmoor Road. Their aim was to ransack the home in search of food and valuables and then burn it to the ground. Caroline risked her life by refusing to leave her home, and her courage saved the family farmhouse from destruction. The soldiers met their match in this strong willed woman and left to plunder other property. It is not certain if these were Union soldiers or desperate Confederate deserters fleeing advancing Union forces. This event probably occurred in early 1865 when Buckner was serving in the Confederate Senior Reserves. At that time, Buckner and Caroline had eight children at home ranging in age from 3 to 17, and Caroline (age 42) was expecting their final child, Charles Buckner Ray, who was born in May of 1865.

Buckner Ray acquired six tracts of land totaling 605 acres during a twenty-two year period from 1840 to 1862 in Wake County, North Carolina as summarized below. The total amount he paid for these 605 acres was \$743 (\$1.23/acre).

DATE	ACREAGE	PURCHASE PRICE	SELLER	LOCATION OF PROPERTY
April 6, 1840	110 Acres	\$ 400	Jesse Gill (Buckner Ray's grandfather)	South side of Neuse River on the waters of Crooked Creek↑
May 10, 1848	100 Acres	\$ 200	Simmeon Lowery	Adjacent to Bradfield and Parham property
May 11, 1848	100 Acres	\$ 103	Robert Cannon	Adjacent to property already owned by Buckner Ray
Jan. 14, 1851	225 Acres	Gift	Mark Grady (Buckner Ray's father-in-law)	Wake County
Feb. 28, 1862	50 Acres	\$ 10	The sheriff of Wake Co. sold this property at an auction to satisfy a \$650 debt of Mr. Sugg	Adjacent to property already owned by Buckner Ray
Feb. 28, 1862	20 Acres	\$ 30	John A. and Clarisa Belvin	Adjacent to the Mark Grady property (Buckner Ray's father-in-law)

LONEFORD BANCH NEUSE RIVER - WAKE CO, NC

From: The Ray Family of Wake Co, NC By WM Carroll Ray 1999

Buckner Ray Family [Father of Aurora D. Ray] Pg 21 [RAY]

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Nov. 5, 1842	193 Acres	\$ 434 ⁽¹⁾	Alexander Harrison	On the bank of the Neuse River
Feb. 24, 1843	110 Acres	\$ 400 ⁽²⁾	Jesse Gill (Buckner Ray's grandfather)	South side of Neuse River on the waters of Crooked Creek
Oct. 7, 1851	580 Acres	\$ 100	Albritton McDade (He posted the bond for Buckner's marriage to Caroline Grady)	Adjacent to Rodgers and Jones property
April 5, 1853	200 Acres	\$ 350	Dennis Grady (Buckner Ray's brother-in-law)	Adjacent to property owned by McDade, Rodgers and Parham
Aug. 7, 1866	280 $\frac{3}{8}$ Acres	\$ 1,500 ⁽³⁾	William Upchurch	Beginning at mouth of the Longford Branch on the Neuse River

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MILL FORK BRANCH - HORSE CREEK - WAKE CO, NC

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One of Seven Ray Families on the 1790 census of
Wake Co, NC

3. Joseph Ray

Joseph married Frankey ___, had nine children and he died in December 1805. Their nine children are:

- | | |
|---|-----------------|
| 1. Robert Ray (married Fanny Tomerson Dec. 18, 1815) | 6. Rachel Ray |
| 2. Joseph Ray (married Nancy Harrison Dec. 17, 1803) | 7. Penelope Ray |
| 3. Mark Ray | 8. Sarah Ray |
| 4. Jane Ray | 9. Franky Ray |
| 5. Elizabeth Ray (married Alexander High March 3, 1812) | |

Joseph Ray is first mentioned in the Wake County Court records when he entered a caveat for 400 acres on March 2, 1778, so he was born prior to 1757. On September 14, 1778, Joseph Ray acquired 250 acres by grant on the east side of Mill Fork Branch. On August 9, 1779, Joseph acquired another 180 acres by grant on the Mill Fork Branch of Horse Creek. The 1781 Wake County Tax List (Captain Robert High's District) shows Joseph Ray as the owner of 100 acres, 2 horses and 6 cattle valued at 36 pounds. The 1799 Wake County Tax List shows Joseph Ray as the owner of 125 acres.

SHAD ISLAND CREEK-NEUSE RIVER - WAKE CO, NC

From: The Ray Family of Wake Co, NC by WM Carroll Ray
[RAY] Pg 35 1999

one of seven Ray Families on the 1790 census of
Wake Co, NC

2. John Ray

John married Martha (Patty) ___, had twelve children, and he died September 28, 1806. Their twelve children are:

- | | | |
|--|---|--|
| 1. Mary Ray married William Rochell Feb. 17, 1801 | 4. Ephraim Ray married Nancy Rochell Aug. 7, 1819 | 9. James Ray |
| 2. Martha Ray married George Jackson Dec. 26, 1804 | 5. Charity Ray | 10. William Ray |
| 3. Gilliam Ray | 6. John Ray | 11. David Ray married Edith Joplin Jan. 23, 1824 |
| | 7. Elsey Ray | |
| | 8. Thomas Ray | 12. Susanna Ray |

When John Ray died in 1806, Luke Ray (probably his brother) became the guardian of John's seven underage children (John, Elsey, Thomas, James, William, David and Susanna). Luke Ray died four years later in 1810 leaving five infant children of his own.

John Ray is first mentioned in the Wake County Court records when he witnessed a September 13, 1787 sale of land to Joseph Ray adjoining property on the Neuse River owned by Luke Ray. John is thought to be a brother of Luke, Joseph and, perhaps, Nathan Ray. When John died in 1806 he owned 184 acres on Shad Island Creek. This property included Shad Island in the Neuse River which is now inundated by Falls Lake.

CROOKED CREEK - WAKE CO, NC

From: The Ray Family of Wake Co, NC By WM Carroll Ray 1999 RAY
 Von Ray = Afonzo Columbus Ray
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Von Ray farmed property he owned at Wake Forest, North Carolina, located approximately 12 miles north of Raleigh in Wake County. The Wake County land records show that Von Ray acquired the following properties:

Date	Acreage	Purchase Price	Seller	Location of Property
Jan. 24, 1881	185	\$ 1,600	James W. Atkinson, et ux	Adjoining lands of Buckner Ray (A.C. Ray's father) on the banks of Crooked Creek
Dec. 23, 1885	34 1/4	Quitclaim deed in consideration of a partition of the land	James D. Dew, et ux, et al	Former Estate of Thomas Ray in Wake County
Feb. 14, 1888	94.14 313.39	\$ 940	W. Hockaday, et ux	On the waters of the Neuse River. Adjoining lands of A.C. Ray's father, Buckner Ray (deceased).

A January 4, 1933 survey of the A.C. Ray Farm in Barton's Creek Township in Wake County, North Carolina is reproduced on page 6. The property was located on Oxford Road near Wake Forest. As shown on this survey, the Ray home was accessed via No. 21 Highway (not completed). Today the property fronts on Creedmoor Road. A barn was located approximately 100 feet behind the Ray home. The only other structures shown on this 1933 survey of the 231.5 acres owned by Von Ray were two tenant houses.

→ ne ELLA FLORENCE GILL

Von Ray and his first wife, Florence, sold three properties in Wake Forest (Wake County) as summarized below:

Date	Acreage	Sales Price	Purchaser	Location of Property
Nov. 27, 1885	21 Acres	\$ 215	W.T. Rochell	Adjacent to Hockaday property.
Dec. 31, 1885	13 1/8 Acres	\$ 113	George W. Ray	Adjoining lands of Rochell.
Jan. 27, 1900	151 Acres 185 1/8	\$ 750	Trustees of Wake Forest College	Adjoining lands of Buckner Ray (A.C. Ray's deceased father) on the banks of Crooked Creek

The three properties described above comprise the 185 acre tract that Von Ray and his wife, Florence, acquired in 1881 for \$1,600. The combined sales price for the three parcels was \$1,078. (Thirty three percent less than the purchase price.) The main campus of Wake Forest University is now located in Winston-Salem, N.C. The former Wake Forest College that purchased land from Von Ray in 1900 is now the Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary. The seminary is located on a fifty acre tract with various outparcels.

During their 30 year marriage, Von Ray and his first wife, Ella Florence Gill Ray, had thirteen children (11 sons and 2 daughters), but only five lived to be adults. Florence Lewis recalls her father (Acie Ray) telling her that four of his brothers died young. Drowning in the Neuse River, fire, poison, and a gunshot wound in a hunting accident were the causes of death. Several sons died at birth. The 1890 census for the entire United States was destroyed in a warehouse fire. This loss is a major obstacle in researching families in the latter part of the 19th century. Florence Gill Ray died in 1910 or 1911 at the age of only 51 or 52.

On December 11, 1911, a license was issued for the marriage of Von Ray (age 56) and Nannie A. O'Briant (age 25). On the morning of the wedding day, Von dressed and traveled north about five miles to Nannie's home in Creedmoor, N.C. Instead of proceeding with the ceremony, Nannie informed Von that because of an ominous dream she was canceling the wedding. Nannie never married.

On January 6, 1914, Von Ray (age 58) married Alma G. Harrison (age 35) of Neuse, North Carolina. A Baptist Minister, C.H. Hutchinson, performed the ceremony in his home. There were three witnesses at the wedding: Bessie B. Ray, Bessie A. Piper, and Minnie A. Thompson. A copy of this marriage license is reproduced on page 7.

HORSE CREEK → NEUSE RIVER - WAKE CO, NC

From: The Ray Family of Wake Co, NC By W^m Carroll Ray
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One of Seven Ray Families on the 1790 census of
Wake Co, NC

4. Luke Ray

Luke married twice, had at least seven children, and he died in 1810. The name of Luke's first wife is unknown. Luke married his second wife, Ruthy Cape, on January 9, 1804. The names of seven of his children are:

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|--|---|
| 1. James Ray | 5. Beddy Ray (married John Harrison
Jan. 1, 1823) |
| 2. Polly Ray (married Isham Davis Nov. 9, 1819) | 6. Winnafred Ray (married Joseph Davis
Nov. 1, 1825) |
| 3. John Ray (married Fanny Little Feb. 15, 1813) | 7. Charles Ray |
| 4. Rachel Ray | |

When Luke died in 1810, he left five infant children (John, Rachel, Beddy, Winnafred and Charles). Luke Ray is first mentioned in the Wake County Court records when he purchased land on February 3, 1778 so he was also born prior to 1757. Although this is the earliest surviving record of our Ray ancestors owning property in Wake County, there were probably earlier deeds that were destroyed by the 1832 fire in the Register's office. The 1781 Wake County Tax List (Captain Robert High's District) shows Luke Ray as the owner of 100 acres, 4 horses and 12 cattle valued at 116 pounds. On March 4, 1783, Luke acquired by grant 158 acres on the north side of the Neuse River. On November 16, 1791 by State Grant #1103 Luke Ray acquired 150 acres on the north side of the Neuse River and on both sides of Horse Creek adjacent to Stafford's Corner, Cedar Hill and a small path. The 1799 Wake County Tax List shows Luke Ray as the owner of 300 acres and 4 slaves.

Luke and Joseph are thought to be sons of Francis and Rachel Ray. They both named daughters Rachel, an indication that their mother's name was Rachel.

Luke's widow, Ruth, remarried Buckner Nipper (Knipper) by bond dated December 31, 1810.

INDIAN BRANCH - WAKE CO., NC

○ Wake Co., NC Heritage Book - 1983

WILLIAM YEATES (YATES)

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William Yeates (The name was changed to Yates in later generations) was born 1727 and according to several DAR membership applications his birth took place in Virginia, although I have found no substantiating evidence of this. He died testate in Wake County in 1808. He married, perhaps in N.C., 1748 Mary — who was born 1732 in N.C. She may have been Mary Tapp as William Tapp of Culpeper Co., Va. names daughter Mary Yates (wife of William) in his will.

William served in the Revolutionary War as a private in McRee's Company from N.C.

On 5 June 1784 William Yeates purchased 490 acres in Wake County for 100 pounds

(proclamation money) from Absalom Harwood. This land was on the "Indian Branch waters of New Hope." This same date he purchased in Chatham County 600 acres for 100 pounds from Absalom Harwood. This must have been the same tract, extending through both counties.

In 1792 a deed in Chatham County regarding land sold by "William Yeats Sener of Wake County" to "William Yeats Juner of Chatham County" shows that William, Jr. paid 50 pounds for 280 acres. Lewis Wimberly, William's son-in-law, was listed as a witness on this deed. William signed with his mark. This same year William bought land from John Harwood who was perhaps another son-in-law.

On 17 Mar 1807 William sold 300 acres of land to Alsey Yeats "in the county of Wake and Chatham ... on the Indian Branch of New Hope" for 100 pounds current money. This land was bounded on part by land belonging to William Yeats, Jr. and also by land belonging to Matthew Yeats.

I. WILLIAM YATES, SR (AKA
WILLIAM YEATES)
b 1727 (VA) d 1808
(Wake Co., NC) m'd
1748 (PROB. NC)
MARY -- b 1732 [Possibly
MARY TAPP D/o Wm TAPP]

5 JUN 1784 bought from
ABSALOM HARWOOD 490 A
in Wake Co., NC on
Indian Branch of New
Hope Creek & 600 A
in Chatham Co., NC.

Wm Yates, Sr in 1792 sold 280 A to Wm
Yates, Jr in Chatham Co., NC. Wm Yates,
Sr on 17 MAR 1807 sold 300 A to
ALESY YEATES IN WAKE / CHATHAM

B. William Yates, Jr b 1762 (Wake Co., NC) d 1850 or 1827 (Montgomery Co., GA)
m'd 7 NOV 1793 (NC) Mary Wimberly b 1764/65 (NC) d 1856 (GA) d/o Lewis
Wimberly & Martha Barbee

C. Sally Yates; D. Margaret Yates m'd (BERTUS U [BURTIS U S/]
E. Patry Yates [Prob "Martha" but Hennerrite in will NATAN U, I]
m'd Wm Babb & moved to Oglethorpe Co., GA

F. John Yates; G. Elizabeth Yates m'd (GREGORY); H. Mildred Yates
m'd (- - HARWOOD); I. CRECT Yates (CRISSEY) m'd (- - STRICKLAND);

J. Jethro Yates m'd (Nancy Harwood); K. ALSY Yates m'd (Cynthia Malone); L Mary Yates m'd (- - BEASLEY);
(13) M. Savannah Yates - BY MRS PATRICK A. YATES

STREAM FILE: INDIAN BRANCH & NEW HOPE RIVER - SAID TO BE IN
WAKE CO., NC BUT CROSSFILE CHATHAM CO., NC

I regret that I have been unable to learn anything of a personal nature about William Yates. He most certainly was a planter. He and Mary had thirteen children:

1. Matthew, b. 1760 or 1773, d. 1830 or 1837, m. 7 Nov. 1793 Elizabeth Wimberly (d. 1806), m. 2 Wake Co., N.C. 1807 Elizabeth Baucom (b. 1783, d. 1830/39). 2. William, b. Wake Co. 1762, d. Montgomery Co., Ga. 1850 (or 1827) intestate, m. N.C. 7 Nov. 1793 Mary Wimberly (b. N.C. 1764/5, d. Ga. 1856), daughter of Lewis and Martha (Barbee) Wimberly. 3. Sally. 4. Margaret, m. Bertus Upchurch.

Patsey (probably Martha, but apparently referred to as "Hennerrite" in her father's will), m. William Babb and moved to Oglethorpe County, Ga. 6. John. 7. Elizabeth, m. — Gregory. 8. Mildred, m. — Harwood. 9. Crecy or Crissey, m. — Strickland. 10. Jethro, m. Nancy Harwood. 11. Alsy, m. Cynthia Malone. 12. Mary, m. — Beasley. 13. Susannah.

Sources: DAR membership applications, the wills of William Yeats, William Tapp and Lewis Wimberly, Wake County deeds and grantee-grantor index, Chatham County deeds and grantee-grantor index, *A Country Boy Used by the Lord* by O.W. Yates, National Archives military record for William Yates, *A Supplement to A Study of the Barbee Families of Chatham, Orange and Wake Counties in N.C.* compiled by Kathryn Crossley Stone, 1976, and *Pioneers of Wiregrass Georgia* by Folks Huxford.

— Mrs. Patrick A. Yates

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SEAMORE BRANCH - SWIFT CREEK TSP, WAKE CO, NC
WAKE CO, NC DEED BOOK 56 PG 40
DEED MADE 3 OCT 1879

WILLIAM GEORGE II & WIFE sell to BRYANT SMITH
212 ACRES ON AVEN FERRY ROAD - Number of acres
seem to place this tract in RAMCAT - 5 miles S of Raleigh's
Adjoin^s land of THE WOODALLS [TINED J. WOODALLS &
ALFRED JONES, deceased.

Woodall's ^{NE} corner with his line $88^{\circ}W$ $99\frac{4}{5}$ poles to a
stake on N side of old trail (?) Rd in fence line.
thence with this line (?) $18^{\circ}E$ $95\frac{3}{5}$ poles to a stake in
SEAMORE's Branch thence down the same $52\frac{1}{2}$ poles
to a postas on the N side thence $N(?) 3^{\circ} E$ 50 poles
to a stake, thence $E 129\frac{2}{3}$ poles to a stake in the
line of the FRANKLIN (?) Trail thence $S 3\frac{1}{4}^{\circ}W$ 178
poles to a stake & back thence to E corners of the
COPELAND Tract thence $1\frac{3}{4}^{\circ}N$ $58\frac{4}{5}$ poles to center
of the AVEN FERRY RD thence along the same $81\frac{3}{4}^{\circ}$
 W 93 poles to MR MULLINS line thence $N 134^{\circ}E$ 73
poles to the beginning containing 212 acres - 2 Roads
& 23 ?

Certified Charles D. II Clerk of Superior Court & Probate Judge
Signed 4 OCT 1879 W. W. WHITE, Register of Deeds
- Wake Co, NC

NOTE: The location of this 212 acre relative to other landmarks found
in RAMCAT is not exactly clear but it has to be
in the general area - RPA

SWIFT CREEK - SWIFT CREEK TSP, WAKE CO, NC

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BEAVERDAM CREEK - WAKE CO, NC

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After CTH
d. in 1862

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Josiah Julian
Norton b 8 JUL
1842 d 1 AUG
1937 ()
MD 17 FEB 1894

Annie Glenn Jones

↳ Julian Rupert Norton
b 19 SEP 1897 () d

17 SEP 1937 MD

Mary Maline Herndon

Dorothy Herndon Norton b 18 JAN 1925

HAIRSNPE CREEK
LEESVILLE TSP
WAKE CO, NC

○ MAP OF [△] LEESVILLE TOWNSHIP DATED 1914 OBTAINED 19 DEC 2005
BY RPU FROM WAKE CO, NC REGISTER OF DEEDS OFFICE -
TWO PARTS E-1 & E-2 - FILED - WAKE CO, NC - PROPERTY MAPS

NOTE: The maps show 19 square miles but all area seems to
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House Creek & Cedar Fork - Must have been cut from them - RPU

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 UPPER BARTON'S CREEK }

RAY'S CROSS-ROADS [ROBERT IVERSON RAY HOME]

SOAPSTONE CHURCH

BETHEL CHURCH [NEW BETHEL CHURCH]

RAY'S STORE [ROGERS STORE]

△ JOE BAILEY

△ POOLS

E-2 △ SYCAMORE CREEK

△ EBENEZER CHURCH

△ S. H. SMITH

△ W. T. SMITH

△ TURKEY CREEK

△ CARLTON

△ L. MOORE

△ Hairsnpe Creek

△ CHARLES KING

△ GRISSOM

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SWIFT CREEK
WAKE CO, NC

○ PLAT IN 1919 OF LAND OF J. L. SORRELL ON SWIFT CREEK
IN WAKE CO, NC - OBTAINED BY RPU 19 DEC 2005 FROM
REGISTER OF DEEDS OFFICE - WAKE CO, NC - PLACED
IN GEOGRAPHICAL FILE - PROPERTY MAPS - WAKE CO, NC
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T. J. FRANKS

J. D. CENTER

S. R. LEE

C. H. STEVENSON

J. N. FRANKS

DUTCHMAN'S BRANCH

SWIFT CREEK ↑

DUTCHMAN'S BRANCH OF SWIFT CREEK
- WAKE CO, NC

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WOLF CREEK - RALEIGH - WAKE CO, NC

○ SHAFFER'S MAP OF RALEIGH, NC - 1881 - Obtained by
RPL 19 DEC 2005 from Wake Co, NC Register of Deeds
Office - Placed in Geographical File - Wake Co, NC
Property Maps A-1 → A-14 BY A.W. SHAFFER, C.E. - Note
that many lots have other names on them - Yellow
Highlight = Extracted. - EXTRACTS BELOW FROM SHEET A-2

GENERAL AREA: (WEST RALEIGH)

T. P. DEVEREUX

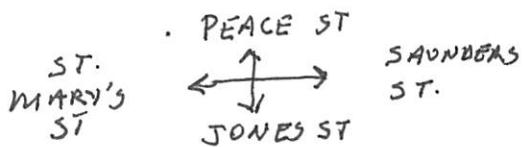
JOHN W. HINSDALE

J. DEVEREUX, JR

R. S. TUCKER

BRADLEY T. JOHNSON

WOLF CREEK (OR BRANCH)



WILLOW BROOK - RALEIGH-
WAKE CO, NC

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GENERAL AREA: FAR NE RALEIGH - OAKWOOD CEM

J. M. HECK

S. P. GILL

W. B. BACHE

KEMP P. BATTLE

H. J. MENNINGER

JOHN E. C. SMEDES (REV)

WILLOW BROOK (STREAM)

ROCKY BRANCH - RALEIGH
WAKE CO., NC

EUGENE GRISSOM, LLD
(Super. Day Nite)

F. T. FULLER, M.D.

13 DEC 1973 13 BANC 14

ROCKY MOUNTAIN

MOCCLASIN CREEK - WAKE CO., NC

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DEED

Nathan Massey to Abel Upchurch 1-27-1812 - 250 A (JOINS 75 A ABEL U, SR BROUGHT 13 OCT 1801)

This Indenture made this 27 day of January in the year of Our lord 1812 between Nathan Massey of the County of Wake and State of North Carolina of the one part and Abel Upchurch of the County and State aforesaid of the other part Witnesseth that the said Nathan Massey for and in consideration of the sum of One Thousand Dollars to me in hand Paid the Receipt whereof I do hereby acknowledge that I have bargained sold unto the said Abel Upchurch a certain tract or parcel of Land in the County aforesaid on the waters of Mockerson Creek Beginning (sic) at a post oak in James Bolton Senr line thence South along his line to a corner Black Jack thence East along his line to Asah Masseys line the said Mockerson Creek thence up the Creek the main Run to Abel Upchurches own line thence his own line to the first Station containing 250 acres be the Same more or less to have and to hold the aforesaid Land and premises with all the woods mines minerals or anything thereunto belonging or appertaining and I the said Nathan Massey for me my heirs Executors and Administrators the said Land and premises will warrant and forever defend unto the said Abel Upchurch him his heirs Executors and Administrators and assigns forever against the claims of all persons whatsoever In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hands and seal the day and year above written

Signed Sealed and Delivered
in presence of us

Nathan Massey (seal)

Attest Cade Bunn Jurat Wake County February Term 1818
John Chamlee
Reddick Massey

The within Deed as in open Court duly proven by the oath of Cade Bunn a witness thereto
and Ordered to be Registered

B.S. King C Clk

Registered in the Registers office of Wake County in Book No. 2 and Page 80 the 11th day of April 1818.

R Smith Reg

CROSSFILE

- △ Nathan Massey
 - △ B. S. King, cc
 - △ Wm Co, NC Reed
 - △ R. H. St. L.
 - △ R. Smith, Reg
 - △ Moccasin Creek ↑
 - △ Farmer Bolton, Sr
 - △ Ara Massey
 - △ Cade Burn
 - △ John Chamberlain
 - △ Reddick Massey

MOCCASIN CREEK - WAKE CO, NC

O "Massey Wake Co, N.C. Records" By Carla Tate 2004 Pg 28,29

DEED

CROSS FILE: △ Sherrod Bryant
 △ Nathan Massey Martin
 △ Abel U. S.
 △ William Ray △ Nathan XU
 △ S. Turner, A

Nathan Massey to Abel Upchurch 10-13-1801 - 75 A

This Indenture made this thirteenth day of October in the year of Our Lord one thousand Eight Hundred and one, Between Nathan Massey of the one part, of Wake County & State of North Carolina and Abel Upchurch of Franklin County & State aforesaid, witnesseth that the sd Nathan Massey for divers goods and consideration of him hereunto moving but more Especially for and in consideration, hath granted bargained conveyed and confirmed & by these for himself his Heirs Exrs Admr and Assigns doth grant bargain convey & forever confirm, unto him the said Abel Upchurch his Heirs and Assigns one certain tract or parcel of Land lying and being in Wake County containing by Estimation Seventy five acres of Land be the same more or less Situated, on the South side Mokerson Creek and is bounded as follows beginning at a pine tree upon the bill on North side of my Spring branch in William Rays line thence along a line of marked trees through an old field called the Hanted (sic) Old field to the head of a bottom at two post oaks thence down the said bottom to the said Spring branch thence down the said Branch to the creek thence up the Creek to the Line, thence West to a Corner upon the said Rays line thence south along that line to the first station with the use woods ways waters, To have and to hold the said Land and premises to the sd Abel Upchurch his Heirs and assigns forever without the Least Suit or trouble molestation of him the said Nathan Massey his Heirs or assigns or any other person or persons whatever [begin p. 308] and the said Nathan Massey doth promise and Ingage (sic) for himself that he is at the time of the sealing these presents the true soil (sic) and proper owner of the sd land and that he hath in himself Good and Lawful authority to Grant Bargain Convey and forever confirm to him the said Abel Upchurch his heirs and assigns and that the sd Abel Upchurch shall Enter into have hold possess and enjoy the sd Lane with their and Every of their appurtenances free and clear from all manner of Incumberances whatever the Acquittance which shall Become due hereafter only Excepted, and the sd Nathan Massey doth further and engage to warrant and Defend the title of the sd Land to him the sd Abel Upchurch his Heirs and assigns free from the Lawful demand of him the sd Nathan Massey his Heirs Exrs Admrs or assigns, or any other person whatever and that at the Reasonable Request of him the said Abel Upchurch his Heirs and Assigns shall advise Devise: or Require In witness hereunto the Nathan Massey has set his Hand and Seal this Day and year above written –

Signed in the presence of

Sherrod Bryant Martin Jurat

his

Nathan X Upchurch

mark

Nathan Massey (seal)

Wake County

February Sessions 1803

The within Deed was in Open Court duly proved by the oath of Sherrod Bryant Martin a subscribing witness thereto and Ordered to be registered

S. Turner CC

Registered in the Registers office of Wake County in Book R and page 387 the 13th April 1803

Examd ___ Lane

Willis Hinton Reqr

Moccasin Creek

LITTLE BEAVER DAM CREEK - WAKE CO, NC

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DEED

Richard Massey to James Bolton Sr. 12-4-1784 • 150 A (original Grant 29 MAR 1780)

This Indenture made this fourth day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand Seven hundred and eighty four Between Richard Massey of Wake County and State of North Carolina planter of the one part and James Bolton Senr of the same county and Province planter of the other part Witnesseth that the said Richard Massey agreed that the said James Bolton Senr should join in Partnership and pay his equal part for saving a certain Tract of woodlant (sic) land in the aforesaid county the receipt whereof acknow-ledge and himself fully Satisfy hath granted bargained conveyed and confirmed and by these presents doth grant and convey unto unto (sic) the said Jas Bolton [begin p. 256] A certain tract of land lying and being in the County and State aforesaid it being granted to the said Rich. Massey by the authority of the State aforesaid as by grant doth appear bearing date the 29th day of March and in the fourth year of our Independance (sic) and in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and eighty it being on the South side of Mockason Creek beginning on a maple in the said creek thence up said branch to little beverdam branch thence said branch to the line thence the line East to the said creek at the Beginning containing one hundred and fifty acres of Land be the same more or less Now presents Witnesseth that the said Richard Massey agreeable to the Contract first above mentioned have granted and confirmed and by these Presents do grant and confirm unto the said James Bolton his heirs and assigns forever all that Tract or parcell (sic) of land mentioned and described with the appurtenances and the Reversions (sic) Remainders and Services Issues and Profits and all the said hereditaments and premises hereby Mentioned or intended to be granted and with every part and parcell (sic) thereof with all Commodities and advantages to the Same or any part thereof To have and to hold [begin p. 257] The said tract or parcell (sic) of land and Premises hereby granted and confirmed with every appurtenances unto the said James Bolton his heirs and assigns forever to their only proper use and the sd Richard Massey for his heirs and assigns do hereby grant to the said James Bolton his heirs and assigns that the said tract of land and Premises is free from all Incumberments the the (sic) Quitrance (sic) which Shall become due after the date hereof only Excepted. In Witness hereof I have set my hand and affixed my seal day and year first above written

Signed Sealed and
Delivered in presence of us

James Crudup
Federick (sic) Smith
Benjamin Upchurch

Richard Massey

Wake County

Dec Term 1784

In Execution of the within deed was Duly proved by the oath of Benjamin Upchurch a
Witness thereto and ordered to be Registered

H Lane Ct Clerk

CROSS FILE:

△ Richard Massey
△ James Bolton, Sr
△ James Crudup

Frederick Smith
△ Benjamin U
△ H. Lane CC

△ Wake Co, NC Deeds
△ Moccasin Creek
△ Little Beaversdass Branch

MOCCASIN CREEK - WAKE CO, NC

O "Massey Wake Co, NC Records" By Carla Tate 2004 Pg 6, 7

DEED

James Bolton to Hezekiah Massey 12-4-1784 - 1cc A (original Grant 29 MAR 1780)

This Indenture made the four (sic) of December in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and eighty four Between James Bolton of Wake County and State of North Carolina Planter of the one part and Hezekiah Massey of the Same County and Province Planter of the other part Witnesseth that the said James Bolter (sic) for and in consideration of the Sum Eight pounds Specie to him in hand paid the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged and himself Satisfyed (sic) hath granted bargained Sold conveyed and confirmed and by these presents doth grant bargain sell and Confirm unto the said Hezekiah Massey a certain of land situate lying and being in the County aforesaid it being granted to the said James Bolton by the authority of the

State aforesaid as by his grant doth appear bearing date the Twenty ninth day of March in the fourth year of our Independence and in the year of Lord 1780 the said land lying on the South side of Rockey Branch a Stream of Mockason Creek beginning on a Hicory (sic) running East to a pine thence West to the line on a pine thence South to the first Station Containing one Hundred acres of land be the same more or less Now this Presents Witnesseth that the Said James Balten (sic) for and in Consideration off (sic) the Sum above Said have granted bargained Sold and Confirmed and by this presents do grant bargain sell unto the said Hezekiah Massey his heirs and assigns forever all that tract or parcell (sic) of land Mentioned with all appurtenances and the Remainders rents and services Issues profits and all the said Hereditaments and Premises hereby mentioned or Intended to be hereby granted and with every part and parcell (sic) thereof with all Commodities and advantages to the same To have and to Hold the said tract or parcell (sic) of Land and Premises hereby granted Bargained and Sold unto the said Hezekiah Massey his heirs and assigns forever to their only proper use and the said James Bolton his heirs and assigns do hereby covenant and grant unto Hezekiah Massey his heirs and assigns all that tract or parcell (sic) of land clear from all Incumberments whatsoever the Quittance (sic) which shall become du (sic) due after the date hereof only Excepted In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Seal the day and year first above written

assigned Sealed and
delivered in presence
of us

Benjamin Upchurch
Josiah Crudup
Federick (sic) Smith

[begin p. 234] Wake County

James Bolton
[no mark or signature]

Dec Term 1784

Then was the within deed in open Court duly proved by the Oath of Benjamin Upchurch a Witness thereto and ordered to be Registered

Henry Lane Clerk Co

Registered in the Registers office office (sic) of Wake County in book F and page 232 this 3d day of Octr 1785

Exam. By Rd Hinton

James Hinton Regr

CROSSFILE:
 △ JAMES BOLTON
 △ Hezekiah Massey
 △ Benjamin Upchurch
 △ Josiah Crudup
 △ Federick Smith
 △ Richard Ninten
 △ James Hunter
 CC
 △ Wake Co, NC
 Deeds
 △ Rockey Branch
 △ Moccasin Creek
 △ Henry Lane, CL

MOCASIN CREEK - WAKE CO, NC

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Richard Massey

Wake County

Dec Term 1784

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LITTLE BEAVER DAM BRANCH - WAKE CO, NC

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DEED *✓ STARTS WITH LAND GRANT TO RICHARD MASSEY & AT SAME TIME
RICHARD SELLS TO BENJAMIN BUNN*

State of NC to Richard Masey 3-29-1780 - 4b7 A

To the said Richard Massey by the authority of the State aforesaid as by his grant doth appear bearing dated 29th day of March in the fourth year of our Independence and in the year 1780 the said Land lying on the South side of Mockason Creek Beginning at a Maple on said creek thence West two hundred and Twenty pole to a black Oak in Butlers line thence South 380 pole to a pine thence East to little Bever (sic) dam branch down said branch to said creek thence up said Creek to the first Station Containing four Hundred and Sixty seven acres of land be the same more or less Now this presents Witness that the said Richard Massey have granted bargained sold and confirmed and by these presents doth grant Bargain sell and confirm unto the said Benjamin Bunn his heirs and assigns forever all that tract or parcell (sic) of land herein Mentioned with the appurtenances and the Revertions (sic) and Remainders rents and Leases Issues profits and all the said Hereditaments and Premises hereby Intended to be granted and with every part and parcell (sic) thereof and with all Commodities and advantages to the Same or any part thereof Intended Concerning or appertaining to said Land To Have and to hold the said Tract or Parcell (sic) of Land and Premises hereby granted bargained and sold unto the said Benjamin Bunn his heirs and assigns forever to their only proper use and the said Richard Massey for himself his heirs and Hereby Covenant and grant the said Benjamin Bunn his heirs and assigns all that tract or parcell (sic) of Land and premises free and clear freely and clearly from all Incumberments whatsoever the Quirents what Shall become due for the same after the date hereof only Excepted. In Witness hereof I have set my hand and fixed my seal day & year first above Written

assigned Sealed Sealed (sic) and
Delivered in presence of us

James Bolton
Josiah Crudup
Benjamin Upchurch

his
Richard R. Massey
mark

Wake County

Dec Term 1784

Then was the Execution of the within deed in open Court duly proved by the Oath of
Benjamin Upchurch a Witness thereto and ordered to be Registered

Henry Henry (sic) Lane CC

Registered in the Registers office of Wake County in Book F and page 234 this 4th Octr 1785

Exam. By Richard Hinton

Jas Hinton Regr

CROSSFILE:

- △ Richard Massey
- △ Benjamin U
- △ Wake Co, NC Deeds
- △ Benjamin Bunn
- △ Richard Hinton, Examiner
- △ Mockasin Creek
- △ James Hinton, Reg
- △ Little Beaver Dam Branch
- △ Josiah Crudup
- △ Henry Henry Lane CC

MOCCASIN CREEK - WAKE CO, NC

① "Masey Wake Co, NC Records" By Carla Tate 2004 Pg 4, 5

DEED

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RICHARD SELLS TO BENJAMIN BUNN

State of NC to Richard Masey 3-29-1780 - 4b7 A

To the said Richard Massey by the authority of the State aforesaid as by his grant doth appear bearing dated 29th day of March in the fourth year of our Independence and in the year 1780 the said Land lying on the South side of Mockason Creek Beginning at a Maple on said creek thence West two hundred and Twenty pole to a black Oak in Butlers line thence South 380 pole to a pine thence East to little Bever (sic) dam branch down said branch to said creek thence up said Creek to the first Station Containing four Hundred and Sixty seven acres of land be the same more or less Now this presents Witness that the said Richard Massey have granted bargained sold and confirmed and by these presents doth grant Bargain sell and confirm unto the said Benjamin Bunn his heirs and assigns forever all that tract or parcell (sic) of land herein Mentioned with the appurtenances and the Revertions (sic) and Remainders rents and Leases Issues profits and all the said Hereditaments and Premises hereby Intended to be granted and with every part and parcell (sic) thereof and with all Commodities and advantages to the Same or any part thereof Intended Concerning or appertaining to said Land To Have and to hold the said Tract or Parcell (sic) of Land and Premises hereby granted bargained and sold unto the said Benjamin Bunn his heirs and assigns forever to their only proper use and the said Richard Massey for himself his heirs and Hereby Covenant and grant the said Benjamin Bunn his heirs and assigns all that tract or parcell (sic) of Land and premises free and clear freely and clearly from all Incumberments whatsoever the Quitrents what Shall become due for the same after the date hereof only Excepted. In Witness hereof I have set my hand and fixed my seal day & year first above Written

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Jas Hinton Regr

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△ James Bolton
△ Josiah Crudup

△ Benjamin H.
△ Richard Hinton, Exam
△ James Hinton, Reg
△ Henry Henry Lane CC

△ Wake Co, NC Deeds
△ Moccasin Creek ↑
△ Little Beavers Dam Branches

MOCASIN CREEK - WAKE CO, NC

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DEED

Richard Massey to Benjamin Bunn 12/4/1784 - 467A - SAME AS 29 MAR 1780 LAND GRANT
TO RICHARD MASSEY

This Indenture Made this fourth day of December In the year of our Lord one thousand seven Hundred and Eighty Four between Richard Massey of Wake County and State of North Carolina a planter of the one part and Benjamin Bunn of the same County and Province planter of the other part Witnesseth that the said Richard Massey for and in consideration of the sum of fifty pound (sic) Specie to him in hand paid the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged and himself

Satisfied hath granted bargained and conveyed and Confirmed and by these presents confirm unto the said Benjamin Bunn one certain tract of land Situate lying in Wake County and State foreshaid being granted to the said Richard Massey by the [begin p. 235] authority of the State aforesaid as by his grant doth appear bearing 29th day of March in the year 1780 the said Land lying on the south side of mockason Creek Beginning at a maple on said creek thence West two hundred and Twenty pole (sic) to a pine thence East to little Beverdam branch thence down said branch to said creek thence up said creek to the first Station Containing four Hundred and Sixty seven acres of land in the same more or less Now this presents Witnesseth that the said Richard Massey have granted bargained sold and confirmed and by these presents doth grant Bargain sell and confirm unto the said Benjamin Bunn his heirs and assigns forever all that Tract or parcell (sic) of land herein Mentioned with the appurtenances and the Revertions (sic) and Remainders rents and Leases Issues profits and all the said Hereditaments and Premises hereby Intended to be granted and with every part and parcell (sic) thereof and with all Commodities and advantages to the Same or any part thereof Intended Concerning or appurtenances to said Land To Have and to hold the said Tract or Parcell (sic) [begin p. 236] of Land and Premises hereby granted bargained and sold unto the said Benjamin Bunn his heirs and assigns forever to their only proper use and the said Richard Massey for himself his heirs and Hereby Covenant and grant the said Benjamin Bunn his heirs and assigns all that tract or parcell (sic) of Land of and premises free and clear freely and clearly (sic) from all Incumberments whatsoever the Quittance (sic) what Shall become due for the same after the date hereof only Excepted. In Witness hereof I have set my hand and fixed my seal day & year first above Written

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Dec Term 1784

This was the Execution of the within deed in open Court duly proved by the oath of Benjamin Upchurch a Witness thereto and ordered to be Registered

Henry Henry (sic) Lane C C

Registered in the Registers office of Wake County in Book F and p. 234 this 4th Oct. 4 1785

Exam. By Richard Hinton

Jas Hinton, Regr

CROSSFILE:
Richard Massey
△ Benjamin Bunn
△ James Bolton
△ Josiah Crudup
△ Benjamin U
△ Richard Hinton
Examiner
△ James Hinton
Reg
△ Henry Henry
Lane, CC
Wake Co, NC
Deed
Little Beaver
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Mockason

LITTLE BEAVER DAM BRANCH - WAKE CO, NC

○ "Massey Wake Co, NC Records" By Carla Tate 2004 Pg 7, 8

DEED

Richard Massey to Benjamin Bunn 12/4/1784 - 467 A - SAME AS 29 MAR 1780 LAND GRANT
TO RICHARD MASSEY

This Indenture Made this fourth day of December In the year of our Lord one thousand seven Hundred and Eighty Four between Richard Massey of Wake County and State of North Carolina a planter of the one part and Benjamin Bunn of the same County and Province planter of the other part Witnesseth that the said Richard Massey for and in consideration of the sum of fifty pound (sic) Specie to him in hand paid the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged and himself

Satisfied hath granted bargained and conveyed and Confirmed and by these presents confirm unto the said Benjamin Bunn one certain tract of land Situate lying in Wake County and State foresaid being granted to the said Richard Massey by the [begin p. 235] authority of the State aforesaid as by his grant doth appear bearing 29th day of March in the year 1780 the said Land lying on the south side of mockason Creek Beginning at a maple on said creek thence West two hundred and Twenty pole (sic) to a pine thence East to little Beverdam branch thence down said branch to said creek thence up said creek to the first Station Containing four Hundred and Sixty seven acres of land in the same more or less Now this presents Witnesseth that the said Richard Massey have granted bargained sold and confirmed and by these presents doth grant Bargain sell and confirm unto the said Benjamin Bunn his heirs and assigns forever all that Tract or parcell (sic) of land herein Mentioned with the appurtenances and the Reversions (sic) and Remainders rents and Leases Issues profits and all the said Hereditaments and Premises hereby Intended to be granted and with every part and parcell (sic) thereof and with all Commodities and advantages to the Same or any part thereof Intended Concerning or appurtenances to said Land To Have and to hold the said Tract or Parcell (sic) [begin p. 236] of Land and Premises hereby granted bargained and sold unto the said Benjamin Bunn his heirs and assigns forever to their only proper use and the said Richard Massey for himself his heirs and Hereby Covenant and grant the said Benjamin Bunn his heirs and assigns all that tract or parcell (sic) of Land of and premises free and clear freely and clearly (sic) from all Incumberments whatsoever the Quitrance (sic) what Shall become due for the same after the date hereof only Excepted. In Witness hereof I have set my hand and fixed my seal day & year first above Written

assigned Sealed Sealed (sic) and
Delivered in presence of us

James Bolton
Josiah Crudup
Benjamin Upchurch

Wake County

his
Richard R Massey
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STREAM FILE
WAKE CO, NC

GREAT LICK CREEK
↳ RUNS INTO NUSEE RIVER

○ WAKE CO, NC HERITAGE BOOK - FAMILY #89

PGS 128, 129 - Re "ROBERT BELVIN" See Robert Belvin
Biopile for copy of Article.

This article covers a number of BELVIN family members who were Moravians who arrived in America in the 1600's. The relationships among them are not known. The article quickly moves to treat the family of Robert Belvin b abt 1725, he having obtained 521 acres from Henry McCulloch in Orange Co, NC about 15 miles from Hillsboro. This farm fell into the NW corner of Wake Co, NC on Great Lick Creek on Nusee River Watershed. Henry McCulloch, A Moravian, continued to hold adjoining land. Robert acquired more land before he died. The Brassfields came to NC (Granville & Wake counties) from VA about 1762. David Brassfield owned land adjoining Robert Belvin. This article by James Pete Belvin & Lynne (Lurita) Belvin.

I - Robert Belvin b abt 1725 d 1782 md (?) Priscilla --

WILL 1782:

↳ 100A & HOUSE ← A. John Belvin b abt 1750 - md Befor 1782

100A & HOUSE ← B. James Belvin b abt 1754 md 31 OCT 1776 (?) Frances Brassfield (1st of Wake; 3rd of Granville)

HOME PLACE
& 200A
ALATER
400A &
HOUSE AS
MINERS
↳ FIRST TO
PRISCILLA
20 SHRELLINGS ← C. Abraham Belvin b aft 1760 - md (1st) Susanna Brassfield
md (2nd) Rachel Goodwin

D. Nancy Belvin b aft 1760 - GM of Jane Caroline Grady
who was GM of RPH

E. Susanne Belvin b aft 1760

F. Mary Belvin md Before 1782(?) - - MOCKLT

STREAM FILE - WAKE CO, NC LONGFORD BRANCH
(RUNS INTO NEUSE RIVER PRESUMABLY FROM THE SOUTH)

- Worksheet to be placed in Various Biogits re:

DEED - WAKE CO, NC - BK 24 PG 553 12 FEB 1864

For \$1500 [△] Willis Thompson & [△] Buckner Ray sell
280 5/8 Acres on the Neuse River to WILLIAM UPLICHURCH
Deed Registered 7 AUG 1866

Wm U per the deed is a resident of
Raleigh, NC. RPW observes that
this is WILLIAM GEORGE U and
that this is the farm on which
his brother [△] BARTLEY JEFFERSON U
lived & farmed from mid/late 1860's
to early 1870's during which period
BJU met & married AURORA O RAY,
daughter of BUCKNER RAY. At this point

ADJOINS [W. H. GATES]

△ W. H. GATES
△ M. B. ALLEN
△ - - HEFLIN
△ - - TRUMAN

ON

△ LONGFORD BRANCH

WITNESSES

△ J. W. ROGERS
△ G. C. UPLICHURCH
△ [GEO. CLINTON U]

↓ Tentatively conclude that G. C. U is George Clinton U [s/o William
Clinton U, I] [Both of whom Wm. Geo. U had close relationship with]
- in spite of the fact that as of 12 FEB 1864 Geo. Clinton U
was only age 16 years 3 months.

O'Massey Wake Co, NC Records "By Carla Tate 2004 Pg 6,7

DEED

James Bolton to Hezekiah Massey 12-4-1784 - 100 A (original Grant 29 MAR 1780)

This Indenture made the four (sic) of December in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and eighty four Between James Bolton of Wake County and State of North Carolina Planter of the one part and Hezekiah Massey of the Same County and Province Planter of the other part Witnesseth that the said James Bolter (sic) for and in consideration of the Sum Eight pounds Specie to him in hand paid the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged and himself Satisfyed (sic) hath granted bargained Sold conveyed and confirmed and by these presents doth grant bargain sell and Confirm unto the said Hezekiah Massey a certain of land situate lying and being in the County aforesaid it being granted to the said James Bolton by the authority of the

State aforesaid as by his grant doth appear bearing date the Twenty ninth day of March in the fourth year of our Independence and in the year of Lord 1780 the said land lying on the South side of Rockey Branch a Stream of Mockason Creek beginning on a Hicory (sic) running East to a pine thence West to the line on a pine thence South to the first Station Containing one Hundred acres of land be the same more or less Now this Presents Witnesseth that the Said James Balten (sic) for and in Consideration off (sic) the Sum above Said have granted bargained Sold and Confirmed and by this presents do grant bargain sell unto the said Hezekiah Massey his heirs and assigns forever all that tract or parcell (sic) of land Mentioned with all appurtenances and the Remainders rents and services Issues profits and all the said Hereditaments and Premises hereby mentioned or Intended to be hereby granted and with every part and parcell (sic) thereof with all Commodities and advantages to the same To have and to Hold the said tract or parcell (sic) of Land and Premises hereby granted Bargained and Sold unto the said Hezekiah Massey his heirs and assigns forever to their only proper use and the said James Bolton his heirs and assigns do hereby covenant and grant unto Hezekiah Massey his heirs and assigns all that tract or parcell (sic) of land clear from all Incumberments whatsoever the Quittance (sic) which shall become du (sic) due after the date hereof only Excepted In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Seal the day and year first above written

assigned Sealed and
delivered in presence
of us

Benjamin Upchurch
Josiah Crudup
Federick (sic) Smith

[begin p. 234] Wake County

James Bolton
[no mark or signature]

Dec Term 1784

Then was the within deed in open Court duly proved by the Oath of Benjamin Upchurch a Witness thereto and ordered to be Registered

Henry Lane Clerk Co

Registered in the Registers office office (sic) of Wake County in book F and page 232 this 3d day of Octr 1785

Exam. By Rd Hinton

James Hinton Regr

CROSS FILE:
 △ JAMES BOLTON
 △ Hezekiah Massey
 △ Benjamin Upchurch
 △ Josiah Crudup
 △ Federick Smith
 △ Richard Ninten
 △ James Hunter
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 △ Rocky Branch
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 △ Henry Lane
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MOCCASIN CREEK

STREAM FILE
WAKE CO., NC

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THIS MAP SUPERCEDES A FORMER PLAT OF THE
SAME LAND AS SURVEYED BY J.D.TWITTY IN JUNE 1911.
THE FORMER PLAT HAVING BEEN IN GREAT ERROR
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SILAS LUCAS
FORMERLY THE
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SITUATED IN WAKE AND FRANKLIN,
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ROCKY BRANCH
STREAM FILE
LAKE CO., NC

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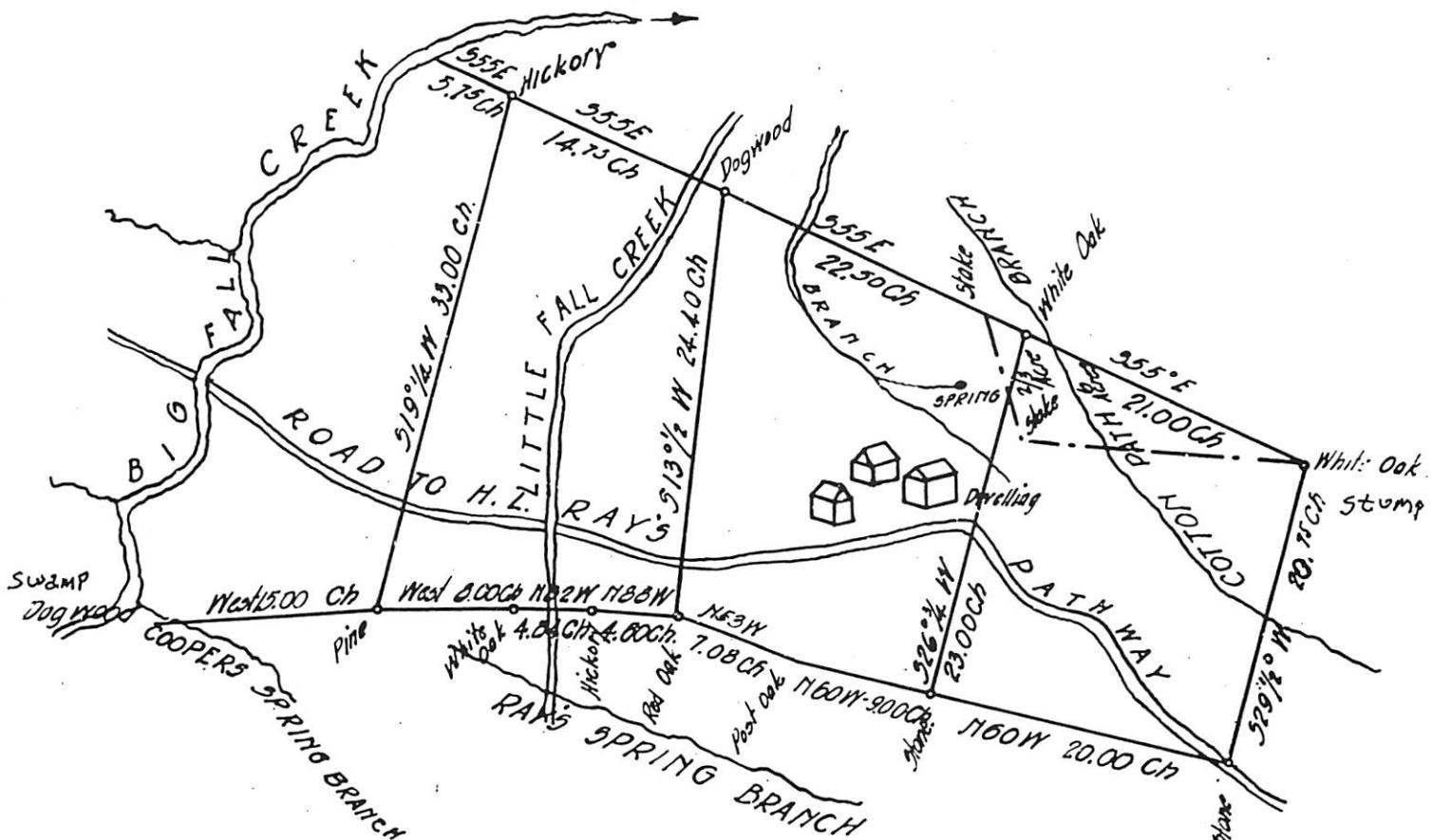
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CROSSFILE: BIG FALL CREEK

COOPER'S SPRING BRANCH
RAY'S SPRING BRANCH

COTTON PATIT BRANCH
LITTLE FALL CREEK
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JOHN E. RAY



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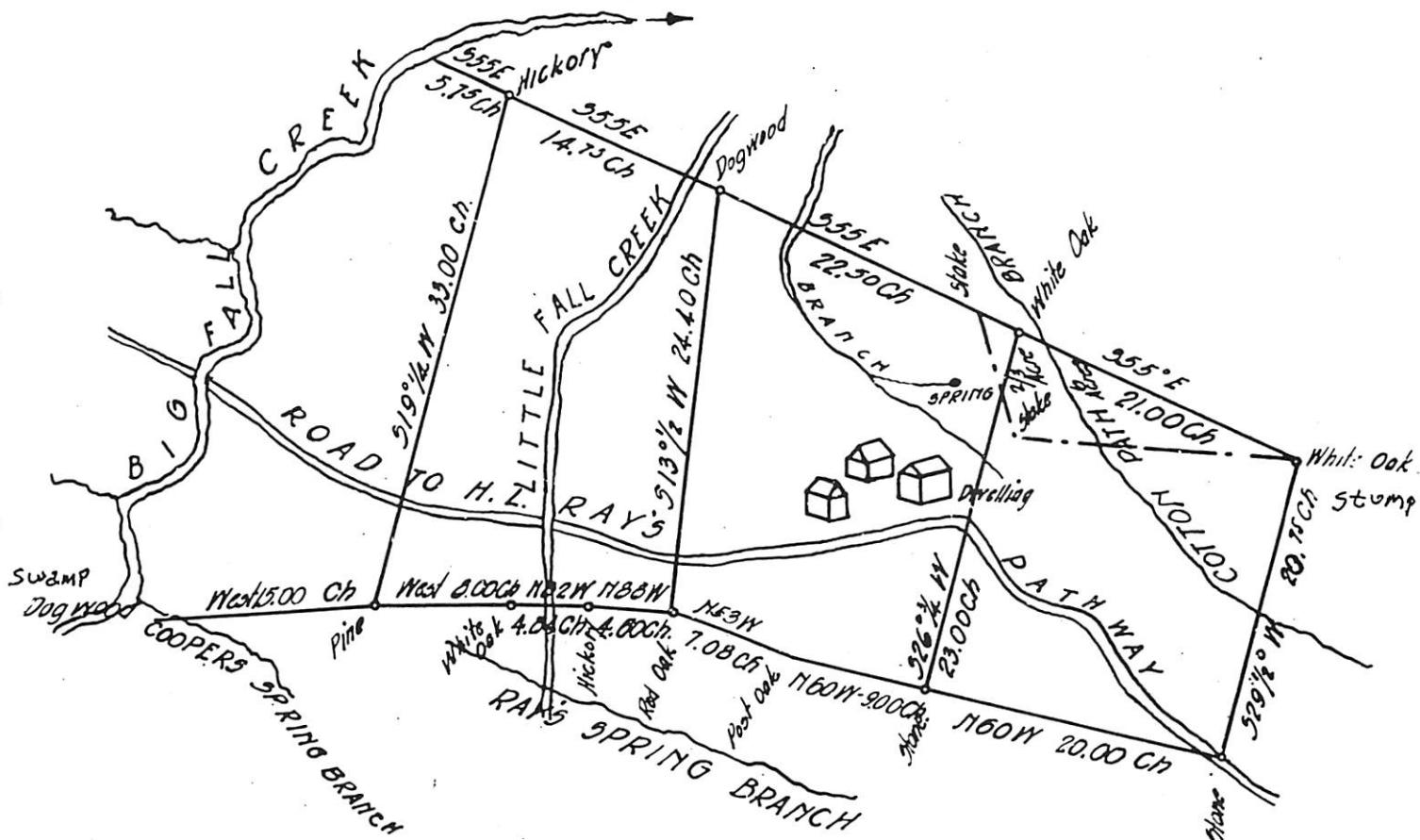
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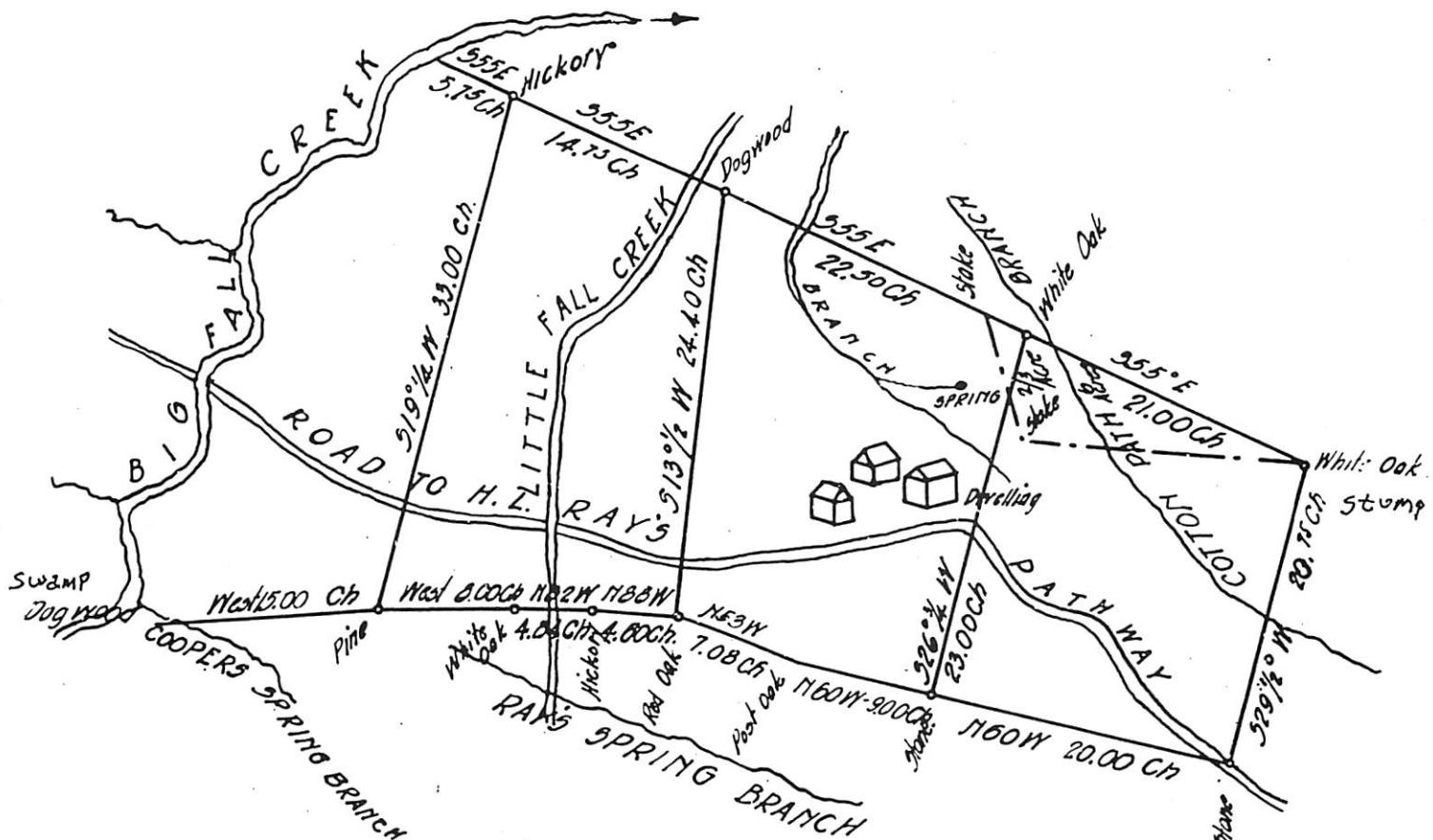
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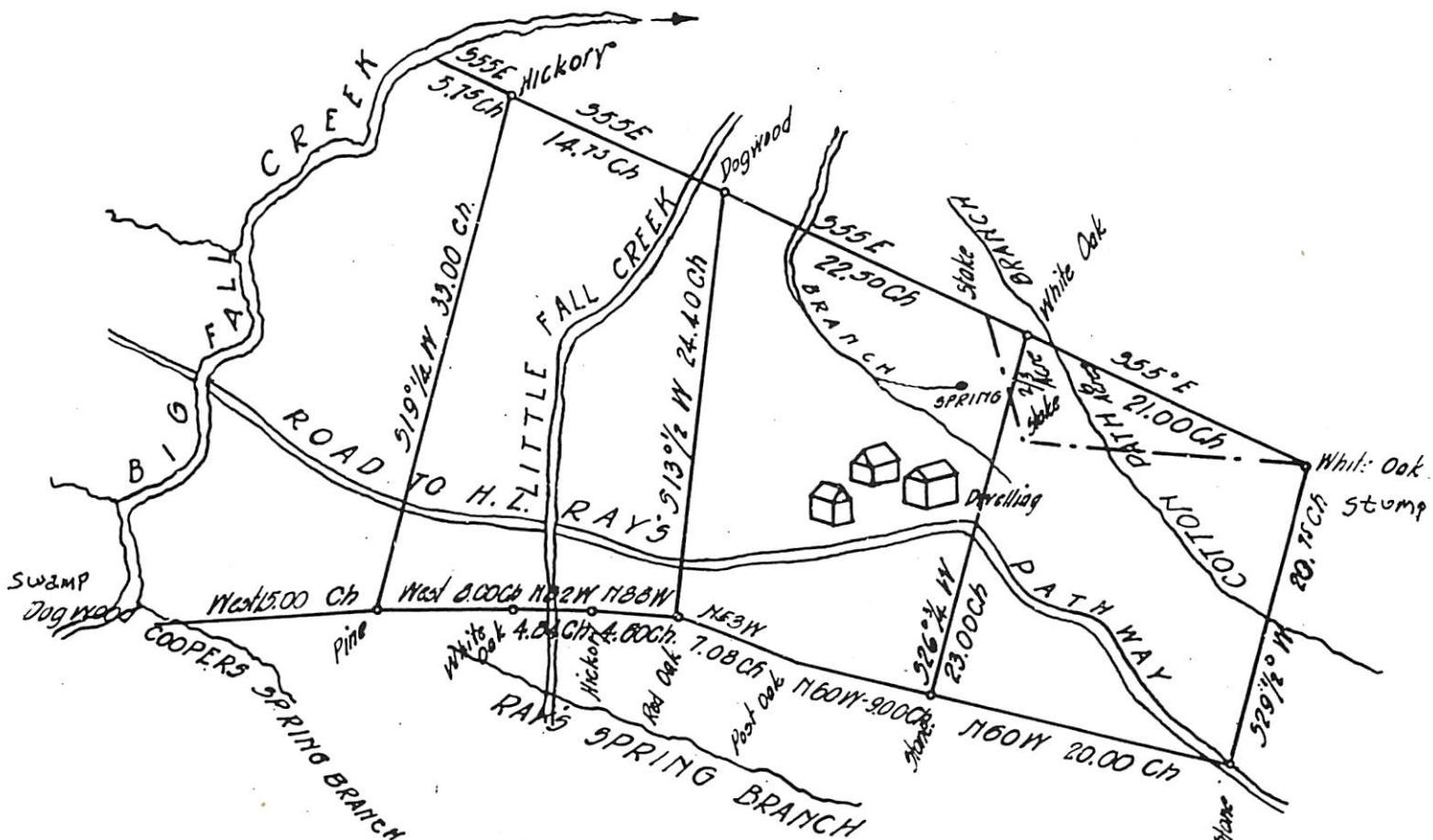
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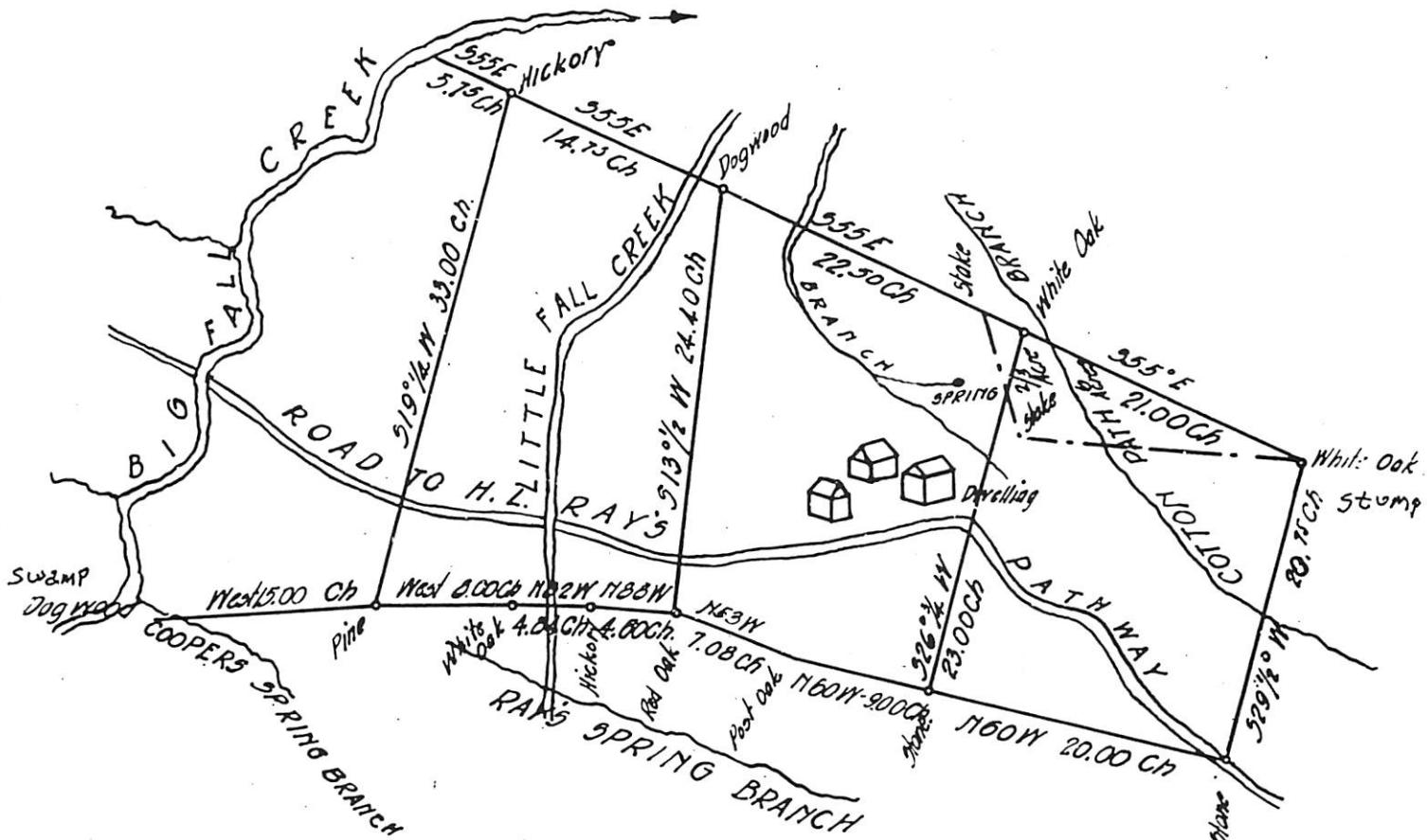
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LITTLE RIVER - WAKE CO, NC

Zebulon Record THUR 2 FEB 1995 Zebulon, NC

By DENA BOYETTE HEIGHT

Record Staff Writer

A reservoir for the Little River would provide the answer to Zebulon's water needs, but the town will not be able to take advantage of that plan for at least another 15 to 20 years.

Until then, it's important to keep the reservoir "on the agenda," announced Town Manager Charlie Horne at the Town Board's annual retreat.

Horne asked David Proper, who is with Wake County's Little River Reservoir Task Force, to speak with the Zebulon commissioners.

In Wake County, said Proper, the demand for water will exceed the current safe yield in less than 20 years. The Little River Reservoir will be the answer to some, but not all, of Wake County's water needs.

The reservoir will be located just slightly northwest of Zebulon, running almost parallel to N.C. 96 north of town. The county is currently in the process of acquiring the needed land for the reservoir, said Proper. He added that, so far, most of the property owners have been easy to work with. Luckily, he said, the reservoir does not run through any major residential subdivisions or heavily populated neighborhoods.

In order to acquire the funds to purchase the land, the towns that will be using the reservoir's

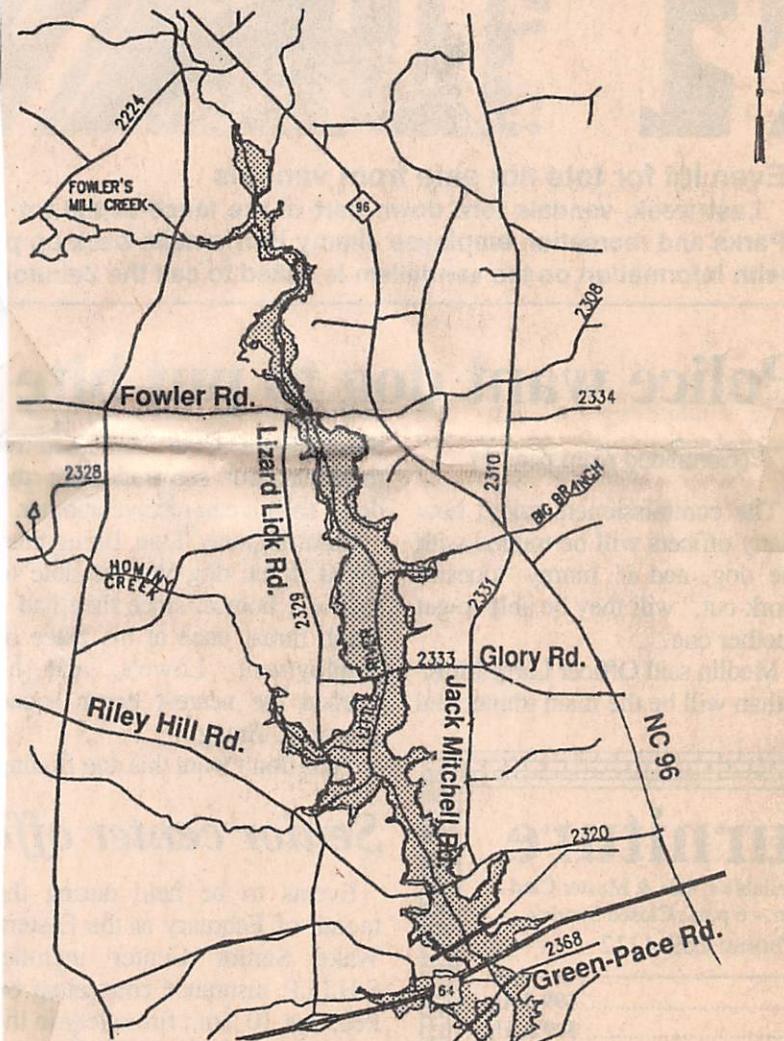
water are currently paying dues, and those are Zebulon, Knightdale, Wendell, Wake Forest, and Raleigh, along with the county.

Membership dues are \$20,000 a year. The task force will be placing the money into the bank until the land purchases begin. Proper said they will probably need somewhere around \$2 million to buy the reservoir property.

Not only will the reservoir serve

Reservoir is answer, but not this decade

Little River Reservoir



The reservoir plan would put the shaded area under water.

as a source of water for the county and nearby municipalities, but the surrounding area will be developed into a recreation park, he said. The wetland areas will also be preserved for a fish and wildlife habitat.

Since development of the reservoir is more than a decade away, Zebulon will have to find other solutions to its current water shortage problem. In the meantime, the town will continue to pay the annual dues.

LITTLE RIVER RESERVOIR, WAKE CO, NC

Zebulon Record THUR 17AUG1995 Zebulon, NC

Reservoir land amasses

The Little River Reservoir is slowly but surely becoming a reality.

Last week, Wake County commissioners approved the \$96,486 purchase of 37 acres of land belonging to Larry and Vivian Johnston, bringing the total land acquired so far for the reservoir to 110 acres.

About 1,500 acres will be needed for the Little River Reservoir, which is to be the eventual source of water and recreation for eastern Wake County and the region.

The reservoir would be constructed by damming the Little River about 1,500 feet north of the U.S. 64 bridge. The lake that forms would cover about 1,200 acres between Zebulon and Rolesville, bordered by U.S. 64 to the south, Lizard Lick Road to the west and N.C. 96 to the east, according to maps shown the commissioners.

The cost of acquiring the land has been preliminarily set in the

range of \$3.5 million, according to Doug Longhini, who oversees the reservoir project. The actual cost of the dam itself has been estimated at more than \$40 million, he added.

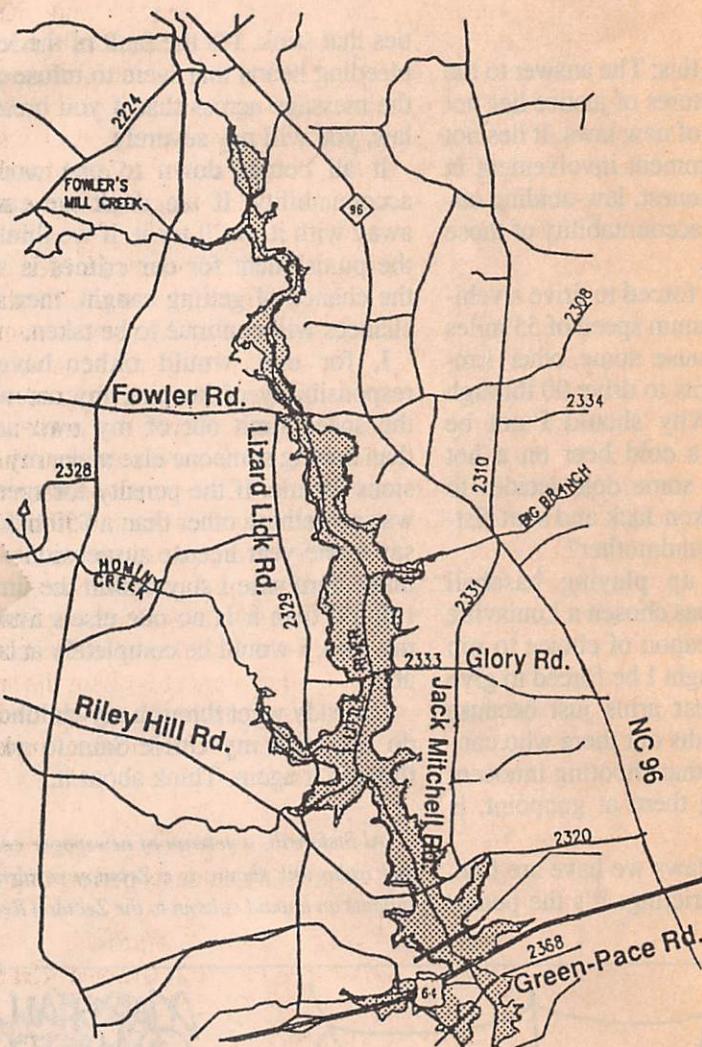
The project has a commitment from the towns of Knightdale, Raleigh, Wake Forest, Wendell and Zebulon for \$20,000 a year each for a 10-year period, beginning in the current fiscal year. Add that \$1 million to a \$2.5 million commitment from Wake County and \$2 million from a 1993 bond referendum, and the project has a budget of \$5.5 million.

Currently, Zebulon depends on the Little River as its water source. During dry summer months, the river level lowers and a higher concentration of manganese often gives town drinking water a brown tint. Zebulon customers are also occasionally asked to conserve water.

Knightdale and Wendell both buy their water from Raleigh.

The planned reservoir is seen as a needed water solution for eastern Wake County. Planners estimate that construction of the reservoir will be complete in about 15 to 20 years.

Little River Reservoir



The shaded areas indicate land that would be under water

The Zebulon Record THUR 16 JAN 1992 Zebulon, NC

Little River Reservoir nears Phase II

Task force learns of \$250,000 price tag for continuing project

By STUART OLIPHANT
Gold Leaf Farmer Staff Writer

Phase II of the Little River Reservoir Project will cost approximately \$250,000 and will take about nine months to complete, the Eastern Wake Reservoir Task Force found out Thursday at a meeting in Zebulon.

Whereas Phase I was a general, preliminary assessment of the impact that the Little River project would have on the surrounding environment, Phase II — when complete — will provide a more detailed assessment of the project's effect on specific environmental, biological and archaeological conditions.

David Proper, a contracting officer with the Wake County Community Development Service, said the intended end product of Phase II is a preliminary environmental assessment that will provide the basis for a decision as to the feasibility of the Little River Reservoir Project.

The total funds allocated for Phase II come to \$253,050: \$110,000 from Wake; \$100,000 from the state; and \$43,050 from the participating municipalities. Project officials estimate that Phase II could take as little as eight months to complete.

Some of the topics to be addressed during Phase II include water supply needs, alternatives, existing environment, endangered plant and animal species, unique natural areas and scenic rivers, environmental consequences, and mitigative measures.

In order to determine the water supply needs of the surrounding communities, information concerning the capacities of existing water sources will be summarized based on data obtained from existing documents.

Alternatives to the proposed project will be described and

evaluated in terms of environmental impact, economic feasibility, and effectiveness in satisfying the project purpose and objectives. As seen in the findings of Phase I, prepared by Hazen and Sawyer P.C. of Raleigh, three alternate reservoir projects are currently being evaluated to determine if they will meet supply needs.

The proposed project under Alternative I would entail construction of an impounding dam on the Little River approximately a half mile north of S.R. 2320. The proposed reservoir would impound 2.57 billion gallons and have a 20-year safe yield of approximately 13 million gallons per day (mgd). The project would also include a water intake and pumping station, and a 6-million-gallon-per-day water treatment plant to be located along S.R. 2320.

Including land acquisition, water treatment facilities and water transmission facilities, the total estimated cost for Alternative I is approximately \$30.3 million.

The proposed project under Alternative II involves the construction of an impounding dam on the Little River at the same location as for Alternative I but with a 10-foot increase in the

height of the normal pool elevation. Alternative II would impound 6.57 billion gallons and have a 20-year safe yield of approximately 20 million gallons per day.

Including land acquisition, water treatment facilities and water transmission facilities, the total estimated cost of Alternative II is approximately \$42.2 million.

The final alternative reservoir consists of an impounding dam on the Little River north of U.S. 64. The proposed reservoir would impound 3.5 billion gallons and have a 20-year safe yield of 17 million gallons per day. Like the other alternatives, this project would include a water intake and pumping station, a 6-mgd water treatment plant and a finished water transmission main to convey treated water to an existing water main at N.C. 97.

The total estimated cost of Alternative III, including land acquisition, water treatment facilities and water transmission facilities is approximately \$37.8 million.

According to data provided by the N.C. Natural Heritage Program staff, five threatened or endangered plant and animal species are found in the vicinity of the proposed project. One of the endangered plant species, Small's, or rock portulaca, is found only on granite flatrocks in the eastern Piedmont. The Dwarf Wedge mussel, a species proposed for an endangered listing by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, has been reported within the Little River downstream in Johnston County, and may possibly occur in Wake County, although it has not been reported to date.

Phase II of the environmental assessment will look at the reservoir project's possible effect on these species as well as others in the survey area.

Task force considers second phase of environmental studies for local reservoir

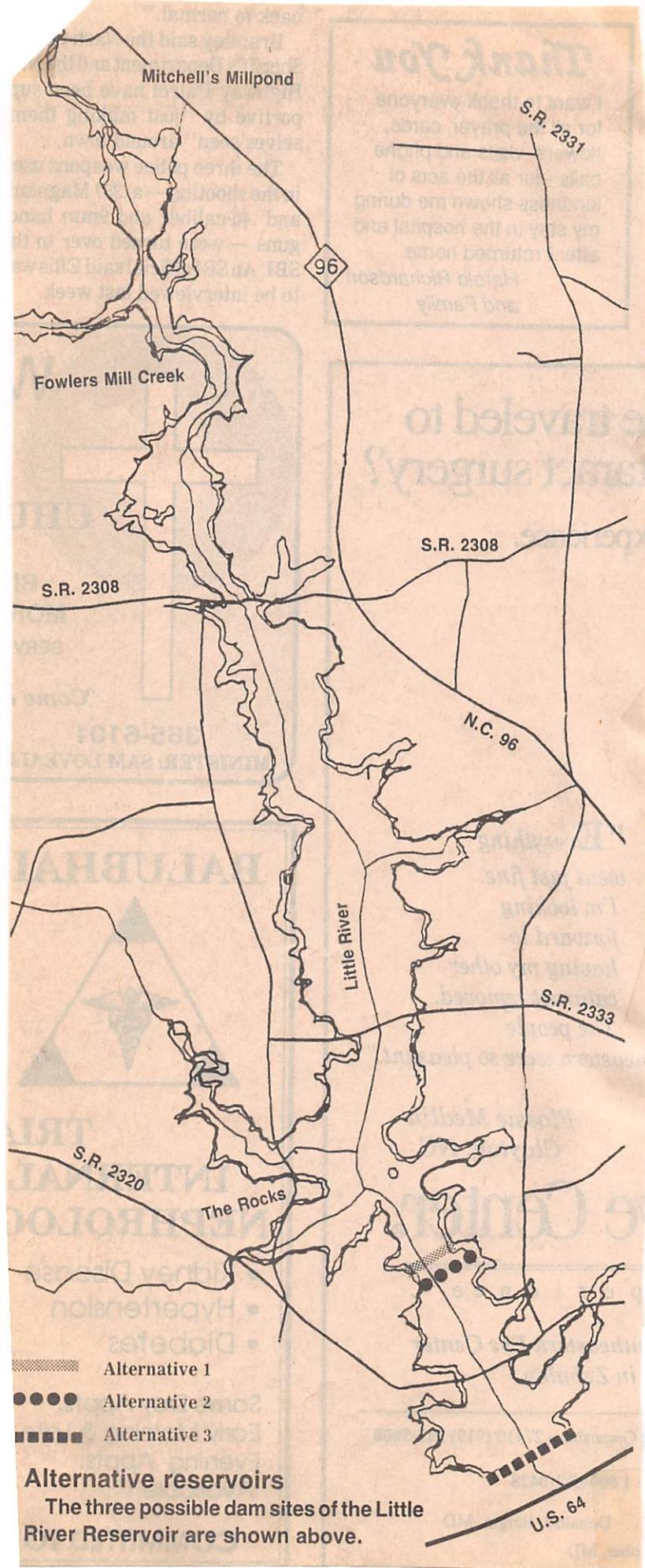
Phase II will also further investigate the impact that the proj-

ect will have on existing or possible prehistoric and historic sites, addressed in a preliminary archaeological survey in Phase I. The survey dealt with a study area of about 2,495 acres along and near the Little River and its tributaries north of Zebulon, and was prepared by Archaeological Research Consultants Inc. of Ra-

leigh.

The purpose of the archaeological survey was to examine the reservoir project area for prehistoric or historical archaeological sites with significant remains that might be eligible for nomination to the National Register of Historic Places. Three of the prehistoric sites require test excava-

tions as part of Phase II of the project. An example is Perry's "Indian Field" site, which may contain significant remains of Woodland period villages. The site was originally recorded in 1962 by Research Laboratories of Anthropology. The "Indian Field" site is in the normal pools for all of the proposed reservoir designs.



MOCCASIN CREEK - WAKE CO., NC

○ From Book: Nail & Ray Families 2nd Ed. 1989. Abstracts
of Ray & Pearce Records Examined by Author
FRANKLIN CO., NC Pgs 998, 949, 950, 951

Γ John Pearce mth Clara H D/o Richard H, III

The RAY part of the Book is about Elizabeth Pearce (wife
of John) also and Thomas Ray - Rev Soldier. The two
couple left the Moccasin Creek Area of NC & moved
to Rutherford Co., NC → Kannan Co., NC → Shelby Co., IN

LL 1787 October 04, Deed Book 6, p. 91. Thomas Gay of Franklin Co., NC, sold 73a to Thomas
Ray of same for 50 pounds specie. Located on both sides of Mockson swamp bounded by
Stricklin and Price (Pearce). Witnesses: Moses Upchurch, James Price (Pearce), and
Charles Upchurch. (2)

MOCCASIN
CREEK:

FC NC
Mockson
W.C., NC

James Pearce presumed to be James Pearce b 1758
s/o Nathan Pearce b 1735. - RTH 27 JUL 2010