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Subject: Allied Families 2017
From: phil@upchurchstory.com
Date: Thu, Feb 02, 2017 6:55 am
To: "Gwen-Y O'Daniels" <irishgentry@softcom.net>
Attach: 2017 Form for participating in Upchurch and Allied Families 22 Dec 15 revision.docx
ALLIED FAMILIES Programs and plans 2013-2017.docx

Hi Gwen----

Now is a good time for an update on Allied Families. We carry you as a member of the Jubal Upchurch,I family but do not show you as a member/supporter. Progress on your enrolled family has been considerable but we need your participation. I hope you will join as a 2017 member using the attached form or PayPal.

Also attached is a summary of what we have accomplished and our hopes for 2017.

For more details on our route to digital see the Upchurch Bulletin for 2016 recently posted on www.upchurchstory.com--password 2013upchurch#. Also, note progress on your enrolled family at www.alliedfamilies.com password 2014allied#.

I will be in North Carolina March 29-April 2, 2017 working in the Allied Families Cary Facility starting some new projects. Would love to see you there. Let me know if you need details.

Our progress has been substantial but we need participation whether as a casual follower or as a dedicated worker and donor. I hope you will give us encouragement by joining today and being as generous as your circumstances allow.

Sending all Best Wishes~
Phil Upchurch

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Subject: Fwd: Jubal Upchurch,I
From: Mike Upchurch <mikerupchurch@gmail.com>
Date: Tue, Jan 09, 2018 2:24 pm
To: Gwen O'Daniels <msbennett@comcast.net>
Attach: Status of Biofiles.docx

Gwen,

Phil does not have your current email address, so he asked me to forward the attached email to you.

I hope you and Jerry are doing good and survived the CA fires.

Mike Upchurch

> Begin forwarded message:
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> From: <phil@upchurchstory.com>
> Subject: Jubal Upchurch,I
> Date: January 8, 2018 at 7:56:17 AM EST
> To: "Gwen-Y-Z O'Daniels" <irishgentry@softcom.net>
> Cc: "Mike Ray-S-4-5-6-7-8 Upchurch" <mikerupchurch@gmail.com>
>
> Hi Gwen---
> Carla Michaels, our Allied Families Program Coordinator in our Cary, NC Facility, has done a great job of digitizing the Biofile of your ancestor Jubal Upchurch, I which runs to about 75 pages with over 100 entries--including some of yours. Within a few days this will be posted on our website. I spent a good part of January 7 validating the transcription. Our webmaster Jay Buck will do the rest. I hope you will review the Biofile when it is posted and agree with me that it can be the source of more refined articles. You Cousin, Mike Upchurch in Raleigh, is already working on some aspects of augmentation.
> As 2018 unfolds I hope we can begin to assemble a larger working Group under Mike's Leadership dedicated to telling the story of the Jubal Upchurch, I Clan. I am wondering if you have a small amount of time to devote to this. A small project might be to to create a Time Line for Jubal Upchurch, I. Would this fit you?
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> Perhaps you have leaned that your Cousin and my life-long friend and mentor Douglas Scales Chamblee passed away last fall. I was honored to fulfill his 2015 request that I travel to Raleigh to give the eulogy.
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> Sending All Best Wishes~
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From: phil@upchurchstory.com
Date: Tue, Jan 09, 2018 6:46 am
To: "Jay Buck" <jay.buck@alliedfamilies.org>

Hi Jay---
I sent you a copy of an email to Gwen O'Daniels. My copy to her aborted. Note that she has a new email. I will change in my address system. Would you please change in the Omnibus list.
Also,would you forward me your copy of my email to her so I can resend it. I deleted my copy.
Thnaks~
Phil Upchurch

> -------- Original Message --------
> Subject: Re: Email Problem
> From: Mike Upchurch <mikerupchurch@gmail.com>
> Date: Mon, January 08, 2018 8:40 am
> To: Phil Upchurch <phil@upchurchstory.com>
>
> Good Morning Phil,
>
> Gwen's email address has been changed to msbennett@comcast.net. Try this and let me know if it does not go through.
>
> Mike U.
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> On Jan 8, 2018, at 8:04 AM, <phil@upchurchstory.com> <phil@upchurchstory.com> wrote:
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> Hi Mike---
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> Cheers~
> Phil Upchurch. Manager, Allied Famiies

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Subject: Upchurch Family History
From: phil@upchurchstory.com
Date: Thu, Apr 21, 2016 8:32 am
To: "Gwen O'Daniels" <irishgentry@softcom.net>
Attach: AF 2016 Membership Form.docx

Hi Gwen---

You are on my contact list as regards the heritage of the Jubal Upchurch, I family. He is Head of Upchurch Clan 6. He was one of 22 Upchurches of the fifth generation of the Upchurch family in America. Much about him has been written in the Upchurch Bulletins 1980-2015. Details may be searched on our website www.upchurchstory.com password 2013upchurch. Additionally, we have made great progress in preparing to enroll this family, including his descendants, on our newer website www.alliedfamilies.com password 2014allied#. What we have done so far is just a start. Note, for example, our work on Biofiles and cemeteries. As an example of an enrolled family see Nathan Upchurch,I who was a brother of Jubal.

If we are to make progress on the Jubal Upchurch,I family we will need participation from his descendants such as yourself. We need time, expertise, data and money. Perhaps you are in a position to volunteer. If so, just let me know.

A 2016 Allied Families membership form is attached. I hope you will join with us and be as supportive as your circumstances permit. Success in our venture will avoid loosing what we have worked so hard to accumulate and will allow us to share and preserve the Jubal Upchurch,I family records far into the future. Please join and encourage others to do so as well.

It would be a pleasure to hear from you and to learn if your interest in your Upchurch heritage continues. Your questions will be welcomed

Sending All Best Wishes~

Phil Upchurch, President, Allied Families

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9 AUG 2010

Dear Gwen -

Your email of 8 AUG 2010 moves us along. I agree that more and more it looks as if your Benjamin U was indeed a s/o Stephen U & a gs/o Jubal U, I.

I'll make comments in no particular order.

#1 Re Lucinda M. U who md John W. Grissom on 25 OCT 1866 in Saline Co. IL. I do not think this is the Lucinda you seek. I know the Saline Co, IL Upchurches rather well. They are all of the John U, III / Samuel U Subclan. There is a Lucinda M. U age 13 on the 1860 Saline Co. IL census and this is the only U female I find that would be of the right age to have md in 1866. However I show her married (no date) to William J King 1845-1933 not to John W. Grissom. Perhaps she married twice.

#2 See Enclosed Sheet [A] re your input on Rochester Portland Chamblee - for which thanks. I figure your ancestor Rebecca was the 1st cousin of Sidney who was the GF of my life-long best friend/mentor. He was best man at our 1948 wedding. He lives in Springmoor Retirement Center in

Raleigh, NC and I always see him when I go to Raleigh. He was raised on a farm adjoining Zebulon. Your line traces back to Strickland as does my wife. I suspect you are 1st or 2nd cousins

#3 - Re Jack U in MS - I have contacted a MS cousin/cooperator who lives in MS. She will look for more on Jack. There may be more in Thorpe "Those Mississippi Yesterdays".

#4. Your report re J. B. Phillips in AR & their trek by Charlotte to NC is Great - I wonder if he died in the Civil War? See Enclosure [B] for my worksheet & expand what you have done. W. K. Phillips, brother of JBP, was wealthy. He died in 1914 and checked his will to see if he left anything to the children of JBP. He did not.

#5 Re children of John Barham Phillips - I already had his son James Lawrence Phillips as he married our Updegraff descendant Blanche Alma Phillips CS 376 of the Richard U, III / James U, VII Sublean Models Outline is enclosed. The Forsythville Chronicle can provide more details. - See enclosure [C]

#6 Re Charlotte & sister Lucinda - See Batten Right of [B] Comments?

With this report I'll stop knowing we have much more to do -

Earl Updegraff

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1SEP2008

Dear Gwen -

Re your Email of 25AUG2008

- I do not know the parents of the Ann Medlin you mention. Enclosed is a copy of my 3-Page 5-Item Profile for her. I have not made a search re her parents. Have quite a few Profiles for Medlin Family members.
- Thanks for the military record for your Benjamin U. Enclosed are sheets [A1] & [A2] along this line. Note [A1] has 3 Benjamins. [A2] is presumed same as #18 on [A1]. on A1 #17 presumably makes a 4th. Need to sort these out. #16 B.J.U is my GF Bartley Jefferson U. #13, 14 & 15 could also be Benjamins.
- Re son of Stephen U you mention as born 1828. Enclosed is my 2-Page-2-Item Profile for the son whom I list as Benjamin U possibly b about 1829. You will be interested in my 19AUG2002 email as Item 2 in the Profile. your thoughts please.
- To take the matter of Stephen U further I enclose a copy of my Master Outline for what I call the Jubal U, I / Stephen U Subclan. on Page 3 of this Outline you will note Minnie U b JUL 1881, a GD of Stephen U. The mid-prime cemetery where

she is buried is less than a mile from where I was born & raised in Swift Creek Township in Wake Co, NC. I have visited that site many times in recent years to tease relationships from the stones. Minnie would have been a 3rd cousin of my father. They could have known each other in passing but I doubt it. Minnie married into the Suggs family and that is what brought her to Midpines as the Suggs family was numerous in our area. Midpines is of special interest to me because I learned from monuments there that the parents of my stepgrandfather, whom I knew and loved, are buried there.

I am hopeful that we can improve the Master outline for the Jubal A, Jr/ Stephen A Sudduth.

It looks like we are both digging - let's keep it up!

Phil Upchurch

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30 JUL 2008

Dear Gwen -

I am now processing your letter which arrived yesterday and notes of our phone conversation of 25 JUL 2008. must comment as I go along so that I don't get confused / lost.

1. Sheet [A] This reveals that Nancy U, who was born and raised on the Wake Chatham Border and married in Chatham was at one point living next door to your Benjamin U in Harnett Co, NC. It is quite a coincidence that a member of the Moses U / Whitney U Subclan and a member of the Jubal U, I / Calvin U Subclan would come from different parts of NC and end up living next to each other. This gives rise to a slight hint that we should look at whether your Benjamin could have come from Nancy's Wake / Chatham neighborhood. I doubt it but had to mention.

To help you walk through [A] Nancy is Nancy Hobby age 35 in 1850 in Chatham

In 1860 in Harnett Nancy is N. D. Hobby (should be N.A) and head of household - Husband has left Nancy for another woman. Note Benjamin next door.

In 1870 - Nancy's former husband has reclaimed the home & is there with 2nd wife Leasy - with Benjamin still next door. In 1870 Nancy = In Chatham

2. Sheet [B] - Some new info for me including that Zollie's daughter Frances was Denell Mitchell

3. Sheets [C] - 5 Biopsli Pages on Lillie Minda Pearce

4. Re Wm L. Johnson - Informant had to be Berry Johnson not Berry Upchurch

WILLIAM L. JOHNSON
b. (only year given) 1852 Franklin County, NC d. Nov. 15, 1919 Franklin County, NC
Wife: Nancy _____
Occ: Farmer
Parents: Berry Johnson & Roena Upchurch
Informant: Berry Upchurch
Burial: Franklin County, NC

5. Enclosed is a copy of the front cover of the Neill's Creek History. I had a quick look and found nothing I thought would help you. I can copy & send if you so desire

6. Thanks for the complete copy of the will of Calvin H. I had before only abstracts

7. In our phone conversation on 25 JUL 2008 you asked about the male age 10-15 on the 1830 census in the home of Little Berry H. I conclude it is probably the son & s/o Little Berry because of the age. More likely the Male 10-15 was Johns, brother of Little Berry

Enclosed is a copy of my #8 Page 16 Item Profile on John H. Much study needed. I Question if there was a John H b 1803/1805.

Having listed the 7 items on the previous page I can now ask do we have points from your side or mine that need to be clarified as we proceed to move on to whatever steps we would like to take next? There are so many facets on which we could focus that it is easy to "wander about" in the records. Even that is not bad as we do come upon things that are very interesting/important.

Will be looking forward to your response.

Phil Upchurch
6:15 AM JAVE-2008

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REC'D 29JUL2008

DAR
Gwen O'Daniels
2040 Klamath River Dr
Rancho Cordova CA 95670-2913

DAR
Daughters of the American Revolution

Gwen O'Daniels

Enclosed is a copy of Calvin's will + some additional info I was able to turn up doing a quick search.

Enjoy.

Gwen O'Daniels

→ Calvin U mill (XIN-14646) placed in his profile

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The following information was obtained viewing original death certificates from North Carolina....

ZOLLIE BRYAN (as shown – no "T") JOHNSON
b. Mar. 1, 1892 Franklin County d. Sept. 21, 1963 at Duke Hospital, Durham, NC
Address at time of death: Rt. 2, Zebulon, NC
Occ: Farmer/Merchant
Parents: William Lafayette Johnson & Nancy Pearce
Wife: Lillie Pearce Johnson
SS# 238-56-1471
Informant: Mrs. Derrell Mitchell, Bunn, NC
Burial: Pearce's Church Cemetery, Franklin County, NC
(more research needed to locate wife, Lillie)

WILLIAM L. JOHNSON
b. (only year given) 1852 Franklin County, NC d. Nov. 15, 1919 Franklin County, NC
Wife: Nancy _____
Occ: Farmer
Parents: Berry Johnson & Roena Upchurch
Informant: Berry Upchurch [BERRY JOHNSON]
Burial: Franklin County, NC

MARY PERRY (as shown) [MARY A.]
b. unk abt. 87 years old Franklin County, NC d. Mar. 18, 1922 Harris, Franklin County, NC
Widowed
Parents: Berry Upchurch & Billie Williams (??)
Informant: Mrs. Irene Fowler, Youngsville, NC [POSSIBLY IRENE PERRY]
Burial: Home burial
Undertaker: Friends

CHARLIE D. JOHNSON [CHARLES DAVID JOHNSON]
b. Apr. 30, 1881 Franklin County, NC D. Feb. 22, 1956 Franklin Memorial Hospital, Louisburg, Franklin County, NC
Residence at time of death: Rt 2, Zebulon, NC

(Charlie D. Johnson cont.)
Parents: William L. Johnson & Nancy Pearce
SS# 240-22-3957
Occ: farmer
Informant: J. B. Johnson, Zebulon, NC [JOSEPH BROWNIE JOHNSON, SR]

BERRY C. JOHNSON
b. June 21, 1889 Franklin County, NC d. July 2. 1956 Vance, Henderson County (Henderson Nursing Home)
Residence at time of death: Rt 2 Zebulon, NC
Parents: William Johnson & Nancy Pearce
Informant: R. M. Johnson, Zebulon, NC [BROTHER - ROCHER MAULIS JOHNSON]
Burial: Johnson Family Cemetery, Zebulon

FLORENCE JOHNSON PERRY (as shown)
b. Aug. 16, 1888 Franklin County, NC d. Mar. 2, 1966 Dunn, Franklin County, NC at home
Widowed
Parents: William Johnson & Nancy Pearce
SS# 243-58-1660
Informant: Mary B. Baker, Rt 3, Zebulon, NC
Burial: Bethlehem Church Cemetery, Franklin County, NC

HENRY KEARNEY PERRY
b. June 25, 1885 Franklin County, NC d. Dec. 8, 1963 Wake Forest, Wake County, NC, Rogers Nursing Home
Parents: Henry Perry & Hannie Perry
SS# same as wife's above ?
Informant: W. H. Perry, Rt1, Youngsville, NC
Burial: Bethlehem Church Cemetery, Franklin Co., NC

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UPCHURCH-YOUNG-WRIGHT-JOHNSON CONNECTIONS IN FRANKLIN CO, NC. IN AN EMAIL TO RPU 11 JUL 2008 RESEARCHER GWEN O'DANIELS PRESENTS A THEORY THAT AGNES YOUNG MD (1ST) CALVIN U; MD (2ND) WINSTON YOUNG; MD (3RD) LITTLE BERRY JOHNSON. DATA BELOW ASSEMBLED BY RPU TO CONSIDER THE THEORY - 13 JUL 2008

I. JOSEPH YOUNG d <1831

- A. AGNES YOUNG b ABT 1810 S/O
- MD (1ST) CALVIN U[1] BORN ABT 1805 J/O BAL U, I
- MD (2ND) YOUNG A. WINSTON[2]
- MD (3RD) LITTLE BERRY JOHNSON (NO KNOWN ISSUE OF THIS THIRD MARRIAGE - RPU)
  1. [1] BENJAMIN U b 1830
  2. [1] JOHN U b 1831
  3. [1] NATHAN U b 1832
  4. [2] FENNER WINSTON b ABT 1847
  5. [2] EMMA WINSTON

LITTLE BERRY JOHNSON b ABT 1820 MD (2ND) 30 DEC 1951 (FRANKLIN CO, NC) ROENA U b ABT 1827 (FRANKLIN CO, NC) D/O LITTLE BERRY U S/O JUBAL U, I

* PRESUMED GRANDPARENTS OF FENNER & EMMA & PARENTS OF YOUNG A. WINSTON

1850 CENSUS DUNN TWP FRANKLIN CO, NC

Name		B ABT	Age
Littlbury Johnson	FARMER	1822	28
Wily Locust	B FARMER	1814	36
Ruffin Medlin	BLACKSMITH	1830	20
Allison Pippin	CLERK △	1826	24
Agnus Winston	HEAD	1807	43
Emma Winston		1849	1
Fenner Winston		1847	3

1860 CENSUS FRANKLINTON, FRANKLIN CO, NC - FRANKLINTON PO

Name #1860/21144		B ABT	Age
* Isaac Winston	△	1795	65
* Sarah Winston	△	1798	63
James Winston	△	1840	20
William M Stone	CABINET MAKER △	1823	37
Ann Stone		1829	31
Fenner Winston		1848	12
Emma Y Winston		1850	10

1870 CENSUS FRANKLINTON, FRANKLIN CO, NC PO - PACIFIC

Name		B ABT	Age
Therna Conyers	FARMER △	1828	42
Anne Conyers		1840	30
James Conyers	△	1854	16
Mary Conyers		1856	14
Lucy Conyers		1862	8
Anne Conyers		1865	5
Robert Conyers	△	1866	4
Lutah Conyers		1866	4
William Conyers	△	1869	1
Fenner Winstone	FARMER	1848	22
Anthony Steed	B	1852	18
Noton Thomas	B	1854	16
Women Gonyeau	B	1854	16
Julia Wilder		1820	50
△ Ellen Wilder		1856	14

1880 CENSUS - DRESDEN, WEAKLEY CO, TN

Name		B ABT	Age
Fenner S. Winston		1847	33
Mattie Winston	WIFE	1855	25
△ Lilly Winston	DAU	1877	3
△ William G. Winston	SON	1879	6M

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13 JUL 2008

Dear Gwen -

Among the things put aside to allow me to get the VB issue out the door were your emails of 2 JUL + 11 JUL. I am now in catch up mode and will address them in order.

You very well may have hit the jackpot in finding that the 1833 death date of James U, VII matches the 1833 inscription on the stone in the old cemetery. I had not checked candidates for the 1833 date so am really glad you did. Of course we don't know for sure that James U, VII is buried in that particular cemetery even if the dates match - but it is a good bet. The "bet" is made even better by the fact that my records strongly imply that he acquired this tract of land from his Uncle Moses U. At some point I'll go into that in more detail. There are dozens of cemeteries in Annie's Township in which descendants of Richard U, II are buried - some with the last name Upchurch and some not. The only other one that I know of that bears the Upchurch name is on old Highway 64 just west of Pilot

(2)

you asked about Thurman H of the Green Hope School. He is no doubt Thurman Howell H x ΣD-929- 2 Page - 6-Item Profile enclosed

Now to years of the 11th - The marriage of Agnes (Young)(Lyndsey)Winston to Little Berry Johnson was news to me. My effort to scope this out produced the enclosed worksheet for Agnes Young dated 13 JUL2008 Things just barely fit together. Does this now look right to you. It must be that a very few months after her marriage to L. B. Johnson she either died or otherwise departed the marriage leaving L. B. free to marry Roena on 30 DEC 1851. I happen to have more details on the ancestors of Isaac & Sarah Winston. I interestingly Sarah had an ancestor with the first name "Young" which is likely how Young A. Winston got his name. Note that his granddaughter Emma Y. Winston had the middle initial "Y" - probably for "young". Note that G-S Fennes S. Winston removed to Weakley Co, TN. I have records of a number of Franklin Co, NC residents making a similar move.

Just in case it might be useful I provide herewith my 6-Page 11 Item Profile on Wright Young - also Pages (3) (5) Items (8)-(11) for Fennes Young

I wonder whether or not Calvin H left his widow Agnes his land for all time - or did he make a stipulation that it was for her widowhood only (as was commonly done). If so she would have lost control of the asset when she married Young A. Winston.

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There was something peculiar going on with Calvin. If he did have 3 Upchurch sons by Agnes - as I propose including your ancestor Benjamin - why did he ignore them in his will ?? I am glad to have you as a partner to sort all of this out.

Yes my records do show that Little Berry Johnson married Reena U, D/o Little Berry U & GD/o Jubal U, I. My Spring 2007 visit to NC started me on an exercise to flesh out this marriage. As late as yesterday I called Susan Rogers in NC to clarify some issues. See UB Vol 28 No 1 2007 Pg 27 Re site K.

Enclosed is my complete master outline on the family of Little Berry U. The first pages before the Pink sheet cover Little Berry U down through his Greatgranddaughters (i.e. the 9th Generation of the U. Family in America). The descendants of GGC, if any/if known, are covered in Continuation Sections as indicated by the "CS" notations on the left hand side of the pages. Many members of this Family are descendants from other Upchurch lines in the area - see highlighted items. There are no doubt more of these kinds of relationships to be discovered.

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we can continue to interact by snail mail and/or email as the circumstances dictate. As you can see my records are kept manually. So when I have to send a batch I stuff it in easier to use snail mail.

Happy Hunting!

Phil Upchurch

GWEN NMN STEVENS

XID- 30052
8 OCT 2007

REC'D 12 OCT 2007

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Phil,
The following is additional information for your files as of this date: October 8, 2007. As we all know, with genealogy, information and updates will change as research continues. So, please, if you use my name as a source, do include today's date. My sources were: Harnett County, NC birth, death and marriage records found online, various cemetery records, as well as personal knowledge. I hope this will be of help to you and your ongoing research. Enjoy!

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LONNIE UPCHURCH (s/o JAMES BENJAMIN & MARY) #14719
b. April 5, 1875 d. Feb. 18, 1882 buried: Old Hill Cemetery AKA: Willis Johnson Cemetery, Lillington, NC

LONORA UPCHURCH (d/o JAMES BENJAMIN & MARY) # 14709 (LLENDRA ?)
m. Levander Denning on Jan. 1, 1899 in Harnett Co., NC

CHARLES HERBERT UPCHURCH (s/o JAMES BENJAMIN & MARY) # 14654
m. MARY ETTA STEWART (older sister of my grandmother, Lutha Stewart Upchurch) on Nov. 2, 1904 in Harnett County, NC . MARY ETTA (or ETTE, as she was known) was born in Harentt Co. and is buried in Buies Creek Cemetery.

NEW: MATTIE UPCHURCH (d/o JAMES BENJAMIN & MARY) this is new to you and you don't yet have her numbered
b. Oct. 9, 1890 d. Jan. 28, 1896 buried: Old Hill Cemetery AKA: Willis Johnson Cemetery located on Walt Johnson Road, Lillington. This is a small cemetery of only 20 stones – mostly Upchurch & Johnson children. Will include a listing on additional sheet.

AVA D. UPCHURCH (d/o JAMES BENJAMIN & MARY) #14703 I have an abstract of the stone for this child and the abstract states the year of her death to have been 1905. Further research or actual viewing is needed to confirm which date is correct.

ERTHA BASS (h/o EUNA EARLE UPCHURCH) #14658
b. April 10, 1911 d. Nov. 1974

ELLA JEWELL FISH COX (2nd w/o FRED ELBRIDGE UPCHURCH) # 14665
ELLA & FRED were married in Harnett Co. on Dec. 22, 1967.

NEW: JOAN MARIE GATES (w/o ELBRIDGE RAY UPCHURCH – his # 14668

They were married in Harnett Co., on Feb. 7, 1965
(As you can see, I need to do much more research on this line coming down from JAMES BENJAMIN)

JOHN CLEVELAND UPCHURCH # 14787 & LUTHA ALMIRA STEWART #14788 were married in Neill's Creek, Harnett Co. in the residence of C. Herbert Upchurch by N. A. Stewart, JP. ↳[CHARLES]

ERNA MAE UPCHURCH #30018 2nd marriage to DERWOOD/DURWOOD CAUDLE #30026 took place in Johnston Co., NC on June 26, 1937.

JULIA ANN BUFFALOE #30029 b. March 27, 1946
DUANE BRAWNER (s/o JULIA ANN BUFFALOE & OLNEY BRAWNER)
b. Sept. 12, 1966
DAVID BRAWNER (s/o JULIA ANN BUFFALOE & OLNEY BRAWNER)
b. Nov. 23, 1970

DONALD BUFFALOE #30030 (s/o HAYWOOD VALENTINE BUFFALOE & CHRISTINE)
b. Jan. 15, 1953 d. Sept. 21, 2007 cancer m. TAMMY KILE
Children of above: DANIELLE d/o TAMMY later adopted by DONALD
TIFFANY b. Dec. 9, 1986
DONALD LEE "D. J." b. July 1996
Will get further info at a later date. Now is not the time.

NEW: RONALD BUFFALOE #30031 (s/o HAYWOOD V. BUFFALOE & CHRISTINE)
b. Nov. 12, 1956; divorced with one son – ***STEWART BUFFALOE***, who will be 11 the week of Oct. 8-13, 2007 – uncertain of exact day at this time.

PEGGY SUE BUFFALOE #30028 (d/o ERNA MAE & HAYWOOD BUFFALOE)
b. Mar. 8, 1931 in Raleigh, NC m. DWIGHT AVERY WHITLEY, SR. in Dec. 1949 in her mother & stepfather's home on Frank Street, Raleigh, NC

BEVERLY SUE WHITLEY #30039 (d/o PEGGY SUE BUFFALOE & DWIGHT A. WHITLEY, SR.) b. 12-10-1951 1st m. RICK BURNETTE d. May 16, 1982 – cancer; 2nd m. KENNETH CRATCH
NO ISSUE

CAROL JEAN WHITLEY #30046 (d/o PEGGY SUE BUFFALOE & DWIGHT A. WHITLEY, SR. b. Jan. 2, 1959; 1st m. CRAIG STRICKLAND 1977 – DIVORCED; 2nd m. MILTON DEAN 1983. CAROL was ordained as a Methodist minister in 2007.
NO ISSUE.

AMBER LYNN WHITLEY #30043 (d/o DWIGHT A. WHITLEY, JR. & MICHELLE ANDREA) b. July 13, 1987

BRENT AVERY WHITLEY #30044 (s/o DWIGHT A. WHITLEY, JR. & MICHELLE ANDREA) b. April 30, 1990

NEW: 2nd wife of DWIGHT AVERY WHITLEY, JR. (#30041): JEN HEMPSTEAD & to this union was born a son: ***DANIEL*** b. Dec. 5, 1996.

NEW: The union of AMY LEIGH WHITLEY (#30042) & JACK CHANDLER m. 1989 has brought a daughter: KAITLIN CHANDLER b. Jan. 14, 1995.

CLYDE DAVIS UPCHURCH #14789 (s/o JOHN C. UPCHURCH & LUTHA STEWART) b. Harnett Co., NC m. CLARA WILLIAMS in Bennetsville, S.C.

CLYDE WILLIAMS UPCHURCH #30049 (s/o ClYDE DAVIS UPCHURCH & CLARA WILLIAMS b. Aug. 10, 1942, in Harnett Co., NC: m. July 10, 1964, Harnett County, NC
He and his wife have only the one son, Gregory Adam.

JOHN EMORY UPCHURCH #30021 (s/o CLYDE DAVIS UPCHURCH & CLARA WILLIAMS b. June 20, 1945 in Harnett County, NC. Married once to BRENDA JOYCE MATTHEWS on Aug. 2, 1963 in Harnett Co., NC; divorced after a couple years; d. April 4, 2000 in Wake Co., NC.

MICHAEL RAY UPCHURCH # 14791 (s/o CLYDE D. UPCHURCH & CLARA WILLIAMS) was born in Portsmouth, VA: sons born to the union of MICHAEL & HILDA SINK:

TIMOTHY RAY UPCHURCH #30023 b. Mar. 17, 1981
ERIC MICHAEL UPCHURCH # 30024 b. April 16, 1984

JOHN LURAE STEVENS, SR. #30050 b. June 5, 1912 d.12-22-1970 in Los Angeles, CA. No further knowledge.

NEW: TERI LYNN O'DANIELS #30054 & MICHAEL ALLEN KRAEMER #48074 have had 2 children – one born in 2001 & the other born in 2003.

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A note from...

Gwen O'Daniels

PHIL - I QUESTION IF THE STEPHEN EDWARD UPCHURCH's DATES ARE CORRECT & IF HE WAS THE STEPHEN, S/O JAMES BENJAMIN - IT WOULD SEEM POSSIBLE SINCE 3 OF THE UPCHURCH CHILDREN THERE WERE BORN TO JAMES BENJAMIN & MARY - ZEBULON WAS THE S/O JEFFERSON DAVIS & VIRGINIA - SO, WHERE DOES THIS STEPHEN EDWARD GO?

GWEN

Celebrating 100 years of Memorial Continental Hall

Cemetery * OLD HILL CEMETERY AKA: WILLIS JOHNSON CEM.

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Ferrell	Infant Son	30-Nov-1901	30-Nov-1901	Inf. Son of Mr. & Mrs. L.A. Ferrell, Born Asleep.
Johnson	Clyde V.	1-Aug-1922	20-Feb-1923	You are gone but not forgotten.
Johnson	Elizabeth	4-Jul-1810	8-Apr-1893	Wife of Willis Johnson, Age 83 years, Asleep in Jesus
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Johnson	Infant Son	20-Jul-1904	20-Jul-1904	Inf. Son of Carlie & Josie Johnson
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Johnson	James			CO C 36 ARK Inf. CSA
Johnson	Lucy S.	1861	1920	
Johnson	Sarah I.	26-Jul-1858	12-Nov-1891	Christian lady at rest.
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Keen	Martha J.	1827	1887	This woman is full of good works and alms deeds which...
Keene	W. R.	15-Apr-1855	10-Jul-1915	An honest man is the noblest work of God.
McLeod	J. R.	29-Dec-1845	24-May-1924	He died as he lived -- a Christian.
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[NOTE: I WILL ADOPT THE NAME "OAK HILL CEM" AS MY PREFRED NAME FOR THIS CEM - RPH 21 NOV 2007 - RPH

Cemetery Record in Ltr 8 OCT 2007 Gwen NMN Stevens to RPH
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NOTE: These Upchurch Entries belong to the Benjamin U (1830-1919) Family,
He being Head of a Line in the Judical U / Calvin U Subclass
He md 2nd 1870 Catherine W. Johnson (vs Catherine Bell?) 1842-1913
These Johnsons could be her Kin - RPH 22 NOV 2007

RPH Ancestry.com search 22 NOV 2007 - See Below

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	Dwelling-houses, numbered in the order of visitation	Families, numbered in the order of visitation	The name of every person whose place of abode on the first day of June, 1870, was in this family.	Description: Age at last birthday. If under 1 year, give months.	Sex	Color (White, Black, Mulatto, Chinese, Indian)	Profession, Occupation, or Trade of each person, male or female.	Value of Real Estate owned: Value of Real Estate	Value of Personal Estate	Place of Birth, naming State or Territory of U. S.; or the Country, if of foreign birth.	Father of foreign birth.	Mother of foreign birth.	Married within the year.	Attended school within the year.	Cannot read.	Cannot write.	Whether deaf and dumb, blind, insane, or idiotic.	Male Citizens of U.S. of 21 years of age and upwards.	Male Citizens of U.S. of 21 years of age and upwards, whose right to vote is denied or abridged on other than political or criminal grounds.	
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22 NOV 2009

Dear Cousin Gwen –

Just finished sending you an email so now will per the promised letter.

Re using your name as a source. Names of Cooperators do not normally appear on my Master Outline or with data in the U.P. However, when data is entered in a Profile I try always to include the source. In the case of your letter it would refer to the date of your letter which letter will always be with your Profile. My system is laborious but it works.

Everything you sent has now been properly recorded. Will appreciate your continued input.

I have perused the records for the old Hill Cemetery and filed a copy with my Harnett County, NC Cemetery Records. I created Profiles for several individuals other than the Upchurches. Thought I might find some if there already in place or I have quite a few Johnson Profiles from Harnett Co, NC – starting with Tapley Armand Johnson – but did not.

You raised an interesting question about Steven Edward Upchurch 1858-1880 in the old Hill Cemetery. Enclose is a single sheet showing how

I pursued the matter. It seems possible that the seven variations at the bottom of the page could represent the same person. I find that the ages on census records and the way names are entered over several decades requires a lot of interpretation. Let me know if you have or gain more insight on this matter.

It is great to have you as a cooperator on the Jubal H/ Calvin H Sublett - Benjamin H Line. I know you desire more concrete information bearing these three as do I. My recent and projected trips to Franklin Co, NC have some chance of providing information on this group. I am using several techniques to bring the Upchurch records in Bonsai Township into bold relief for the 1750 - 1850 era. There are many threads to untangle.

I hope to have the next UB in the mail in early December -

Bill Best Wishes.

Phil Upchurch

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19 SEP2007

Dear Cousin Gwen –

Re your email of today I am enclosing a copy of your email of 27AUG2007 re the obit of Mrs Ernestine J. Upchurch as per your request.

Also as you requested I am sending details on how she fits into the family. See Enclosed 2 sheets re the children of James Benjamin U. Descendants of the children are covered in Continuation Section. I have included only 1A (after the pink sheet). There you will find Ernestine (Manasco) Upchurch on CS 1B. As usual there are many missing bits of information. It is nice to make such additions as we can.

I am sorry to hear about the health issues of your first cousin Bill Buffaloe. Hope he can hear up under the challenge.

The need for you to protect your grandchildren is quite understandable.

All Best Wishes!

Phil Upchurch

19SEP2007

RPR - NOTE ~~22 JUL 2007~~

When Emeri ~~not~~ next writes I can do special things

1. send her Master outline for update
2. send Master Outline for Fuhrel U
3. make a Master outline for the Young family of FCNC
4. Research Mary A. U & John Sidney Perry whose dau md Fenner Terry

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2 SEP 2007

Dear Cousin Gwen -

We returned yesterday after a week-long trip to Mackinac Island in Michigan (to celebrate our 59th Anniversary) - and were pleased to note your email of 29 AUG 2007 re the death of Ernestine (Manasco) (Johnson) Upchurch. She did provided several new items for the Profile on their family. It belongs to the Benjamin A Line in the Judah W/ Column & the Benjamin A Line in the Judah W/ Column A Sullivan as do you. Let me know if you need more details on her husband line. Thanks for sending them.

I think it very important for you and I to keep sending each other materials. Enclosed is a copy of my 4-Page Master outline for the family of John Cleveland A. We corresponded about them in 1999 but perhaps you have an update or you would find easy to send me. There is some merit in marking landmarks.

I note that you did live in the Burien Creek Area. Can you tell me a little more about your experiences there - your age when you lived there - the years involved, etc. -

Shortly we will be deciding about our trip to NC which I hope to take in SEP or OCT. I have added one more contact who was raised in the Pearces Area of Franklin Co, NC. He lives in Cary, NC - His name is Ned Perry. He has written a book on his Perry heritage. He has agreed to visit the Pearces Area with me. As a priority I hope to go to the county seat - Louisburg - and get a set of tax maps for the area where Jubal II and his siblings lived and owned land. I hope to work backward from the current maps to earlier owners. It may or may not work.

With All Best Wishes.

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19 JUL 2007

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Dear Cousin Gwen,

Thanks for your letter of 12 JUL 2007 and for the $10 Check. Enclosed is UB Vol 28 No 1. You can ignore the pink sheet as you have already sent in the $10. You are on the list to get the next UB issue to be published this fall. You can keep the next issue & pay nothing or send in $10 and be on the list to receive the first issue to appear in 2008. Sorry this is so complicated.

I have spent a couple of hours searching my records re your interest and so far have not found anything concrete to link Calvin to Jubal. However, I am running across bits and pieces I want to send you. So I am starting this letter and adding items/comments as I go along. Maybe I'll find something exciting along the way.

Since we were last in contact in 2001 I have been making about 2 trips each year to NC for family/local history research. From the enclosed UB (Pg 9) you will see how I accidently

found myself adding extra priority to our ancestral setting in Franklin Co, NC. I hope to go back this fall and will spend part of my time on the Franklin Co situation.

From the above I trust you will gather that I have a renewed interest in researching the Upchurches of Franklin Co, NC for the 1755-1855 era. This would certainly include your presumed line Richard U, II → Jubal U → Calvin U → ? → Benjamin U

At this point you are right to ask for more proof that your Benjamin U was the s/o Calvin U. This is only one of a dozen or more key questions about the Upchurches & the era involved. Before the year is out I hope to have a web site up which would pose these questions.

Now for some bits and pieces -

A This sheet came from a Book prepared by our Cousins in Wake Falls, NC (They descend from Moses U - Brother of your Jubal & my Nathan). Note that they show Benjamin as a s/o Calvin but cite no proof. I have been unable to figure out who put this book together. Since Jubal was not in this line they just picked his part up from somewhere. I send this so you will not get sidetracked by the error highlighted - as I did for a short time.

[B] & [C] - From my Calvin U Profile (XID-14646) -
From [A] you will note that I speculated that Calvin worked in a store owned by Hanssen
From [B] it looks like Calvin was on his own.
We need to see/copy the actual records.

[D] - From my Profile of your Benjamin U XID-14648 -
Note a 2nd Benjamin born about the same time as yours - & my analysis - Makes our research more challenging - especially since both seemed to live in Cumberland (now Harnett) Co, NC

[E1 → E5]. Re how the name CALVIN has been used in the Upchurch Family.

[F] This sheet from my Calvin U (XID-14646) Profile records him on the 1830 & 1840 census records in Dunn's TSP - Franklin Co, NC. The presence of the 3 males 0-5 in 1840 could be made to fit the 3 young Upchurch men on the 1850 census of Cumberland Co, NC. I cannot explain why the 3 would not have been mentioned in Calvin's will in 1844. You could speculate that the 3 had died as infants. - Or you would have to guess that there was some rift in the family. Maybe Calvin counted on Wright Young to take care of the 3 boys after Agnes died ??. I still consider it not a bad working hypothesis that the 3

young men in Cumberland in 1850 were the sons of Calvin. I think it fair to speculate that the 3 were brothers. My hypothesis could be weakened or ~~strengthened~~ made stronger by removing whether there was an Upchurch household in 1840 or 1850 Census record that needed 3 young men to fill the household - or to the contrary - whether all known households already were full. - To look at it another way - we have to fit the 3 males of 1850 into an 1840 Upchurch household - if not in the home of Calvin - then where. It is my regular habit to try to figure such things out.

I still have to extract a few things from ~~them~~ your letter but want to get this in the mail to you without delay. I have much more in my files to be studied. Probably 99% of the page I would look at would have no bearing on your interest. It is the 1% that we hope to find that will have some bearing. I hope we can continue to work together

Since 2001 we have had a huge number of experiences. One of these is that I have taken up computers.

Hope to hear from you soon

Phil Upchurch

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13 OCT 1999

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Dear Cousin Gwen,

I was delighted to get your letter of 7 OCT 1999 and to learn of your interest in our shared family heritage. Jean and I have had a productive exchange which continues.

I have a huge amount of information which can be shared. much of this is contained in the Upchurch Publications on which details are enclosed. It would be great to have you on a subscriber list we can cooperate which you subscribe or not. yes, I did live in NC - was born & raised in Wake Co, NC. A copy of our "freedom" document is enclosed.

As a start on our "exchanging" I present herewith a copy of my Master outline for the family of John Cleveland U along with some specific questions on John and on your mother family. Perhaps you already have something organized on the family of John Cleveland U

and can send me a copy.

I collect full names (full maiden names of females), dates of birth/marriage/death and places of birth/marriage/death/burial. For place I like to include town/county/state and for burials the name of the cemetery. Most often we do not get all this "stuff" but it is well to try.

All Upchurches in America trace back to Michael U, I to about 1620 (England) who came to America about 1638. I have divided the Upchurches of America into 22 Clans each headed by a 5th Generation member of the family in America. You are of the Jubal U Clan and of the Calvin U Sublean and of the Benjamin U Line in the Jubal U/Calvin U Sublean. Benjamin U was the GF of John Cleveland U. I am of the Nathan U, I Clan. He and Jubal were brothers.

I'll look forward to hearing from you and to collaboration.

Sincerely yours

☺ Phil Upchurch

[ROBERT PHILLIP UPCHURCH]

13 OCT 1995

MISSING DETAILS ON JOHN CLEVELAND UPCHURCH

1) For John Cleveland U
   a) Was he born 5 JUL 188? or 5 JUL 1986?
   b) Was he born in Harnett Co, NC and if so, in what part of the county?
   c) Where did he die
   d) Did he have just four children?
   e) For LUTA STEWART
      i) Was her middle name ALMIRA or ELMIRA?
      ii) When was she born?
      iii) Did she die 28 FEB 1976 or 18 FEB 1976?
      iv) Where did she die?
      v) Where is she buried?
   f) Where did John & Luta marry?

MISSING DETAILS FOR DAISY LEA U

1) For Daisy Lea U
   a) Where was she born?
   b) Where did she die?
   c) When and where did she marry?
   d) Did she have just two children?
   e) For John Luther Stevens
      i) Where was he born?
      ii) When was he born?
      iii) Is he still living?

b) Full name of Jerry O'Daniel & when & where born?

c) Full name of Terri O'Daniel & when & where born?

2) For Johnny Stevens
   a) What is his full name, when & where born?
   b) Did he marry / have children? If so, details?

3) For Gwen Stevens
   a) What is your full maiden name? when & where born? when & where married? Do you have just 1 one child

GWEN NMN STEVENS XID-30052

REC'D 16JUL2007

July 12, 2007

Phil,

Thank you for taking the time to speak with me earlier this evening. It is always good to confirm my thoughts on trying to sort out our ancestor's lives.

As I told you in our conversation, I am having trouble accepting as fact that BENJAMIN UPCHURCH b. 1830 is the son of CALVIN UPCHURCH. I have so many questions as to why the three sons I have for CALVIN & AGNES UPCHURCH were missing from the household of Agnes in the 1850 census. If my research is correct, AGNES married YOUNG WINSTON in late 1844 and had a son & daughter from that union. Then it appears that YOUNG WINSTON may also have died an early death as I find whom I believe to be this AGNES YOUNG UPCHURCH WINSTON listed as ***AGNUS*** WINSTON on the 1850 Slave Schedule in Franklin Co. I am very interested in locating any documentation on CALVIN & his father, JUBAL. I know that JUBAL had 2165 acres in 1820 and was assessed $5410, but it appears that he died intestate. I have someone searching for any documentation regarding his estate, inventory or appointment of administrators.

I have also discovered that CALVIN's account book from the late 1830s is held in the NC Archives in Raleigh, but they will not make copies of the pages. I am not sure if digital pictures would be allowed.

I look forward to anything you may be able to offer as to a direction I may now take with the above research.

ARABELL MEDLIN UPCHURCH

Now, to give you some information.....a couple years ago, a lady by the name of Julia Meldrim Gambrell walked several cemeteries in Harnett Co. and placed this information online. I went back to the site and it was no longer up and running. To make a long story short, after weeks and weeks of searching, I was able to contact her and get the exact location of the small cemetery where ARABELL/ARABELLA UPCHURCH is buried. The

directions are as follows: **Follow Harnett Central Road past the high school toward Mathews Mill Pond Road, the cemetery is before the last house on the right. There is a clump of trees not far from the road and the very small cemetery is located there. It is covered with brambles and advises that a woman not go there alone because of snakes, etc.** Those buried there are:

GADDIE, DELLA b. 1868 d. Oct. 1, 1936 (no pictures -info from Hugh Williams)

MATTHEWS, EMILY b. Feb. 27, 1837 d. Jul 3, 1922

△ MATTHEWS, GEORGE W. b. 1840 d. Oct. 26, 1913

△ UPCHURCH, ARABELL b. Oct. 19, 1827 d. Jul 9, 1857 – now this year is not correct, but the picture does appear to show 1857 on the very worn and broken stone. Would love to see for myself as a 5 & 6 (1867 death date) could look alike on a worn stone. The stone goes on to say that Arabell was

△ the wife of BENGEMAN UPCHURCH, a loving wife and mother. I can offer a copy of these pictures, if you'd like.

Also, please find a check in the amount of $10. to cover the cost of the latest Upchurch Bulletin. I look forward to receiving this and learning more about the land holdings of those in Franklin Co.

Thanking you in advance for your time,
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10 APR 2001

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Dear Cousin Gwen,

Thanks for your note which arrived 29 MAR 2001 and for the NC Horton marriage. I have made a special sheet for this data and have placed it in my "Horton Family" file. Also I have made separate sheets for the six people involved in the Granville Co, NC marriage and have placed them in the Biofile System. Among the counties listed the Granville Co, NC location is the one most likely to cross in some way the records I keep.

Our plans to develop a more carefree lifestyle are beginning to pay off. We moved into our new home designed for our next 20-years last June. This year & henceforth all of our farming operations will be in the hands of our three operators. Still, we have to fight for "play" time as one project

or another seems to appear from nowhere and demand attention.

In March we had a grand "play" trip to NATCHEZ, MS and participated in the tours of antebellum homes - on the way back spent a day in Yalobusha Co, MS with longterm Upchurch family members who are descendants of Abel U, Sr (Head of clan). Abel was a brother of your Jubal & my Nathan U, I,

We will be in NC 19 APR - 6 MAY and do some serious family history research on the Upchurch family records. This is a long sought opportunity and made available by our new lifestyle. I hope to make several trips back there over the next several years to dig deeper & deeper into our Upchurch heritage

On 17 JUN we will attend a family reunion in Trinewell, IL for the descendants of Bochner U. He was a nephew of your Abel & my Nathan's being the son of Richard U, III. For some unknown reason Bochner moved to IL before the civil war.

In between we have plans for an Alaska cruise 1 - 11 JUN - Now that is just for fun!

We are upgrading our equipment. The old Sharpe SF 8300 copier died at a ripe old age after performing faithfully. We replaced it with a used but excellent Cannon which is a wonder. We have just bought a digital camera which should help with getting photos of tombstones & relatives & with moving the images around. This led to getting a color printer which Gallarie & our son in law Robert Herb are now trying to make functional. We are getting ever closer to being on line - but not quite there yet.

Enclosed is an update on the Upchurch Publications in case this did not reach you.

I appreciate your continued interest in our shared Upchurch heritage. Please let me know if you have questions or ideas on how we can share more.

Sincerely your

Phil Upchurch

P.S. I was in college at W.C. State with a HENRY HORTON about 1947. He got his PhD. went to EDISTO EXP. STATION, S.C. He stuttered - was a charming rascal - Phil

{ROBERT PHILLIP UPCHURCH}

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REC'D 29 MAR 2001

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[Note: All the marriages placed on a single sheet & this sheet placed in the Horton Family File. Profile sheets made for the 6 individuals involved in Granville Co, NC marriages.
RPM
10 APR 2001

TERRY'S VILLAGE®

From our home to yours.

Hi Phil -
I ran across these HORTON marriages ix searching online ix NC.
Thought they might be of use to you -
Had no luck for my link to the HORTON family
OVER -

P.O. Box 2309 • Omaha, NE 68103-2309 • 800.200.4400

I did run across a HORTON that married into my husband's SABIN line, though. This line comes down & is related to the President Bushes.

If I can help, let me know -

Gwen O'Daniels

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HORTON, B. [Dr]	MANGUM, SUSAN	5 Jun 1866	Granville	NC
HORTON, JOHN	OBRIEN, ELIZABETH	8 Sep 1867	Granville	NC
ROBBINS, WILLIAM A.	HORTON, MARY J.	4 Oct 1859	New Hanover	NC
FISHER, ROBERT	HORTON, LILLIE	14 Mar 1897	Union	NC
GREENLEE, J. G.	HORTON, FRONIE	17 Sep 1899	Union	NC
HORTON, BENJAMIN	ORMAND, ELIZA JANE	7 Nov 1875	Union	NC
HORTON, B. J.	McCOMBS, MARGARET C.	15 Mar 1864	Union	NC
HORTON, D. A.	PARKER, JANE	25 Aug 1891	Union	NC
HORTON, JAMES	HOUGH, SARAH	31 Jul 1890	Union	NC

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HORTON, JAMES L.	VICKERY, NANCY	21 Jun 1853	Union	NC
HORTON, J. W.	WILLIAMS, MAGGIE	23 Feb 1893	Union	NC
HORTON, LOUIS	FOARD, DRUCILLA	17 Dec 1872	Union	NC
HORTON, WILLIAM	SMITH, MARY	20 Apr 1875	Union	NC
HORTON, W. J.	TERRELL, ELIZA JANE	27 Dec 1876	Union	NC
WILLIAMS, ZACK	HORTON, ALLIE	15 May 1897	Union	NC
YARBOROUGH, HORTON	ROBINSON, MARTHA	29 Dec 1877	Union	NC
HARKNEY, JOHN M.	HORTON, MARGARET A. H.	21 Mar 1867	Union	NC
ORMAND, W. J.	HORTON, LOU	19 Mar 1875	Union	NC
RITCH, EDMOND	HORTON, MARY	20 Dec 1866	Union	NC

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Name	Spouse	Marriage Date	County	State
STEGALL, T. C.	HORTON, MOLLIE	23 Feb 1893	Union	NC

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15 APR 2000

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Dear Cousin Gwen,

Your recent letter was waiting for me when we returned on 10 APR from a 12 Day visit to Tucson, AZ. We went down to look over our 3 Grandkids (ages 13, 11, 8) while their parents went to Australia.

Thanks so much for the two Death certificates. I have logged the children of Virginia into my system.

I am not sure what to send to you next but will send copies of the 6 Couples for Henry Horton's which happen to be in my system. These may or may not be of interest to you. It just occurred to me that some of them could have gotten their names from your Henry Horton or from related Horton family members. Note that I have circled in red the 8 children of Mary Ann Horton.

It could be I made a mistake and these children should bear the last name of KNIGHT. My David Hatton book from which this comes is packed away for another 2-3 months [we are in the process of selling our present home and having another one built. There will no doubt be much confusion in the interim].

Please let me know of any particular approach you have in mind as to how we can help each other. The tribal clan to which you belong is of much interest to me and I hope we can continue to exchange details and upgrade our shared knowledge of that clan.

Sincerely yours
Phil Upchurch
(ROBERT PHILLIP UPCHURCH)

GWEN NMN STEVENS XID-30052

REC'D 10 APR 2000

Hi Phil -

Just a quick note as I have made "break throughs" on 3 different family lines since Friday & I have notes everywhere in this den!! I must get them filed away before I misplace or misfile something!

Here are the copies of Jefferson Davis Upchurch & Virginia Horton Upchurch's death certificates. Placed in other binders

I have just learned of Virginia's siblings names: Joseph Bryant (Jody)
Hunk (?)
Troy
Martha

I don't have any dates at this time.

Also, John Cleveland Upchurch & Lutha Almira Stewart were married in Buies Creek, NC on October 13, 1907 (license obtained on 10-8-1907.

Gwen O'Daniels

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1 MAR 2000

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Dear Cousin Gwen,

Thanks for your letter of 23 FEB 2000 and for the details you provided. I am glad you found the pictures and information I sent useful.

I have added Henry Horton to my Profile system but could not link him to earlier Horton generations. I have interests in the Hortons who lived around Zebulon, NC starting in the early 1800's.

If it is not too much trouble I would appreciate a copy of the death certificate of Virginia (Horton) Upchurch and also of her husband if it is available.

Thanks for staying in touch.

Sincerely yours
Phil Upchurch
[ROBERT PHILLIP UPCHURCH]

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REC'D
29 FEB 2000

February 23, 2000

Hello Phil,

I just received copies of the death certificates for Virginia Horton, wife of Jefferson Davis Upchurch. I remember that you had asked about the Hortons in a previous letter, so I thought that I would forward the following information to you.

PARENTS OF VIRGINIA HORTON: Henry Horton from Johnson County, NC
Emma (I believe, hard to read and no maiden name is given)

> [JOHN CLEVELAND ?]

copied for Brafile ? John Cleveland ?

Also, after I received my grandfather's death certificate, I find that I must change what I told you was his cause of death. I was told by Aunt Erna Mae Caudle that the cause of death was cancer. The death certificate shows: Pleurisy, cystitis and coronary artery disease. I am not well versed on what doctors put on these forms, so I am not sure that cystitis would be the same as cancer. I didn't want to mislead you.

I can't remember if I thanked you for the pictures of Jefferson Davis and Virginia or not. If I neglected to do so, please accept my apologies. I was able to obtain much information form what you sent. I was also able to locate a copy of the Heritage Book from Harnett County through a relative still living in Buies Creek.

placed in Book File

I also want to let you know that the reason I started all this research was that I found a reference to an Upchurch while reading FROM FIELDS OF GOLD by Alexander Ripley. This Upchurch (no given name was included) was in England. I discovered Alexander Ripley's books when she published SCARLET. I have found that she puts much historical research into her writings and I was intrigued with a possible relative being mentioned.

I trust you and your family are well and hope that you are drier than we are here in California.

Sincerely,

Gwen

Gwen O'Daniels

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26 NOV 1999

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Dear Cousin Gwen,

Thanks for your letter of 10 NOV 1999 and for the family details which have now been fully extracted and placed in the appropriate places.

The pictures of Jeff & Virginia you requested are enclosed. I played with the settings on my copier. You can pick the best of the lot.

I have looked over our correspondence to see what else might be appropriate to send to you. I decided on the Profile of Jefferson Davis U (XID-14785) (5-Pages, 11-Items) which is enclosed. If you happen to have or come across more details on Jeff - or his ancestors or descendants that would help us complete the records, I would be happy to have them.

One of these days I am going to start searching my other lines besides Upchurch. So far I have concentrated on the Upchurch

Family - this is and has been & continues to be a challenge.

In any case please let me know if you have questions or if you have suggestions regarding our mutual interest in family history.

I can readily visualize the traffic scene you face. When we were in Davis in 1951-1953 it was a sleepy little town. The traffic here in St Louis is also robust. Fortunately our town of Lake St. Louis is 40 miles west of downtown St Louis. We are on the fringes of traffic but it is getting out to us.

Your report on new business ventures by young people is so right. For the past 5 years I have been playing with our 1500 acre farm (45 drive west of Lake St Louis). Now I am ready to contract with my operator to take care of most of the details. This will certainly make my wife (Gallard) happy as she keeps the books!

All The Best!

Sincerely yours
Phil Upchurch

[ROBERT PHILLIP UPCHURCH]

GWEN NMN STEVENS XID-30052

RECD 18NOV1999

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November 10, 1999

Dear Phil,

I must get this off to you, before another day goes by. I'm doing research on so many lines of our families and I'm having trouble keeping up with my correspondence. The stack of "snail mail" letters seems to be the last thing I get around to finding time to complete.

I would love to have the picture of Jefferson Davis & Virginia Upchurch. I don't have the book on Harnett County, so perhaps you would be kind enough to include the picture with your next letter. I have no further information on Virginia Horton at this time. If I should locate any additional information, I will forward it to you.

I was glad to get the copy of Aunt Ernie's obit. She was like a mother to me. I took her stroke and death very hard.

So you were at Davis for a year? Believe me, you wouldn't know the area now!! The entire Sacramento area has grown too much. Areas that were once farm lands and hop fields are now covered with houses selling from $150,000. - $300,000. The freeway 80 traffic jam is comical, to say the least. My husband and I would love to retire to a small town somewhere, but our daughter and son-in-law are here, and that makes a difference. They are both in law enforcement and if one of them should be involved in an accident, they will need family here. We now have a freeway going through the downtown area bypassing Rancho Cordova and going part way to Lake Tahoe. As soon as ski season starts, that freeway is also jammed. Our once quiet Sacramento area has turned into a Los Angeles in the making!!!

Hope your son does well in his new venture. We owned a successful mortgage broker business for 16 years. It was very good to us, until the government closed all the military bases in Sacramento. The real estate market went "right down the toilet" with the large numbers of people being laid off work. Foreclosed properties were everywhere!! We closed our office in 1995, when we decided it would be nice to let someone else do the payroll, taxes, etc. I believe that you have to be young to make the move to go into business for yourself and after several years, you "get burned out", as we did.

I have answered as much information as I have. I've also included the names and addresses of my 1st cousins who may have additional information to share with you.

Take care and have a wonderful Thanksgiving.

Your cousin,
Gwen O'Daniels

JOHN CLEVELAND UPCHURCH INFORMATION

1. For John Cleveland:
   a. Where did he marry?
      I assume in Buies Creek, but I'm not sure as my grandmother's bible has disappeared since her death

   b. Did he and Lutha have just 4 children?
      Yes

   c. Who was the father of Lutha Almira Stewart?
      John Wash (I have found the middle name shown as Washington, however, Peggy Buffaloe Whitley states that she never heard Lutha call her father anything other than John "Wash". At this point, I have nothing in writing to prove it one way or the other.) Stewart

For Thurman E:
   a. What does the "E" stand for?
      I have no idea. Wish I had Lutha's bible or at least a copy of the information I remember seeing.

   b. Where was he born?
      Again, I assume Buies Creek, but John & Lutha did live in Raleigh at some point and I'm just not sure.

   c. Where did he die?
      Same answer as above

Erna Mae:
   a. When & where born?
      August 12, 1910 - not sure if Raleigh or Buies Creek

   b. When & where married?
      I have no knowledge at all regarding Haywood Buffaloe. A copy of the marriage license for Erna Mae and Derwood Caudle is being sent to me.

   c. Did she have just 2 children?
      Yes

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION FOR HAYWOOD BUFFALOE, DERWOOD CAUDLE, HAYWOOD V. (BILL) BUFFALOE AND PEGGY WHITLEY, please contact one of the following as I don't have answers to your questions or do not feel comfortable giving information on people who are still living:

Bill Buffaloe	Peggy Whitley
4116 Anderson Road	3170 Smithfield Road
Triangle, VA 22172	Knightdale, NC 27545

I HAVE NO INFORMATION ON CLYDE DAVIS OR HIS CHILDREN AS I HAVE HAD NO CONTACT WITH THEM IN OVER 30 YEARS

For Daisy Lea:
   a. When & where did she marry?
      ~~I have no knowledge~~ I HAVE NO KNOWLEDGE. Bo -

For John Lurae, Sr.

a. He was born in 1912, in Grundy Center, IA - I have no further knowledge of him and I do not intend to research him.

For John Lurae, Jr.

a. When & where did he die?
He died January 1948, in Granite Falls, MN

For Gwen Stevens O'Daniels:

a. Where did Teri Lynn marry?
Roseville, Placer County, California in a Victorian mansion

b. Do Teri & Mike have children?
No

For Michael Kraemer:

a. What is his full name?
Michael Allen Kraemer

b. When was he born?
September 24, 1968

c. Where was he born?
San Diego, CA

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28 OCT 1999

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Dear Cousin Gwen,

We returned yesterday from a 4-day trip to Wisconsin and found your letter of 18 OCT 1999 in our accumulated mail. It has now been fully processed and I appreciate greatly what you have sent and your ongoing interest in our shared family heritage. You and I have both had some rough spots in our backgrounds but America has been a good place to overcome difficulties. Your current situation in the banking business reminds me of our son's (BARRY) situation. He was with Price Waterhouse for a time and then with Mercantile Bank in St Louis — also as VP & head of other "stuff". In 1997 he tried to dodge the likely merger of Mercantile (it has now happened) by taking what looked like a promising job with US Bank in Minneapolis. In less than

a year the deal went sour as they had some difficulty absorbing a recent merger and other "things". In any case they offered to let Barry stay at the same salary & some to be defined job as to exercise the "change-in-control" clause in his contract. The latter was much to his advantage financially so he moved back to the St Louis area and has started his own real estate brokerage business - Card enclosed. He is enjoying being his own boss (if you set aside a wife, 3 kids under 6 & a Boxer). It will take another year to see if he can be successful.

Your input was very helpful in upgrading the model outline for the John Cleveland II Family. I hope we can continue this process. Some questions in this regard are enclosed. I realize you will not have & perhaps will never get all of these details. We just have to keep trying. It is amazing the progress we make on some lines

Enclosed are copies of my Profiles for John Cleveland H (7 items) & Erma Mae H (2 items). From these you will see some of the source of my information on your line. Paul T. H was your mothers 2nd cousin. I have also had input from your 1st cousin Michael Ray H.

I have no pictures of Benjamin H. The only one I have for Jefferson Davis H & wife Virginia Horton is the one that appears in the Harnett Co, NC Heritage Book. I assume you have that photo. If not let me know and I can send a machine copy from the book.

I would be especially interested if you know or learn more about Virginia Horton - who was her father, grandfather, etc.. It is quite likely she is related to the Hortons who lived near your & and my Upchurch ancestors in the area of Zebulon, NC. Just as a coincidence the best man and my 1948 wedding was Doug Chamblee whose mother was nee Horton. I know quite a bit about the Horton Family in general.

Yes the UB does have detail from Jubal on back - a huge amount of it

scattered here & there.

By the way - We lived in Davis, CA for two years when I was in graduate school at the University of California.

My records on the Upchurch Groups of Harnett Co, NC are getting more complete all the time but I have a long way to go. On a future visit I'll hope to get a first-hand look at the Area - espenally the Neill's Creek Area. My Uncle James Martin (Hezekiah my father's sister) was minister at the Baptist Church at Neill's Creek Baptist Church about 1920. I do have a history of the Church. Recently I have been working with a related family that lived in the Hector's Creek Area - just west of Neill's Creek.

I was able to sort out your line when I discovered 3 Upchurch Males on the Harnett Co, NC Census for 1850 and was able to tie them to their father Calvin H who lived in Franklin Co, NC. Over time I can tell you more about this saga or you can read some of it in the U B.

Since you are on the Internet and I am not you will be able to access records that I cannot - and thus we should be able to help each other all the more. I'll keep working and organizing things at my end. I just purchased for $50 two books that cover the original mills from Franklin Co, NC for the period 1780-1900 - some more "meaning" is now required.

Looking to hear from you.

Sincerely yours

Phil Upchurch

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MISSING DETAILS ON THE FAMILY OF JOHN CLEVELAND UPCHURCH

28 OCT 1997

1) For John Cleveland U
   a) where did he marry?
   b) Did he have just four children?
   c) who was the father of Luther Almira Stewart?
2) For Therman E. U
   a) what does the "E" stand for?
   b) where was he born?
   c) where did he die?
3) For Erma Mae U
   a) when & where was she born?
   b) when & where did she marry the 1st & 2nd time?
   c) Did she have just two children?
   d) For Haywood Buffaloe
      i) what was his full name?
      ii) when & where born?
      iii) when & where did & where buried?
   e) For Derwood Caudle
      i) what was his full name?
      ii) when & where born?
      iii) when & where did & where buried?
   f) For Haywood Valentine Buffaloe
      i) when & where born?
      ii) when & where married?
      iii) Did he have just three children?

   g) For Peggy Sue Buffaloe
      i) when & where born?
      ii) when & where married?
      iii) Did she have just four children?

4) For Clyde Davis II
   a) where born, where died, where buried?
   b) where married?
   c) Did he have just three children?
   d) For Clyde Williams II
      i) when & where born?
      ii) when & where married?
      iii) Did he have just one child?
   e) For John Emery II
      i) when & where born?
      ii) Did he marry/have children? If so, details?
   f) For Michael Ray II
      i) where was he born?
      ii) where did he marry?
      iii) Did he have just ~~two~~ children?
5) For Daisy Lea II
   a) when did she marry?
   b) where did she marry?
   c) For John Lucas Stevens, Sr
      i) when was he born?
      ii) Is he still living? If not, when & where died & where buried?
   d) For John Lucas Stevens, Jr
      i) when & where did he die?
   e) For Gwen NMN Stevens
      i) where did Teri Lynn O'Daniels marry?
      ii) Does Teri have any children?
      iii) For Michael Kraemer
         (I) what is his full name?
         (II) when was he born?
         (III) where was he born?

GWEN NMN STEVENS XTA-30052

REC'D 27 OCT 1999

October 18, 1999

Dear Cousin,

You really have me curious.....who gave you all the information on my family... in particular, Jerry, Teri and myself? I didn't realize that anyone back in NC knew that much about me since I haven't been back in over 36 years. (I hate to fly. If God had wanted me to fly, He would have given me wings) Aunt Ernie (Erna Mae Caudle) would have been the only person that I would have thought had this info, as she ran out to California, twice before her stroke, but she died in 1993.

I was going to try to print up the information on our family tree, (a work in progress), but I couldn't figure out how to pull just a few names out of over 700. I'm sure that there must be a way, but, I have to do some reading about the software package.

Do you have any pictures of Jefferson Davis or Benjamin?? I have a picture of Virginia Horton and would love to have one of ol' Jeff to go with her.

I'm pretty clear on the line back to Jubal. At that point it gets cloudy. Would your bulletin have anything along this line?? I found Jean on the internet while searching for information on one of my husband's lines and we have been exchanging pictures and information. She seems unclear at that point, also. (Jean and I are related on both the Upchurch and Stewart side, are about the same age, were probably in Buies Creek at the same time as children and didn't locate each other until a couple of weeks ago)

I will be getting back to you shortly to order back issues, etc. My husband has had a layoff from the bank he joined as Vice President in June. A merger didn't go through as expected and the job he was hired for, was not there. All these banking mergers are really playing havoc with people who are not ready or can't retire!! Hopefully, he won't be off work too long.

I do have one correction on the spelling of a name: its DERWOOD CAUDLE.

Like I said before, I have very little information on anyone prior to my grandparents, except the dull statistics. If you have any photographs or documents on anyone going back to Jefferson or Benjamin and their spouses to trade, I'll trade any information and pictures that I have.

Hope to hear from you soon. Now I must get into my family tree and see if I can find where you belong!!

Sincerely,

Gwen O'Daniels

PHIL'S WISH LIST

UPDATED INFORMATION ON THE JOHN CLEVELAND UPCHURCH LINE:

JOHN C. - b. 5 July 1887, in the NEILL'S CREEK COMMUNITY OF HARNETT COUNTY (taken from the book on Harnett County) I feel very sure it was in the county, but not sure exactly where. He died in Harnett County after weeks of hospitalization suffering with cancer.

LUTHA ALMIRA STEWART - she and her large family of siblings were born in Buies Creek. She died 28 February 1976, in Raleigh, while staying with Erna Mae Caudle. She also had cancer and suffered for over a year. She is buried in Buies Creek Cemetery next to John C., Thurman, my mother, Daisy and little Johnny, my brother.

DAISY LEA - was born in Raleigh, NC and died in Letterman Hospital, in San Francisco, CA. She became ill while we were stationed in Japan, sent home on emergency leave, hospitalized on the ship and transferred immediately to the hospital after arriving in San Francisco. She was a large woman, but weighed only 68lbs. when she was buried. She died from a rare disease that only 24 people in the world had had. (I really must send for her death certificate so that I sound as if I know what I'm talking about!!!) She met John Stevens while visiting Clyde, her brother in Seattle. I'm not sure when or where they married. She had only 2 children. One (me) survived to adulthood.

JOHN LURAE STEVENS - was born in Grundy Center, Iowa, about 1912. Other than that, I have no information as he deserted my stepmother and me shortly after he remarried.

JOHN LURAE STEVENS, JR. (JOHNNY) - was born 27 December 1947, in Granite Falls, MN. He was premature and weighed only 2lbs. 8oz. A nurse left the top of the incubator open and he died at 3 weeks.

GWEN (NO MIDDLE NAME) STEVENS - b. 21 November 1944, on an Indian reservation in Mescalero, Otero County, New Mexico. (The first white baby born there!!) I was married on 20 February 1965, in Reno, Washoe County, Nevada to.....

GERALD CALVIN O'DANIELS - b. 17 August 1943, in San Luis Obispo, San Luis Obispo County, CA. We have only one child.....

TERI LYNN O'DANIELS - b. 6 November 1969, in Sacramento, Sacramento County, CA. She married MICHAEL KRAEMER on 6 December 1994.

I guess I should explain that my father was in the Air Force, thus all the travels around the world!!!!

I will check on the location of the marriage of John & Lutha's. Most likely, it was Buies Creek, however, they did live in Raleigh for some time. Bo-

GWEN NMN STEVENS XIR 30052

REC'D 12 OCT 1999

October 7, 1999

Phillip Upchurch
6 Eagles Way
Lake St. Louis, MO 63367-2240

Hello Phillip or should I say cousin,

I obtained your address from another newly found cousin, Jean Amspacher in Virginia. I understand that we are related, as I am the granddaughter of JOHN CLEVELAND UPCHURCH of Buies Creek, NC. Jean and I have been corresponding a couple of weeks now...exchanging information, pictures, *etc. Its been like going back home again.*

I would be interested in any information you may have on my grandfather and his ancestors. I have seen a family tree on the internet that states that this line goes back to Michael Upchurch in England in *the 1600's. Do you have anything to confirm this?? How are we related?? Did you ever live in NC?* I have so many things running through my head right now, I hardly know where to begin!!!

I would be glad to share any information that I might have on this line. I just started researching it, *however, I did live in Buies Creek as a child and knew several of the people mentioned* in the Harnett County Book. Some of the items listed in the book, I don't agree with and some I question. Like I said, I just located the line before JEFFERSON DAVIS UPCHURCH & VIRGINIA HORTON. (No one in my family had taken the time to research the family line further). I purchased software to get all of my husband's families names and notes on a disk before everything "crashes" in 2000, and included with the software was a cd 's with the UPCHURCH family link going back to England. I was certainly surprised to see my grandfather's name on the screen!!!

If you have anything you could share, or any questions of me, please contact me at:

Gwen O'Daniels
2040 Klamath River Drive
Rancho Cordova, CA 95670

Sincerely,
Gwen O'Daniels

GWEN NMN STEVENS XID- 30052

Gwen O'Daniels
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REC'D 25 JAN 2008
while in FL

Gwen O'Daniels

Hi Phil -
Enclosed is a check for the last Upchurch Bulletin. Thanks for mentioning my name. Maybe it will turn up some additional info on Jubal & Calvin. If you should hear anything, I trust you will pass it on to me.

Take care -
Gwen O'Daniels

LBP. 6.08

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9 JAN 2008

GWEN O'DANIELS

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Dear Cousin Gwen,

It was great to talk to you last night and to scheme about how we might work together on Jubal H, I. You are the only one I know who might at present devote time to learning more about this important Upchurch. We know a lot but there is much more to learn.

Several years ago I prepared summary sheets on the census records pertaining to Jubal & his children & grandchildren. As promised I enclose copies of these. I don't know that there is anything new for you here but you can go over them and see. At least it is a place to start in our joint effort on Jubal. From there we should be able to project what we can do next together.

And now to write the next HB issue.

Phil Upchurch

GWEN NMN STEVENS PG1 XID 30052

(1) See Ltr 2JUN 1992 Paul T. U DORPH

I. John Cleveland U of Tho Jubal U/Calvin U Sudduth
— Benjamin U Lewis

↳ Error - should be Stephen U R.PH-8AUG2015

Jubal U, I/ Stephen U Sudduth CJ10

A. Clyde Davis U :

1. Clyde Millhaven U "Buddy" md Ann Curren
   a. Gregory Adam U
2. John Emory U
3. Michael Ray U
   a. Timothy Ray U
   b. Eric Michael U

B. Daisy Lea U md John Isaac Stevens

1. Johnny Stevens
2. Gwen Stevens md Jerry O'Daniels
   a. Teri O'Daniels

(2) 20 JUN 2007

Subject: Contact
From: phil@upchurchstory.com
Date: Fri, Jul 20, 2007 6:18 am
To: irishgentry@softcom.net

Hi Gwen---
This is to make sure we have contact by email. Yesterday I put in The mail to you a package in response to your letter of The 12'th. It does not resolve the issues you have raised but will ,hopefully, set the stage for more interaction.
All Best Wishes. Phil

(3) 20 JUN 2007

Subject: Re: Contact
From: "Gwen" <irishgentry@softcom.net>
Date: Fri. Jul 20, 2007 9:54 am
To: <phil@upchurchstory.com>

Hi Phil,
Thanks for sending your email address. I am sure that it will prove to be very handy in the months to come.
I look forward to receiving the package from you.

Thanks again for taking the time to assist me.
Gwen O'Daniels

GWEN NMN STEVENS PG2 XID-30052

④
21 JUL 2007

Subject: Upchurch package
From: "Gwen" <irishgentry@softcom.net>
Date: Sat. Jul 21, 2007 6:39 pm
To: "Robert Phil Upchurch" <phil@upchurchstory.com>

Hi Phil,
The package you mailed arrived today and I have been busy sorting through it.

I agree that a family "rift" may have been taking place about the time of Calvin's death or at least when his will was written. I really can't think of another reason for him to leave his mother, Charlotte only $1. From the information you provided, I can now see why Calvin left his brandy collection and 2 stills in his will - he may have had something to do with the workings of a tavern. The account book held at the NC Archives may in fact the the one you mentioned as being from Harrison's - maybe a tavern??

I would also like to bring to your attention that you stated that Calvin may have intended for Wright Young, Agnes's 1/2 brother to care for children from the union of Calvin & Agnes (that being, Benjamin, John & Nathan E.). However, Calvin's will states that the "heirs of Wright Young" were to be given the estate at the death of Agnes. From this, I believe that Wright Young was already deceased. I am still trying to turn up these heirs on something, but so far, no luck.

I further believe that the above mentioned Agnes Young Upchurch m. Young Winston in Dec. 1844 and had a son & daughter. By 1850, Agnes is listed as head of household with the 2 children and from the number of slaves listed on the 1850 Slave Schedule, she was still trying to manage the large plantation. By 1860, the 2 children, Fenner & Emma are living in the household of Issac Winston, whom I believe to have been the father of Young Winston then deceased. I also believe that Emma Winston m. John Adams where marriage bonds were taken out in 1866. Fenner is later found in TN with his family.

Thank you for all the information and you can be sure that you will be hearing from me!! With any luck, that elusive document will turn up showing the link between Jubal & Calvin.

I am now off to search the NC State Upchurch site.
Gwen O'Daniels

PS: I am looking forward to your website. Please do keep me informed as to when it will be up and running.

⑤
31 JUL 2007

Subject: Calvin Upch...
From: "Gwen" <irishgentry@softcom.net>
Date: Tue, Jul 31, 2007 12:49 pm
To: "Robert Phil Upchurch" <phil@upchurchstory.com>

Hi Phil,
I just learned that I must change my thinking on the will of CALVIN UPCHURCH (will proven 1844, Franklin Co., NC). I just located an abstract of the Sept. 1844 Franklin Co., NC Court Minutes and discovered that not only was Wright Young appointed as juror for this session, the following was ordered....."Ordered that Wright Young be appointed administrator De Bon non, with the will annexed of CALVIN UPCHURCH decd. & that he enter into bond in the sum of two thousand dollars WM. Wilder & Bryant Young as his securities which is approved by the court."

Like I said, this is an abstract and I am going to try reaching the fellow that posted this abstract and see if I can obtain the original. I have read enough earlyl writings to know that sometimes mistakes can be made in the transcriptions.

So, guess that Wright Young was still living after Calvin Upchurch died and yet he wasn't named in Calvin's will, Wright Young's heirs were. I am sure that Ol' Calvin must be having a good laugh, at me trying to sort all of this out!! It must have made good sense to him at the time, but now, I am full of even more questions. Ah, the joys of genealogy!!!

Gwen O'Daniels

(6)
12 AUG 2007

Subject: Response
From: phil@upchurchstory.com
Date: Sun. Aug 12, 2007 3:09 pm
To: irishgentry@softcom.net

Hi Gwen---
Thanks for your email of 31JUL07 re Calvin U. I'll put a copy in your Biofile and look forward to working on this more in due course. I continue to process materials related to our ancestral home in Franklin Co, NC and know the story has to unfold more completely over time. Let's stay in touch. I am hoping to make a trip to NC this Fall but plans are not yet complete. Phil Upchurch

(7)
13 AUG 2007

Subject: Re: Response
From: "Gwen" <irishgentry@softcom.net>
Date: Mon, Aug 13, 2007 9:52 am
To: <phil@upchurchstory.com>

Hi Phil,
I look forward to learning anything new about the Upchurch line in Franklin and surrounding counties. Please forward my name etc. to anyone descendants or researchers linked to this elusive line.
Gwen O'Daniels

(8)
27 AUG 2007

Subject: Obit - Dunn NC paper
From: "Gwen" <irishgentry@softcom.net>
Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2007 5:26 pm
To: "Robert Phil Upchurch" <phil@upchurchstory.com>

Phil, this appeared in the Dunn paper earlier this month. Thought you would be interested.
Gwen O'Daniels

8/23/2007 3:38:00 PM *Email this article* *Print this article*

△ **Ernestine J. Upchurch, 80** [NEE ERNESTINE MANASCO]

Ernestine J. Upchurch, 80, of Linden died Tuesday, Aug. 21, 2007, at Betsy Johnson Regional Hospital in Dunn.

She was the daughter of the late Luther James and Ida Long Manasco of Mississippi. She retired from the circulation department of the Fayetteville Observer more than 25 years ago.

Funeral services will be held 11 a.m. Friday at O'Quinn-Peebles Funeral Home in Lillington by the Rev. Paul Fowler. Burial will be at Lafayette Memorial Park in Fayetteville.

△+□ Survivors include her husband, John Charles Upchurch*; sons, Chris H. Johnson of Orlando,
□ □ △ Fla., Stephen D. Johnson and wife Patricia of Casselberry, Fla.; daughter, Sheila Susan
△□ Upchurch-Prior and husband Brian Prior of Morehead City; grandchildren, Chad H. Johnson,
□□□ △ □ Christie L. Johnson, Stephanie N. Johnson, Steven P. Johnson and Nikki Prior; brother, James E. Manasco of Texas; sisters, Irene C. Newell and Clara M. Singley, both of Mississippi; and several nieces and nephews.

The family will receive friends tonight from 6 to 8 at the funeral home and other times at the home.

Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society, 8300 Health Park, Suite 10, Raleigh, NC 27615.

* JOHN CHARLES U IS GS/O CHARLES HERBERT U OF THE JUBAL U/CALVIN U SUBCLAN - BENJAMIN U LINE

GWEN NMN STEVENS PG 4 XID-30052

(9)
19SEP 2007

Subject: Upchurch family info
From: "Gwen" <irishgentry@softcom.net>
Date: Wed, Sep 19, 2007 1:09 pm
To: "Robert Phil Upchurch" <phil@upchurchstory.com>

Hi Phil,
I received your letter and request for additional family information. I will try to fill in your blanks soon. I can say that my first cousin, Bill (Haywood V. Buffaloe, Jr.) is fighting yet another battle with cancer and at his age, this is a major concern.

Also, I will not be able to give you the names of my 2 grandchildren, but will give the dates of their births. You see, our daughter and son-in-law are both in law enforcement. Our daughter has recently accepted a position to oversee the training of all parole officers in the state - underage offenders. Prior to that, she was a parole officer. Our son-in-law is with the CA Highway Patrol. So you can see our concerns.

Also, I would greatly appreciate you sending a copy of the obit that I sent to you. I am afraid that it got deleted from my computer. Also, I would like to know how her family fit in with our Upchurch family - especially since you stated that it followed the Jubal line.

Will make a few phone calls and get the additional into to you soon.
Gwen O'Daniels

(10)
3 NOV 2007

Subject: Next Upchurch Bulletin
From: phil@upchurchstory.com
Date: Sat. Nov 03. 2007 4:43 pm
To: Gwen O'Daniels <irishgentry@softcom.net>

Hi Gwen---
In about a week I must create UPCHURCH BULLETIN Volume 28 No. 2. If you have any snippet of family information such as births, marriages, deaths, comments, questions or whatever that I might consider including please send me an email or a letter. A number of individuals are being sent this request to see if the electronic world can be used to augment our joint efforts to tell the story of the descendants of Michael Upchurch in America. I hope to place any inputs in the "From The Clans" Section in the Bulletin. It may be necessary to augment, and/or edit inputs for clarity or due to space constraints.
It would be a pleasure to hear from you whether you have anything to include or not.
All Best Wishes!
Phil Upchurch

(11)
4 NOV 2007

Subject: Upchurch info
From: "Gwen" <irishgentry@softcom.net>
Date: Sun. Nov 04. 2007 10:48 am
To: "Robert Phil Upchurch" <phil@upchurchstory.com>

Hi Phil,
I think that the info I sent to you via email is the most recent I have.

Good to hear from you and I hope that your trip to NC was productive.
Gwen O'Daniels

(12)
22 NOV 2007

Subject: Re:
From: phil@upchurchstory.com
Date: Thu. Nov 22. 2007 1:53 pm
To: irishgentry@softcom.net

Hi Gwen---
I spent some enjoyable hours yesterday and today processing your packet of 8OCT07 and your email of 14NOV07 for which thanks. I am mailing a letter with some comments. Sorry it took me so long to get to this. My OCT trip to NC was very productive and I am still doing followup. There was a death in the family of a niece and we found ourselves back in NC again 12-14NOV07. I now have my Website almost ready to go on line. Must now turn to writing the next UB.
Phil Upchurch

GWEN NMN STEVENS PG 5 XID-30052

(13)

14 NOV 2007

Subject: [illegible]
From: "Gwen" <irisngentry@softcom.net> [GWEN NMN STEVENS] Δ
Sent: Wed, Nov 14, 2007 9:52 am
To: "Robert Phil Upchurch" <phil@upchurchstory.com>

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Hi Phil, This appeared in the Dunn Daily Record on the date listed.....Gwen

11/12/2007 11:07:00 AM

John C. Upchurch, 71

John Charles Upchurch, 71, of Linden died Friday, Nov. 9, 2007 at the VA Medical Center in Durham.

Mr. Upchurch was born in Harnett County, the son of the late Fred E. and Agnes Bethune Upchurch. He was a U.S. Navy (Seabees) veteran. He retired from the construction industry as a superintendent.

Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. Tuesday at O'Quinn-Peebles Chapel in Lillington by the Rev. Paul Fowler. Burial will follow at Lafayette Memorial Park, Fayetteville.

Survivors include a daughter, Sheila Susan Upchurch-Prior and husband Brian of Morehead City; stepson, Stephen D. Johnson and wife Patricia A. of Casselberry, Fla.; grandchildren, Chad H. Johnson, Christie L. Johnson, Stephanie N. Johnson, Steven P. Johnson and Nikki Prior; sister, Faye Jones of Angier; brother, Donald Upchurch of Dunn; and brother, Ray Upchurch of Falcon.

The family will receive friends from 6 to 8 tonight at O'Quinn-Peebles Funeral Home and other times at the home.

Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society, 8300 Health Park, Suite 10, Raleigh, NC, 27615.

New information = Δ

I. Charles Herbert U s/o James B. U of the Jubal U/ Calvin U Sabdan - Benjamin U. Line.
A. Fred Elbridge U
Δ 1. John Charles U b 22 AUG 1936 (Harnett Co, NC) d 9 NOV 2007 (VA Medical Center, Durham, NC) (Bur - Lafayette Memorial Park, Fayetteville, NC).

He md Ernestine Manasco b Abt 1927 who had been md earlier to Mr Johnson by whom she had 2 children - one of whom was

Δ a. Stephen D. Johnson (stepson) - of Casselberry Fl. M&C) Patricia A —
Δ i. Chad N. Johnson
Δ ii. Christie L. Johnson
Δ iii. Stephanie N. Johnson
Δ iv. Steven P. Johnson

The other Johnson child not mentioned in the obituary - RPU

GWEN NMN STEVENS PG6 XID-30052

(14)
14 DEC 2007

Subject: Update
From: phil@upchurchstory.com
Date: Fri, Dec 14, 2007 10:38 am
To: Gwen O'Daniels <irishgentry@softcom.net>

Hi Gwen—
UB Vol 28 No 2 has been mailed. Quite a few responded to my trial use of emails to get input. I will continue to use this approach on an experimental basis.
My Website "UPCHURCH FAMILY" was born on 8 DEC 07. Please take a look at www.upchurchstory.com and send me a note using the contact form. It will be nice to know that it is working.
Best Wishes for a Merry Christmas!
Phil Upchurch

(15)
15 DEC 2007

Subject: Website Contact form submitted by Gwen O'Daniels
From: irishgentry@softcom.net
Date: Sat, Dec 15, 2007 12:39 pm
To: phil@upchurchstory.com

The following Contact Us form has been submitted to Phil Upchurch:

Name: Gwen O'Daniels

Email: irishgentry@softcom.net

GREAT JOB!! I will be in touch with other descendants so that they may join in learning more about our family. Have a very Merry Christmas. Will be back in contact with you in the new year when I have more time for genealogy.

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(16)
25 FEB 2008

Subject: Upchurch family
From: "Gwen" <irishgentry@softcom.net>
Date: Mon, February 25, 2008 7:10 pm
To: "Robert Phil Upchurch" <phil@upchurchstory.com>

Hi Phil,
I was searching CA records for my husband's ggrandfather and to my surprise, I found the following:

RICHARD D. UPCHURCH is listed in the Great Register for San Luis Obispo County, CA in 1871

Any idea who this fellow was?

Gwen O'Daniels

(17)
25 FEB 2008

Subject: RE: Upchurch family
From: phil@upchurchstory.com
Date: Mon, Feb 25, 2008 7:49 pm
To: Gwen <irishgentry@softcom.net>

Hi Gwen—
What a coincidence. I was just today on the phone to a lady Rita in NC telling her about Richard Dillard U. He was the son of Whitney U who was the son of Moses the brother of your Jubal and my Nathan. Rita is descended from Nancy U , a brother of R. D. U. Until I got in contact with Rita recently I had been unable to find Whitney's missing daughter Nancy born about 1817. This has allowed me to add 70 new family members.
R. D. U. left NC and moved to MO where he left some footprints before moving on to CA. I have a few records on him but need more.
I am almost finished getting my tax records in order which is an annual pain. Soon I will be able to take stock an line up my priorities.
Good to hear from you!
Phil Upchurch

GWEN NMN STEVENS PG 1 NP-30052

NOTE: Entries (18)-(21) on this page are out of order timewise and belong between (9) and (10) on page 4 - NPH

(18)
24 SEP 2007

Subject: Upchurch famil
From: "Gwen" <irishgentry@softcom.net>
Date: Mon. Sep 24, 2007 5:43 pm
To: "Robert Phil Upchurch" <phil@upchurchstory.com>

Hi again Phil,
Thanks for sending the last package so promptly. I can see that I have more information to fill in for you. Will get busy on all of this next week. This week, my time is limited.

I may also be able to share some information on several of the family members. Like the will (shall I say "irregularities") of my gggrandfather, Jefferson Davis Upchurch.

Take care,
Gwen O'Daniels

(19)
8 OCT 2007

From: "Gwen" <irishgentry@softcom.net>
Date: Mon, October 08, 2007 10:51 am
To: "Robert Phil Upchurch" <phil@upchurchstory.com>

Hi Phil,
I have been able to fill in some of the blanks you had on the research you sent on Sept. 19 & 25. How would you like me to send it to you - email or snail mail?

I can tell you that I have 2 recent deaths to add....
DONALD BUFFALOE (it looks like you have him listed as #30030) died Sept. 21, 2007 in Tampa, FL. He was only 50. He was a Viet Nam vet and had a military funeral buried in Tampa. The actual burial took place on Sept. 28, 2007

Also.....PEGGY HOCKADAY STEWART, wife of JEFF STEWART and daughter-in-law of ROSA POE UPCHURCH AND LELAND STEWART died last Saturday, Oct. 6, 2007. I am not sure if your research included her, but thought I'd send this on to you anyway.

Do let me know how you would rather receive the info I would like to share with you.
Gwen O'Daniels

(20)
8 OCT 2007

Subject: Upchurch --
From: "Gwen" <irishgentry@softcom.net>
Date: Mon. Oct 08. 2007 1:48 pm
To: "Robert Phil Upchurch" <phil@upchurchstory.com>

Phil,
After sitting here and sorting through info for you, I have almost 3 full pages of typed data. I feel that trying to send this via email would only "clog" your email box. So, I will get it off in snail mail to go out tomorrow since today is Columbus Day.
Gwen O'Daniels

(21)
8 OCT 2007

Subject: RE: Upchurch family
From: phil@upchurchstory.com
Date: Mon. Oct 08, 2007 1:51 pm
To: Gwen <irishgentry@softcom.net>

Hi Gwen---
Good to hear from you. I leave tomorrow for two weeks of Upchurch in NC. Will have at least three trips to Franklin County. So it will be fine if you will send the information by surface mail. Thanks for your continued interest. Phil Upchurch

GWEN NMN STEVENS PG8 XSD- 3005 3005-2

(22) 26 FEB 2008

Subject: Upchurch family
From: "Gwen" <irishgentry@softcom.net>
Date: Tue, Feb 26, 2008 11:51 am
To: "Robert Phil Upchurch" <phil@upchurchstory.com>

You may already have the following info on the Richard Dillard Upchurch family. I did a very quick search this morning and came up with the following....
CA Great Register listings:
RICHARD D. UPCHURCH -1871, 1879, 1882, 1888 & 1890
WILLIAM H. UPCHURCH - 1882, 1888 & 1890
RANDOLPH D. UPCHURCH - 1882, 1888 & 1890

[NOTE: On 1 MAR 2008 I checked out these details and find they are all in my Profiles and on the Master Outline for the Richard Dillard U, Sr line in the more U / Whitney U Sidebar.]

1880 San Luis Obispo Co., CA - Arroyo Grande Twp....
DILLARD UPCHURCH 60 widower farmer
Susan - daughter 23
Nora - daughter 16
Emma - daughter 13
Robert - son 14
Ella/Illa - daughter 11
Louisa - daughter 9
Dillard - son 6

1900 San Bernardino Co., CA - Redlands - Dist 235
Nathan Johnson 55 farmer b. New York (m. 28 yr)
Kitty H. - wife 46 (b. Aug. 1853 in CA)
Nathan R. - son 24 (b. Apr 1875 in CA) teamster
RICHARD UPCHURCH 80 father-in-law (b. May 1820 NC)
Joseph P. Hohnson 32 boarder

1900 San Luis Obispo, CA Arroyo Grande Twp.
ROBERT UPCHURCH (b. Mar 1869) 31 is found to be a farm laborer in the household of George Bakeman

1900 & 1910 San Luis Obispo CA census
SUSAN UPCHURCH b. Mar. 1863 - 33 is listed as a patient in the county hospital. (Note: in 1910, she is listed as SUSIE and an inmate)

I also located a JOE RICHARD UPCHURCH age 44 b. in CA in the 1910 San Luis Obispo, CA census. He had a wife & a son & daughter.

[Actually Richard Dillard U, Jr - RPU]

Hope this might help. If you need any of these census records, I can print them up and snail mail them to you.

Questions?? Don't hesitate to contact me.
Gwen O'Daniels

(23) 1 MAR 2008

Subject: Thanks
From: phil@upchurchstory.com
Date: Sat, Mar 01, 2008 6:27 am
To: Gwen O'Daniels <irishgentry@softcom.net>

Hi Gwen—
Thanks for your email of the 26Th on CA listings for Richard Dillard U.,Jr. I had some of this and have added the rest to my records. I have Ancestry.com and was able to resolve the entry for Joe Richard U on the 1910 Census. This is an incorrect listing and should be Richard Dillard U.,Jr. As I looked up my Boiofiles on Joe U ,which are many in number, I became intrigued to go back to Ancestry.com to resolve some issues which have been entered in these files in past years. With a computer at hand I now have the ability to research hours on end on issues accumulated in the past. I am sure I can spend an enjoyable two days just on entries for Joe U.
With Appreciation!
Phil Upchurch

(24) 1 MAR 2008

From: "Gwen" <irishgentry@softcom.net>
Date: Sat, Mar 01, 2008 10:36 am
To: <phil@upchurchstory.com>

Glad to be able to share any information. Hope that it may have helped some. I may be able to turn up additional info from San Luis Obispo Co. since my husband is from there. Will let you know.
Gwen O'Daniels

GWEN NMN STEVENS PGG XID-30052 ~~3005~~

(25) 8MAR 2008

Subject: Upchurch update
From: "Gwen" <irishgentry@softcom.net>
Date: Sat, Mar 08, 2008 10:54 am
To: "Robert Phil Upchurch" <phil@upchurchstory.com>

Hi Phil,
Just received the following info from NC.....
WINIFRED UPCHURCH STEWART (daughter of BENJAMIN & LELA PARKER UPCHURCH)
b. May 25, 1918
d. March 6, 2008 in Alabama while visiting her daughter, Judy
funeral - Buies Creek on March 11, 2008
burial - family plot in Buies Creek Cemetery

She had been ill with various problems for years, recently lost her eye sight. With the recent passing of her son, I felt that she would "just give up". They were very close.
Gwen O'Daniels

(26) 8MAR 2008

Subject: Winifred
From: phil@upchurchstory.com
Date: Sat, Mar 08, 2008 3:51 pm
To: Gwen O'Daniels <irishgentry@softcom.net>

Hi Gwen---
Sorry to hear about the passing of Winifred. Thanks for sending the input to me. I have updated my files accordingly. We have today been talking about our next trip to North Carolina. It looks like we will be there in mid-May.
All Best Wishes!
Phil Upchurch

(27) 12MAY 2008

Subject: Family update
From: "Gwen" <irishgentry@softcom.net>
Date: Mon, May 12, 2008 11:10 am
To: "Robert Phil Upchurch" upchurchstory.com>

Hi Phil,
Yet another death to add to your files....
HAYWOOD VALENTINE BUFFALOE b. Feb. 22, 1924, son of ERNA MAE UPCHURCH (BUFFALOE, CAUDLE) died in Triangle, VA on April 24, 2008 from a 20 year battle with cancer. He was buried the following week in the Quantico Military Cemetery in VA. I believe that I sent you the info on his son's death just 6 months ago.

Hope you and your wife are well,
Gwen O'Daniels

(28) 28MAY 2008

Subject: RE: Family update
From: phil@upchurchstory.com
Date: Wed. May 28, 2008 11:43 am
To: Gwen <irishgentry@softcom.net>

Hi Gwen---
Thanks for the input. I will print out and put in my stack to be processed. Sorry for the delay in getting back to you. We just returned yesterday from a 17 day 3300 mile driving trip to NC, VA, MD, and PA. Had a great time but now am behind. And now it's time to write an issue of the UB.
Regards.
Phil Upchurch

GWEN NMN STEVENS PG10 XID 30052 ~~30053~~

(29)
29 MAY 2008

Subject: Upchurch info
From: "Gwen" <irishgentry@softcom.net>
Date: Thu, May 29, 2008 12:05 pm
To: "Robert Phil Upchurch" upchurchstory.com>

Hi Phil,
I know that you are busy trying to catch up after your trip, but if I don't forward these items as I find them, I will surely forget or not be able to locate them at a later date. Since this is not my direct line, the info will go into a file to be entered at a later date and you know how that goes!!!

While searching through abstracts of newspapers from San Luis Obispo County, CA, I located the following:
BORN APRIL 19 TO THE WIFE OF _____ UPCHURCH, a daughter.
Source: Democratic Standard of San Luis Obispo May 1871.

By going back to the 1880 census for that county, I believe that this may have been LOUISA UPCHURCH age 9, daughter of Dillard & wife, whom may have been named MARY as found on the 1870 census. However, by 1880, Mary and several children are no longer in the household.

Hope this may be of some help to someone.
Gwen O'Daniels

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(30)
29 MAY 2008

Subject: RE: Upchurch info
From: phil@upchurchstory.com
Date: Thu. May 29, 2008 12:23 pm
To: Gwen <irishgentry@softcom.net>

Hi Gwen---
Thanks for the input. I will print it out and later process it. I tend to get it all done but sometimes it takes a while. As you surmise I have a full platter right now but all will come out right if I just persevere.
Keep those cards and letters coming!
Phil Upchurch

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(31)
1 JUN 2008

Subject: Report
From: phil@upchurchstory.com
Date: Sun, Jun 01, 2008 3:03 pm
To: Gwen O'Daniels <irishgentry@softcom.net>

Hi Gwen---
I am gradually working my way through the back log and have now processed the two items you recently sent, for which thanks again. I agree that the child born in 1871 was Louisa the daughter of Richard Dillard U,Sr. I carry her as the 14th and last child by three wives.
The passing of your cousin Bill was a sad event especially in view of the recent death of his son also from cancer.
While in NC I picked up several documents pertaining to the Jubal U,I Clan to which you belong. It will take a bit of time to work through them.
The Beat Goes On!
Phil Upchurch

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(32)
4 JUN 2008

Subject: Upchurch
From: "Gwen" <irishgentry@softcom.net>
Date: Wed, Jun 04, 2008 10:17 am
To: "Robert Phil Upchurch" <phil@upchurchstory.com>

Hi Phil,
I look forward to learning what you turned up on my Jubal while on your long trip. Surely someday this line will all fit together.

I never asked before - do you also want pictures? I do have one old photo of Jefferson Davis Upchurch and his wife Virginia as well as more current one from the Upchurch line.

Take care,
Gwen O'Daniels

GWEN NMN STEVENS PG 11 XID- 30052 30025

(33) 8 JUN 2008 - RPU Notes of call to Gwen (916) 635-1461

Jerry, presumably her husband, answered. Gwen & I had a nice 15 minute chat. Re (32) I told her I did not concentrate on photos but would be happy to have anything she would send. My main purpose in calling was to learn if she would like to explore Jubal U, I in more depth. She said yes. I explained that I had summarized census records for Jubal and his family. She was agreeable to that. Later we might work together on other aspects of Jubal - my Profile for him for example. Gwen says the CA summer draws her indoors so she can concentrate on genealogy.

(34) 12 JUN 2008

Subject: Upchurch family
From: "Gwen" <irishgentry@softcom.net>
Date: Thu, Jun 12, 2008 5:16 pm
To: "Robert Phil Upchurch" <phil@upchurchstory.com>

Hi Phil,
I was so excited to receive the package on Jubal & his descendants in the mail today. I have gone over each page and will start making notes and see exactly where I can start to turn up additional information.

Attached is a the only picture I have for Jefferson Davis Upchurch 1861 - 1933 and his wife, Virginia Horton Upchurch. Sorry, I don't have a date for this photo. → ORIG TO JDU & COPY TO VH

Again, thank you for thinking of me. I am very pleased to assist in any way I can. I will keep you informed on what I may find.
Gwen O'Daniels

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(35) 22 JUN 2008

Subject: RE: Upchurch family
From: phil@upchurchstory.com
Date: Sun, Jun 22, 2008 9:09 am
To: "Gwen" <irishgentry@softcom.net>

Hi Gwen---
Thanks for the input. I will compare each item to my files and add if not already there. In most cases I can tell at a glance the specific person involved. If you need/desire any feedback on these entries please let me know.
Our home is not impacted by the floods. However, we have business property in the valley below. It is protected by a 500? year levee. Of more importance is the fact that planting on our farms about 50 miles west has been substantially delayed. Sallaine and I were out yesterday to take a look. It's not a pretty site.
We should get the UB issue being written out the door this week.
Phil Upchurch

GWEN NMN STEVENS PG12 XID- 30052 ~~30005~~

(36)

21 JUN 2008

Subject: Upchurch family
From: "Gwen" <irishgentry@softcom.net>
Date: Sat, Jun 21, 2008 12:56 pm
To: "Robert Phil Upchurch" <phil@upchurchstory.com>

Hi Phil,
First of all, I do hope that you aren't near any flood problems!! This has just really been an awful year for extreme weather conditions.

Just wanted to run a few things by you that I have managed to turn up while I wait for books & a cd to arrive on possible Upchurch ancestors in Franklin Co.....
From LOOSE ESTATES PAPERS vol. 1

10-20-1810,
Will of JOSEPH NORRIS names "son-in-law, EATON UPCHURCH & HIS WIFE. MY DAUGHTER. FRANCES". Buyer in the sale of the estate included EATON UPCHURCH, JUBAL UPCHURCH, BRITTON UPCHURCH, KEETON UPCHURCH & CLABOURN UPCHURCH

3-21-1794,
Buyers at the sale of the estate of JAMES PEARCE (widow is POLLEY) include BENJAMIN UPCHURCH. RICHARD UPCHURCH is listed as a security in the bonding of Thomas Ray as guardian of the PEARCE children.

(no date) JUB EL & BENJAMINE UPCHURCH named as buyers in the sale of the estate of ABEL STRICKLAND

1-30-1816
BRITON UPCHURCH is listed as a buyer in the sale of the estate of PETTIPOOL MASSEY

12-29-1796
JAMES UPCHURCH listed as a buyer in the sale of the estate of DAVID JERNIGAN

(no date)
JAMES UPCHURCH listed as a buyer in the sale of the estate of ELIZABETH JOURNAGAN

12-1803
JAMES UPCHURCH listed as a buyer in the sale of the estate of ARTHUR MURPHEY

CROSSFILE JAMES U V & JAMES U VII

1824
JUBAL UPCHURCH named in the listing of accounts in the estate of WILLIAM GREEN

3-1799
MOSES UPCHURCH appointed guardian of minor children in place of PHILLIP PEARCE in the settlement of the estate of ARTHUR PEARCE

3-29-1802
RICHARD UPCHURCH named as a buyer in the sale of the estate of JORDAN WILLIAMS

[RICHARD U, III]

10-5-1802
WILLIAM UPCHURCH listed as a buyer in the sale of the estate of CAPT. WILLIAM JEFFREYS
(spellings shown as they appeared)

GWEN NMN STEVENS PG13a XJD-30052

(37)

2JUL 2008

Subject: Upchurch family
From: "Gwen" <irishgentry@softcom.net>
Date: Wed, Jul 02, 2008 5:58 pm
To: "Robert Phil Upchurch" <phil@upchurchstory.com>

Hi Phil
Received the Upchurch Bulletin today and quickly turned to the pages of the new things found in Franklin Co.

The date on the tomb stone interested me. On a whim, I went to Ancestry.com and punched in the surname of Upchurch with a death date of 1833 in NC. Several family tree members had JAMES UPCHURCH b. 1770 d. May 1833 in Franklin Co. (This was James that was married to Elizabeth Thany Butler). No source information was listed. Now, I have used the internet enough to know that anything placed online that doesn't list a source that can be traced is usually of little use. More than likely in genealogy, information is picked up from another's tree and it seems to "breed" whether correct or not. Believe it or not, I even found one tree that had me married to my dad!!Just thought that I should pass this on to you as a possible lead, unless you have already located James's grave.

COPIED FOR "OLD U CEM 1833 & FOR BIOFILE OF JAMES U, VII

Also, I searched through death certificates from Franklin Co. and found several that said they would be buried either at the home site or the Upchurch Cemetery. Could there have been more than one cemetery known as the Upchurch Cemetery as the one you mentioned had only 3 stones? The list I compiled from these death certificates had death dates in the 1800s.

I will be calling you with a few ideas and/or questions in the coming weeks. Right now, I am getting notes together and I want to have a list of things at hand when I do call.

On page 13 of the bulletin, you listed THURMAN UPCHURCH as a person involved in some way with the Green Hope School. Do you have any further information on him?

Hope you are your family are well and the flood waters are gone.
Gwen O'Daniels

SEE RPU LTR 13JUL 2008 RESPONDING TO (37) & (38)

(38)

11 JUL 2008

Subject: Upchurch family
From: "Gwen" <irishgentry@softcom.net>
Date: Fri, Jul 11, 2008 11:46 am
To: "Robert Phil Upchurch" <phil@upchurchstory.com>

You may have already discovered this, but wanted to forward it on today....
It appears that AGNES YOUNG UPCHURCH WINSTON m. LITTLE BERRY JOHNSON on Sept. 4, 1850. LITTLE BERRY JOHNSON is found living in the AGNES WINSTON household in the 1850 census. Up until this time, I thought that he was only a worker as he is some years younger than AGNES.

In checking further, I found that a LITTLE BERRY JOHNSON m. ROENA UPCHURCH on Dec. 30, 1851. Could this ROENA by the daughter of LITTLE BERRY UPCHURCH??

At this point, I am going with this theory along with the possibility that AGNES, the widow of CALVIN UPCHURCH may have died prior to the 1851 wedding of ROENA & LITTLE BERRY JOHNSON, as I can't find her later. Am I on the correct track?

Also, I finally found the WRIGHT YOUNG family - minus WRIGHT YOUNG! As you recall, in CALVIN UPCHURCH's will, he left his estate to the legal heirs of WRIGHT YOUNG at the time of his wife, AGNES's death. WRIGHT YOUNG was appointed "administrator De Bon non, of the will annexed of CALVIN UPCHURCH, deceased" in the Sept. 1844 Franklin County Court Minutes. The family apprears in Franklin Co., Harris Twp. on both the 1850 & 1860 census with MORINA YOUNG head of household. She is also listed as having slaves on both the 1850 & 1860 Slave Schedule, so it appears that she and her oldest son were trying to continue farming. The 1860 census lists a surprisingly large dollar amount for the children's personal estate. I felt quite sure this was the correct family, however, I needed something to show Wright Young as the father. I traced one of the children found on the census and pulled up his death certificate and there it was - WRIGHT YOUNG WAS LISTED AS HIS FATHER. Thsi group of YOUNGs were in an area called YOUNGSVILLE in Franklin Co. around 1935.

Will have the grandkids for several days starting tomorrow, so I will have to put this aside for a while.

From a very smoky CA
Gwen O'Daniels

[MORINA YOUNG: MRS MARIWA YOUNG WIDOW OF WRIGHT U]

GWEN NMN STEVENS PG13b XIR 30052

(39)

21JUL 2008

Subject: Upchurch, etc.
From: "Gwen" <irishgentry@softcom.net>
Date: Mon, Jul 21, 2008 6:12 pm
To: "Robert Phil Upchurch" <phil@upchurchstory.com>

Hi Phil,
Received the latest package and was very excited!! I can see that we are on the same "wave link" on most things. I have a list of questions for you and will try to remember to call at a time that won't disturb your meals, etc.

I will also see if I can turn up additional info to "fill in your blanks" on the pages you sent.

Is it better for you if I use snail mail or email to send new info? Either way is fine with me. I am just glad to find someone that I can discuss this very interesting line with. Sometimes one just needs another person to listen and perhaps bring up something that had been missed.

I can tell you now that I have Calvin's entire will - some 3 pages that was witnessed in 1842. He was very exact as to who got what - even mentioned his 2 stills & his brandy collection that should go to his wife along with everything else other than the $1. he left to each of his siblings and mother. Calvin did not stipulate in this will that Agnes could not remarry or that he "lent" the property to her as I have found in several wills of that time. I feel that she must have either left Franklin Co. or died around 1850/1851 when Little Berry Johnson married for the 2nd time. I can't seem to find her even in TN. I am now wondering if there may have been another will since I found mention of Calvin's will being administered by Wright Young and the word "annexed" was used. Would be glad to send you a copy or transcribe it for you, if you'd like. I'm not sure how much additional paperwork you want, so I just always give my source information.

Thanks for the info and know that I am still "digging" into this line. Will keep you informed as to what I find.

My best to your wife.
Gwen O'Daniels

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(40)

22JUL 2008

Subject: Response
From: phil@upchurchstory.com
Date: Tue, Jul 22, 2008 4:18 pm
To: irishgentry@softcom.net

Hi Gwen---
Thanks for yours of the 21st. It really is exciting to have someone to work with that will actually do some digging. It quickens my pulse. My wife says all I need is a little encouragement and I go into orbit.
You can call most any time. I am up and working between 5 and 6 seven days a week so you can start at 6 if you so desire. I am early to bed and usually in bed reading by 9. Eating only takes ten minutes unless I convince my wife to join me with a bottle of Riesling in the dining room. Then we talk on and on.
I have just checked and find I do not have a complete will of Calvin U. Would be happy to have a copy and a transcription if available. I seem to recall that at some point his estate proceeded to administered de bon non which if I recall means that part not already done.This usually happens when there is a change of administrators for some reason. But now I can't put my hands on the reference.
I am am happy to work by email. However, most of my records are kept manually so I prefer to send those by surface mail. Could do it by scanning but I pretend I am to dumb to do that.
I continue to encounter things that could be useful in the search you and I are doing. I'll share them over time.
It's great to be working with you.
Phil Upchurch

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(41) 25JUL2008 Gwen called and we had a nice chat. She will send a copy of the will of Calvin U. She asks - who was the son of Little Berry U shown as age 10-15 on the 1830 census.. We discussed Neills Crk Bapt Church & I mentioned adjacency of 2 Upchurch Families in Harnett Co, NC 1860 & 1870

GWEN NMN STEVENS PG14 XID-30052

(42)
5 AUG 2008

Subject: Upchurch family
From: "Gwen" <irishgentry@softcom.net>
Date: Tue, Aug 05, 2008 6:21 pm
To: "Robert Phil Upchurch" <phil@upchurchstory.com>

Hi Phil,
Thank you once again for all the information. It was a big surprise and I started "digging" right away.

In our last phone conversation, you mentioned Nancy Hobby and I couldn't locate her next door to my Benjamin Upchurch in Harnett Co., in 1850. It took me a few minutes to sort this out, but I now see that there were 2 Benjamin Upchurch households listed in Harnett Co., in 1850.

My Benjamin Upchurch household.....
Benjamin 28
A. B. (Arabell Medlin Upchurch) 30
Temp Medling (Terperance Medlin, Arabell's mother) 55
J. B. 9 male (James Benjamin b. Aug. 15, 1851)
J. C. 6 male (John C. aka: KIT) b. abt. 1853
Ste (?) 4 male (I believe this might be the Steven Edward Upchurch that is buried in Lillington, NC Old Hill Cemetery) b. abt. 1858
J. C. 1 male (Joseph Calvin) b. March 7, 1858
Jefferson Davis & Charles Upchurch, the last 2 sons born to Arabell were not yet born.

So, now we have another question: WHO IS THE BENJAMIN UPCHURCH THAT IS ALSO IN HARNETT COUNTY in 1850??? I would be willing to bet that he was indeed a relative of NANCY HOBBY as you mentioned.

Oh how I wish these people had kept records!! Then again, it this "addiction" of mine would be much too easy!!

Take care,
Gwen O'Daniels

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(43)
5 AUG 2008

Subject: Upchurch family
From: "Gwen" <irishgentry@softcom.net>
Date: Tue, Aug 05, 2008 6:34 pm
To: "Robert Phil Upchurch" <phil@upchurchstory.com>

CORRECTION!! I miss typed the census year!! My last email should refer to the year of 1860.
Gwen

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(44)
6 AUG 2008

Subject: Two Benjamins
From: phil@upchurchstory.com
Date: Wed, Aug 06, 2008 8:02 am
To: irishgentry@softcom.net

Hi Gwen—
Issue resolved. I assumed that the Ben U on the 1860 Census and the B. U on the 1870 Census in Harnett were for Benjamin U and that it was your Benjamin U. Not so. The Ben and the B refer to Bennett A U who was, surprise,surprise,– a brother of your Nancy A (U) Hobbie!! I have a huge amount of detail on Bennett who was mysteriously also known as Benton. This should teach me not to jump to conclusions. Thanks for the hint that a resolution was needed.

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(45)
6 AUG 2008

Subject: Re: Two Benjamins
From: "Gwen" <irishgentry@softcom.net>
Date: Wed, Aug 06, 2008 11:24 am
To: <phil@upchurchstory.com>

Hi Phil,
Glad that I could finally give something back for all the help you have been. Just wish the line with Calvin/Benjamin was this easy. Will keep searching.
Gwen

GWEN NMN STEVENS P615 XID-30052

(46)
8 AUG 2008

Subject: Upchurch family
From: "Gwen" <irishgentry@softcom.net>
Date: Fri, Aug 08, 2008 1:19 pm
To: "Robert Phil Upchurch" <phil@upchurchstory.com>

Hi Phil,
I have been able to contact a lady in Franklin Co. that was doing look-ups for me. She is now doing the Franklin Co. site. She found Calvin Upchurch's inventory and placed them online at the following site:
www.ncgenweb.us/franklin/

Go down to "wills" and these are the last items listed. I will be trying to "bring up" the contrast via the computer so that we are better able to read everything. Will let you know if it works!!

These documents show that Calvin was well-to-do or at least had the money to lend. No mention of the stills, though!!
Gwen

(47)
16 AUG 2008

Subject: Inventory
From: phil@upchurchstory.com
Date: Sat, Aug 16, 2008 4:32 pm
To: "Gwen O'Daniels" <irishgentry@softcom.net>

Hi Gwen---
Re your email of the 8th we have been occupied with house guests and thus away from family history. Am now back in the saddle.
I was able to go to the Franklin County web site and to down load the pages from Book L that dealt with the estate of Calvin Upchurch. I did not have this and have made it a part of Calvin's Biofile. The copy I obtained is not clear in all respects. I am not sure how valuable the details would be from a family history standpoint but I like to capture even minor details. Even the names of neighbors are of interest. I can read some of the names but not all. It seems that part of the record implies that a lot of people owed Calvin money. It sort of reads like He ran a store and the list represent accounts payable at the store. At some point I hope we can get a better copy.
Am working hard to catch up. Maybe someday.
Phil Upchurch

(48)
25 AUG 2008

Subject: Upchurch questions
From: "Gwen" <irishgentry@softcom.net>
Date: Mon, Aug 25, 2008 5:47 pm
To: "Robert Phil Upchurch" <phil@upchurchstory.com>

Hi Phil,
Trying to get a clearer copy of Calvin Upchurch's inventory found in Franklin Co. Will forward one to you if it works.
Questions:
1. Do you know the parents of ANN MEDLIN that married STEPHEN in 1841?

2. I show that STEPHEN & REBECCA (CHAMBLEE) UPCHURCH had a child in 1828, do you have a name or even sex of this child?

There seems to be a "web" around the UPCHURCH, MEDLIN & CHAMBLEE lines and I need to try to sort it all out. So far, I haven't been able to locate any of TEMPY (TEMPERANCE) MEDLIN'S family other than my ARABELL that married my BENJAMIN.

Also, just received documents from NC Archives in Raleigh on my Benjamin's application for pension from the Civil War.
Benjamin was in the 2nd Co. C, 36th Regiment NCT (2nd Regiment N. C. Artillery) and the following was found in the roster of that unit which was compiled by Louis H. Manarin and stored at the Archives in Raleigh::
"UPCHURCH, BENJAMIN, Private
Resided in Harnett County, where he enlisted at age 34, February 26, 1862 for three years. Present or accounted for through August 1864. Captured at Fort Fisher: January 15, 1865 and confined at Point Lookout, MD. until released after taking Oath of Allegiance: June 21, 1865."

I found this interesting since Lee surrendered in April of 1865 and Benjamin wasn't released until June of that year. Either the North was slow to release those captured or Benjamin was a rather stubborn fellow that would not take the Oath of Allegiance right away.

Still digging,
Gwen O'Daniels

GWEN NMN STEVENS PG16 AID-30052

(49)

19 SEP 2008

Subject: Upchurch
From: "Gwen" <irishgentry@softcom.net>
Date: Fri, Sep 19, 2008 10:40 am
To: "Robert Phil Upchurch" <phil@upchurchstory.com>

Hi Phil,
Just wanted to let you know that I did receive the latest info from you a couple weeks ago. To be honest, I haven't really had time to "dig" into it all, but I am beginning to see that Stephen Upchurch, the brother of Calvin could have been the father of my Benjamin. I will need to do more reading of what you sent

I still need to find the link with the Medlin family (Ann, 2nd wife of Stephen), Arabell (1st wife of Benjamin), Hartney, living next door to Tempy Medlin in 1850. It was in Hartney's household that Benjamin was found. There is a link, but I haven't located it yet.

Still hunting,
Gwen O'Daniels

(50)

26 SEP 2008

Subject: Upchurch family
From: "Gwen" <irishgentry@softcom.net>
Date: Fri, September 26, 2008 11:11 am
To: "Robert Phil Upchurch" upchurchstory.com>

COPY MADE FOR BIOFILE OF JUBAL U, I
For A - copies made for Brayfield 8 AUG 2015 — RPU

Hi Phil,
You may have all of this info from the Franklin Co., NC Loose Estate Papers, but I thought that I'd better forward it on to you.....Not sure who all of these people were. Need to do more "digging".
Gwen

There is no listings of the estates of Jubal or Calvin Upchurch.

Jubal Upchurch is included in a list of "Inventory of money and bonds" for the estate of William Andrews Sr. Feb 1821

Jubal Upchurch is included in a list of "Notes due to or from" for the estate of George Bell 3 Aug 1819

Jubal Upchurch is included in a list of Jurors for Sept court 1821

Estate of William Hall 1819 - 1820. At the end of this listing is the following:
1821 - 1823 Judgement against Thomas Dunn admr of William Hall interstate dec'd in favor of William Harrison. Wake Co. Grey Dunn was a witness in Nathaniel Dunn and Stephen Outterbridge vs Thomas Dunn, Jubal Upchurch, John Carpenter & Thomas Dunn admr of William Hall dec's. Elias William summoned in same.

Jubal Upchurch is included in a list of buyers at the estate sale of Brittain Harris 9 Jan 1815

Jubal Upchurch is included in a list of accounting for the estate of Stephen Outterbridge. Note says named (mostly for notes on). Mar Court 1829

Jubal Upchurch is included in a list of "Notes on" for the estate of James Spivey, 4 Jun 1817

Jubal Upchurch is included in a list of "Notes on" for the estate of Timothy Tharp 17 Nov 1821

Jubal Upchurch is included in a list of buyers at the sale of property for the estate of Richard Upchurch on 1 Apr 1817

Jubal Upchurch is included in a list of buyers at the sale of property for the estate of John Williams (sometime between Nov 1820 - Feb 1821).

Estate of James Yarbrough: 2 Mar 1814 Judgement against William Williams & Jabal Upchurch in favor of James Yarbrough's excrs.

Jubel Upchurch is listed as a buyer at the sale of property of the estate of Richard Massey. 1 Nov 1815

No entries for Calvin Upchurch, nor Wright Young

GWEN NMN STEVENS PG 17 XID- 30052

(51)
26 SEP 2008

Subject: RE: Upchurch family
From: phil@upchurchstory.com
Date: Fri, Sep 26, 2008 11:30 am
To: "Gwen" <irishgentry@softcom.net>

Hi Gwen---
Thanks for the input. I may have some of these but will add them to my Jubal U Biofile. I need to make an overview document to summarize what is in the Biofile with things in chronological order and cryptic comments to make the document interesting but still brief.
Phil Upchurch

(52)
6 DEC 2008

Subject: Upchurch info
From: "Gwen" <irishgentry@softcom.net>
Date: Sat, Dec 06, 2008 1:16 pm
To: "Robert Phil Upchurch" <phil@upchurchstory.com>

Hi Phil, The following obit was published in the Dunn Daily Record and forwarded to me yesterday, Dec. 5th. I am uncertain if the exact date of death was last week or Dec. 3rd. Will follow-up. Gwen

Morgan Johnson "Tony" Upchurch
Mr. Morgan J. "Tony" Upchurch, 80, of 280 S. Church Street, died Wednesday at Wake Medical Center in Raleigh.
Funeral service will be 11:00 a.m. Saturday at Coats Baptist Church. Officiating will be Rev. Jesse Mooney. Burial will follow in Harnett Devotional Gardens.
Mr. Upchurch was born August 24, 1928 in Harnett County to the late Malcom Calvin and Mary Electa Johnson Upchurch. He was preceded in death by several brothers and sisters.
Mr. Upchurch retired from the Federal Government as manager for ASCS Farm Service Agency, as well as from the North Carolina Department of Motor Vehicles as a License Examiner. He was a member of Coats Baptist Church and served as a deacon, a Sunday School teacher and in many other capacities.
Surviving are: wife, Ruth Cobb Upchurch; daughter, Jenny Ruth Martin of Cary; sons and daughter- in-law, Tony Michael and Kim Upchurch of Sherrills Ford, Joseph Calvin Upchurch of Claremont; sister, Becky U, Pope of Coats; four grandchildren, Drew Martin, Chase Martin, Clint Upchurch and Caleb Upchurch.
The family will receive friends from 6:00-8:00 p.m. Friday at Rose & Graham Funeral Home in Coats.
Flowers are welcomed, however memorials may be made to the Building Fund of Coats Baptist Church, PO Box 297, Coats, NC 27521.
Condolences may be sent to the family at www.rosegrahamfuneralservices.com

(53)
6 DEC 2008

Subject: RE: Upchurch info
From: phil@upchurchstory.com
Date: Sat, Dec 06, 2008 3:34 pm
To: "Gwen" <irishgentry@softcom.net>

Hi Gwen---
Thanks for the Obit on Morgan U. He and I corresponded in the 1980's but then fell out of touch. I took a break from writing the UB to process the details and picked up several bits of information. The four grandchildren were new to me and I have given them XID numbers and created and filed Biofiles for them. Appreciate the input.
Phil Upchurch

(54)

Subject: Upchurch family
From: "Gwen" <irishgentry@softcom.net> [GWEN NMN STEVENS]
Date: Thu, Feb 19, 2009 12:07 pm
To: "Robert Phil Upchurch" <phil@upchurchstory.com>

19FEB 2009

Hi Phil,
I am back to my "digging" once again after major kitchen remodel.

Can you give me the given name for a G. A. UPCHURCH that applied for a pardon after the Civil War? At the time of this request, he was in Wake Co. I found a person that could possibly be correct age wise (65) in the 1880 census, but in looking further, I discovered several death certificates that listed births well into the 1890s and a father of Galden (?- hard to read). So, I am not sure about the family in the 1880 census.

Also, you mentioned that you had JOHNSONs in your line. I have been looking into that line of my own and wonder if you may have a WILLIAM ALLEN JOHNSON b. abt. 1817 and his wife, ELIZABETH ANN AVERY b. 1826. They were married in Johnston Co., in 1846 and had 14 children.

Hope you and your family are all well.
Gwen O'Daniels

(55)

Subject: RE: Upchurch family
From: phil@upchurchstory.com
Date: Thu, Feb 19, 2009 2:01 pm
To: "Gwen" <irishgentry@softcom.net>

19FEB 2009

Hi Gwen---
On the basis of what you have reported I conclude that your G. A. U is Golden Almon U.,Sr b 1815 d1893. He was a Capt in the Civil War. He was the illegitimate son of Tabithia U D/O Nathan U.,I. I have considerable information on him and on his descendants. If you can let me know the questions that he brings to your mind I might be able to help.
I do not find anything in my Biofile System about the Johnson/Avery couple you describe.
Welcome back to digging.
Phil Upchurch

(56)

Subject: Re: Upchurch family
From: "Gwen" <irishgentry@softcom.net>
Date: Sat, Feb 21, 2009 11:25 am
To: <phil@upchurchstory.com>

21FEB 2009

Hi Phil,
I ran across the application for a pardon document and couldn't match up G. A. as I hadn't researched that line. I just hate it when I run across something and I can't "fit" them into their proper place.

Thanks for helping me once again.
Gwen

(57) 2 JUL 2009
I sent a blind copy of my email of 2 JUL 2009 7:10 AM to Michael Kay H to Gwen

GWEN NMN STEVENS PG19a XID-30052

(58)

2JUL 2009

Subject: [FWD: Talk in Apex on 12 May 2009]
From: phil@upchurchstory.com
Date: Thu, Jul 02, 2009 6:43 am
To: "Gwen O'Daniels" <irishgentry@softcom.net>

Hi Gwen--- ↗ mike is to RPH 1JUL 2009 2:14 PM

See email below from Mike (Michael Ray U.), your first cousin. He attended the Talk I gave in Apex, NC on 12 MAY 09 and signed only as Mike U. It took me a while to learn that he and I had exchanges years ago. I will maintain contact to probe his interest and see if he wants to meet when I am in Raleigh next month. In the meantime I have two questions for you. One is--Have you had contact with Mike an if so with what result? Number two is--Would you be willing to briefly summarize where you think we stand on the linkage between Calvin and Benjamin? I don't know if Mike is interested in this or if he can be enticed to become interested. (I find that you and I are exceptions in being willing to concern ourselves with such matters). It might be that I could use your summary in the next UB if you are agreeable.

With All Best Wishes!

Phil Upchurch

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(59)

3JUL 2009

Subject: Upchurch family
From: Gwen <irishgentry@softcom.net>
Date: Fri, Jul 03, 2009 11:34 pm
To: phil@upchurchstory.com

Hi Phil,
Will try this once again... Our minds must be running along the same paths as I was going to send you an email later this weekend and then I found the ones you sent. Since we last corresponded, we have survived a major kitchen remodel and a computer crash. With the computer, I lost everything!! I thought that I had a backup of all my genealogy research on a flash drive, but it was empty. To this day, I'm not sure what I did or didn't do to save the data. The other flash drive with all my pictures was OK. As panic subsided and I tried to look on the bright side of things, I started digging and found an old backup cd that I had used a year and half ago. Then things didn't look so bad as I only had to pull documents for that last year and half and get them entered into the computer. I have never been so glad that I have insisted on documentation and more documentation which I file in various note books. Any unvarified information I keep filed in filing cabinets to follow-up later. It was a very busy few weeks here, but now I am up and running once again.

You asked me about Michael or Mike as he wants to be called now. (He will always be Michael to me - just as he was when we were growing up in Buies Creek.) Several years ago, I notified him as to how he could obtain his dad's military records from NARA and gave him what I had at the time on the Jefferson Upchurch/Virginia Horton family. He in turn sent me some pictures of our grandfather. We did have a brief phone conversation, but sadly, I was unable to "light a fire under him" and get him interested in doing any research. He did have an interest, but whether it was the lack of time or desire to do the leg work, I can't say. I must add here that I have been very disappointed in my first cousins in NC as they just don't seem to have a desire to do any searching. They do however want to know what I find. Now, Michael & I seem to keep in touch only by Christmas cards. He and Hilda did become grandparents for the first time and he may now have more interest. I wish that I had known you were trying to locate him - I might have been able to save you some time. Also, I do have copies of the attachments you sent to me. I believe that Winifred Upchurch Stewart gave these copies to me as she aged and no longer could travel to research.

Ah, now for the big question in my life - WHO WAS MY BENJAMIN'S FATHER? There is not a week that goes by that I don't try to find another avenue to search that could answer this on going question. I have located a lady in Franklin Co., that will copy items that I locate, but so far, I have only been able to turn up the inventory for Calvin's estate. I have located the family of Wrigh Young, and his children have large net worths listed on census records, which may have been from Calvin's estate after Agnes's death. I have found mention of an addendum to Calvin's will filed with the court by Wright Young and hope to get a copy of this item as soon as I can trace down the page #, etc. The fires in the court houses in both Franklin County and Harnett County may have destroyed documentation that may have helped. Even the Neills Creek Baptist Church had a fire that destroyed all of the Upchurch records of those family members buried there. I have had no luck in locating Benjamin's death certificate either, although I am almost positive that he died in Harnett Co. I even tried to turn up information going to the Medlin side of the family, but those that I contacted had no idea that Tempy Medlin and her daughter Arabell (Benjamin's 1st wife) were in Harnett Co. I have tried to get in touch with cousins in the McLeod family - Aunt Annie Bell Upchurch, my grandfather's younger sister, married Levy McLeod - with no success. LDS lists 2 tapes/cds that they have titled Cumberland Co. marriages and I need to get to the local LDS library and have them order these for me. I honestly doubt that they will contain anything other than the marriage bond information, but it is worth a try. I know that someone must have that little piece of paper that lists Benjamin's father - finding it might be a big problem. Still, I want to solve this missing link and continue looking.

(59) 3 JUL 2009 - CONTINUED

That being said, I must admit that I have even started looking at Stephen Upchurch (Calvin's brother) being Benjamin's father as some have suggested. In looking at the 1840 census for Calvin's household in Franklin Co., there appears another male in the same age group as Calvin. Stephen's first wife had died and could it have been possible that he moved in with Calvin withhis sons? I did not locate Stephen on the 1840 census in either Wake or Franklin Co. I know that this is reaching a bit, but I am willing to look in all areas as being a possibility. Believe me, if I ever locate that needed document, you will be the first I call!! It is strange to me that the Upchurch members that moved to Harnett Co., are so hard to trace. Now, from Benjamin b. in 1829/1830 down, I do have several generations traced via census, death certificates and cemetery information. If this is what you would like, let me know.

I almost forgot the reason I was going to write - did I send you my $10. for the bulletins for 2009? If not, please let me know so that I may get a check off to you. Also, I did enjoy studying the last issue, but I always do.

Have a great 4th,
Gwen O'Daniels

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(60) 4 JUL 2009

Subject: **Long Email**
From: **phil@upchurchstory.com**
Date: **Sat. Jul 04, 2009 6:03 am**
To: **"Gwen O'Daniels" <irishgentry@softcom.net>**

Hi Gwen---

It arrived 11:34 last night. Thanks. Sorry about all your computer troubles. Just last Monday I transferred all my stuff to a flash drive.

About Michael, I have pushed about as hard as I can so will wait for his response. I have the same experience as you report about getting cooperation. Still every now and then I find a Gwen.

Here are some comments on our mutual interest in locating Benjamin's father:

1. Have we pursued the two young men who were also on the 1850 Cumberland County, NC census with Benjamin? I have always presumed they were three brothers. The two seemed to disappear but if found might yield important information.
2. What evidence do we have that my proposal that Benjamin is the son of Calvin is incorrect?
3. I am currently spending several hundred hours extracting the 2008 Franklin County Heritage Book. There is the possibility something helpful could surface--a long shot.
4. There are now several types of "message boards" for Counties. I have a little insight on them but so far am too klutzy to be effective using them. Maybe you could. Still a long shot.
5. Do we have others that have an interest in finding evidence on the father of Benjamin? Even one more person would be a plus.
6. Do you have more ideas to add to this "Thinking List" ?

Happy Fourth!

Phil Upchurch

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(61) 4 JUL 2009

Subject: **Re: Long Email**
From: **Gwen <irishgentry@softcom.net>**
Date: **Sat. Jul 04, 2009 11:56 am**
To: **phil@upchurchstory.com**

Hi Phil,
Glad that I finally got your address right!! Now to answer your questions.....
1. Did we find the same Benjamin on the 1850 Cumberland Co., census? I have Benjamin age 20, a laborer, in the household of Hartney Medling and living nextdoor to Temperance Medling age 42 and a female Arabella Medling age 22 in that household. I am sure that this "Medling" should read Medlin. The other laborers in the Hartney Medling household had the surnames of Horton & Bell/Ball.

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2. I found an old message on a board, put there by a lady with the surname of STODDARD and she mentioned "an old genealogy that said that Benjamin was the son of Stephen and he left the area." I have contacted her twice over the years and asked about this genealogy that I believe she said was done in or around the beginning of the 1900s, but she has never replied. If this does exist, I sure would love to get my hands on it to see if there could possibly be valid information in it. Like I said, I am trying to look in all directions to solve this big question. I just feel that I have missed something, somewhere and when and if I am lucky enough to get a break, I am sure that I will be telling myselt that if I had just gone one step further, I would have solved the issure much earlier.

3. Good luck with the Heritage Book. I have done the same thing with one from Harnett Co., but the information submitted was of little help.

4. I have been searching the various message boards for several years as well as postings on various surnames. I have had very good luck doing this and found so many cousins, (linked up cousins from WA to my paternal line in IA before several of them passed away; helped an O'Daniels descendant in New Zealand without email find her correct line in NY and even located an ancestor that allowed me to join DAR - but not in the Upchurch line. I keep hoping for that one contact. Just to let you know that these boards do work, just a few weeks ago, a lady contacted me regarding a message that I had posted on my William A. Johnson family . I posted this message way back in 2000. We are currently sharing information,

5. If only we could find others interested in solving this or even just do some digging!

6. I am constantly looking for suggestions and will do any searching along any avenue. I know that Benjamin had a father, so why is it so hard to find him? (I had much less trouble tracing down a family of Hortons that were born out of wedlock - still not sure exactly who the father was, but I did trace down the siblings and their descendants. I will have to admit that it wasn't easy getting people to talk about this, but I had several conversations with a wonderful lady in her 90s - she lived to be 104 - and she quietly told me the stories) So, all that being said, if you should think of anything that I may follow-up on, please by all means, let me know. I am always open to new ideas!!

Now, I am off to peel a large bag of fresh peaches a neighbor just gave us. Peach cobbler for dessert tonight!!
Take care,
Gwen

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(62) 4 JUL 2009

Subject: Upchurch family
From: Gwen <irishgentry@softcom.net>
Date: Sat. Jul 04, 2009 4:28 pm
To: phil@upchurchstory.com

Forgot to mention that the biggest reason that I am questioning whether Calvin was my Benjamin's father is the will left by Calvin. It was worded in such an exact manner - to leave everything to Wright Young's children at Agnes's death and not mention or leave anything to his own children????? This is a very big issue in my mind.

Gwen O'Daniels

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(63) 6 JUL 2009

Subject: Upchurch family
From: Gwen <irishgentry@softcom.net>
Date: Mon, Jul 06, 2009 11:41 am
To: phil@upchurchstory.com

Hi again,
I got to digging into my "unverified" files and found the message that was posted on Genealogy.com regarding the "old genealogy" on the Upchurch families.....
According to an old genealogy written in 1899, Stephen Upchurch & Rebecca Chamblee's children were: Benjamin, married and lived in Cumberland Co., NC; Jack, went to MS; Calvin went away; Lucinda went away and Lottie who married Jack Philips and went away. The message continued to say that Lucinda was in the 1850 census in her father's household. Does any of this make sense to you???

The Jack that is listed would more than likely be the John that we have listed as a sibling of my Benjamin. There was a Calvin Franklin & Wake Co., but I thought that he was linked up to parents. Lucinda is new to me. I did find a LUCINDA PHILLIPS as head of household on the 1870 Wake Co., census. She is living 2 houses down from Stephen.

Still looking,
Gwen

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(64) 18 JUL 2009 - RPU exchanged emails with Carla Tate re D'Ann - Got correct email address for D'Ann from Rocky Strickland.

GWEN NMN STEVENS PG21 XID-30052

(65)
19JUL 2009

Subject: Re: [FWD: RE: D'ann Stoddard]
From: Gwen <irishgentry@softcom.net>
Date: Sun, Jul 19, 2009 10:53 am
To: phil@upchurchstory.com

Hi Phil,
D'Ann Stoddard did respond to an email I sent earlier this year and asked how she could be of help. However, when I responded and questioned her about the "old genealogy" she had mentioned, she did not reply as when I tried to get an answer or two years ago. Maybe you'll have better luck. I'll keep my fingers crossed. Have a good trip to NC. Hope you get home with lots of new information.
Gwen

(66)
19JUL 2009

Subject: [FWD: RE: D'ann Stoddard]
From: phil@upchurchstory.com
Date: Sun, Jul 19, 2009 6:21 am
To: "Gwen O'Daniels" <irishgentry@softcom.net>

Hi Gwen--
I'll followup.
Phil Upchurch

(67) - sent email to D'Ann Stoddard 20JUL 2009

(68)
27JUL 2009

Subject: Upchurch message just rec'd
From: Gwen <irishgentry@softcom.net>
Date: Mon, Jul 27, 2009 9:41 pm
To: phil@upchurchstory.com

Hi Phil,

Just rec'd this message at Ancestory message board.... Do these names mean anything to you other than my Benjamin??

Gwen O'Daniels

Re: Rebecca Chamblee b. 1807

nadamidkiff (View posts) Posted: 28 Jul 2009 2:32AM GMT
Classification: Query
Stephen and Rebecca had a child named Benjamin Chamblee b. Oct 29, 1830 who married Arabella Medlin. Benjamin & Arabella had 7 known children.

Rebecca died bef 1841 and Stephen then married Ann Medlin.

A Chamblee researcher put together a genealogy book in 1891. He said of this family in his book:

From Rochter Portland Chamblee book, written 1898:
"Stephen & Beckey (Chamblee) Upchurch:
Benjamin (married and lived in Cumberland Co NC)
Jack (went to Mississippi)
Calvin (went away-don't know where)
Lucinda (went away-don't know where)
Lottie (married Jack Phillips-went away)"

D'Ann Stoddard
dastoddard@aol.com

(69)
28 JUL 2009

Subject: RE: Upchurch message just rec'd
From: phil@upchurchstory.com
Date: Tue, Jul 28, 2009 6:27 am
To: "Gwen" <irishgentry@softcom.net>

Hi Gwen---
This entry is sort of what we have heard before. I wonder if it somehow relates to the email I sent to D'ann on 20 JUL 2009 from which I have had no response. I assume the entry "Benjamin Chamblee" is an error and the person entering it meant to enter "Benjamin Upchurch". Otherwise we have another strange twist which is possible but not likely.
The person making the entry is D'ann but it seems to be in response to and inquiry by a person whose email is <nadamidkiff> . You might email this person and see what you can learn.
I propose to do more looking on this subject and have it among my "To do" piles but that must wait until our two week trip to NC and the aftermath has been accommodated. We leave tomorrow.
Best!
Phil Upchurch

(70)
28 JUL 2009

Subject: Upchurch email
From: Gwen <irishgentry@softcom.net>
Date: Tue, Jul 28, 2009 11:17 am
To: phil@upchurchstory.com

I am sure that D'Ann sent this message to someone that didn't want to leave their name and they just copied it and forwarded it to me. I still haven't heard from D'Ann. I agree that the use of Chamblee as a surname was in error and I have only 5 children for Benjamin & Arabell not the 7 the message mentioned. Still, I sure would like to see this old genealogy information that was mentioned.

Have a good trip and I'll keep my fingers crossed that you will find more information to sort through.
Gwen O'Daniels

(71)
26 AUG 2009

Subject: Report
From: phil@upchurchstory.com
Date: Wed, Aug 26, 2009 3:42 pm
To: "Gwen O'Daniels" <irishgentry@softcom.net>

Hi Gwen---
We are back home and working to take care of the large amount of data collected on the two trips to NC. I can report that on 5 AUG 2009 Sallaine and I had a delightful visit with Michael Ray Upchurch and wife Hilda in Raleigh at their office. He recalls his cousinship with you with pleasure. Over the years he has had an on again off again interest in his heritage. He seemed to want to know more of what I have found and on 17 AUG 2009 I wrote him suggesting ways to follow up. I have not heard from him but live in hopes. Still, I do not get the idea that he would go digging. For one thing he is working hard to keep his business going which we can all understand is a priority. They were most cordial and invited us to come back again.
Our efforts to contact D'Ann over the summer has come to naught. Maybe one day she will get back in the game. As you and I and others continue to explore the parentage of the three Upchurch men on the 1850 Cumberland County, NC Census surely our efforts will be rewarded.
Til Next Time!
Phil Upchurch

(72)
28 AUG 2009

Subject: Re: Report
From: Gwen <irishgentry@softcom.net>
Date: Fri, Aug 28, 2009 12:18 pm
To: phil@upchurchstory.com

Glad that you and your wife had a good trip to NC. I am still looking for any documentation that may solve the issue of Benjamin's (born 1829/1830) parents. I have just been contacted by a descendant of Wright Young's line. Maybe that is the avenue I need to take since Wright Young was either the half'brother or full brother to Agnes Young Upchurch.

I did go back to the original message from D;Ann Stoddard and searched the names that were listed as being born to Stephen Upchurch & his first wife, Rebecca Chamblee. I found that of those I could find, this old genealogy done in 1899, was correct. I am still looking for 2 Upchurch males that "went away". I also tried to locate a phone number for D'Ann Stoddard, but had no luck. I thought that if I got her on the phone, she would have to answer a couple questions.

As always, I will let you know when and if I locate the solution to this issue that is taking up most of my time.
Gwen

(73)
2 JAN 2010

Subject: 2010
From: phil@upchurchstory.com
Date: Sat, Jan 02, 2010 9:55 am
To: "Ann Grebing" <thegrebings@bellsouth.net>

Hi Gwen---

Just a note as the year begins to wish you the best.

Last year was good to our family and in fact the last decade was wonderful for us. A lot was accomplished on Upchurch family history in 2009 and the year ahead looks promising as well. With a GPS device, a deed mapper program and a digital camera in hand my challenge now is to make them all work in concert on the computer and to interface the results with computer maps. All this is a big challenge for an old geezer like myself.

A high priority for me in 2010 is to get more components ready to ship to the Upchurch Collection at N. C. State University. Each component has to be well documented and this takes time. Also, more needs to be done to augment the Endowment to support the Collection long term.

Our travel plans for the next period are not firm but several options are under consideration. We hope to go to AZ in May to see grandson Michael graduate from Arizona State University, to NC once or twice, possibly to give an Upchurch talk in FL and maybe even a trip to Ireland.

With any luck we will find out a lot about Jubal U.,I in the year ahead.

May All good things be yours in 2010.

Phil Upchurch

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(74)
28 JUL 2010

Subject: Upchurch family
From: Gwen <irishgentry@softcom.net>
Date: Wed, Jul 28, 2010 5:34 pm
To: phil@upchurchstory.com

Hi Phil,
I am finally bad to "searching" after several months. My husband started having some medical issues around Christmas and that has taken all of my time.

Just wanted to touch bases with you on what I have found in trying to prove the information in the Procter Chamblee genealogy mentioned by D'Ann Stoddard.... I have located the 2 daughters at various times on census records and I have also located a JACK UPCHURCH that joined the Confederate Army in Mississippi (39th Reg. MS Infantry Co. I mustered in as Pvt. and out as a Pvt. Do you think this fellow could have actually been the son of Stephen & Rebecca (Chamblee) Upchurch and mentioned in the above mentioned genealogy done in the late 1800s? You will recall that in the genealogy work, "Jack went to MS". If so, then every person mentioned as being children of Stephen & Rebecca has been found except for Calvin.

I look forward to your thoughts.
Gwen O'Daniels

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(75)
1 AUG 2010

Subject: Benjamin
From: phil@upchurchstory.com
Date: Sun, Aug 01, 2010 8:10 am
To: "Gwen O'Daniels" <irishgentry@softcom.net>

Hi Gwen---

You email of 28 JUL sent me scurrying off in several directions and I will try to assemble some thoughts/questions.

First, I am sorry about the medical problems in your household and trust things will continue to get better. It is great to have you back in the genealogy effort.

I do not have Proctor Chamblee in my files. Can you put me in the picture? Were the two daughters you mentioned his?

Let me suggest that we have now two "Tracks" under consideration re the father of your Benjamin U.

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GWEN NMN STEVENS PEGY XST-30052

(75) 1 AUG 2010 – CONTINUED

Track One is the one I have long pursued which is that Benjamin was the son of Calvin and the GS of Jubal U., I. This is supported by the fact that Calvin had in his household on the 1840 census three males ages 5-10. I have hypothesized that these are the three males on the 1850 census of what was Cumberland County, NC later to be Harnett. In opposition to this is the fact that Calvin's will makes no provision for children, a serious blow to my theory. The children in the Calvin household in 1840 could be children of relatives living with Calvin. Need to research this idea.

Track Two is that Benjamin and Calvin and John on the 1850 census in Harnett are the sons of Stephen U., brother of Calvin. Note that Stephen has in his 1830 Franklin County, NC household three young males. Do their ages fit Benjamin, Calvin, and John? I have long had in my files the Jack U CSA from MS you mentioned but with no linkage. Now I find there was a John U age 25 on the 1860 census of Madison County, MS shown as an Overseer born in NC. I think we should continue to explore the prospect that he was the same as CSA Jack and was a brother of your Benjamin.

I have two items to report re Stephen U which may not be of much help in our search re Benjamin. One is that Stephen's son Bryant had a daughter Minnie b1881 who is buried in the Old Methodist Church Cemetery on Midpines road about a half mile from where I was born and raised in Swift Creek Township, Wake County, NC. The other is that I have come to know a descendant of Geneva U who was a daughter of Stephen and I visited he and his wife while recently in NC. He is Roy Leon Lynam. His ancestor was John Calvin U 1877-1938 an illegitimate son of Geneva.The son was reportedly fathered by Cas/Cos Ray but I find no record of such a person While he has some interest and has agreed to show me sites on my next visit it is his wife who is the researcher. From them the story unfolds that Stephen found his way to northern Wake County to work in the Mill at the Falls of the Neuse and descendants remain in the area as does Roy.

Another incidental item is that I have come to know M/M Gerald Leonard of Louisburg, NC and visited with them and have continued exchanges. He is a local, she is not. He is not Upchurch related but has numerous family ancestors in Franklin County. One is that he is a descendant of a 1/2 brother of Agnes Young who married Calvin. They have supplied me much detail for my files now all processed.

Look forward to our exchanges.

Phil Upchurch

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(76) 8 AUG 2010

Subject: Upchurch genealogy
From: Gwen <irishgentry@softcom.net>
Date: Sun, Aug 08, 2010 1:05 pm
To: phil@upchurchstory.com

Hi Phil,
RE: your email dated August 1, 2010...

I am afraid that I did not give you the correct name of the person that did the CHAMBLEE GENEALOGY in 1898 (1891?). His name should have read: ROCHTER PORTLAND CHAMBLEE. This fellow's grandfather, JOHN CHAMBLEE and REBECCA CHAMBLEE UPCHURCH's (wife of Stephen, son of Jubal) father, JAMES B. CHAMBLEE were brothers. D'Ann Stoddard has mentioned this genealogy in several messages that have been posted on various message boards.

This genealogy work is quoted as saying:
Stephen & Becky (Chamblee) Upchurch
* Benjamin (married and lived in Cumberland Co., NC)
**Jack (went to Mississippi)
Calvin (went away - don't know where)
***Lucinda (went away - don't know where)
****Lottie (married Jack Phillips - went away)

Some on (68)

* I am beginning to believe very strongly that this was in fact my gggrandfather, Benjamin. This work along with the fact that Calvin did not mention any children in his will and the 1830 census for Stephen lists children that could be those listed on the 1840 census for Calvin. I still feel that Stephen was possibly living with Calvin in 1840 when Rebecca was either ill or already passed.

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(76) 8 AUG 2010- CONTINUED

** I believe that this could be the Jack Upchurch in the Civil War, and will continue to try to locate additional info to confirm this

*** Lucinda M. Upchurch m. John W. Grissam on October 25, 1866 in Saline, IL. Could this be the Lucinda mentioned above, or have you already found a place for her?

****Charlotte Upchurch m. Jack Berham Phillips on October 1, 1852, in Franklin Co., NC (from NC Marriage Bonds 1741-1868). In 1860, they are found in Prairie, Center, Arkansas listed as:

J. B. Phillips	25	b. NC
Charlotte	23	b. NC
John H. (?)	6	b. NC
Rebecca	4	b. NC
James L.	1	b. NC

1870 census for Wake Co, NC finds Charlotte Phillips, 32; John 17; Rebecca, 14; Laurena, 12 living 3 houses down from Stephen Upchurch, Charlotte's father. Jack or J. B. Phillips is no longer in the home.

Perhaps with a little more searching, I will be able to locate additional information, but for right now, this Chamblee work seems to be "falling into place".

I look forward to hearing your thoughts on all of this.
Gwen O'Daniels

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(77)

10 AUG 2010

Subject: 1860 Census
From: phil@upchurchstory.com
Date: Tue, Aug 10, 2010 7:31 am
To: "Gwen O'Daniels" <irishgentry@softcom.net>

Hi Gwen---

I put in the mail to you today a letter re your email to me of 8 Aug. Since then I happen to be looking at census records and wish to report the following. We have discussed the three males on the 1850 Cumberland Co., NC census including your ancestor Benjamin and his presumed brothers Nathan and John. We then speculated that John could be the John on the 1860 census of MS. However, I have just noticed that there was a John on the 1860 census of Cumberland. If this is the same John as is on the 1850 census in Cumberland then the John in MS in 1860 (while born in NC) must not be your Benjamin's brother. I'll look forward to your evaluation in due course.

Phil Upchurch

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(78)

14 AUG 2010

Subject: Upchurch genealogy
From: Gwen <irishgentry@softcom.net>
Date: Sat, Aug 14, 2010 8:17 pm
To: phil@upchurchstory.com

Hi Phil,
Received your letter of Aug. 9th and will use the additional information you furnished to continue trying to locate the rest of the children born to Stephen Upchurch & Rebecca Chamblee. I did a quick search earlier today and found several Lucinda Upchurch marriages in various states. I also found a very interesting copy of a death certificate that listed the mother as Lucinda Upchurch. I will have to follow up on all of these to see if they lead to anything worth forwarding on to you

As for the 1900 census you located in SC - household of J. Robert Williams with a sister-in-law, Charlotte Phillips age 66 listed. This would be about correct age wise for Charlotte and I will continue to see what I can turn up along this line. I did find in the 1860 census for George Williams, whom I believe may have been the father of this J. Robert Williams, there was a young girl named Charlotte, Holbruk or Holbrok, age 14. I do find it very interesting that J. Robert Williams wife is listed as Laura L. I will certainly follow up on this also. I do have a feeling about this, but it may prove to be incorrect.

Thanks again for all you help. Wish me luck.
Gwen O'Daniels

GWEN NMN STEVENS PG26 XID-30052

(79)

14 OCT 2010

Subject: Re: The UPCHURCH BULLETIN
From: Gwen <irishgentry@softcom.net>
Date: Thu, Oct 14, 2010 5:21 pm
To: phil@upchurchstory.com

This email in response to 254 RAL sent on 10 OCT 2010

Hi Phil,
If space allows, I would love to have you mention the recent information that has been confirmed regarding the Rocter Portland Chamblee genealogy that was done in 1898 that states that Stephen Upchurch b. abt. 1805 & Rebecca Chamblee were the parents of my gggrandfather, Benjamin Upchurch b. 1830 in Franklin Co. Maybe other readers would have something to add to this. (FYI: still looking for the correct Lucinda that Rocter Chamblee mentioned as being a sibling of Benjamin's.) Did your contact in MS turn up anything on the Jack Upchurch I found in the Confederate Army down there?

Gwen O'Daniels

(80)

15 OCT 2010

Subject: RE: The UPCHURCH BULLETIN
From: phil@upchurchstory.com
Date: Fri, Oct 15, 2010 6:35 am
To: "Gwen" <irishgentry@softcom.net>

Hi Gwen---
I am so glad you responded as I had been thinking of emailing you to ask if we are ready to enter in the UB the exact thing you mention about your ancestors. I think so and am ready to buy into the Chamblee input and to change my records accordingly. Are you on board with going that far? I will have to go back and review my records to be sure I am comfortable wit the new arrangement. Any comments you have before I start my review will be helpful.
My contact in MS did not turn up anything on Jack.
Phil Upchurch

(81)

15 OCT 2010

Subject: Re: The UPCHURCH BULLETIN
From: Gwen <irishgentry@softcom.net>
Date: Fri, Oct 15, 2010 12:52 pm
To: phil@upchurchstory.com

Hi Phil,
Yes, I am as certain as I can be at this time (and we all know that once we start this addiction of genealogy, it is a work in progress) that my Benjamin's partents were Stephen Upchurch and Rebecca Chamblee. After I obtained a copy of Calvin Upchurch's (son of Jubal) will, I have never been comfortable with saying Benjamin was the son of Calvin Upchurch & Agnes Young. Calvin Upchurch was a businessman that kept what seemed to be very exact records in his business. His will seemed to name every item he owned on the various plantations, including slaves by their given names and even 2 stills along with leaving exactly $1. to each of his siblings and his mother. Then, he named the children of his brother-in-law, Wright Young to have any remaining after the death of Agnes. It just doesn't make sense that he would have had children and not name them

When I couldn't locate any documentation that might prove my theory, I decided to search into the Rochter Portland Chamblee book. Although, I have yet to locate the Calvin or Lucinda mentioned in the book as being children of Stephen Upchurch & Rebecca Chamblee, I have located and traced the Lottie (Charlotte) that married Jack Philips and just recently, the Jack Upchurch in the Confederate Army in MS, (which I still want more info on). We know that my Benjamin went to Cumberland Co. and married. So, my tally for locating the children of Stephen & Rebecca now stands at 3, but I am still searching for more proof. In addition, I have a gut feeling that the young boys listed in the 1840 census for Calvin Upchurch (Franklin Co.) could have been the sons of Stephen.

Did I forward my findings about Jack Philips and family in Arkansas to you?

Please let me know your line of thought after you review your records. By the way, it may not mean much, but Benjamin Upchurch & Arabel Medlin's son, Stephen, died young and he could have been named for what would have been his grandfather.

Hope to hear from you soon.
Gwen

GWEN NMN STEVENS P627 XID-30052

(82) 16 OCT 2010

Subject: Next UB
From: phil@upchurchstory.com
Date: Sat, Oct 16, 2010 7:39 am
To: "Gwen O'Daniels" <irishgentry@softcom.net>

Hi Gwen---
Thanks for your input of yesterday 12:52 pm. May I have your permission to use tow two paragraphs in the UB? I like input from Cooperators so that I am not the only one generating words. You have said it well.
Phil Upchurch

(83) 16 OCT 2010

Subject: Re: Next UB
From: Gwen <irishgentry@softcom.net>
Date: Sat, Oct 16, 2010 10:37 am
To: phil@upchurchstory.com

Yes, by all means go ahead and use anything that I may have forwarded to you. With any luck, it may prompt someone out there to add more or even correct my theory. Also, please don't hesitate to give my name, etc. to any other researcher that may want to follow up in any fashion.
Gwen O'Daniels

(84) 18 OCT 2010

Subject: Upchurch genealogy
From: Gwen <irishgentry@softcom.net>
Date: Mon, Oct 18, 2010 11:02 am
To: phil@upchurchstory.com

Hi Phil,
I was just deleting some emails and read the one I sent to you regarding my line of Upchurch family members on the 15th. I had just returned from spending several hours in a dentist chair and did not take the time to proof read what I sent to you. Please, if you do a cut and paste of my wording for the next issue of the UB, clean up my typos!! I laughed when I saw them, but soon remembered that you asked to use some of what I had sent.

Gwen O'Daniels

(85) 18 OCT 2010

Subject: RE: Upchurch genealogy
From: phil@upchurchstory.com
Date: Mon, Oct 18, 2010 11:15 am
To: "Gwen" <irishgentry@softcom.net>

Hi Gwen---
Thanks. Will do.
Phil Upchurch

(86) 25 MAY 2011

Subject: Gossip from CA
From: Gwen <irishgentry@softcom.net>
Date: Wed, May 25, 2011 5:29 pm
To: phil@upchurchstory.com

Hi Phil,
Hope you and your family have managed to come through all the awful storms OK. Not sure exactly where you are in MO.
Gwen O'Daniels

(87) 26MAY 2011

Subject: RE: Gossip from CA
From: phil@upchurchstory.com
Date: Thu, May 26, 2011 5:49 am
To: "Gwen" <irishgentry@softcom.net>

Hi Gwen---
We are fine. Our home in Chesterfield is about 20 miles west of downtown St Louis. The tornadoes have just missed us but the one that did so much damage about a month ago to the airport was about 10 miles north of us. My plan to lead a charmed life is working. The big problem is that it has been too wet to get corn planted on our farms which are about 50 miles west of us. I am doing my part by calling the operators every few days to commiserate.
I rotate from one family history project to another.
Thanks for thinking of us.
Phil Upchurch

(88) 30SEP 2011

Subject: Upchurch news
From: Gwen <irishgentry@softcom.net>
Date: Fri, Sep 30, 2011 10:52 am
To: phil@upchurchstory.com

In response to Upchurch E-Newsletter 20 SEP 2011

Hi Phil,
Thanks for the update on our family. Hope that you have a speedy recovery. Enjoy your rest!!
Gwen O'Daniels

(89) 6JAN 2014

Subject: Upchurch family
From: Gwen <irishgentry@softcom.net>
Date: Mon, Jan 06, 2014 12:42 pm
To: Phil Upchurch <phil@upchurchstory.com>

Hi Phil,
Thank you for keeping me informed with all the updates. I have been slowed in my research as my husband now has stage 4 kidney failure and on a transplant list. We seem to spend much of our time learning about what is to come for both of us with doctors and/or UC Davis Hospital. Hope that I will be able to get back on track early this year.

Take care,
Gwen O'Daniels

(90) 6JAN 2014

Subject: RE: Upchurch family
From: phil@upchurchstory.com
Date: Mon, Jan 06, 2014 3:37 pm
To: "Gwen" <irishgentry@softcom.net>

Hi Gwen---
It is nice to hear from you but I am so sorry about your husbands health situation. Naturally you have to put all of your energies into that matter until he is better. I hope that will be soon. Your mention of UC-Davis is of interest. Perhaps you will recall I got my PhD degree there in 1953. It was a small institution then. I did not realize they had a hospital.
My trip to NC was a great success. One outstanding development was meeting Tony Pearce who has a huge amount of information about Dunn Township and it's people. I'll continue to pursue this with him.
I shall always be grateful for your leading us to understand Benjamin was the son of Stephen and not of Calvin. You deserve an award for your persistence.
Our Allied Families Association is getting off the ground and holds great promise. I'll go into it more with you as your time permits. In the meantime I hope things work out well for you and your husband.
Best.
Phil Upchurch

GWEN NMN STEVENS PG29a XIII-30052

(G1)
7JAN 2014

Subject: Upchurch family
From: Gwen <irishgentry@softcom.net>
Date: Tue, Jan 07, 2014 5:38 pm
To: Phil Upchurch <phil@upchurchstory.com>

Hi again,
Yes, I do remember that you attended UC Davis. The university purchased a hospital in Sacramento years ago and they have turned it into a HUGE complex. It takes up 10 - 12 city blocks which includes a Shriners Childrens Hospital and Ronald McDonald House for families of ill children. Finding your way in and out can be an adventure in itself, as we found out!! Those graduating from the medical program seem to be in high demand. I am sure we will become well adjusted to all of this as time goes by. Gwen O'Daniels

(G2)
3MAR 2014

Subject: A Down Payment
From: phil@upchurchstory.com
Date: Mon, Mar 03, 2014 2:53 pm
To: "Gail Campbell" <olegrandmafarmer@gmail.com>
Cc: "Gwen O'Daniels" <irishgentry@softcom.net>

Note: Gwen got copied on this email but no response from her as of 29 MAR 2014 - RM

Hi Gail---

Our contact last fall led me to a great visit with your aunt Anne and a visit with her to Franklin County, NC in December. I have worked on the various aspects of our interests several time and have made some very good progress. I had hoped to wrap it all up in a nice package but the job kept getting bigger. Now another event has happened causing me to send you this "Down Payment". The event is that we started on a two year investigative plan to pick a retirement home but suddenly came upon a deal we could note turn down. So over the weeks ahead (Months?) we will be storing a lot of our stuff and selling our Villa and moving. You can imagine that my family history work will be slowed as my records will have to be gradually be brought back out of storage. Please be patient with me.

Along the way a connection with Gwen came up so she is copied. I got Anne's email address but it had disappeared. Would you send this to her and let me have her email address? Thanks.

The piece I want to pass along is an Upchurch Caudle connection. Your ancestor Henry Edward Caudle had first cousins Archie H. Caudle and Durwood Ellsworth Caudle who were brothers. Durwood died as a child and Archie named a son after him hence D. E. Caudle,II. DEC,II in 1939 became the husband of nee Erna Mae Upchurch after she had first Md a Mr Buffaloe. Durwood and Erna apparently had no issue. She was of the Jubal U.I/Stephen U Subclan and she visited Gwen.

The above is just one of several family or location connections that have surfaced as a result of our working together. One of these is that there was a Caudle connection to the Smith/Emery cemetery on Tryon Road in Swift Creek Township in Wake County, NC where I grew up (Rhamkatte). The connection is that the aforementioned Henry Edward Caudle married Loretta Alice Emory/Emery, a daughter of the person who owned the farm where the cemetery was located. In due course Loretta had an inheritance from the farm. I continue to sort out the family relationships for those in the cemetery as it all bears upon my work to prepare a history on the Township. Further, it satisfies my curiosity aroused so many years ago when as a child I often mused about the cemetery for which there seemed to be no owners.

I continue to ponder the identity of the Caudle girls that were neighbors and best friends of my mother who grew up in the Township.

There are also Caudle e connections with the Warren and Edwards families that are also among my ancestors.

Gail and Anne have as an ancestor Clellie Oneida Pearce of Franklin County, NC she being an Upchurch descendant of the Richard U.III/Burkely U. Subclan.

I have printed the thumb drive that Anne provided and had a quick look at it but more study is needed.

So, I have done a lot of work and have made extract sheets but now I will have to bide my time while we make our move and the time comes when I can get stuff back where I can get to it again. In the meantime do let me have any thoughts you may have.

Best to All,

Phil Upchurch

GWEN NMN STEVENS PG29 ↓ XID-30052

(93) 23 JAN 2015

Subject: Evaluation of Options for Family Trees
From: phil@upchurchstory.com
Date: Fri, Jan 23, 2015 5:20 am
To: "Gwen O'Daniels" <irishgentry@softcom.net>
Attach: EVALUATION OF OPTIONS FOR ALLIED FAMILIES TO USE IN ESTABLISHING FAMILY TREES ONLINE.docx
OPTIONS TO UPGRADE COMPUTER OPERATION USED BY ALLIED FAMILIES.docx

Hi Gwen----
Since we were last in touch I have moved along quite a bit on our family research effort. Creation of Allied Families has been big step forward. This has now led us to the need to upgrade our computer operations. Knowing of your deep interest in our shared heritage I thought it appropriate to ask you to have a look at the two attachments. I would welcome any thoughts you have on the issues reviewed,
Aside from the above it is quite possible we have more to exchange on the Jubal U. Clan. I hope we can proceed with the enrollment of this family in 2015. I would welcome any thoughts you have on that as well.
With all Best Wishes,
Phil Upchurch

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(94) 29 JAN 2015

Subject: Upchurch family
From: Gwen <irishgentry@softcom.net>
Date: Thu, Jan 29, 2015 12:12 pm
To: Phil Upchurch <phil@upchurchstory.com>

Hi again Phil,
I have been going over your attachments in your last email - several times, in fact. The first thing to come to mind is that you will be undertaking quite a task, to say the least. I understand the result you want, but honestly, I'm not sure that you won't find the path very "bumpy"!! Those of us that have spent years tracing down family links and then verify those links, don't want those that may not have the desire to find the correct information, link into or possibly even add or change information in our family tree. A good example of this would be all the family trees found at Ancestry that are "locked" as private.

Personally, I have not added my trees to Ancestry, although I may in the coming years and they will be marked as private when and if that time comes.

As for Ancestry/Familytreemaker - I have used both and in most cases, I find the navigation an easy process. However, I did have a problem a couple weeks ago with my Familytreemaker that would not open. Two days and several phone calls to Ancestry with email directions coming in, I finally got it to open. It wasn't a "crash", it just would not open. No reason could be given and that is a major concern for me right now. I have 3 back ups now - just in case. In one phone call, the lady did say that soon, Ancestry will no longer carry support for older software and that the newer version of FTM would not work properly on anything older than Windows 8.0/8.1. This sounds to me as if it would be a constant upgrade for everyone interested and one more headache for you. CONTINUED

GWEN NMN STEVENS PG30 XID-30052

(94) 29 JAN 2015 - CONTINUED

I have not gotten back to the Upchurch line in several months. I got sidetracked helping my grandchildren get class projects together on my husband's Mayflower line. The last project is due next month and then the dust should settle a little around here.

Good luck with your project. I wish that I have more to offer.

Gwen O'Daniels

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(95) 29 JAN 2015

Subject: RE: Upchurch family
From: phil@upchurchstory.com
Date: Thu, Jan 29, 2015 2:32 pm
To: "Gwen" <irishgentry@softcom.net>

Hi Gwen-----

Thanks for taking time to go over the family history matters I sent to you. I do have a clear vision of what is wanted for Allied Families and I think as the plan unfolds it will become more and more clear to more people that what we offer has a lot of value. Like you I come at this with many years of experience. At the moment the hurdles we have to overcome are in the area of technology. We are having to school ourselves but we are gradually getting there.

The big picture is that a lot of us spend huge amounts of time and money over many years to collect family history but have inadequate avenues to preserve and share it for the long run. In my case I have the Upchurch Bulletin and I can even negotiate with N. C. Sate to keep my website up long-term but even the UB issues, now all on line, contain only a fraction of what I have. N. C. State will even take my 40 four-drawer file cabinets of information and preserve them in the Upchurch Collection but it will not be easy for family historians to get to see them. All of this has led me to blaze a new trail for family history. I am very hopeful that in the weeks ahead we will be able to make more technology additions that will help us

I hope you will continue to peruse the mailings we will be making and that you will offer such suggestions as you see fit. You are so well informed that after we have cleared away some of the brush in a few months I would like to have more in the way of a personal interaction with you on our status. Perhaps a phone call would be in order. Along the way I hope we can maintain a focus on the Jubal U.I Clan. There is always more to be organized. In the spring I hope to visit NC and I have a tentative date with Michael Ray U., another Jubal descendant , to go see some of his heritage sites in Harnett County.

Good luck with those grandchildren projects.

Phil Upchurch

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(96) 9 FEB 2015

Subject: Upchurch family
From: Gwen <irishgentry@softcom.net>
Date: Mon, Feb 09, 2015 7:16 pm
To: Phil Upchurch <phil@upchurchstory.com>

COPY TO AF- DNA PROJECT

Hi Phil,

I wanted to pass this on to you quickly before I get knee deep into research once again.

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GWEN NMN STEVENS PG31 XID-30052

(96) 9FEB 2015 -CONTINUED

I just got the results from my DNA @ Ancestry and in searching matches with very high ratings (4th - 6th cousin or better) I found 6 different trees with Chamblee family names with one line being the father & mother of Rebecca Chamblee the wife of my Stephen Upchurch. This would go to further prove the theory that Stephen was indeed the father of my Benjamin Upchurch as was found in the Chamblee book of years ago. I will be attempting to contact these people to see if they may have further proof that I am seeking. Will keep you informed.

Gwen O'Daniels

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(97) 21 JUN 2015

Subject: Progress
From: phil@upchurchstory.com
Date: Sun, Jun 21, 2015 11:47 am
To: "Gwen O'Daniels" <irishgentry@softcom.net>

Hi Gwen---

This is sort of an update on our work in Allied Families. First, I can report that we continue to plan for enrolling the Jubal U.,I family to which you belong. I have found a few more descendants and will continue to search for more in hopes of reaching the critical number we need to proceed with this effort.

I have recently been drafting the descriptive statements about a variety of projects we plan to have under the umbrella of Allied Families. One of these is an effort on DNA. At this point I am just accumulating names of individuals who might have an interest in this sort of thing. More detailed organization will come later. I do note from your email of February 9, 2015 that you did have a DNA test run. My question now is ---Would you like to have your name preserved among those who have a potential interest in the DNA approach? This is all very preliminary and we will have to see how it unfolds.

The challenge of working out the methodology for our digital program for Allied Families has been more of a challenge than I would have thought but we are making good progress and in the next month or so should have a lot more to put on line.

Hope all is well in your part of the world.

Phil Upchurch

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(98) 27 JUN 2015

Subject: RE: Progress
From: irishgentry@softcom.net
Date: Sat, Jun 27, 2015 5:51 pm
To: phil@upchurchstory.com

Good to hear from you again, Phil. I can tell you one thing about DNA - anyone having a test done with Ancestry will find more links than any one person can find time to sort. If I had it to do all over again, I would not have had both my husband's and mine done at the same time. On our lines, the hits have come in much faster than expected and from around the world.

I'm not sure what you want other than my name to add to a list. Before I agree, please explain what you have in mind.
Take care,
Gwen O'Daniels

GWEN NMN STEVENS PG32 XID-30052

(99) 28 JUN 2015

Subject: RE: Progress
From: phil@upchurchstory.com
Date: Sun, Jun 28, 2015 5:36 am
To: irishgentry@softcom.net

COPY TO DNA FILES - PAPER & FOLDER ON ADDRESS FILE

Hi Gwen---

Allied Families is in the building stage. We have several activities that are a priority such a enrolling families and creating Family Trees for them on Ancestry. There are other activities that are in the planning stage and should gain visibility on our website in the next few months. Our DNA project is an even lower priority. It will probably not take shape until sometime in 2016. But, knowing of the power of the DNA approach and of the keen interests some have in it we need to have a start. To begin this process your question has caused me to draft the following criteria for a set of lists to be built and maintained as regards a potential DNA Project(or several DNA Projects):

List A--People who are very keen to get started and are willing to have their names an contact information shared with like-minded people.

List B--People who are definitely interested but are not yet ready to share their name and contact information with others.

List-C--People who may become interested but for now prefer me to just keep them informed on our unfolding effort.

List D--People whose name has surface regarding DNA work but who prefer to have no further input to them by Allied Families on the subject.

At some point in the next year I would plan to have special periodic Allied Families E-Newsletters on DNA Activities sent to Lists A, B, and C. Over time I suspect this would lead to a set of committees to implement whatever interests the people have who have become involved.

I would welcome your further comments and an indication of whether you fit one of the lists described.

As you know I am deeply committed to developing Allied Families more fully. However, the DNA project is not high on my personal priority list. Getting the Jubal U.I family enrolled and a Family Tree for him underway is a priority.

Best~

Phil Upchurch

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(100) 1 AUG 2015

Subject: Upchurch family
From: irishgentry@softcom.net
Date: Sat, Aug 01, 2015 11:07 am
To: "Phil Upchurch" <phil@upchurchstory.com>

Hi Phil,
Sorry that it has taken me so long to get back to you. Honestly, I have been having an ongoing discussion with myself as to whether I would be able to assist you with the Jubal line. With all the medical issues our family is now facing, I just don't believe that I would be able to devote the needed time on a consistent basis. However, do keep my name on a list of interest persons in DNA.

Good luck in this undertaking.
Gwen O'Daniels

(101) 8 AUG 2015

Subject: Allied Families -Status of Work
From: phil@upchurchstory.com
Date: Sat, Aug 08, 2015 5:31 pm
To: "Gwen O'Daniels" <irishgentry@softcom.net>
Attach: Enrolled Families STATUS OF WORK.xlsx

Hi Gwen---

This is in response to yours of August 1. This allows me to send you the attached Status of Work for Allied Families. I fully understand that you have medical and other issues that demand

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(101) 8 AUG 2015

your attention and that for now you will have to put helping us with the Jubal Upchurch family enrollment on the back burner. I have just reviewed our extensive and productive exchanges going back a long time. It is clear that we have had and have a lot of mutual interests. I hope there will come a time when you will be able to join us in a more active way. In the meantime I hope you will follow our website as it unfolds. I will have you on our distribution lists and I will keep you on our DNA list.

The attached Status of Work will give some indication of how we are proceeding. We are in one stage or another in enrolling 28 families and hope to have 50 in the pipe line by the end of the year. Of significance is the fact that enrollments beyond Upchurch family names will involve families with whom the Upchurches have been associated for many decades. This way the enrollments will reinforce each other. We are making good progress on creating family trees on ancestry and in creating Group Facebook Pages for each enrolled family. We must recruit within each enrolled family volunteer Tree Masters, Group Facebook Page Administrators and Transcribers. We can get a family enrolled here at Allied Families Headquarters but the pace down the road will depend on volunteer time and on financial contributions from the members within each enrolled family. I hope some will really take off. We will see.

I think our model is a great one and I hope you will offer your advice as you see things progress. In a couple of months our web page should be more robust.

Sending All Best Wishes and trusting that you will be blessed with good outcomes~

Phil Upchurch

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(102) 30 JUL 2015

-------- Original Message --------
Subject: No. 2
From: dastoddard@aol.com
Date: Thu, July 30, 2015 9:53 pm
To: phil@upchurchstory.com

Well, my email blasted off before I was finished! Here is the last part...

I will send you anything I have on Stephen, but probably not a great amount of information. I can certainly try to fill in holes which is

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(103) 1 AUG 2015

-------- Original Message --------
Subject: Re: No. 2
From: dastoddard@aol.com
Date: Sat, August 01, 2015 9:52 am
To: phil@upchurchstory.com

—Original Message—
From: phil < phil@upchurchstory.com>
To: dastoddard < dastoddard@aol.com>
Sent: Sat, Aug 1, 2015 7:59 am
Subject: RE: No. 2

Hi D'Ann---

We seem to be making progress in reconnecting. I will put the Strickland issue aside for now and perhaps return to it later to see if we have mutual interests,

Right now I suggest we concentrate on Chamblee as I think we each have things to share with each other. Since your records are digital perhaps you could seen what ever you think appropriate for Stephen Upchurch and his connections. Later I might be able to use the Gedcom file but for now I prefer something I can print as I am accustomed to working with print documents. (At Allied Families Headquarters I have 20 hours per week of staff time from two wonderful hires who can help me do things like managing Gedcom files and such things). After I have extracted new details from what you send me and have updated my documents I will mail you a hard copy. I think this may very well have details that are new to you. I would need your mailing address.

My interests in the Chamblee records are deep. My lifelong friend Douglas Scales Chamblee Wow, I did not know this! was Best Man at our 1948 wedding and is still living but in bad shape. The Chamblee and Upchurch families intermarried starting in the late 1700's as I recall and there are loose ends to be resolved. Hmmm, really? I didn't think there was anything unresolved on this liaison, except the Ann Medlin children with Stephen U. Hope we will have mutual interests in doing this. I will send you anything you want. I don't think most people realize how much I really have (a whole room full of stuff).

The book you mention sound very interesting. How many pages is it . Many! And there are clues but there are also things that are not quite perfect. Would it be possible for me to pay for a copy to be machine copied for our Allied Families archives?

It looks like we are on a path to define our mutual interests in the Chamblee family.

Thank you for your very kind remarks about my family history work.

Best~

Phil Upchurch

GWEN NMN STEVENS PG34 XJR-30052

(104) 16 AUG 2015

—Original Message—
From: phil <phil@upchurchstory.com>
To: dastoddard <dastoddard@aol.com>
Sent: Sun, Aug 16, 2015 5:39 pm
Subject: Chamblee-Horton-UpchurchAfter we get on teh same page about the Horton book I wil move on to another slice to consider.

Hi D'Ann---
You and I have so many threads of interest that suggest we do a little at a time until we can focus. As a start in this direction I have looked up my Horton Book and want to explore mutual interests in that for now. It is entitled "Descendants of David Horton of North Carolina" by Reta M. Evans of Fort Worth, TX 175 pages. It concentrates on the area just east of Zebulon. I have made an extract sheet to cover the Horton-Chamblee aspects which I can mail you if you will send me your snail mail address. Basically Littleberry Horton b 1788 (Wake Co.,NC) Md Rowena (Bunn) Chamblee the widow of Woodson Chamblee. My friend Doug Chamblee is a descendant of Littleberry as his mother Cassandra Horton (GGD/O Littleberry) married Cleve Chamblee. Are you plugged in on Cleve?
Woodson Chamblee b 1820(Johnston County, NC) was a S/O John Chamblee 1773-1850 (Wake Co., NC).
So, do you already know about the Horton book, want to know more, or??.
Phil Upchurch

(105) 18 AUG 2015

Subject: Re: Chamblee-Horton-UpchurchAfter we get on teh same page about the Horton book I wil move on to another slice to consider.
From: dastoddard@aol.com
Date: Tue, Aug 18, 2015 1:05 pm
To: phil@upchurchstory.com

Yes, I know all the Chamblees and Chamlees and Shamblees and Chambleys and Shamleys nationwide. I have researched them all for 30 years and my mother and grandfather before me.
I tracked Woodson Chamblee's trial and jail escape for a long time. So many newspapers carried that story!

(106) 2 OCT 2015

Subject: Trip to NC
From: irishgentry@softcom.net
Date: Fri, Oct 02, 2015 5:24 pm
To: "Phil Upchurch" <phil@upchurchstory.com>

Hi Phil,
May I suggest that if time permits on your upcoming "outing" to Harnett County, NC, you might have Mike show you the way to the Buies Creek Cemetery where Jefferson Davis Upchurch and most of his descendants are buried. The family story goes that Jeff wanted all his "children" buried near him. Several generations are there including my mother and baby brother, Johnnie Stevens.

Happy "hunting" on your visit.
Gwen O'Daniels

(107) 3 OCT 2015

Subject: RE: Trip to NC
From: phil@upchurchstory.com
Date: Sat, Oct 03, 2015 5:45 am
To: irishgentry@softcom.net
Bcc: "John Upchurch" <upchurch_john@yahoo.com>, "Lissa Wall-McMahel" <lissa@blindpros.com>, "Mike-Avery-14-X Upchurchxx" <Mikeaupchurch@yahoo.com>, "Mike Ray--14--X Upchurch" <mikerupchurch@gmail.com>, "Justin-15 Upchurch" <vt.hokiee@gmail.com>, "Priscilla McLamb" <ca.mclamb@charter.net>, "Dawn-15 Upchurch" <upchurch@ucla.edu>, "Donna Lynam" <dlynam@nc.rr.com>

Hi Gwen---
Thanks for your good wishes. I wil pas your suggstion along to MIke Ray U.
Phil Upchurch

GWEN NMN STEVENS PG35 XIR-30052

(108) 5 OCT 2015

From: irishgentry@softcom.net
Subject: Arabella's burial
Date: October 5, 2015 at 1:49 PM
To: Mike Upchurch mikerupchurch@gmail.com

CC - Δ ARABELLA MEDLIN
Δ Δ BENJAMIN U, MICHAEL RAY U
Δ GWEN NMN STEVENS

These are the directions to the small family cemetery where Arabella (Medlin) Upchurch, Benjamin's 1st wife & our 2x great grandmother is buried. I need to warn you that the people that found this sight are not "locals" and I have tried to get more exact directions from contacts in and around the area, but they don't seem to be sure, either.

Located on Harnett Central Road
Angier, NC

This is from an email of June 21, 2007: "We had heard about the cemetery and persevered until we found it. If you follow Harnett Central Road past the high school toward Mathews Mill Pond Road. It is before the last house on the right. There is copse of trees not far from the road and the very small cemetery is located there. My husband crawled in through some brambles and took the pictures. It is harder to find during the summer when vegetation hides it. It is in very poor condition and I don't really recommend a woman going in there and definitely not alone. The Upchurch marker is in two pieces. The one with the main information is lying on the ground"

This information as well as a picture was taken in March, 2003, so I'm not sure what condition the sight would be in today. I tried to get some interest in trying to clear the area to better preserve it, but those I contacted had other more pressing issues to deal with.

If you or anyone you know happens to venture out to locate this sight, please go prepared to do a "rubbing" of the tomb stone and share it with me. Arabella's date of death appears to be 1857 on the picture I have, but she must have died in 1867, as she appears on census records as "A. B. age 30 in 1860 and she had her last child about that same time. I feel sure that she died from childbirth complications. Arabella's mother moved into Benjamin's home after Arabella's death - I am sure to halp care for 5 sons. In fact, Tempy Medlin, mother in law of Benjamin's continued to live in his household after Benjamin married his 2nd wife.

Please, if you find that Tempy Medlin/Medling is buried at the Neills Creek Cemetery, please, please take down the info and pass it on to me.

Happy hunting, TO APU FROM MICHAEL RAY U 13 OCT 2015
Gwen

(109) 21 NOV 2015

Subject: RE: Documents
From: irishgentry@softcom.net
Date: Sat, Nov 21, 2015 11:34 am
To: phil@upchurchstory.com

Winifred Upchurch Stewart d. in 2008 in Harnett Co.
Gwen

(110) 21 NOV 2015

Subject: Upchurch family
From: irishgentry@softcom.net
Date: Sat, Nov 21, 2015 11:39 am
To: "Phil Upchurch" <phil@upchurchstory.com>

Hi Phil,
I just sent info on the date of death of Winifred Upchurch Stewart. After I sent it, I realized that the documents you mentioned authored by Winifred may have my daughter's family listed. PLEASE DO NOT LIST THEM ON ANY PUBLIC RECORDS TO BE POSTED. Both my daughter and son-in-law work in law enforcemnt and security for their family is most important - especially with the current events. I trust that you will work with me on this.

Thanks,
Gwen O'Daniels

(111) 21 NOV 2015

Subject: RE: Upchurch family
From: phil@upchurchstory.com
Date: Sat, Nov 21, 2015 3:08 pm
To: irishgentry@softcom.net

Hi Gwen---
I certainly understand your concern and will I cooperate. I have checked the two documents Mike sent to me and neither contains the information to which you refer. Further, I have entered a note in my Master Outline under your name about the sensitivity of this matter.
In checking my records further I find I did have the death date for Winifred.
Best~
Phil Upchurch