

HAROLD FRITZ M'DUFFIE, JR. XID-11496

21 JAN 1990

FRITZ M'DUFFIE  
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Dear Cousin Fritz,

Your letter of 16 JAN 90 with the Deakman Co, NC records arrived yesterday. I really appreciate your effort in getting these. They will be annotated and extracted here and a copy sent on to Cousin Mike in NC who is trying to locate the father of his ancestor Hanson U.

Susan U continues to be elusive. Sooner or later I hope we can establish her father. The records are rather good. While in NC in December I got the chance to explore the Moccasin Creek Area in Franklin Co, NC some more. Have now learned that Moccasin Creek was originally called Little Crooked Creek. This may help us place Upchurch's land transactions ca 1775 on the deeds mentioned Crooked Creek. I think it likely that the W K Phillips land will be involved in the Upchurch complex of lands in the Moccasin Creek Area. I am very

I hoped that we can keep up a steady effort to locate the most possible land on which upland history was carried out in the 1700's and the 1800's in Franklin Co., NC. This would help in the case of many other families as well. I do hope our American American Foundation can get underway and that we can acquire a tract of land on the Mallowin Creek basin. Sometime I know came this.

Your comments on the McClary library interests me. I am trying to get the upland's bulletins in a couple of dozen libraries around the country. Do you think the McClary library would be a good prospect. My preference in order of priority.

- 1) They purchase bound volumes
- 2) They purchase issues and bind them
- 3) I give the issues and they bind them
- 4) I give the issues and they accommodate them as loose issues.

Sometimes when you are there perhaps you could explore this with them - as I would be glad to correspond with anyone you might consider appropriate.

All the Best!

Sincerely yours  
Phil Upchurch

[ROBERT PHILLIP UPCHURCH]

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REC'D  
20 JAN 1990

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Jan. 16, 1990  
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Dear Phil,

I'm very sorry that I could not get down to Atlanta to meet you, but I'm glad that Tom was able to be there and represent us. It was good to hear from you by your letter of 1 Jan 1990—did I detect a little white-out there?

*→ Copied for Selray File*  
The other day I got back to the McClung Library in Knoxville to do a little more digging. First I got out the book Tom had mentioned, and then I copied down all the Upchurch references. There were quite a few more than I had realized, because the different sections of the book were not all indexed the same way, but I think I got all of the references. I'm sending you my only copies because I think you are the one who will make use of them. I can always come back to you if I should need your help. I still do not have a connection for Susan Upchurch who married Nathan Pierce(Pearce), and was the mother of Susan Pierce(Pearce), the first wife of William Kearney Phillips XID-989. Let me know if you ever place her on the tree.

I understand you are going or have gone to the computer. I am now using version 2.2 of the Mormon program, PAF for MS-DOS computers. It's only \$35.00 and seems very useful. I don't know what it will do when the numbers of entries approaches yours; I have only about 4,500 entries of McDuffies, spouses, and descendants (not going back up spouses lines).

△ The McClung collection in Knoxville is a splendid genealogical library. Let me know if I might be able to dig up something for you.

Sincerely,

Fritz McDuffie

*Fritz*

*Do you include the W.K. Phillips land as Upchurch land - I have been there and know exactly where it is. I have pictures of the family cemetery on the property.*

*Marriage records for Chattanooga Co, NC placed in marriage record file*

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Chatham Co, N.C.  
Book on <sup>Early</sup> Marriage  
many Upchurches  
Fritz can  
photostat Upchurch  
pages  
~~Begin~~ Beginning 1700

← FROM  
DAVID  
THOMAS  
UPCHURCH

1 JAN 1988

MR H.F. MCDUFFIE  
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Dear Fritz,

Tom Upchurch attended the Upchurch lecture in Atlanta, GA on 8 DEC 87 and passed along the message that you have access to a book on early marriage in Chatham Co, NC. I do not have this and if you could photostat the Upchurch pages and send them to me I would be most grateful. I will be happy to reimburse you for any costs.

Our three week trap out in Dec included several visits to the Moccasin Creek Area of Franklin Co, NC. Some old contacts were re-visited and some new ones made. We continue to try to locate the exact location of the Upchurch land holdings in the area. I feel sure we will eventually succeed.

All the Best.

Sincerely yours  
Phil Upchurch

[ROBERT PHILIP UPCHURCH]



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REC'D  
21 DEC 1985

Dear Cousin,

It's been quite a while since we were in correspondence. I'm enclosing our holiday letter to bring you up to date on the general happenings. This note, tho, is more specifically directed at genealogy.

First of all, I have inherited the custody of the Library of the MacDuffee Clan of America, Inc.; my brother Bruce is the new President of the clan. Along with some books there is a considerable amount of genealogical information which I will be interested in cataloging and in putting into a data base of some sort that will permit easy recall and assembly. There are also some files of information from some older members of the clan who have spent many years studying the wills and land records, together with census and family information in an effort to unscramble the lines of descent of the colonial McDuffies of North Carolina and New Hampshire. These all need to be corraled and properly indexed. So my first question is: how did you handle the large amount of information you must have accumulated relating to the Upchurch family? Do you have a special system, special forms, computer programs or what? I'd really appreciate your opinion. This Spring I'll be considering obtaining a computer hardware and software system that will be generally useful for me and for the MacDuffee clan. Where did you get or how did you develop your one-line registration statement that you include for each person in the Upchurch Bulletin? Is it related to a computer program that can be used to print outlines of ancestry or descendants?

Second, as you can see from the holiday letter, Bruce and I visited the three Giddings. While there we made pictures of the Church and talked with the people now living in the commune. We also got a number of pieces of information and a set of color slides. The book, Nicholas Ferrar of Little Giddings, by Maycock is among the information. It devotes one chapter to the history of the Virginia Company up to 1622, showing the contribution of Ferrar to the ties with Virginia which probably were responsible for the emigration of Michael ~~Giddings~~ Upchurch in 1649. If you are interested I shall be glad to send it all to you for your review (and ultimate return).

Third, I have just received a note from Dorothy Alford, sister of Henry K. Baker (dec). She tells me that she is continuing to work on the family history and genealogy. I hope to get over to see her this Spring. Since all these people are descendants of Elizabeth Upchurch (XID-992) I know you will be interested in the information as I obtain it. I still don't have a connection for Susan Upchurch, who married Nathan Pearce (Pierce) around 1800 and was the mother of Susan Pierce (Pearce), the first wife of William Kearney Phillips, the son of Elizabeth Upchurch. Nathan was the son of Phillip Pearce (Pierce) and Nancy Bunn of Wake County NC; Phillip was and son of Nathan Pearce (Pearce) and Nancy Webster-- down east side of Moccasin Creek, N.C. from north (according to a chart I have). —

Fritz

December 1985

Dear Friends,

The year has been so eventful that we ask your indulgence in reading our review.

We spent January in Florida, mostly relaxing but also playing a little golf and walking and jogging in a nearby park. In February we came home to rejoin the series of concerts, Playhouse productions, Dance Club, golf, Rotary, piano lessons (Fritz) and bridge and swimming (Bette). Tax time in March was accompanied by cleaning up the yard and garden. Then in April we went to the Chattanooga Choo Choo for a District Rotary Conference.

In May we started on a trip to Scotland, Ireland, and England, pointed at the International Gathering of Scottish Clans in Glasgow. On the way we stopped over with cousin Dorothy Gorsuch in Atlantic Highlands and left our car with cousin Dick Holmes in Westfield, with a couple of side trips for genealogical research. We flew from Kennedy to Prestwick, arriving on May 23. A cab from the airport and a train from Ayr took us to Stranraer on the coast where we got a ferry to Larne, N. Ireland. There we were met by Robert Ferguson, secretary of the Ulster branch of the Ferguson Society. Robert had arranged excellent accommodations for us and guided us the next day on visits to Belfast and Armagh. James Ferguson and Jane Dunshee left Armagh in 1794 to come to New York and settle in Delaware County as the progenitors of Fritz's mother's Ferguson line. At the Linen Library in Belfast we had the good fortune to find a newspaper advertisement for the 1794 sailing of the good ship Alexander, on which they came. We obtained a photocopy for our file. In Armagh we saw the old churches and the new policemen-- who live in concrete pillboxes and wear flak jackets while carrying automatic weapons. On the way back to Larne we had tea with Bob and Hannah Ferguson (President of the Ulster branch) in Portadown and passed by the ancient Carrickfergus castle.

The next day, retracing our steps, we arrived back at Stranraer and took the train through Ayr to Glasgow, arriving just in time to see a squadron of police (50-75) escort to the train for England a horde of unruly English soccer fans who had been ejected from the England vs Scotland match. The Belgian incident came a little later.

It was a new experience for us to observe, along with 68 other members, the workings of an International Parliament (our third). The Gaelic name for the clan is MacDhuibshith (son of the black man of peace), the official Clan name is Macfie, and there are many variants including Fee, Cathey, McPhee, Mahaffey McDuffie and McDuffee. Our Parliament was part of an International Gathering of Scottish Clans, sponsored by the Scottish Gathering Trust, so during our week in Glasgow, we attended many functions involving various Clans and groups of Clans. Our Clan representatives came from the US, including Hawaii, Canada, Australia, New Zealand, Scotland, and a special message from Sweden.

Along with other Clan members, we took a trip through the Highlands and visited the Island of Colonsay, the ancestral home of the Clan. It is a 2½ hour ferry trip out from Oban on Monday and back on Friday. The Hotel, the place to stay, featured elegant dining and Cordon Bleu cuisine. We visited all the significant sites, saw the Clan antiquities on the connected isle of Oronsay at the old Priory and had a memorial service and dedication of a plaque to Dr. Farle MacPhee, deceased, the first Commander of the Clan, at the site of the MacDhuibshith Standing Stone, without our own piper in attendance.

We finished our British Isles trip by visiting our niece, Judy McDuffie Churchill, her husband, Captain John Churchill USAF, and their two sons, John and Sean. We stayed at an old English Inn at Ayno, two miles from their modern home, and visited around the area to see the signs of rural and medieval England. We also visited Little Giddings, the point of emigration of Michael Upchurch about 1640 who was the ancestor of Fritz's great great grandfather, Elizabeth Upchurch Phillips. The Upchurch Clan has done a very thorough job of researching their genealogy and we were happy to be able to provide them with some new branches on the tree.

We arrived back in Westfield, N.J. just in time for Fritz's Aunt Carrie's 93rd birthday party, given by her son and our cousin, Dick Holmes. Then we sandwiched in a quick trip up to Camillus, N.Y. to visit Bette's mother before returning to Oak Ridge.

In July we traveled again, to the Scottish Games at Grandfather Mountain, N.C. Brother Bruce was elected President of the MacDuffee Clan of America, Inc. for the next year, and Fritz was designated to become custodian of the Library and Genealogical research records, taking over from Nan McDuffie of Columbia, S.C., who has been Librarian for a number of years. Bruce was all prepared to run the kilted mile for the third year, but some administrative meeting of the officers conflicted.

All plans for weight loss, golf, garden rehabilitation, and summer fun were interrupted July 19 by Fritz's sudden cardiac arrest on the way to a golf tournament as a passenger. Fortunately we were in Oak Ridge near the hospital and the driver quickly got him to the emergency room where CPR was given on the pavement of the parking lot, followed by a couple of jump starts with the defibrillator to restore regular heart action. Subsequent analysis revealed that the culprit was an abnormally low potassium level, undoubtedly caused by a diuretic prescribed earlier with no warning that it was a potassium waster. Nevertheless, a conservative recovery during August was enhanced by a visit from Fritz's sister, Mary Elizabeth Allen, and capped by a stress test on the treadmill September 5th which was passed with flying colors after which normal activities were resumed.

In September we shared a beach front villa at Hilton Head with brother Bruce and Winifred to cheer Bruce on as an entrant in the National Triathlon, sponsored by Bud Lite. Luckily the hurricane passed just to the north of us, but it left a heavy sea and a strong current. The one mile swim up the beach was really tough, followed by a 40 kilometer bicycle ride and a 10 kilometer run to finish, which Bruce did. We were very proud of him at age 64. Imagine 800 bicycles at one time in the hotel parking lot!

Our annual trip to Camillus to close the house for the winter and bring Bette's mother to Oak Ridge for the rest of the year took place in October. We managed to squeeze in a small side trip to Delaware County for some genealogical searching. On the way up we had a delightful breakfast and visit with Bob and Barbara Mahaffey in Camp Hill, PA. Then we went up to Binghamton for dinner with Bruce, Winifred being again in England for her 4th visit to the grandchildren. Peoples' Express may make her an honorary stewardess.

Having rejoined the Oak Ridge Chorus in the early Fall, we participated with them and the orchestra in a November performance of Bach's Mass in B Minor, with soloists, concertists, chamber choir, and full chorus as suggested by Robert Shaw in a special workshop this past summer. We were again glad to host all our family at Thanksgiving: Grandmother Hartkopf; Kurt and Andy and their children, Josh, Lissa, and Amy; David and Linda; Mark; and Greg and Tammy. We are thankful that they are all well and hope that they will make continual progress during the next year. We were saddened, tho, to learn of the death of Fritz's cousin, Edward McDuffie, the first of that generation of Atlanta McDuffies to leave us.

Bette and Fritz joined the Oak Ridge Racquet Club in December for regular aerobics classes, "Fit Over 50", along with the indoor jogging track and the Nautilus equipment. We haven't tried the whirlpool or the racquetball courts yet, but we're trying to keep healthy. Along with the usual holiday round of parties and shopping, we're singing with the choir of the First United Methodist Church in their Christmas programs of The Messiah and a special program of a Bach Cantata.

We look forward to a good Christmas season, to more Florida, more fun in the sun, more golf, more travel, more genealogy, more meetings with old and new friends, and more health and happiness in 1986.

And we wish all good things for you, too, at this joyous holiday season and for next year.

Bette and Fritz McDuffie

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October 9, 1984

REC'D  
13 OCT 1984

Dear Cousin Phil,

- I'm terribly sorry to be enclosing news of a tragedy in  
△ - our line, but apparently Mrs Baker became so deranged that she murdered  
△ - Henry K, Jr and then herself. We knew that she was unstable and that  
several doctors had recommended psychiatric treatment, but she would  
△ - have none of it. Just about the time that Henry K had fixed things so  
that they could retire and enjoy the rest of their life she began to  
show signs of mental imbalance, paranoia, etc, but to many she could  
still appear to be quite sane. I have just heard this sad news from  
A ( Henry K's sister, Dorothy, Mrs W. Harold, Alford, Rt. 5, Box 3618,  
Zebulon NC 27597.

- I expect to visit Dorothy next week on my way up to Central New York.  
She has already said that she will carry on the genealogical work of  
□ - collecting all the records beginning with Alamance Phillips, and we  
will then send them on to you for your files. She sent me the last  
△ page of WKP's will; the only item of interest to you is that one of  
△ the witnesses was B. F. Pearce (29 December 1911). The other was  
△ H. M. Ball, but I thought you would want to know about Pearce.

I will copy the Wake County Marriages when I get a chance, perhaps  
this week. I gave you all I have about the deed-- just a note I found  
in the North Carolinian 4 1958, page 458, to page 43 of the Fall Term 1778  
Wake County Court minutes. When I pass on some information I'll try to  
make sure that you can find it where I found it. Possibly Wake County  
courthouse will have the deed in its registry, if it wasn't burned or  
otherwise lost somewhere some time. I'll have to look at the latest  
issue of the UB at cousin Tom's and copy the WKP biography. I know  
that it will be appreciated.

I'm still chasing McDuffie ancestors in NC but not finding the critical  
one. Maybe next week in Raleigh Archives or in Fayetteville I will find  
something that others have overlooked. If all else fails, I may go to  
the IDS in Utah and see what they know, if anything.

Sincerely,

H. Fritz McDuffie

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Dear Cousin,

Just a note to pass on two bits of information.

1. I ran across a thick book on Marriages in Wake County. It's in the McClung Genealogical Collection in Knoxville, a really good library. If you haven't already seen it, let me know and I'll have some relevant pages photocopied. There are lots of Upchurches in it.

2. The North Carolinian, a genealogy magazine that changed its name a few times subsequently, in volume 4, page 458, 1958 recorded information from the Fall term, 1778 of Wake County Court minutes. Page 43 is said to describe a deed from Elisha Strickland to Richard Upchurch. I don't have any further details but the magazine is also in the McClung Collection.

I'm still spending most of my time trying to run down (I mean account for) all the McDuffies, however spelled, who were in North Carolina up to the time of the 1850 Census, when they were all named for the first time (except the married females who had different names). Maybe I can get it all to come together some day.

I exchanged letters with Victor Clark, who has researched the genealogy of the Scottish Clark family in NC and probably knows something about the Upchurches, Pearces, etc as well. He seems to be very knowledgeable about the Cape Fear River region. His name and address are Victor E. Clark, Jr 14262 Southern Pines Drive Dallas, Texas 75234. He advertised a book on page 179 of the July-August Genealogical Helper.

} write to him  
30 SEP 84

I saw Tom Upchurch the other day. He said he had heard from you, but I don't know whether he has responded.

I now have traced my Phillips line back to Virginia. I found a marriage record in Southampton County, Virginia, for Francis Phillips and Fanny Barham. The date of the license was 3 Jan 1787 and the marriage was 30 Jan by Rev John Maglamre. This book, Marriages of Southampton County VA 1750-1810 was also in McClung, as was a book, Southampton Co. VA by Thomas C Parramore, that had a reference to Hebron (Baptist) Church etc organized in 1788 with John Meglamre (sp) as its first pastor. This places my earliest Phillips ancestor, and possibly Fanny Barham, in Southampton County near the Hebron Church and Meherrin.

I haven't worked up any more on Susan Upchurch who married Nathan Pearce.

Sincerely,

H. Fritz McDuffie

- ① 9 JUL 1984 - RPK called Harold Fritz M<sup>c</sup>Duffie, Jr in Oak Ridge, TN (615-483-9414) to thank him for his letter. He will send details on his bio. Also will send materials which he may want returned. He has just returned from a trip to Moccasin Creek area of N.C. He notes U & B not in N.C. State Archives & they have no \$ to pay for same but will be happy to have them as gifts. Fritz does not object to me publishing the ~~story~~ life story of William Keamy Phillips.

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REC'D  
11 JUN 84

Dear Mr. Upchurch,

Through the kindness of my friend, Dr. D. Thomas Upchurch, of Oak Ridge, I have been put in touch with your extensive and excellent work on the geneology of the Upchurch family in the US.

While tracing the McDuffie family tree in North Carolina, my Uncle Allen MacDuffie had compiled the enclosed chart showing the presence of two Upchurch lines leading to my Grandmother, Bettie Davis Phillips. From your Upchurch Bulletin I have identified XID 67, 994, 992 and 996, which puts my line in touch with the entire Upchurch tree back to Michael. It also will give you some additional entries for your listings.

I am also enclosing a copy of an autobiography of William Kearney Phillips which may be of interest. It gives his first wife as Susan Pearce, and I am inclined to accept that spelling instead of Pierce as on the chart. Your bulletin spoke a number of times of the close relationship between the Pearce and Upchurch families. Perhaps we will be able to help each other by tying Susan Upchurch and Nathan Pearce or Phillip Pearce and Nancy Bunn into your records. I found in UB 4(4) 155 a reference to a Nathan Pearce but he was born in 9 July 1733, some fifty years ahead of my ancestor.\* I'll try to find the source of Uncle Allen's information on these people.

My grandmother, Bettie Davis Phillips married M. V. McDuffie; she had a sister who married J. B. Baker of Spring Hope NC. Their grandson Henry Baker still lives on the old Phillips place outside Raleigh on the way to Zebulon, and I have gotten in touch with him and plan to visit him this week for the first time. I hope to get additional information from him concerning our family line.

\* The note on the bottom of the chart suggests that the earlier Nathan Pearce could possibly be the one you listed as the presumed grandfather of Charlotte, wife of Benjamin. At least the information will give you something to go on.

I will look forward to hearing from you and will be interested in doing some leg work in North Carolina to advance our mutual interests. I will let you know the exact location of the old Phillips place, since WKP said that the Susan Pearce he married lived "in the neighborhood".

Sincerely,

*Fritz McDuffie*

H. F. McDuffie

FRANK Phillips  
(Southampton County, Va.,  
moved to near Penny Hill,  
Wake County, N. C.)

Fanny Barham  
(Wake County, N.C.)

James Upchurch *XID 67*  
*ca 1775 - d ca 1835 Franklin county*  
*webster*

Thany Butler *XID 994*  
*Elizabeth Thany Butler*  
*d ca 1770*

Phillip Pierce\*  
(Wake County, N.C.)

Nancy Bunn

\* Phillip Pierce, son of  
Nathan Pierce and Nancy  
Webster - down east side  
Moccasin Creek, N.C. from  
North.

*XID 996*

John Phillips  
(County Line,  
Franklin County,  
N.C.)

*married 14 Aug 1821*

*XID 992*  
Elizabeth Upchurch -  
*4th child*

*PEARCE\**  
Nathan Pierce  
(Aug. 23, 1783-  
Wake County, N.C.)

Susan Upchurch

William Kearney Phillips  
(Jan. 25, 1831-July 28,  
1914)

County of Franklin on  
line Wake County, near  
Hopkins Chapel

*m. Oct 12, 1851*  
*PEARCE*  
1st: Susan Pierce  
(Wake County, N.C.)  
Oct. 24, 1828  
March 7, 1891

2nd: Mrs. Helen Harris,  
nee Chamblee- no  
offspring

Bettie Davis  
Phillips  
(Nov. 27, 1864  
Jan. 11, 1944)

\* spelling on p. 3 of WKP autobiography

[Note - This sheet extracts history  
books re units in which  
William Kearney Phillips served  
in Civil War  
- RPA]

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Volume 6  
Appendix C Organization of the Army of N. Va.  
Commanded by Genl Robert E Lee Jan 31, 1861

Third Army Corps. Lt-Gen A.P. Hill Commanding  
HETH'S Division - Maj-Gen Henry HETH  
Kirkland's Brigade - Brig. Gen W.V. Kirkland  
47th N. Carolina: Col G.H. Fairbank  
(Pettigrew was formerly brigade commander but killed earlier)

Note re K. Phillips spells HETH as HETH -

References to Kirkland's brigade

8-25 (Wilderness) - near Parker's store -  
on plank road - Kirkland's brigade

29 - morning of 5th - HETH'S Division of Hill's corps  
led on the morning of the 5th on the Orange plank road -  
--- Genl Kirkland's (brigade) on the left of the road.

193 - Totopotomoy & Cold Harbor

Tabular statement of casualties (May 27 - June 1)  
about Genl Kirkland --- wounded.

288 - Movements against Lee's Flank (Va campaign of 64-65)  
during the night of the 29th, Hill, with Kirkland's, Clinch's  
and Colquhoun's brigade & Scales brigade, Wilcox's  
division were brought over. These brigades in all were  
concentrated at and near Fort Colville to assault  
Fort Harrison and its dependent works the following day (30th)  
(of September)

more info under references to Hill & HETH, Genl.  
Genl AP.

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~~July 31, 1984~~

Dear Mr. Upchurch,

How nice of you to call me on the phone all the way from Arizona! I hope you'll visit us some day if you are driving to North Carolina; we're just about 20 minutes to the north of I-40 a little west of Knoxville.

First: The old Phillips place, now the Baker place, is located on Franklin County Road 1726 just inside the Wake/Franklin county line. The community of Pearces is about one mile north on the same road; Bunn is about 6 miles NE as the crow flies. On your map UB 2 (1) it is just between Wake County 2308 and Franklin County 1726 before 1727 joins. The beaver have returned to the small lake and keep the dam in good repair.

Second: Are you aware of Upchurch's Pond, located at the junction of Hoke, Robeson, and Cumberland counties? I don't know anything about the significance-- just saw it on the map.

Third: In the 1850 Census for Franklin County NC, Dun's District, page 319, second sheet, bottom lists:

△	47, 47	Nathan Pearce	67 M	Farmer	1500	NC	
	△	Susan	60 F				*
	△	Franklin	30 M	Farmer			*
	△	Susan	21 F				*
	△	Solomon	19 M	Farmer			
	△	Nancy	16 F				
	△		18 M	1 col'd man			

[SUSAN U]

\* - over 20 and cannot read or write.

The chart I sent you earlier gives Nathan's birth as 23 August 1783 and his daughter Susan's as 24 Oct 1828 (she became wife of W. K. Phillips). The WKP autobiography says that Nathan's wife was Susan Upchurch. Maybe with this you can identify her and tie her in to your tree. WKP said that Susan Pearce lived "in the neighborhood". Olds "Abstracts of NC wills from about 1760 to about 1800" -2nd Ed., lists a 1773 will of Thomas Pearce with mention of Joseph, John, Davy, Abner, Nathan, William and James. This could not have been Nathan born 1783 and I have neither read the will nor know the location of this Thomas Pearce.

Fourth: I am enclosing some family group sheets--- not all complete--- extending the line from Susan Upchurch and Elizabeth Upchurch through the McDuffie family and my own line. Later I'll try to get the descendants of Alamance Phillips for you.

Fifth: The genealogical librarian in Raleigh is Ms. Lee Albright, Information Services Section, Division of State Libraries, 109 East Jones Street, Raleigh NC 27611. Phone (919) 733-7222. She keeps files of bulletins and other genealogical compositions and would be delighted to receive the UBs. They do not have funds to purchase the large number of bulletins that touch upon NC ancestors. Ms Albright seems very competent and some what strict in her attitude toward the need to document claims of relationship by more than plausibility arguments. Raleigh would seem a most logical place to deposit a set of UBs and to add to it regularly.

— Sixth: I do not seem to have mentioned that, on reading your UBS, I  
△ was able to connect Dr. D. Thomas Upchurch's extensive genealogy of the Tennessee  
— branch of the family with the trunk of the tree. He had written you about the  
— time of the beginning of the Bulletins, and, at that point, you had not digested  
— your information sufficiently to permit the linkage. You might look up your  
— earlier correspondence with him. I know he would appreciate hearing from you  
— and sharing his information with you. His address is 102 Windsong Lane, Oak  
— Ridge, TN 37830. (615) 482-3142.

— You can see from the location on the map that the Phillips family was  
△ in the heart of the Moccasin Creek area. My relative, Henry K. Baker, is a  
— retired farmer living on the old Phillips place. He might know, or be able  
— to find, answers to many of your unsettled questions. I know he would be  
— glad to meet you.

— Hope this will keep things moving for a while. (While I'm chasing my  
— McDuffie and Ferguson ancestors)

— Sincerely,

*Fritz McDuffie*

— H. Fritz McDuffie

HUSBAND  **HAROLD FRITZ McDUFFIE, JR**  
 Born **20 APRIL 1917** Place **ATLANTA - DAVIS-FISHER SANITARIUM - DR MARION TROTTI BENSON**  
 Chr. \_\_\_\_\_ Place \_\_\_\_\_  
 Marr. **21 OCT 1944** Place **CAMILLUS NY - CAMILLUS ME CHURCH - REV. VERNON MARTIN**  
 Died \_\_\_\_\_ Place \_\_\_\_\_  
 Bur.  \_\_\_\_\_ Place \_\_\_\_\_  
 HUSBAND'S FATHER **DR HAROLD FRITZ McDUFFIE** HUSBAND'S MOTHER  **HATTIE LOUISE FERGUSON**  
 HUSBAND'S OTHER WIVES \_\_\_\_\_

WIFE  **ELIZABETH LORRAINE HARTKOPF**  
 Born **5 AUG 1919** Place **CAMILLUS NY DR. CRAIG**  
 Chr. \_\_\_\_\_ Place \_\_\_\_\_  
 Died \_\_\_\_\_ Place \_\_\_\_\_  
 Bur.  \_\_\_\_\_ Place \_\_\_\_\_  
 WIFE'S FATHER **CHARLES NMI HARTKOPF** WIFE'S MOTHER **LUMORA MARVEL WHITNEY**  
 WIFE'S OTHER HUSBANDS \_\_\_\_\_

SEX M F	CHILDREN List each child (whether living or dead) in order of birth Given Names Surname	WHEN BORN			WHERE BORN			DATE OF FIRST MARRIAGE	WHEN DIED		
		DAY	MONTH	YEAR	TOWN	COUNTY	STATE OR COUNTRY	TO WHOM	DAY	MONTH	YEAR
1	<b>KURT CHARLES</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>SEPT</b>	<b>1946</b>	<b>UNIV. HOSP. SYRACUSE</b>	<b>DR HATCHER</b>	<b>ONONDAGA NY</b>	<b>11 June 1972</b>			
2	<b>DAVID FERGUSON</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>SEPT</b>	<b>1950</b>	<b>O.R. HOSP DR. C. JULIAN RAGAN</b>	<b>OAK RIDGE</b>	<b>ANDERSON TN</b>				
3	<b>MARK WHITNEY</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>APRIL</b>	<b>1952</b>	<b>O.R. HOSP DR RAGAN</b>	<b>OAK RIDGE</b>	<b>   TN</b>				
4	<b>GREGORY PHILLIPS</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>MAY</b>	<b>1958</b>	<b>O.R. HOSP</b>	<b>OAK RIDGE</b>	<b>   TN</b>	<b>10 Feb 1979</b>			
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SOURCES OF INFORMATION \_\_\_\_\_ OTHER MARRIAGES \_\_\_\_\_

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**HUSBAND** <sup>△</sup> KURT CHARLES McDUFFIE  
 Born 4 SEPT 1946 Place SYRACUSE NY. SYRACUSE UNIV. HOSP.  
 Chr. \_\_\_\_\_ Place \_\_\_\_\_  
 Marr. 11 JUNE 1972 Place Hollywood, Fla.  
 Died \_\_\_\_\_ Place \_\_\_\_\_  
 Bur. \_\_\_\_\_ Place \_\_\_\_\_  
**HUSBAND'S FATHER** HAROLD FRITZ McDUFFIE, JR **HUSBAND'S MOTHER** ELIZABETH LORRAINE HART KOPF  
**HUSBAND'S OTHER WIVES** \_\_\_\_\_

**WIFE** <sup>△</sup> ANDREA JOAN [SWEETMAN - RPU]  
 Born 7 JULY 1951 Place BROOKLYN, NY. MAIMONIDES HOSP.  
 Chr. \_\_\_\_\_ Place \_\_\_\_\_  
 Died \_\_\_\_\_ Place \_\_\_\_\_  
 Bur. \_\_\_\_\_ Place \_\_\_\_\_  
**WIFE'S FATHER** AARON (nm) SWEETMAN **WIFE'S MOTHER** MAE (nm) BERNSTEIN  
**WIFE'S OTHER HUSBANDS** \_\_\_\_\_

SEX M F	CHILDREN List each child (whether living or dead) in order of birth Given Names Surname	WHEN BORN			WHERE BORN			DATE OF FIRST MARRIAGE	WHEN DIED		
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M	JOSHUA ALEX	28	JULY	1975	FT SANDERS HOSP Knoxville	KNOX	TN				
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F	ELISSA BROOKE	27	MAY	1979	FT SANDERS HOSP KNOXVILLE	"	TN				
3											
F	AMY LAUREN	17	SEPT	1983	UT. HOSPITAL KNOXVILLE	"	TN				
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SOURCES OF INFORMATION

OTHER MARRIAGES

ANDY'S SISTER has gone back 2+ generations in parent's family.

HUSBAND DR. <sup>7. RPU</sup> HAROLD FRITZ MEDUFFIE, SR  
 Born 1985 Place NEW BRUNSWICK N.J.  
 Chr. \_\_\_\_\_ Place \_\_\_\_\_  
 Marr. 18 APRIL 1916 Place 512 THIRD AVE ABBURY PARK - Rev. M.V. MEDUFFIE - Rev. LEON K. WILLIAMS 157th  
 Died 4 MARCH 1952 Place DAYTONA BEACH FLA  
 Bur.  Place   
 HUSBAND'S FATHER Rev. MARSHALL V. MEDUFFIE HUSBAND'S MOTHER ELIZABETH DAVIS PHILLIPS  
 HUSBAND'S OTHER WIVES (2) <sup>Δ</sup> ROZELLE BARRON 3 - VIRGINIA

WIFE <sup>Δ</sup> HATTIE LOUISE FERGUSON  
 Born 4 MAY 1883 (1884?) Place \_\_\_\_\_  
 Chr. \_\_\_\_\_ Place \_\_\_\_\_  
 Died 28 SEPT 1957 Place KNOX COUNTY, TN. LITTLE CREEK SANITORIUM  
 Bur. MT. PROSPECT Cem Place NEPTUNE NJ  
 WIFE'S FATHER JOHN STANLEY FERGUSON WIFE'S MOTHER MARY ELLA THORN  
 WIFE'S OTHER HUSBANDS \_\_\_\_\_

SEX M F	CHILDREN		1 WHEN BORN			WHERE BORN			DATE OF FIRST MARRIAGE	WHEN DIED		
	List each child (whether living or dead) in order of birth Given Names Surname		DAY	MONTH	YEAR	TOWN	COUNTY	STATE OR COUNTRY	TO WHOM	DAY	MONTH	YEAR
<sup>Δ</sup> 1 X	HAROLD FRITZ JR		20	APRIL	1917	ATLANTA		GA	<sup>Δ</sup> ELIZABETH LORRAINE HARTKOPF	21	OCT	1944
2	ROBERT STANLEY		22	NOV	1918	ATLANTA			<sup>Δ</sup> MISABEL MCKLUNG (divorced)			
3	BRUCE NMI		25	AUG	1921	ATLANTA		<sup>Δ</sup>	30 SEPT 1950			NO 1950E
4	MARY ELIZABETH		11	JUNE	1924	ATLANTA		<sup>Δ</sup>	WILLIAM H ALLEN			
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SOURCES OF INFORMATION  
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OTHER MARRIAGES  
 Rsm - m2 <sup>Δ</sup> PATRICIA DODD - 3 children

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HUSBAND <sup>Δ</sup> GREGORY PHILLIPS MEDUFFIE  
 Born 8 MAY 1958 Place OAK RIDGE TN .O.R. HOSPITAL DR C. JULIAN RAGAN  
 Chr. \_\_\_\_\_ Place \_\_\_\_\_  
 Marr. 10 Feb. 1979 Place CLINTON, TN EDGE-MORE BAPTIST  
 Died \_\_\_\_\_ Place \_\_\_\_\_  
 Bur.  \_\_\_\_\_ Place  \_\_\_\_\_  
 HUSBAND'S FATHER HAROLD FRIZZ MEDUFFIE, JR HUSBAND'S MOTHER ELIZABETH LORRAINE HARTKOPF  
 HUSBAND'S OTHER WIVES \_\_\_\_\_

WIFE <sup>Δ</sup> TAMMY DIANE HAMPTON  
 Born 15 APRIL 1959 Place KNOX CO. TN. BAPTIST HOSP.  
 Chr. \_\_\_\_\_ Place \_\_\_\_\_  
 Died \_\_\_\_\_ Place \_\_\_\_\_  
 Bur. \_\_\_\_\_ Place \_\_\_\_\_  
 WIFE'S FATHER JAMES WENDELL HAMPTON WIFE'S MOTHER BARBARA SUE STEVENS  
 WIFE'S OTHER HUSBANDS \_\_\_\_\_

SEX M F	CHILDREN List each child (whether living or dead) in order of birth		WHEN BORN			WHERE BORN			DATE OF FIRST MARRIAGE	WHEN DIED		
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SOURCES OF INFORMATION \_\_\_\_\_ OTHER MARRIAGES \_\_\_\_\_

HUSBAND Rev. <sup>Δ</sup> MARSHALL V. ? M S DUFFIE  
 Born 29 April 1854 Place FAYETTEVILLE NC  
 Chr. \_\_\_\_\_ Place \_\_\_\_\_  
 Marr. 2 June 1881 Place \_\_\_\_\_  
 Died 6 Jan 1927 Place \_\_\_\_\_  
 Bur. GLENSWOOD CEM. Place WEST LONG BRANCH NJ <sup>Δ</sup> ELIZA  
 HUSBAND'S FATHER DAVID M S DUFFIE HUSBAND'S MOTHER <sup>Δ</sup> ANNIE A IVEY  
 HUSBAND'S OTHER WIVES NONE

WIFE <sup>Δ</sup> ELIZABETH DAVIS PHILLIPS "BETTIE"  
 Born 27 NOV 1860 Place FRANKLIN COUNTY N.C.  
 Chr. \_\_\_\_\_ Place \_\_\_\_\_  
 Died 11 Jan 1940 Place Loch ARBOUR N.J.  
 Bur. GLENSWOOD CEM. Place WEST LONG BRANCH NJ   
 WIFE'S FATHER WILLIAM KEARNEY PHILLIPS WIFE'S MOTHER SUSAN PEARCE  
 WIFE'S OTHER HUSBANDS NONE

SEX M F	CHILDREN		WHEN BORN			WHERE BORN			DATE OF FIRST MARRIAGE	WHEN DIED		
	List each child (whether living or dead) in order of birth		DAY	MONTH	YEAR	TOWN	COUNTY	STATE OR COUNTRY	TO WHOM	DAY	MONTH	YEAR
1	M	MARSHALL W. M.D.	18	APRIL	1882	HENDERSON		NC	<sup>Δ</sup> Wilhelmina (?) Helmer	23	JULY	1945
2	M	Phillips CAMPBELL M.D.	5	JUNE	1884	HENDERSON		NC	<sup>Δ</sup> Helen BAGLEY	29	DEC	1964
3	<del>M</del>	<del>HAROLD FRITZ</del> M.D.	20	APRIL	1890	NEW BRUNSWICK		NJ		4	MARCH	1952
4	M	John MORGAN M.D.	30	NOV	1894				<sup>Δ</sup> MAE JURNEE	8	JAN	1969
5	M	ALLEN Edward M.D.	6	JAN	1904				<sup>Δ</sup> Viola <del>ROY</del> PARKHILL	19	JULY	1888
6	F	MARY IVEY M.D.	7	AUG	1887							
7	F	<del>ETHEL</del> Helen LIVINGSTON M.D.	27	OCT	1891					5	NOV	1900
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SOURCES OF INFORMATION \_\_\_\_\_ OTHER MARRIAGES \_\_\_\_\_

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HUSBAND <sup>△</sup> NATHAN PEARCE <sup>Born NC Farmer</sup>  
 Born AUG 23 1783 Place WAKE CO. NC  
 Chr. \_\_\_\_\_ Place \_\_\_\_\_  
 Marr. \_\_\_\_\_ Place \_\_\_\_\_  
 Died \_\_\_\_\_ Place \_\_\_\_\_  
 Bur. \_\_\_\_\_ Place \_\_\_\_\_  
 HUSBAND'S FATHER <sup>□</sup> PHILLIP PEARCE HUSBAND'S MOTHER NANCY BUNN  
 HUSBAND'S OTHER WIVES \_\_\_\_\_

WIFE <sup>△</sup> SUSAN V PCHURCH <sup>over 20 cannot read or write</sup>  
 Born ~1790 Place \_\_\_\_\_  
 Chr. \_\_\_\_\_ Place \_\_\_\_\_  
 Died \_\_\_\_\_ Place \_\_\_\_\_  
 Bur. \_\_\_\_\_ Place \_\_\_\_\_  
 WIFE'S FATHER \_\_\_\_\_ WIFE'S MOTHER \_\_\_\_\_  
 WIFE'S OTHER HUSBANDS \_\_\_\_\_

SEX M F	CHILDREN List each child (whether living or dead) in order of birth Given Names Surname	WHEN BORN			WHERE BORN			DATE OF FIRST MARRIAGE	WHEN DIED		
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1	<u>FRANKLIN</u>			<u>~1820</u>	<u>FARMER</u>						
2*	<u>SUSAN</u> *	<u>24</u>	<u>OCT</u>	<u>1828</u>	} <u>over 20 - cannot read or write</u>			<u>12 OCT 1851</u>	<u>WILLIAM KEARNEY PHILLIPS</u>	<u>1891</u>	<u>MA</u>
3	<u>Solomon</u>			<u>~1831</u>		<u>FARMER</u>					
4	<u>NANCY</u>			<u>~1834</u>							
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SOURCES OF INFORMATION  
 1850 Census Population Schedule - NC, Franklin, DUN'S DIST  
 M 432-630 47,47 Page 319 2nd sheet bottom  
 1820 FRANKLIN CO. TAX p. 490

OTHER MARRIAGES  
 \* see WKP ~~entry~~ - M married a girl "in the neighborhood" autolog

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HUSBAND <sup>Δ</sup> WILLIAM KEARNEY PHILLIPS  
 Born 25 JAN 1831 Place \_\_\_\_\_  
 Chr. \_\_\_\_\_ Place \_\_\_\_\_  
 Marr. 12 OCT 1851 Place \_\_\_\_\_  
 Died 1914 Place \_\_\_\_\_  
 Bur. \_\_\_\_\_ Place \_\_\_\_\_  
 HUSBAND'S FATHER JOHN PHILLIPS HUSBAND'S MOTHER ELIZABETH VPCHURCH  
 HUSBAND'S OTHER WIVES MRS. NANCY HELEN HARRIS (NEE CHAMBLEE) "MOTHER HELEN"

WIFE <sup>Δ</sup> SUSAN PEARCE  
 Born 4 OCT 1828 Place \_\_\_\_\_  
 Chr. \_\_\_\_\_ Place \_\_\_\_\_  
 Died 7 MARCH 1891 Place \_\_\_\_\_  
 Bur. \_\_\_\_\_ Place \_\_\_\_\_  
 WIFE'S FATHER NATHAN PEARCE WIFE'S MOTHER SUSAN VPCHURCH  
 WIFE'S OTHER HUSBANDS \_\_\_\_\_

SEX M F	CHILDREN		WHEN BORN			WHERE BORN			DATE OF FIRST MARRIAGE	WHEN DIED		
	Given Names	Surname	DAY	MONTH	YEAR	TOWN	COUNTY	STATE OR COUNTRY	TO WHOM	DAY	MONTH	YEAR
1 M	T. N.	<sup>x</sup>										Before 1891
2 M	?											
3 M	ERASTUS B.	P.								FALL		1862
4 F	<del>BEATRICE</del>	<del>P.</del>							<del>THOMAS YATES BAKER</del>			
5 F	"MANCY" ALAMANCE							Δ	23 Dec 1875 Joseph B.			BAKER
6 X F	ELIZABETH DAVIS	P.	27	NOV	1860	FRANKLIN Co.	N.C	Δ	REV MARSHALL V. MCDUFFIE	11	JAN	1940
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SOURCES OF INFORMATION  
 ALLEN MAC DUFFIE  
 WKP AUTO BIOGRAPHY  
 WKP Will - 1911  
 A PARTIAL HISTORY OF THE FAMILY OF THOMAS YATES BAKER

OTHER MARRIAGES  
 WKP's will lists GRAND children:  
 BEATRICE G. BAKER (WIFE OF T. Y. B.)  
 FRANK J. PHILLIPS  
 WK PHILLIPS JR.  
 JOSEPH H. PHILLIPS

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HAROLD FRITZ M<sup>c</sup>DUFFIE, JR XFD-11496

MR HAROLD FRITZ M<sup>c</sup>DUFFIE, JR  
102 COLBY ROAD  
OAK RIDGE, TN 37830

25 AUG 1984

P.S. - The William Kearney  
Please autographically will  
be in UB Vol 5 No 3 - now  
at the printer - Phil U

Dear Cousin Fritz,

Thanks for your excellent letter of 15 AUG 1984  
which arrived a few days ago. I have spent  
most of today extracting all of the details  
and placing them on master outlines and  
in the name's list. These details really  
help and I appreciate your cooperation.

I have written to Dr Thomas Upchurch  
in Oak Ridge and will hope to hear from  
him. In due course the bulletin will  
be sent to the library in Raleigh, NC.  
I would love to meet your cousin Henry  
Baker and one day it should be possible!

I do hope you will continue to collect  
details on the descendants of your ancestor  
Elizabeth U and that you will let me have  
the details. on your ancestor Susan U, I still  
feel that she is a daughter of Benjamin U,  
son of Richard U II. Since Susan (Upchurch) Pearce  
named a son Franklin, could it be that the

son was named after the grandfather whose name would have then been Benjamin Franklin U? - However, the Benjamin may have been too old ~~for~~ to have been named after the famous Benjamin Franklin.

Let me pose some questions to cover the missing items in your direct line.

1) For yourself

a) Are your sons David and Mark still single?

2) For your father

a) I have born 20 APR 1885 and 20 APR 1890 - which is correct?

b) where is he buried?

c) where were his 3 marriages?

d) was Nattie Louise Ferguson b 4 MAY 1883 or 4 MAY 1884 and where was she born?

e) when did he marry Kozella Barrow, what is her full maiden name, when & where born, when & where died, where buried?

f) what is full maiden name of his 3rd wife (Virginia -), when were they married, when & where was she born, when & where died and where buried?

3) For Elizabeth's Dawe Phillips

a) where married?

b) what does the "V" in Marshall V Mc Duffie stand for?

c) where did Marshall V. Mc Duffie die?

~~PPR~~

4) For William Kearney Phillips

- where born, where died, where buried?
- where married?
- Full maiden name of Susan Pearce, where born where died, where buried?
- where did he marry Mrs Nancy Helen (Chamblee) Harve, when & where was she born, when & where died & where buried?

5) For Elizabeth A (XFD-992)

- when & where born?
- when & where died & where buried?
- Full maiden name?
- Full name of husband John Phillips, when & where born, when & where died, where buried?

5) For James A (XFD-67)

- when in 1975 born?
- when in 1835 died?
- where buried?
- when and where married?
- when in 1970 was Elizabeth Thane Butler born, when & where died, where buried?

I know we will never have all of the details but we can at least consider this a wish list.

Any details you can supply on your brother and your sister and any on your M' Puffie Aunts & Uncle, beyond what you have already supplied will be welcomed. Let me know if you need anything from me

Sincerely yours,  
Phil Upchurch

Happy Hunting!

[ROBERT PHILIP UPCHURCH]

HAROLD FRITZ Mc DUFFIE, JR XID - 11496

MR H F Mc DUFFIE  
102 COLBY ROAD  
OAK RIDGE, TN 37830

30 SEP 1984

Dear Cousin Fritz,

Many thanks for your letter of 20 SEP 1984  
which I have today found time to process.

I appreciate the names of Walter & Clark Jr  
and his address - have today written to  
him and offered to collect them. They are 40  
Clark brothers in my system.

Re the book on who is, Marriage. I do not  
have this and would appreciate a xerox of  
the relevant page if it is not too much  
trouble.

Re the Eliza Strickland deed of 1778 to Richard  
Upchurch - I have several references to it but  
no copy of the deed itself or even an abstract  
of it. If you can get more details they would  
be welcomed. My wife, who is also from the  
Moccasin Creek Area of NC, is descended from  
Stricklands so the deed may have a double  
interest.

Published the diary of your ancestor W.K.  
Phillips in the last U.B. - got generally  
some good responses. Phil Upchurch  
{ROBERT PHILIP UPCHURCH}

HAROLD FRITZ MCDUFFIE, JR XID - 11496

7 APR 1985

MR H. FRITZ MCDUFFIE  
102 COLBY ROAD  
OAK RIDGE, TN 37830

Dear Cousin Fritz

In late FEB & early MAR I stopped by NO for a brief visit and included a trip to the Moccasin Creek area. I established several contacts in the area and correspondence continues. One cousin (James Wilson Guy) offered to take us to the Henry Kearney Baker, Sr family cemetery. I have since extracted my notes and a xerox copy is enclosed herewith for your use. It appears that some of this will be new information for you and that some improvement in our knowledge base is provided by the data. Note that I have added XID numbers.

I hope your search is going well. Let me hear from you

Sincerely yours  
Phil Upchurch  
[ROBERT PHILLIP UPCHURCH]

NAROLD FRITZ MCDUFFIE, JR XID-11496

MR N. FRITZ MCDUFFIE  
102 COLBY ROAD  
OAK RIDGE, TN 37830

14 OCT 1984

Dear Cousin Fritz,

I was saddened to learn from your letter of 9 OCT 84 about the tragic death in the family of your cousin Henry Kenney Baker, Jr. I had so much looked forward to meeting another member of our family who lived in the Moccasin Creek Area. I have sent condolences to Dorothy Alford and also have asked for some details on her husband's ancestors since the Alford's & the Updegraves intermarried several times. I did not ask her for details on descendants of Alamance Phillips as I will count on you for that information when she sends it to you.

I in scanning my Baker papers I encountered a Henry Baker of an earlier era in the Moccasin Creek Area. My guess is that he could have been the father or the uncle of the Joseph B Baker who married Alamance Phillips. Here are the entries

- (1) 1794: Moses & from Thomas Gay - 50 lbs - 100 acrs - South Side of Moccasin Creek - Aster [ARTHUR] Pounce line, Henry Baker's Cousin to Moccasin Creek - down the creek - witness - Paul Perce [PERCE], Hennen

Perce [PEARCE]. Signed Thomas Gay. DEC session  
1801 - Book 3 Pg 167. "

(2) "Henry Baker's land in Franklin Co, NC about  
a parcel bought by James U in 1804 from  
Moses U. See Moses."

(3) From MAR session 1872 Book 20 Pg 177 there is  
an unnumbered court record mentioning land,  
possessions, etc and a large number of people  
(a lawsuit?). Among the names in that  
of one Henry Baker who was a witness to  
the document.

I don't know if these are of interest or not  
but thought it best to send them to you

The Wake County Marriage records you sent  
are most welcome. I had some lists on  
managers in Wake Co, NC but not this  
particular one.

It is always good to hear from you.  
I hope you will have had a good trip by  
the time you get this.

Sincerely yours  
Phil Upchurch

[ROBERT PHILLIP UPCHURCH]

28 DEC 1985

MR H F MCDUFFIE  
 102 COLBY ROAD  
 OAK RIDGE, TN 37830

Dear Cousin Fritz:

It was a delight to receive your letter of 23 DEC 85 and the Ferguson Genealogy. I have read this with much interest and have extracted a few details for my files. Also I read with much interest the "plot" of your writing. It certainly unfolded nicely and you are to be congratulated on your excellent literary style.

I will be happy to share my ledgers on genealogy with you but fear that they may not often apply outside of my particular circumstances although they do fit me rather well. Alas, there is no computer operation in my system but there should be one and in due course this will be the case. In the meantime are extracting, cross-listing, etc. done by hand.

I maintain three basic files. Two of these are designed for direct translation into publication. If the following written description does not suffice, let me know and I will send xerox copies for illustrative purposes.

The three files are as follows:

Profile. A separate handwritten file is maintained on each individual on 8 1/2 x 11 sheets. These are filed by first name for Upchurch and by last name for others. The full name appears at the top of the sheet and the XIO number appears on the top right. Entries <sup>on each profile</sup> are numbered and continue on to additional sheets as necessary. Each entry starts with a definition of where the original information can be found. The new information is then recorded. All my correspondence to and from individuals become a part of their profiles. As each document is extracted I put a mark "S" by the list of information on the original to show that it has been extracted. (or a "□" if I have the information already and it does not need extracting.) I have 4 4-drawer file cabinets full of such profiles. These profiles work well for me to show source of information, discrepancies, etc. They are also convenient to Xerox and send to a correspondent who has a been interest in a few individuals.

Register of American Amateurs (or XIO File). These are maintained in penciled copy state essentially as you see them in the Upchurch Bulletin. The list is continuously extended but in no particular order. As you can see from the UB I shift from one class or

subdan to another to account to subscribers names are at hand. For example, I just assigned XID 14451-14460 to members of the Richard U III / James U subdan based on information garnered from your Ferguson document. Of course ~~some~~ profiles had to be established for each of these also. When we get ready to publish an issue of the UB my wife simply types up the right 20 sheets out of the XID file and the issue is thus 1/2 written.

Master Outline. This third file is maintained in three parts. The first part is a 11" x 17" sheet on which the first 6 generations of the Upchurch family are sketched starting with Michael U as #1. This sheet includes full names & dates and places as available. The other two parts are kept in 3 ring note books. Part two consists of a listing in outline form of the details for a given subdan for generations 6-9 inclusive in the following format

Every part of the Richard U III / James U subdan for example

	IV	James U b ca 1775 (Waho Co NC) d ca 1835 (Franklin Co, NC)	XID 67
6th Gen	→	md ( ) Elizabeth Tharney Bulb, b ca 1770	994
7th Gen	→	A. Kearney U	981
		D. ELIZABETH U	992
8th Gen	→	3. William Kearney Phillips ---	11457
		a. Elizabeth Bonie Phillips ---	11458
9th Gen	→		

Again the 2nd part of the Master Outline is maintained ready for publication under section "Upchurch Case" in the UB

The 3rd part of the Master outline number individuals in the 10th generation and beyond. These are always found in the appropriate 3 ring notebook behind the details for ~~each~~ Part 1 of the Master outline. These are marked as to location in Part 1. For example to the left hand side of the page behind Elizabeth Davis Phillips (a 9th generation member) I show the number 17. This means that I have details on the descendants of Elizabeth and the outline of these details may be found in section 17 at the back of the Richard III / James II Master outline.

In the U.S. I regularly publish a master outline for a ~~given~~ selected subsection but only part 2 (Gen 6-9). I do not publish <sup>outlines</sup> for 10th generations and beyond because of space constraints. Also the 9th generation brings us up to modern times - more or less.

The Master outlines are continuously reworked and I tend to write in spare space and I use arrows to show where the entry goes until a sheet needs re-copying with an expanded format. As I complete the records of published Master outlines for the subline I will return to the ones published first and republish them or new information will have been added.

you are doing the right thing by bringing a computer into the picture. There are quite a few things for which I would find one useful. However, each genealogist has his or her own way of approaching family records. There could be cases in which a person would yield to the constraints of the computer (or the program) when this would not be the best decision.

Please let me know if you have more questions.

I am very pleased to know that Dorothy Alford will continue with the collection of family data. Anything you care to share with me would be most welcome. My own records for the Morbasson creek area continue to grow and will be published as the months go by. Right now I am working on new information on Jubal U and his descendants. He was a brother of your Richard U III

All the Best from Govt 1986

Sincerely yours  
Phil Richards

[ROBERT PHILLIP UPENHORN]

HAROLD FRITZ MCDUFFIE, JR XID-11496

2 AUG 1987

FRITZ MCDUFFIE  
102 COLBY ROAD  
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Dear Fritz,

Thanks for your letter of 15 JUL 1987 about  
Luther Maurice U, II. I have just finished writing  
a letter to him and hope for a response. So  
far I can't quite fit this line into the  
main stream but with a few bits of data  
it would be easy to sort out the relationships  
I in 1977 I visited in Franklin Co, NC and met  
Claude E. Pearce Jr age 80 who told me he  
went to school with a Luther U who later  
worked for Smithfield Foods. I feel this line must  
be into the Richard U III subclan.

Enclosed herewith is a copy of my profile  
sheet on Elizabeth Thaneey Butler XID-994 off-hand  
there does not seem to be the information you  
desire. Let me know if you have any question  
about this

It is always nice to hear from you.

Sincerely yours  
Phil Spurgeon

[ROBERT PHILLIP WORTHEN]