

Charlotte Pearce

XID-48657

Commentary: Charlotte Pearce “Lotty”, was born about 1775 in Franklin County, NC. She was the daughter of Stephen Pearce and the granddaughter of Nathan and Nancy (Wester) Pearce. She married Jubal Upchurch I, about 1791, the head of Upchurch Clan # 6. This marriage linked two of the pioneer families of Franklin County, NC. Stephen Pearce held considerable land at this death in 1831 and left assets to his daughter Charlotte (Pearce) Upchurch, but exactly what we are yet to learn. Jubal Upchurch I owned as much as 2000 acres of Franklin County land at one time , but what he was able to leave his wife Charlotte (Pearce) Upchurch we are yet to learn.

The reader will note that this biofile includes several entries for different individuals by the name of Charlotte Upchurch.

- RPU 7 Feb 2017

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John Carpenter
310 Acres lying on each side of the south prong of Mockerson Creek -
a part in Wake & a part in Franklin & adjoining lands of
Jesse Bunn heirs (he deceased)
Nathan Pearce
The plantation where I now live
To: Calvin Stallings
Bryant Wester Stallings
Goods & assets to 4 daughters
Charlotte (Pearce) Upchurch
Elizabeth (Pearce) Carpenter
Mary (Pearce) Perry
Cherry (Pearce) Denton

(6) See 1850 census - Franklin Co, NC - Extracted by RPU

A **Charlotte U** 60 F hence b. abt. 1790 [nee Charlotte Pearce] Charlotte U 13 F

B [Note: The above were in household/dwelling 144,144 next to 143/143 which contained:
Thaney U age 80 F, Head of home, \$500 RE
Elizabeth Denton 60 F
Burton Hickey 18 M Farmer]

C [It is presumed that Thaney U m Elizabeth Thaney (Butler) U, wife of James U, VII (XID-67) (Son of Richard U, III). Due to proximity and ages it is possible that Charlotte U age 60 above was a daughter of James U, VII or more likely the wife of one of the sons of James U, VII - RPU]

D [All things considered it appears that the Charlotte U age 60 is nee Charlotte Pearce, the widow of Jubal U (Head of Clan). The 13 year old daughter with her is probably a granddaughter, possibly illegitimate, from one of her daughters - RPU}

Note inserted by RPU in margin: No - It is her granddaughter - a daughter of Stephen U -RPU

E Addition later: Jubal U and his wife were having children before 1800 and a female born 1790 (as the Charlotte U age 60 on 1850 census would have been) was not old enough for such births. Of course Jubal could have married a second time to a younger wife. — RPU 22 Mar 2000

(7) From Letter 12 May 1999 James Roy Taylor to RPU PE47-51

Robert (Robin) Shamble
Little River District, Bertie and Wake Counties, North Carolina
Robert was probably born ca. 1738. His first land transaction was in 1759 in Bertie Co, NC.
Robert most likely married Esther Warren, daughter of Benjamin Warren, Sr. of Bertie County,

NC. There is one single reference to Robert and Hester (Esther) Shamble together in court records. Esther Shamble is listed as a member of the Poplar Springs Baptist Church in Franklin Co, NC. In 1744, Bertie Co, NC. Benjamin Warren proved his right and listed his wife, Esther and others: James, Benjamin, Margaret, Mary Patience, William and Esther Warren.

References:

ROBERT'S CHILDREN: (Order as listed in his will) Millie, Winnie, Elizabeth, Sarah, Benjamin W., James, Rachel, John Jarred, Ruthy, Mary/Pollu, William [he was specified as "youngest son"]

James Chamblee born ca 1770, died in Wake Co NC as 25 Mar 1836
Married ca 1796 Chole Massey, daughter of Richard Massey
Married 8 Feb 1813, Wake Co NC, Nancy Pippin. Recent research is determining if Nancy is the sister of Delilah (Dilly) Strickland who married James Shamble's brother, John.

Children by Chloe Massey:

Richard Shamley ["Shamley" as he was known in Indiana and Michigan] born ca 1788, married Clarissa Pendergrass [Massey] 19 July 1815, Wake Co NC; daughter of Benjamin and Elizabeth Massey Pendergrass.

Robert Carter Chamblee born ca 1792 married Bryant Ferrel 21 Aug 1819, Wake Co NC; son of James and Elizabeth Ferrell 4 Isham Chamblee born ca 1797 married ca 1818 Elizabeth Chaney, adughte of Jeremiah and Phoebe Chamblee Chaney; Elizabeth married 10 Dec 1854, Blount Co, AL (2) John Anderton, Sr. 5 Nancy Chamblee born ca 1798 married 11 Jan 1816, Nash Co NC. Reuben Strickland 6 Delany Chamblee born ca 1801 7 Sally Ann/Elizabeth Chamblee born ca 1806 married James Todd; son of Moses and Elizabeth Massey Todd, Jr. 8 Rebecca Chamblee born ca 1807 married Stephen Upchurch 20 July 1828, Franklin Co NC; son of Jubal and **Charlotte Pearce Upchurch**; Stephen married 16 March 1841, Wake Co NC (2) Ann Medlin 9 Martha Patsy Chamblee born 18 Sept 1808 married John Griffin 22 May 1826, Nash Co NC; son of Jesse Griffin 10 Letha Chamblee born ca 1811 married Daniel Bissett 27 Feb 1830, Wake Co NC; son of Joseph and Aley Perry Bissett

Children by Nancy Pippin:

Millie Chamblee born ca 1816 married David Pugh 19 Nov 1838, Wake Co NC John Chamblee born ca 1817 married (1) Delaney Strickland 1 Jan 1836, Franklin Co NC (2) Frances A. Baker 13 Feb 1843, Franklin Co NC Cynthia H. Chamblee born ca 1819 married (1) Labon Horton, 2 June 1832,, Wake Co NC, (2) Hartley H. Medlin 15 April 1846, Franklin Co NC

(8) See Letter 17 Dec 1999 Charles John Peterson, Jr. to RPU on 2 Mar 1999 D. Stoddard posted (Per an old Genealogy written 1899) on the internet page 10

I. Jubal U — Head of Clan

"In RPU files"

A. Stephen U Married 20 Jul 1828 (Franklin Co, NC

Rebecca Ann Chamblee. [Stephen married (2nd) 16 Mar 1841 (Wake Co, NC) Ann Medlin]

children of the first marriage

Written in the left margin beside the above "In RPU files"

1. Benjamin U — married and lived Cumberland Co NC [on 1830 census as 0-5] [assume born about 1829]
 2. Jack U — went to MS
 3. Calvin U — went away
 4. Lucinda U — went away [born about 1837]
 5. Lottie U [Charlotte U] [born about 1837] married () Jack Philbin — went away
- Written in the left margin beside the above “New to RPU files as issue of this couple all presumed born before Mar 1841”

NOTE: As of 17 Aug 2002 I find no reason to object to the above 5 children being of the 1st marriage of Stephen U. He had time to produce 5 prior to his 2nd marriage Mar 1847. He is on 1830 census Franklin Co NC Head of a 7 member household only 1 of which is less than 5 years old (a male) and that possibly his son (tentatively Benjamin U). I cannot find Stephen U on the 1840 census in Wake or Franklin Cos, NC or otherwise - hence his 1st marriage could have been dissolved by 1840 and his children “distributed”. In Fact in 1850 child #5 Charlotte U is in a home headed by his grandmother Charlotte U [nee Pearce]. In 1860 child #4 Lucinda U is age 23 (born about 1837) and in home of her father Stephen U and his 2nd wife. [DS reports Lucinda U age 25 on 1850 with father - which is correct] —RPU

(9) Records for Seth Thomas Pearce born 30 Jun 1812 son of Susan (4) Pearce — RPU
 Download — 4 Jul 2008
 1850 Census — Dunn TWP
 Franklin Co NC

Name	B abt	Age
Clara Fason	1830	20
Thomas Grice	1832	18
Long Pearce son	1838	12
Lotty Pearce wife	1815	35
Lotty Pearce Dau	1847	3
Martha Pearce Dau	1842	8
Mary Pearce Dau	1840	10
Thomas Pearce Head	1812	38
Henry Pully	1834	16
Huts Lewis Pully	1838	12
William Pully	1838	12

1860 Census — Dunn TWP
 Bakers Cross Road = PO
 Franklin Co NC

Real Estate Value:	\$ 135	Personal Estate:	\$ 283
Name	B abt	Age	
Thomas Pearce	1811	49	
Charlotte Pearce	1815	45	
Mary Pearce	1898	22	

Martha Pearce	1842	18
Seth Pearce	1849	11

1870 Census — Dunn TWP
Franklin Co NC

Real Estate Value:	\$ 150	Personal Estate:	\$ 200
Name		Age	
Charlotte Pearce	W	55	
Martha Pearce	W	27	
Thomas Pearce	W	50	

I. Nathan Pearce, II born 23 May 1783
md () Susan U

- A. Seth Thomas Pearce born 30 Jun 1812
md (1st) 23 Dec 1833 ()
Charlotte Perry born Mar 1815 “Lotty”
md (2nd) after 1850 () Clara Ann Faison born Mar 1830
1. Long Pearce
 2. Mary Jane Pearce
 3. Martha Pearce
 4. **Charlotte Pearce** “Lotty”
 5. James Seth Pearce

(10) Se Pg 15 Download in Ltr 7 Mar 2000 Flora Pauline U to RPU

23. CHARLOTTE⁶ PEARCE (*STEPHAN⁵, NATHAN⁴, NATHAN³, PHILLIP², GEORGE¹*) was born Abt. 1775. She married JUBAL UPCHURCH, son of RICHARD UPCHURCH. He was born Bet. 1775 - 1777^{L3}, and died Abt. 1836^{L3}.

Children of **CHARLOTTE PEARCE** and JUBAL UPCHURCH are:

- i. LITTLE BERRY⁷ UPCHURCH, b. Abt. 1797, Franklin Co., NC.
- ii. CALVIN UPCHURCH, b. Bet. 1800 - 1810, Franklin Co., NC.
- iii. JOHN UPCHURCH, b. Abt. 1803.
- iv. STEPHEN UPCHURCH, b. Abt. 1805, Franklin Co., NC.
- v. FRANCES UPCHURCH, b. Abt. 1809.
- vi. CHARLOTTE UPCHURCH, b. Abt. 1813; m. JOHN SANDERS, June 11, 1833, Franklin Co., NC.

RPU — Clarification

I. Nathan Pearce I born 9 Jul 1735

A. Stephen Pearce — 1 of 4 Brothers

1. **Charlotte Pearce** md () Jubal U, I — Head of Upchurch clan No. 6

(11) Wake Co NC — Census — Family of John Pearce born act 1813

1850 Census — Cross Roads District

							Att Sch	20+ No
	Born abt							
1812	John Pearce	38	M	Farmer	\$600	No Carolina	3	3
1810	Jane Pearce	40	F			No Carolina		
1832	Allison Pearce	18	M	None		No Carolina		Idiotic
1834	Bryant Pearce	16	M			No Carolina		
1836	Calvin Pearce	14	M					
1839	Balon Pearce	11	M					
1844	Richard Pearce	6	M					
1848	James	2	M					
1825	Lotty Pearce	25	F	[Prob. <u>Charlotte</u>]				

1880 Census — Wake Forest, NC

1880 United States Federal Census

Name: John Pearce
Home in 1880: Wake Forest, Wake, NC
Age: 66
Estimated birth
year: abt 1814
Birthplace: NC
Household b ABT Age
Members: John Pearce Farmer 1814 66
Jane Pearce wife 1810 70

(12) Franklin Co NC wills — Bradley Vol 1 Entry 355

355. CALVIN UPCHURCH 23 Sep 1842 (no probate date)(Bk M, p. 25)
To my wife AGNASS - 1253 acres where I now live, 510 acres where John Upchurch now lives, 28½ acres which is a part of the Frazure tract I bought from Elic Young, 55 acres where Robin Jones is living; negro men Charles, Abram & Marymon, boy Theodore, girl Mariah, woman Candiss & her 5 children Peyton, Sealy, Calvin, Mary & Guston; all my growing crop, livestock, etc; all during her life & at her death then to the heirs of my friend WRIGHT YOUNG. To my sister CHARLOTT SAUNDERS wife of John Saunders - \$1. To my brother LITTLEBURY - \$1. To my brother JOHN - \$1. To my brother STEPHEN - \$1. To my mother CHARLOTT UPCHURCH - \$1.
Wit. Edmd G. Brodie, M. N. Harrison, M. W. Jones

Calvin U Robin Jones
John U Will File
Elic Young Edmond G Brodie

M. N. Harrison
M. W. Jones

Agnass U = nee Agnes Young

Wright Young
John Saunders = John Sanders
Little Berry U
Stephen U
Charlotte Saunders = nee Charlotte U
Charlotte U = nee **Charlotte Pearce**

(13) BOOK: The Upchurch Family of High Falls, NC (Moore Co)

I. Jubal U — Head of Clan

5 Jubal Upchurch b: 1762 in Franklin County, North Carolina d: Abt. 1836 in Franklin County, North Carolina
 +Charlotte Pearce b: 1775 in Franklin County, North Carolina m: 1791
 6 Littleberry Berry Upchurch b: 1796 in Franklin County, North Carolina d: 01 Oct 1880 in Wake County, North Carolina
 +Elizabeth Betsy Williams b: 1806 in North Carolina m: 01 Oct 1824 in Franklin, NC, USA d: 1875 in Wake County, North Carolina
 7 Rowina Upchurch b: 1828 in Franklin County, North Carolina d: 1880
 +Littleberry Johnson m: 30 Dec 1851 in Franklin County, North Carolina
 8 Sarah Johnson b: 1855 in Franklin County, North Carolina
 8 William Johnson b: 1856 in Franklin County, North Carolina
 8 John S Johnson b: 1865 d: 1955
 7 Martha Upchurch b: 1830 in Franklin County, North Carolina d: 1924
 7 Mary Upchurch b: 1835 in Franklin County, North Carolina d: 1929
 7 Elizabeth Upchurch b: 1839 in Franklin County, North Carolina d: 1929
 +James Bolton b: 1837 in North Carolina m: 28 Aug 1863 in Franklin County, North Carolina d: 07 Dec 1863 in Richmond, Virginia
 8 Anne Bolton b: 1864 in Franklin County, North Carolina [JAMES ANNIE BOLTON]
 6 John Upchurch b: 1800 in Franklin County, North Carolina d: 1895
 6 Stephen Upchurch b: 1805 in Franklin County, North Carolina d: 1885
 +Ann Medlin b: 1827 m: 16 Mar 1841 in Wake, NC, USA
 *2nd Wife of Stephen Upchurch:
 +Rebecca Chamblee b: 1807 in Wake County, North Carolina m: 20 Jul 1828 in Franklin, NC, USA
 7 Geneva Ann Upchurch b: 1844 in Wake County, North Carolina d: 1939
 8 John H Upchurch b: 1879
 7 Joseph Henry Upchurch b: 1846 in Wake County, North Carolina d: 1939
 7 Bryant Upchurch b: 1853 in Wake County, North Carolina d: 28 Jan 1935 in Wake County, North Carolina
 +Sarah Florence Kirk b: 1855 in Wake County, North Carolina m: 10 Oct 1877 in Wake County, North Carolina d: 1900 in Wake County, North Carolina
 8 Rebecka A J Upchurch b: Jul 1878 in Wake County, North Carolina
 8 Minnie Upchurch b: Jul 1881 in Wake County, North Carolina
 8 J A Upchurch b: Mar 1885 in Wake County, North Carolina
 8 Joseph Henry Upchurch b: 20 Sep 1892 in Wake County, North Carolina
 7 Sallie Upchurch b: 04 Nov 1855 in Wake County, North Carolina d: 1945
 7 Rebecca Upchurch b: 1859 in Wake County, North Carolina d: 1953
 6 Calvin Upchurch b: 1806 in Franklin County, North Carolina d: 1844 in Franklin County, North Carolina
 7 Calvin Upchurch
 7 Guston Upchurch
 7 Mary Upchurch
 7 Payton Upchurch
 7 Sealy Upchurch
 +Cynthia Upchurch m: 31 Mar 1838 in Franklin, NC, USA
 *2nd Wife of Calvin Upchurch:
 +Agnes Young b: 1806 m: 14 Dec 1826 in Franklin, NC, USA d: 1899
 7 Benjamin Upchurch b: 29 Oct 1830 in Franklin, NC, USA d: 1910 in Neills Creek Twnshp, Harnett, NC, USA
 7 Nathan E Upchurch b: 1832
 6 Frances Upchurch b: 1809 in Harnett County, North Carolina d: 1845 in Wake County, North Carolina
 6 Charlotte Upchurch b: 1810 d: 1904

(14) See will of Stephen Pearce — Wake Co NC written 7 Jun 1823 — names four daughters

Charlotte U nee Charlotte Pearce

Elizabeth Carpenter

Mary Perry

Cherry Denton

Names wife Elizabeth Pearce

(15) Article 883 from Franklin Co NC Heritage Book - 2008

by: Frankie Perry & Benny L “Ben” Perry

I. Nathan Pearce md Nancy Wester — They (and children A – D as seen below) moved from Northampton Co NC to East side of Moccasin Creek, Franklin County, NC before the Revolution

- A. Stephen P;
- B. Arthur P.;
- C. John P;
- D. Phillip P. married Nancy Bunn — Phillip served in Revolution
 - 1. Terry P. ; 2. Eli P.; 4. John P. II 5.; Hardy P.; Hailey P.; 7. Chloe P.
 - 3. Nathan P.II married Susan U. — 6 sons CSA; 4 killed
 - a. Burwell P; b. Thomas P.; c. Francis P. (F); d. Paul P. ; e. Solomon P.; f. Acreal P.;
 - g. Silas P.; h. Peter P. ; i. Silas P.; j. Nancy P.; k. Dave — Died young; l. Simon P. md 6 Aug 1840
Roeny Perry
 - i. Mary P.; ii **Charlotte P.** ; iii James P.; iv. Dallas P.
 - v. Simon P. II; vi Susan P.; vii. Blake P.; viii. Hence P.;
 - ix. William P.; x. Mose P. md () Frances Pearce (1st cousin)
 - (I) Bertie P.; (III) Lillie P. ; (IV) Willie P. ; (V) Lonie P.;
 - (II) Mattie P. md () Emma Laster Perry “Las”
 - (A) Jarvis W. Perry
 - (B) Luther D. Perry
 - (C) Clifton L. Perry md () Mary Lucille Pierce
 - (I) Benny L. Perry “Ben” md () Hilda Lewis
 - (a) Anelia Perry “Nena”
 - (b) Frankie Perry “Frank”
 - b. Thomas Pearce md () Charlotte Perry
 - i. Furney Pearce > Pierce md () Jane Phillips
 - (I) Frank Pierce md () Ada Florence Poole
 - (A) Thettie Bell P.
 - (B) Mary Lucille P. (Arrow drawn to the above Mary Lucille Pierce)
 - (C) Margaret P.
 - (D) Rebecca P.
 - (E) Franklin P.
 - (F) Paul P.
 - (G) Swain P.
 - (H) Wayne P.
- E. Elizabeth

(16)

See will of Calvin U written 23 Sep 1842 in Franklin Co NC
Calvin names his wife Agnes U (nee Agnes Young) daughter of Fenner Young
Names his mother **Charlotte U.**
Names his sisters Charlotte U. md John Saunders
Names Brothers Stephen, Littleberry, John U.

[Note: My guess is that the Charlotte in (2) & (4) is same. — RPU]

(17)

Per attached #27 West letter 18 May 1944 — will Extract — Franklin Co NC
Calvin U in will Jun 1844 lists his mother as **Carlote U.** — [This might be a misprint for
Charlotte — RPU — See Calvin U for details.

(18)

See letter 30 May 1982 Edythe Lee Medlin to RPU
I think it acceptable to state that **Charlotte U.**, the mother Calvin U. (will 1842) is nee Charlotte
Pearce, the daughter of Stephen Pearce

(19)

See pg 28, 29 of 2 Feb 1978 letter Elva E. Burkhalter to RPU
A. Franklin Co NC bk “B” 1840-44 Devisor and Devisee list of wills shows Calvin U. 1844 (m-
25) naming Charlotte, Agnes, Littleberry, John, Stephen.
The above Charlotte is the daughter of Calvin U. & wife **Charlotte U** nee Pearce