Commentary: Richard Upchurch, III – Head of Clan A. Sion Upchurch 1. **Albert Upchurch**

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(1) Per attachment #27B West Letter 18 May 1975 – Deeds Franklin Co, NC "8 Dec 1834 Indenture between Richmond Upchurch Nash Co and Albert Upchurch, Sinthy Upchurch and Lindsey Upchurch, County of Franklin = \$2.57 to me paid by Sion Upchurch, the father of the above-mentioned Legatees before the death of the said Sion Upchurch – I Have conveyed unto the said Legatees subject to dower of Elizabeth, wife of said Sion, 157 acres bounded by such Branch, down said branch to Little Turkey Creek – line Taylor's Corner. Witness: J R Fletcher and Ricks Fortis – signed R Upchurch. Dec Sessions 1834 registered 19 Jan 1835. Richmond Upchurch. Executed Book 27 Page 128."

(2) See Page 24 & 29, 2Feb 1978 Letter Elna E Burkhalter to RPU A. <u>Albert Upchurch</u> – Inventory of Estate of Sion Upchurch, 8 Jan 1833 lists an Albert Upchurch as one of the buyers.

(3) Richmond Upchurch of Nash Co, NC deed to <u>Albert Upchurch</u>, Sinthy Upchurch and Lindsey Upchurch, legatees of their father, Sion Upchurch, deceased, subject to the dower rights of Elizabeth Upchurch, widow of said Sion Upchurch. 8 Dec 1834. Deed Book 27, Page 128, Franklin Co, NC (41, Page 212)

(4) Family Line:
 I. Richard Upchurch, III – Head of Clan
 A. Sion Upchurch
 1. <u>Albert Upchurch</u>

 (5) Item in letter 14 Mar 1984 Eleanor Grace Williamson to RPU
 In search for info on 1803 Upchurch → Carpenter name change]
 Franklin Co, NC Tax Records
 1833 Stones District <u>Albert Upchurch</u> 421A 0WP, 1BP +Albert Upchurch listed 421A 0WP, 1BP for Elizabeth Upchurch
 1834 Stones District <u>Albert Upchurch</u> 421A 0WP 1BP

1834	Stones District	Albert Upchurch	421A	OWP, IBP
1834	Stones District	Elizabeth Upchurch	421A	0WP, 0BP
1835	Porters District	Albert Upchurch	0A	1WP, 1BP
1835	Porters District	Elizabeth Upchurch	421A	0WP, 0BP

[Note: Elizabeth Upchurch is possibly need Elizabeth Lindsey, widow of Sion Upchurch, Head of Richard Upchurch, III/Sion Upchurch Sub-clan. Her son <u>Albert Upchurch</u> is listing for her. Cross-referenced Elizabeth Upchurch & Elizabeth Lindsey.]



(6) Note: Dower Land passes to heirs without a will – RPU

(7) Question: What happened to the 421A cited for Elizabeth Upchurch (nee Elizabeth Lindsey) in above entry?

Will Book K Franklin Co, NC 1834 - 1840 - Wills, Estate Records, Guardian Accounts -Bradley

Elizabeth Upchurch entered only once – Entry 67 (42) Page 18,

No information on disposition of 421A

Kinfolks of Franklin Co, NC 1793 - 1844 - Watson

Five entries for an Elizabeth Upchurch – two concern nee Elizabeth Lindsey Page 212 - 1834 – mentions dower rights of wife of Sion Upchurch = Elizabeth Upchurch Page 236 – 8 Oct 1838 – 1 of 4 children of Sion Upchurch dispose f their

1/4 interest in dower lands of their mother – Elizabeth Upchurch

Franklin Co, NC - original Wills Vol I, 1780 - 1861 0- Bradley One Elizabeth Upchurch 383 (Page 102) 1855 – wrong one.

(8) Item in letter 14 Mar 1984 Eleanor Grace Williamson to RPU

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[Names in Diagram above – CJM 27 Jul 2017]

Baker, Boon, Davis, Dunn, Ferrell, Galloway, Hammond, Harris, Jeffreys, Mays, Porter, Stewart, Stone, Strickland, Taylor, Thomas, Upchurch, Alfred Upchurch, Ambrose Upchurch, Buckner Upchurch, Calvin Upchurch, Captain Upchurch [Moses Upchurch?], Claburn Upchurch, Eaton Upchurch, Elizabeth Upchurch, James Upchurch, Jameson Upchurch, John Upchurch, Peyton Upchurch, Sion Upchurch, Stephen Upchurch, Willie Upchurch, Williamson, Webb.

(9) Upchurch & Related Tax Listings – Franklin Co, NC 178 – 1864 – to RPU from Carola Jones 29 Oct 2006

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RPU Comments re: Tax Lists above 18		
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2. Benjamin Pearce	7. Willie Upchurch	
3. Archibald W Pearce	8. Albert Upchurch	
4. Joseph Pearce	9. Alfred Upchurch	
5. Plummer D Pearce	10. Elizabeth Upchurch	
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(10) Upchurch & Related Tax Listings – Franklin Co, NC 178 – 1864 – to RPU from Carola Jones 29 Oct 2006

Captain Bowden's District Richmond Upchurch 157 acres worth \$2 per acre \$314 1 WP 3BP . Willie Upchurch 225 acres worth \$2 per acre \$450 1 WP 1 BP Alfred Upchurch 1 WP Sion Upchurch 364 acres worth \$2 per acre \$728 1 BP Captain Taylor's District 1828 Sion Upchurch 264 acres worth \$2 per acre \$528 1 BP Willie Upchurch 225 acres worth \$2 per acre \$450 1 WP 2 BP · Alford Upchurch 1 WP Richmond Upchurch 157 acres worth \$2 per acre \$314 1 WP 4 BP 1 stud or jack worth \$4 Captain Taylor's District 182 1829 Alford Upchurch 1 WP Richmond Upchurch 157 acres worth \$ per acre \$314 1 WP 3 BP 1 stud worth \$4 Willie Upchurch 444 acres worth \$2 per acre \$898 1 WP Sion Upchurch 264 acres worth \$2 per acre \$528 1 WP 1 BP 1 taxable lot Interlineated between Willie and Sion was 1 BP Captain Perry's District 1830 Willie Upchurch 459 acres worth \$2 per acre \$908 1 WP Alford Upchurch 1 WP 1BP Sion Upchurch 421 acres worth \$2 per acre \$842 1 BP Captain Perry's District Willie Upchurch 234 acres worth \$2 per acre \$468 1 WP Alford Upchurch 1 WP 1 BP Sion Upchurch 421 acres worth \$2 per acre \$842 1 WP 1 BP Captain Stone's District 1832 Alford Upchurch 1 WP pd \$.87 Sion Upchurch 421 acres worth \$2 per acre \$842 1 WP 1 BP pd \$3.93 Willie Upchurch 234 acres worth \$2 per acre \$468 1 WP 1 BP pd \$2.96 Captain John H. Stone's District 1833 Willie Upchurch 234 acres worth \$2 per acre \$468 1 WP pd. \$2.01 Alford or Alfred Upchurch 1 WP pd. \$.84 Albert Upchurch 1 WP pd. \$.84 Albert Upchurch for Elizabeth Upchurch 421 acres worth \$2. per acre \$842. I BP pd. \$3.05 Captain Parker's District 1837 Alford Upchurch 162 acres worth \$2.29 per acre 1 WP 1BP Willie Upchurch 281.5 acres worth \$1.65 per acre 1 WP 1 BP Albert Upchurch 1 WP Elizabeth Upchurch 421 acres worth \$2 per acre

(11) Nash Co, NC – Abstracts of Will Book I (Original Will Books I, II, III, IV) 1778 – 1860. Four wills involved – one below on Page 110.

TUCKER, BENJAMIN P. 367. Oct. 15, 1829 - Feb. Ct. 1830. Wife: AMEY. Sons: 1. BARNABAS, 2. THOMAS. Daus: 1. MARTHA MUSAW?, 2. ELIZABETH VESTER, 3. BARSHABA WILLIAMS, 4. ELIZA VESTER. Gr. chil: HIXSEY, KELLY, EDWIN, and JOHN STYLES. Son of wife: DREWRY SAVAGE. Son-inlaw: GUILFORD GRIFFIN. Ex: SION UPCHURCH. Wit: R. (RICHMOND) UPCHURCH, ALBERT UPCHURCH. From the above: i. Benjamin Tucker* married () Amey --- ---A. Barnabas Tucker **B.** Thomas Tucker C. Martha Tucker married () --- --- Musaw? D. Elizabeth Tucker married () --- --- Vester [Benjamin Vester]** Note: BV is GGGF of nee Sallaine Sledge – wife of Robert Phillip Upchurch – RPU 4 Dec 2010 E. Barshaba Tucker married () --- --- Williams F. Eliza Tucker married () --- --- Vester G. Crewey Savage (stepson of Benjamin Tucker) **Executor: Sion Upchurch** Witnesses: Richmond Upchurch, Albert Upchurch *Note: Benjamin Tucker had: A son in law Guilford Griffin It is not - these mesh with A-E above – RPU clear how Four Styles grandchildren: Hixey Styles Edwin Styles Kelly Styles John Styles

(12) From 1810 Census – Franklin Co, NC

In the household headed by Sion Upchurch there are slots for 3 males 0 - 10. It is presumed that one of those is a son <u>Albert Upchurch</u> born 1800 - 1810 - RPU

(13) Franklin Co, NC – Will Book I, J – Bradley Page 86

542-(231) Sion Upchurch dec'd inventory. 5 Jam 1833. Richmond Upchurch admr. Accounts owed or due:

Joab Tucker	Willie Vester	William Walker	Daniel Woodard	
Lewis Tucker	Benjamin Cook	Callum Moore	Lamuel Alford	
Elizabeth Lewis	Hardy Wood	Littleberry Bilbro		
Estate Sale. 8 Jan 1833. Buyers:				
Elizabeth Upchurch	James Gay	James Gibbins	Richmond Upchurch	
Hilliard Stallings	Robert Boon	Burrel Rose	Cynthia Upchurch	
Albert Upchurch	Washington Harris	Henry Williams	Edwin Lewis	
James Solomon	Willie Upchurch	Leroy Mitchell	Byrd Edwards	
William Hunt	Philemon Hawkins	Gideon Bass	Isaac Spikes	



Hardy Wood	John B Rice	Henry S Jones	Gideon Bass
John Langford	William Savage	Joseph Bilbro	Lewis Tucker
Henry G Williams			
March Court 1833			

(14) Franklin Co, NC – Will Book K – Bradley Page 18 67-(42) Account 1832 – 1835 by Richmond Upchurch, admr of Sion Upchurch dec'd. Named: Gideon Bass Littleberry Bilbro George Boddie **Gray Bridges** Asbury Linsy Wm Foster **Cofield Harris** Amos Jones Shaw& King John T Mitchell Richd Noble & Co S Patterson Elizabeth Upchurch R Upchurch Albert Upchurch Allen Bowden was admr of H Hammond Allen Bowden was admr debonis non of C Moore Noted was a sum due the heirs of Benjamin Tucker dec'd according to the will of the sd dec'd. March Court 1835. Auditors were W D Webb, A H Davis, P Hawkins.

(15) See packet 23 Mar 1986 Irene Olive to RPU
Bible Records of Early Edgecombe Co, NC – 1958
By Williams & Griffin
Margaret Richardson Hadley born 19 Feb 1825 died 23 Aug 1872, married Capt. <u>Albert</u>
<u>Upchurch</u> (daughter of Thomas Hadley 1797 – 1872 and Millicent Richardson H 1804 – 1869).
From Thomas Hadley Family Records – files of Hugh B Johnson, Fr – Wilson, NC. The Hadleys lived in what is now Wilson Co, NC.

(16) See Thomas Hadley, Sr for a formal document on (15). Repeats this same information.

(17) Nash Co, NC – Upchurch Records – received 9 May 194 by RPU from Alice Louise (Navarette) Morgan.

From: Kinfolks of Nash County North Carolina 1778 – 1854m by Joseph W Watson, 1979. Page Name and Information

- 124 Sion Upchurch of Franklin Co sold land, April 13, 1827. Page 58 Deed Book 12.
- 140 Richmond Upchurch of Franklin Co bought land Jan 13, 1830. Page 336 Deed Book 13.
- 176 Richmond Upchurch of Nash Co bill of sale to Lindsey Upchurch of Franklin Co, March 24, 1840. Page 19 Deed Book 17.
 Same as preceding bill of sale, March 24, 1840. Page 20 Deed Book 17.
 Susan Upchurch [Susan Bryant], wife of Richmond Upchurch of Franklin Co, was daughter of William Bryant, Sr, deceased, March 22, 1828. Page 29 Deed Book 17.

Joseph H White and Lindsey Upchurch bought land jointly, Nov 8, 1841. Page 178 Deed Book 17. Gideon Bass of Nash Co and Isaac Bass of Maderson Co, Miss sold land jointly; Lindsey Upchurch proved the signature of Albert Upchurch, a non-resident, Sept 7, 1835. Page 186 Deed Book 17.

RPU note – 8 Mar 2017 – Conclude above Albert Upchurch is XID – 1000, grandson of Richard Upchurch, III:



I. Richard Upchurch – Head of Clan A. Sion Upchurch 1. <u>Albert Upchurch</u> XID – 4154

(18) Upchurch & Related Tax Listings – Franklin Co, NC 1798 – 1864 – to RPU from Carla Jones 29 Oct 2006

	District	<u>Albert Upchurch</u> &	Elizabeth Upchurch	
1833	Capt John H Stone	Albert Upchurch	1WP	
1833	Capt John H Stone	Albert Upchurch for	Elizabeth Upchurch	421A, \$842, 1BP
1834	Capt John H Stone	Albert Upchurch	1WP	
1834	Capt John H Stone	Elizabeth Upchurch	421A, \$842	
1835	Capt Parker	Albert Upchurch	1WP	
1835	Capt Parker	Elizabeth Upchurch	421A, \$842	

(19) Proposal:

It seems possible that Albert Upchurch (XID – 1000), son of Sion Upchurch, grandson of Richard Upchurch, III – Head of Clan, could be the Albert Upchurch who:

Appeared in TX in 1839

Married in Edgecombe Co, NC Margaret Richardson Hadley. He was referred to as Captain Albert Upchurch.

