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Greetings Society Members,

Fall has arrived with it's most welcome cooler weather, nippy mornings and a hint of winter on the way. Halloween has come and gone and before we know it Thanksgiving will be here.

The Carrere family tree has added a new "twig" our granddaughter, Charlotte Theresa Maheu, was born 11 Sept in Fla. In addition we welcome a new son-in-law, Carl Warren Osborne. Warren & Stephanie were married 17th Oct. in Lexington, N. C.

Did you celebrate the anniversary of the Battle of Yorktown? Did you know that at least one Dobbs Co. man serving in the N. C. Contiental Line took part in that battle?

I'm sorry that more of you were not able to hear the Irish Genealogist, Mrs. Kathleen Neill, who spoke here on Fri. the 23rd. We did not know of her arrival in time to get out cards to all the members & had to rely on newspapers, radio & word-of-mouth to get the message out. Kathleen gave all of us an insight to Irish research and it is not as impossible as most people have been lead to believe. In spite of the destruction of the Records Office in Dublin in 1922 a great many records have survived in one form or the other. I was interested to learn that the parish records that were destroyed were only those of the reconized church, the Anglican, and even those have been supplemented by other records. Parish registers of the disenter, i.e., Baptists, Methodists, Catholics etc. have survived as well as records kept by the large estates, and many land records. Mrs. Neill very kindly gave us the three issues of their publication for this year. It is called Links Past & Present. We will have them on display during the Nov. meeting and then they will be kept in the Local History Room. If you are interested in Irish research, I would urge you to contact Mrs. Neill.

The workshop that the Society sponsored in Sept. on Virginia Records was a success and I am sorry that everyone of you could not attend. Our speaker was Robert V. Clay & of all the misconceptions I had heard about Va. records Bob laid most of them to rest. Sadly none of the Militia lists for Va. have survived. I was delighted to learn of the microfilming of Va. Co. records that is well underway and which are available for inter-library loan. We obtained copies of the list and they are at both the public & the community college library. We also have a copy of Robert's talk. I am pleased to announce that we made \$400 clear on the workshop & we plan on giving the money to the library for a 2nd (& badly needed!) microfilm reader.

Other new library additions include all of Margaret Hofmann's books, both at the Public & WCC libraries. WCC has added the Passenger Index set published by Gales Publishing Co. The Society members voted at the last meeting to purchase this set of books for the local library, however, our policy has been to try not to duplicate books in the two libraries in order to have a greater selection for we genealogy "nuts".

My students are currently working on transcribing the 1870 & 1880 census of Wayne County & we are also doing the 1850 & plan on checking it against the AIS index as so many mistakes have been found in the AIS work. I did the 1860 census over a year ago

as well as the first two marriage registers of Wayne Co. which are in the custody of the N.C. State Archives. Beginning with this issue of our DOBBS TRAILS we will be including two sheets of the census & two sheets of the marriage register in each issue of the newsletter. We are including in this issue the list of members, the 1767 Dobbs Co. Militia list, the form to send in your family queries, & a map of N.C. We hope that you will save your issues of the newsletter.

Have you been making good use of the Gravestone Inscriptions, which was done by our member, Mrs. Gladys Weeks & Mrs. Nancy Thomson? This monumental work, which took the gals five years to do, is not complete. Gladys says she knows that they missed many graveyards that were back in the woods or down in the lower forty. If you know of an old cemetery, please do all of us a favor...copy the tombstones & also include a map or directions on how to reach the cemetery.

I am pleased to announce that Margaret Hofmann will be here on the 21 of Nov. to conduct a class on how to plot land records. If you wish to attend please send a check to me for \$5. The class will be at the Student Union Bldg. at the community college.

In case you are not at the Nov. meeting I would like to take this opportunity to wish each of you a happy Thanksgiving & I hope you will be able to spend it with family & friend.

Please share with all of us your family stories or articles of interest as well as bible records, pictures etc.

Happy ancestor hunting,
Mrs. Charlotte R. Carrere, Pres.

1767 Dobbs Co. Militia List

A List of Captain John Shearrard Company

William Fort, Lt.; John Peacock, Ensign; Thomas Woodard, Sgt.; John Barefoot, Sgt.
Jacob Bardin, Sgt.

James Cook	William Aycock	Armerger Hall
John Newsum	Jesse Pitman	John Peacock
Peter Peacock	William Linch	Benj. Alford
William Alford	Jesse Bardin	Solomon Persons
Thomas Branch	Daniel Lofley	Moses Branch
Thomas Caraway	Thomas Price	Nathan Price
William Jones	Jobe Rowly	Robert Shearrard
Simon Shearrard	William Radford	Daniel Conner
Thomas Bennet	John Rowel	John Worrel Sr.
Richard Worrel	John Worrel Jr.	Vaun Hilbern
John Easterlin	Moses Johnson	Samuel Peacock
William Hubbard	William Starling	Leavel Watkins
John Taylor	Solomon Rouse	Joab Spyve
Thomas Aycock	John Aycock	Elisha Woodard
Thomas Woodard Sr.	John Shearrard	Benj. Sherrard
Nathan Chances	Richard Derdeno	Daniel Powel
John Barnes	Samuel Barnes	Benj. Barnes
Charles Aycock	James Cannon	John Hall
Right Bass	James Barfield	William Cook
Joel Ellis	James Rosco	John Derdeno Sr.
John Derdeno Jr.	Isaac Daniel	John Daniel
Stephen Weaver	Absalum Ellis	William Williams

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Abbit, Johnson	Smith, Sally Ann	18 Nov. 1851	@ J. Hardison's
Adams, Nathan	McMain, Sarah	29 July 1855	@ Goldsboro
Andrews, James	Nichols, Mary	21 July 1853	@ Goldsboro
Arrington, Dr. B.F.	Everitt, Barbara A.	9 Jan 1855	@ Everittsville
Artis, Absalam	Evans, Eliza	18 June 1855	@ Wm. Vernon's *
Artis, Calvin	Seaburry, Serena	2 Oct 1853	not given *
Artis, Matthew	Artis, Elizabeth	20 June 1852	not given *
Atkinson, Rich'd	Peacock, Jane	10 Oct 1854	@ P. L. Peacock's
Atkinson, Wm. F.	Cox, Charity E.	6 Mar 1855	@ Silas Cox's
Aycock, Elias	Hooks, Mary	4 Jan 1855	@ Simeon Hook's
Aycock, Jacob	Martin, Charlotte	3 Aug 1852	@ Henry Martin's
Aycock, Jesse	Pike, Mary	9 Nov 1854	@ Barnes Aycock's
Aycock, Jethro W.	Barnes, Mary Ann	31 Oct 1854	@ Burkit Barnes'
Aycock, Joshua	Burns, Martha	28 Feb 1854	@ Benj. Barnes
Bailey, Ransey	Barnes, Nancy	22 Nov 1855	@Charity Aycock's

(1st part of the license gives groom's name as Lorenzo D. Bailey)

Ballinger, Wm. A.	Turnage, Mary	10 July 1856	unable to read
Baker, Richard	Wilkins, Mary	24 June 1852	@ not given
Barden, Wm.	Jones, Sally	4 Feb 1854	@ Jas. Hooks;
Barfield, Bryan	Price, Nancy	29 May 1856	@ Marina Price's
Barnes, Enos	Tomlinson, Eliz.	26 Dec 1854	@ Thos. Tomlinson's
Barnes, Jacob	Musgrave, Nancy A.	18 May 1854	@ John T. Tolers
Barnes, James H.	Barden, Susan A.	20 Jan 1852	@ Polly Barden's
Barnes, Ruffin	Wooten, Martha Ann	9 Dec 1852	not given
Bass, Elias	Davis, Jane	4 Jan 1855	@ Nathan Davis'
Bass, Isaac	Newsom, Belinda	29 July 1851	@ John Matthis'
Bass, Thomas	Newsom, Nancy	15 Feb 1855	@ Simon Newsom's
Bass, Wm.	Brodgen, Nancy M.	18 Jan 1853	@ Pearce Brodgen's
Battle, Dr. Joel D	Bunting, Harriet D.	17 Dec 1851	@ Everettsville

Beard, Wm.	Wise, Talitha	11 Oct 1852	@ Uriah Wise's
Becton, F. J.	Sauls, Elizabeth	13 Mar 1855	@ Ethe'd Saul's
Becton, Jacob	Becton, Elizabeth	22 Sept 1853	@ John E. Becton's
Behnton, Jesse	Smith, Nancy Jane	23 July 1853	@ Clarky Smith's
Berger, Joseph B.	Langston, Martha	1 Feb. 1852	@ her residence
Best, Hinton J.	Uzzell, Sarah	6 Nov 1851	@ Rebecca Uzzell's
Best, Nicholas	Best, Polly Ann	30 Nov 1854	@ Council Best
Bogart, Wm.	Frior, Ann	28 May 1851	@ not given
Borden, Edwin B.	Whitfield, Georgiana	13 Oct 1853	@ John M. Sasser's
Bowden, John B.	Herring, Barbara A.	27 June 1854	@ J. B. Bowden
Boyte, Stephen	Atkinson, Edith	21 Sept 1851	@ Thos. Odum's
Boyte, Wm.	Langston, Mary E.	23 Aug 1853	@ Sarah Langston
Bradbury, Solomon	Peacock, Patience	16 Nov 1854	@ Sarah Peacock's
Brafford, Edward	McClenny, Mary	15 Apr 1855	In the woods
Brewer, Alfred	Sauls, Ann Maria	8 July 1856	@ Josiah Fields
Brock, Robert	Anderson, Betsey	10 Dec 1854	@ Mary Anderson's
Brockett, Griffith	Branch, Mary J.	2 June 1853	not given
Brodgen, Thos.	Brodgen, Nancy	20 Oct 1853	@ Matt. Brodgen's
Browne, Council	Wiggs, Louisa	4 Mar 1856	@ D. Miller's
Browne, Jesse	Pate, Patsey	20 Mar 1855	@ Dan'l Edwards's
Bryan, George	Farmer, Drucilla	25 Aug 1853	@ James Farmer's
Bryan, Wm.	Farmer, Elizabeth	3 Feb 1853	@ Jas. Farmer's
Buckan, George C.	Kornegay, Mary J.	18 Oct 1855	@ Joseph Kornegay's
Burbank, David L.	Pipkin, L. W.	24 Jan 1855	@ Goldsboro
Burn, James	Sasser, Patsay	6 Jan 1853	@ Jesse Burn's
Burnham, Wm.	Miller, Elizabeth	2 Sept 1855	Invitation Church
Butts, Kinchen	Daniel, Zilpha	11 Jan 1855	@ Jacob Daniel's
Byrd, Christopher	Brafford, Zilpha	20 Feb 1853	@ Mary Brafford's
Campbell, John	Holland, Nancy	11 Nov 1852	not given

Capps, Calvin	Price, Julia	10 Mar 1853	@ Thos. Price's
Capps, John D.	Casey, Pheby	14 May 1854	@ Richard Casey's
Casey, John P.	Freeman, Anna	10 Sept 1854	@ not given
Casey, Matthew	Lewis, Susan	23 Sept 1855	@ John Lewis'
Casey, Richard	Branch, Eliza	19 Jan 1854	@ Goldsboro
Clements, John B.	Bunn, Arterisia	12 May 1853	not given
Coleman, Jesse	Davis, Celia	11 Nov 1852	@ Winny Davis'
Collier, Isaiah	Pate, Zilpha	30 Nov 1854	not given
Collier, John	Grier, Edny	4 Mar 1852	@ Nahunta Depot
Collins, Richard	Cox, Phereby	20 Nov 1855	@ Phereby Cox's
Corbit, Wm.	Browne, Harriet	14 Apr 1853	@ Wm. Corbit
Cotton, Amos	Smithy Combs	7 July 1853	@ Richard Ham's
Cotton, John B.	Byrd, Zilpha	16 May 1855	@ L. P. Lindsay
Craton, Marshall D.	Stammire, Sallie H	16 Mar 1852	@ her father's
Crawford, Jesse	Eason, Fetany	20 June 1855	@ Eason's
Crawford, Samuel N.	Price, Narcissa M.	7 Aug 1855	not given
Creel, Sion	Beard, Polly	13 May 1851	@ Goldsboro
Croom, Hillary	Manley, Narcissa	24 Sept 1852	@ Goldsboro
Crow, Moses	Jinnett, Aby	16 Dec 1852	@ Needham Jinnett
Cuddington, Cicero	Wiggs, Cherry	15 Apr 1855	@ Thos. A. Deans
Daniel, James	Tomlinson, Ellifair	6 Jan 1852	@ Jon. Tomlinson's
Davis, Adam C.	Briggs, Lavenia A.	27 Feb 1855	@ Stanbery Hill
Davis, Bartlet	Beaman, Julia A.	25 Dec 1851	@ John Davis'
Davis, Burwell	Deans, Phereby	29 Dec 1852	@ Jimmy Deans'
Davis, David	Howell, Lucinda	20 May 1856	@ E. Howell's
Davis, Elisha	Bass, Nannie	4 Jan 1855	@ Jeremiah Bass'
Davis, Henry	Ferrell, Piety	18 Jan 1853	@ Noel Ferrell's
Davis, John	Barnes, Elizabeth	3 Mar 1855	@ John C. Barnes'
Davis, Jonathan	Beamon, Adaline	2 Apr 1854	@ Hulda Beamon's

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