

Book 42 page 72; Feb. 1 1860, S.C. Alexander--no wife signs--lets John K. Graham (both of Rowan Co. N.C.) have 63 1/2 acres next William Dancy, deceased Jacob Waggoner & ---Shouf, to \$901.00, witnessed by F.L. Lucey & John W. Keeseley & proved by the latter on Feb. 21 1860.

The will of John L. Graham (book K page 373) made Feb. 1 1864 & probated in Feb. 1866. Nephews; James C. Gray (\$1000.00), George L.G. Gray, James G. Knox (\$1000.00) Nieces; Elizabeth Graham (wife of George Henry) \$500.00, Welmeth Graham (wife of Jonas Lipe) \$500.00--these men are Confederate soldiers with no prospect of peace & if they die the money goes to their families. Full Cousin; William C. Spears (an orphan raised by nether) a Confederate soldier \$500.00 which goes to his child if he dies. Exr: friend Stephen F. Cowan. Witnesses: Stephen F. Cowan, J.R. McCorkle, J.C. Hargrave & Michael Filhour.

William Graham of North Carolina  
N.C. D.A.R. Register of 1947, page 40: Miss Susan Graham, as #200764,  
from the service of William Graham, a Private of R.C., joined the  
"John Penn Chapter" of Oxford, N.C.

Graham

Page 135: Mrs. George W. Graham, (Gene Tunstall), gave her Supplemental lines as Captain Nicholas Hobson of Virginia, & Richard de Braffenreid, a Justice of Virginia.  
Page 14: Mrs. George W. Graham, (Gene Tunstall), as #147598 from the services of Elijah Clark Captain & Colonel & Brigadier General of Georgia, joined the "Mother Chapter," (organized Sept. 27, 1898), of Charlotte, N.C.  
Page 14: Miss Jessica Ann Graham as #337610, from the services of General Joseph Graham, Captain of the North Carolina Cavalry, joined the same chapter.  
Page 14: Mrs. William A. Graham, (Jessica Ann), as #264470, from the services of John Phillips, a Private of Virginia, joined the same chapter.

Married March 11 1890: Thomas C. Gray of Iredell Co. N.C. age 38 years, to Nannie C. Burke of Salisbury, N.C., age 24 years.

Book " Oct. 9 1866: E.D. Gray to Matilda E. McNeely by Rev. W.B. Watts page 238; Sept. 4 1869, E.D. Gray & wife E.E. of Brownsville, Prairie Co. Arkansas, let E.D. Gray of Rowan Co. N.C., have 39 acres (being lot #3 in the R.W. McNeely land) for \$400.00, acknowledged in Brownsville on the same day.

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Book 72 page 487: Dec. 16 1889, W.C. Griswell of Rowan Co. N.C. -- no wife signs -- lets J? or I. Lou Graham of Iredell Co. N.C., have 165 1/2 acres in Lt. Ulla Township next --- Parks, John L. Burke, lots #2 & 4, & --- Fall, for \$1500.00, witnessed & proved by A.D. Watts in Iredell Co. on the same day.

Graham

N.C. D.A.R. Register of 1947, page 85: Mrs. W. A. Graham, (Earl Whisnant) as #106663, from the services of Major William Foster of South Carolina, is listed among the former members 1890-1947.

Graham

Page 130: Mrs. John Calvert, (Ellen W. Graham), gave her Supplemental Line to Major John Davidson, a signer of North Carolina.  
Page 74: Mrs. John Calvert, (Ellen Graham), as #92544, from the services of General Joseph Graham a Major of North Carolina.

Page 85: Miss Mary <sup>own</sup> Graham as #101463, from the services of Colonel Alexander <sup>of</sup> North Carolina, is listed among the former members 1890-1947.

Same page: Miss Mary Graham as #105336, from the services of Colonel Alexander McAllister of the North Carolina Provincial Congress, is listed among the former members 1890-1947.

Page 84: Mrs. H. A. Brady, (Annie E. Graham), as #394797, from the services of Colonel Alexander McAllister of North Carolina, is listed among the former members 1890-1947.

Page 84: Mrs. Walter Graham, (Katherine Pressly), as #30397, from the services of Adam Wideman, a Private of South Carolina, is listed among the former members 1890-1947.

Book 72 page 557; Feb. 21 1890, Elvira Graham, Charles A. Wagner & wife M.G. of Davie Co. I.C., let F.M. Davis of Rowan Co. I.C., have 45 acres next lot #2, for \$260.00, witnessed by Amos Daniel & acknowledged in Davie County on the same day.



The will of John L. Graham (book K page 373) made Feb. 1 1864 & probated in Feb. 1866.  
Nephews: James C. Gray (\$1000.00), James G. Knox (\$1000.00) & George L.G. Gray  
Nieces: Elizabeth wife of George Henry \$500.00, Welmeth wife of Jonas Lips \$500.00--  
these are Confederate soldiers with no hope of peace & should they die the money goes to their families.  
Full cousin: William C. Spears (an orphan reared by my mother), a confederate soldier, \$500.00 & if he is killed it goes to his child.  
Exr; friend Stephen F. Cowan. Witnesses: J.R. McCorkle, J.C. Hargrave, Stephen F. Cowan & Michael Filhour.

Graham

N.C. G.A.R. Register of 1947, page 50: Miss Anna Daniel Graham, as #139798 from the service of Captain John Alston of North Carolina, joined the "Warren Chapter," (organized April 5, 1929), of Warrenton, N.C.

Page 135: Miss Anna Daniel Graham gave her Supplemental Lineal Colonel Alexander McAllister of North Carolina.

Page 50: Mrs. W. A. Graham, (Annie Boyd), as #184115, from the service of Colonel Lewis Burwell of Virginia, joined the "Warren Chapter" of Warrenton, N.C.

Page 84: Mrs. Wm. A. Graham, (Bonnie Oates), as #73533, from the service of Captain James White of Pennsylvania, is listed among the former members 1895-1947.

Graham

G.A.R. Lineage, Vol. 134, page 184: Mrs. Lester & Stone, (Daisy Graham), born in Dublin, Va. joined as #139606, from the service of Major-General Robert Howe (1732-1784), born & died in Brunswick Co., N.C., who commanded the 2nd Regiment & rose to the rank of Brigadier-General & Major General - see also #132481. She is the daughter of:

- (1) John M. Graham (1844-1909), married 1868, Mary Snodgrass (1844-1918);
- (2) John M. Graham (1806-1856), married 1827, Nancy Daniel (1810-1864);
- (3) George W. Daniel (1782-1845) " 1802, Nancy Grant (1781-1836);
- (4) Stephen Daniel, " Rebecca Howe;
- (5) Robert Howe, " Sarah Kinange.

Vol. 123, page 147: Mrs. Wm. A. Simmons, (Mary Graham), born in Dublin, Va., as #132481, joined as above.

See McColl-Hidwell and Allied Families, by Etta Hidwell McColl, page 131: Mrs. Robert Daniel of Carolina and (2) Martha Mannwright; John Daniel<sup>2</sup> and Sarah Baven (of John<sup>1</sup> John<sup>1</sup>); Stephen Beadon Daniel<sup>3</sup> and Rebecca Howe<sup>3</sup> (of Robert<sup>4</sup> John<sup>3</sup> Robert<sup>3</sup> John<sup>1</sup>); George W. Daniel<sup>2</sup> and (2)

John Graham

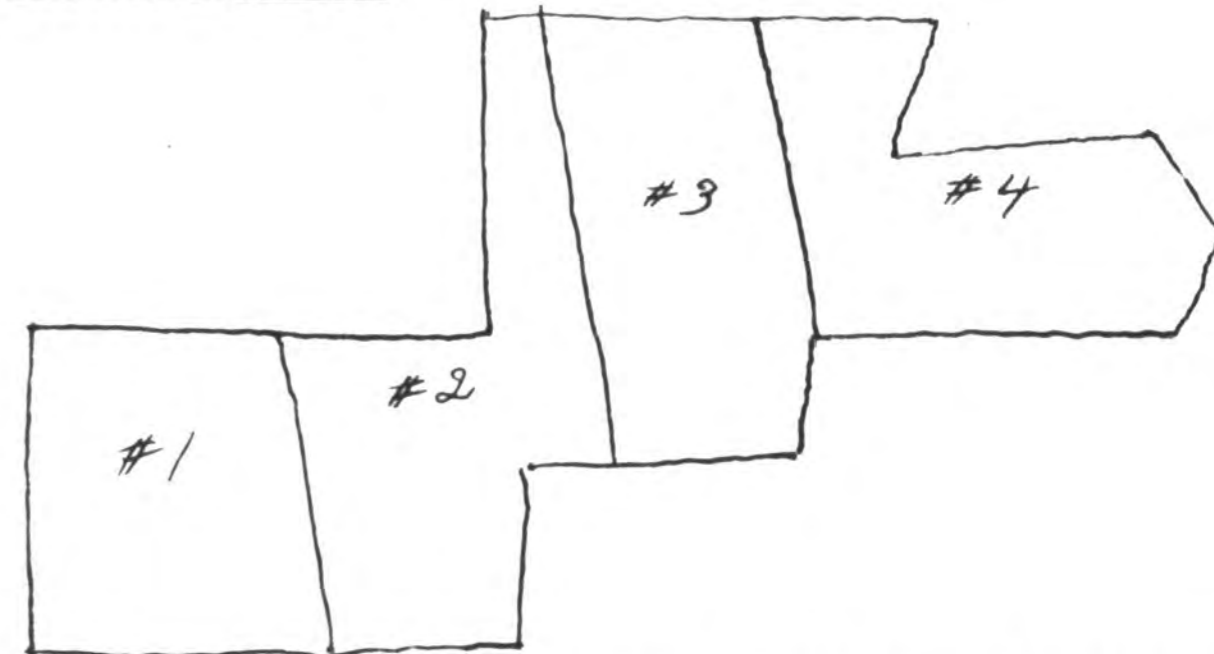
Book 69 page 337; Nov. 6 1879, Anjuline Lowry, A.J. Lowry & wife M.E. let R.J., wife of John Graham--all of Rowan Co. N.C.--have 34 acres next J.A. Klutz, T. Cranford & D. Canup, for \$70.00, acknowledged on Dec. 3 1879.

Graham

N.C. D.A.R. Register of 1947, page 34: Mrs. Charles Graham, (Mattie Knae Ballew), no #325458, from the services of Captain John Bryan of Pennsylvania, joined the "Colonel Sumner Bull Chapter" of Seneca, N.C.

John Wilson Graham's estate

Book 91 page 371; Nov. 14 1901, the estate of John Wilson Graham is divided by the commissioners (J.H. Davis, W.T. Hair & J.H. Becker) with C.M. Miller as C.S. as follows  
Let #1 of 47 acres to George Harkay for life with remainder in fee for Walter W. Haskell & is next J.W. Knex & ---Coleman;  
" #2 " 43 " " J.T. Graham is next let #1, Henry Coleman, J.M. Menree & J.W. Knex;  
" #3 " 56 " " L.A. Graham is next let #2, Henry Becker & J.M. Menree;  
" #4 " 35 " " Jessie L. & Walter R. Graham



Book 101 page 56; April 27 1904, L.A. Graham (an unmarried man of Jersey Co. Ill.) lets W.B. Gaither of Rowan Co. N.C., have 56 acres next let #2, Henry Becker & J.M. Menree, for \$400.00, acknowledged in Ill. on May 2 1904. (This is let #3 in the division of John Wilson Graham's estate--see book 91 page 371).

D.A.R. Lineage Vol. 130 page 238: Miss Emma Daniel Graham, born in Warren Co. N.C. as #139498, joined from the services of John Alston, born in Halifax Co. N.C. where he died in 1784, commanded a company in the North Carolina Line - see also #9445-4

Col. Alexander McAllister, born in Scotland in 1715, died in Cumberland Co. N.C. where he was Colonel of the Militia, member of the Committee of Safety & The Provincial Congress - see #105936. She is the daughter of John Graham (born in 1747) who married in 1768, Francis Pideon Daniel

(born in 1724);  
Archibald " (1791-1875) " " (2) " 1850 Anna McLean (1765-1822)  
& Willie Daniel (1806-1866); " " 1832 " " 1832  
Richard Alston (1765-1830), who married in 1789, Frances Alston (1770-1830) & of  
William McLean (1768-1830) " " 1799, Eliza McAllister (1782-1855);

great-great-granddaughter of Col. McAllister ( ) who married in 1774, Janet Bull ( ) & of John Alston who married in 1761, Ann Hunt Mason ( ); great-great-granddaughter of Alexander McAllister who married (3d) in Eliza McNeill ( )

Book 35 page 49b; Jan. 11 1842, Valentine Faggot--no wife signs--lets Richard Graham (both of Rowan Co.N.C.) have 212 acres on Coddle Creek next ---Woodside, ---Kerr,--- Graham, John Rumble, ---Williford & an old field, for \$1000.00, witnessed by James E. Herr & John Gillen & proved by the latter in Feb. 1842.

*Richard Graham*

*N.C. D.A.R. Register of 1947 page 50: Miss Emma Daniel Graham, of # 129798, from the services of Captain John Alston of North Carolina, joined the "Warren Chapter" (organized April 5, 1923), of Warrenton, N.C. Page 135: Miss Emma Daniel Graham gave her supplemental line as Colonel Alexander W. Allister of North Carolina. (over)*

*Graham*

*D.A.R. Lineage Vol. 160 page 259: Miss Mary Louisa Blackwell, as # 159821, from the services of Ebenezer Dickey (1761-1848) born in Pennsylvania, who received a Pension in 1832, for services as a Private in the North Carolina Troops under Colonel Lock & Graham.*

*She is the daughter of (re):*

- (1) Edward Dickey Blackwell, (1835-1883) married in 1881, Jennie Bard (born in 1850);*
- (2) Harleigh Blackwell, (1814-1899) married in 1849, Catherine Ann Barker (1819-1872);*
- (3) Ezekiel Blackwell, (1786-1871) married in 1810, Elizabeth Dickey (1790-1814);*
- (4) Ebenezer Dickey, married in 1765, Mary Graham (born in 1765).*

Book 42 page 409; June 8 1861, Joseph A. Graham--no wife signs--lets Ann C. Brown (both of Rowan Co. N.C.) have 20 acres next Adam Brown, William Morah, on the line of the poor-house & road leading to Meilig's mill, for \$224.00, witnessed by C.F. Waggoner & J.A. McConaughy & proved by the latter on May 7 1862.

Book 42 page 520; Jan. 16 1863, Ann Chambers Brown lets John Julian--both of Rowan Co. N.C.--have the above land for \$200.00, witnessed by James B. Long & J.A. McConaughy & proved by the latter in Feb. 1863.

*John Graham*

*D.A.R. Lineage, Vol. 149, page 191: Mrs. Hugh A. Logan, (Sousa Herndon), born in Cleveland Co. N.C., as #142547, from the service of John Carruth (1752-1828) who died in Lincoln Co. N.C., Captain & Major of the North Carolina Troops--see also #134939.*

*She is the daughter of, (re):*

- (1) John B. Herndon, (born 1847), married 1879, Cordovia Blanton, (born 1853);
- (2) George Herndon, (1810-1878), 1842, Mary Graham, (1822-1902);
- (3) John Carruth Graham (1788-1830), " Polly Carruth,
- (4) John Carruth, " Elizabeth Cathey (1752-1819).

*Vol. 135 page 294: Mrs James S. Parker, (Beriah Herndon), born in Cleveland Co. N.C., as #134939, from the service of John Carruth (as above)*

- (1) John B. Herndon, (born ) married
- (2) George " ( ) " Mary Graham
- (3) John Graham ( ) " Polly Carruth (1792-1853),
- (4) John Carruth, " Elizabeth Cathey (1742-1819);

*see also #107626.*

Joseph A. Graham

Book 90 page 288; Nov. 10 1899, Joseph A. Graham & wife Queen of Darlington Co. S.C., let J.E. Mennessee of Rowan Co. N.C., have (parts of lots 7 & 9) on the west side of Main Street next T.E. Johnston on Lafayette street, for \$975.00, witnessed by R.J. Scarborough & acknowledged in Darlington County on Dec. 2 1899. (John S. Henderson & wife let him have this--see book 86 page 32).

D.D.R. Lineage, Vol. 127, page 61: Mrs. James B. Carrigan, (Adah Jones), born at Oak Hill, Ohio, joined, at #126200, from the service of John Hanna (1756-1845), born at sea, died in Jackson Co., Ohio, who was a Private in Col. Nathaniel Piest's Virginia Regiment & applied for a Pension in 1835.

She is the daughter of (9c):

- (1) Robert H. Jones (1841-1912), married 1868, Marie Susan Hanna (1842-1915);
- (2) Anson Hanna (1817-1878), " 1831, Jane Burmsides (1819-1906);
- (3) Robert Graham Hanna (born 1788) ... (1), Mary Wilson
- (4) John Hanna, " John Graham (born 1757)

(There are others here)

National Register Sons of American Revolution, page 231: Robert Sidney Witherspoon of Louisville, Ky., joined that society as #2976, as son of Thomas Franklin & Catherine Elisabeth (Hatch) Witherspoon; grandson of John Ramsay & Sophia (Graham) Witherspoon; great-grandson of Joseph A. Graham, Captain of the Fourth North Carolina Line by Isabella Davidson; great-great-grandson of John Davidson, Signer of the Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence & Major of Adam Alexander's Regiment.

Margaret Graham

D.A.R. Lineage Vol 128: Mrs. W. W. Sasley, (Mary M. Thompson) born at  
Greene, N.C., as #127604, from the service of Nathaniel Herr (— 1826),  
born in Pennsylvania, died in Guilford Co., N.C., who served as a  
soldier at the battle of Guilford Courthouse - see also #99037, +  
John Currie, (1763-1847), born in N.C., died in Caswell Co., N.C., who was  
a private under Col. John Male in Col. John Patton's Second Regiment  
of N.C. in 1778 - see also #104484. She is the daughter of (see.):  
(1) Thomas B. Thompson, (1824-1914), married 1854, Mary White Herr (1834-1890);  
(2) Samuel Herr, (1787-1852), married (2), 1831, Jane Currie, (1799-1877);  
(3) John Currie, " 1793, Elizabeth Rainey, (1768-1844);  
+ Nathaniel Herr, " Margaret Graham.

N.C. D.A.R. Register of 1947, page 140: Mrs. W. W. Sasley, (Mary M. Thompson) gave  
me supplemental line as John Currie a private of N.C.  
Page 95: Mrs. W. W. Sasley, (Mary M. Thompson), as #127604 from the service of  
Nathaniel Herr, a soldier of Pennsylvania, is listed among the former  
members 1840-1947.



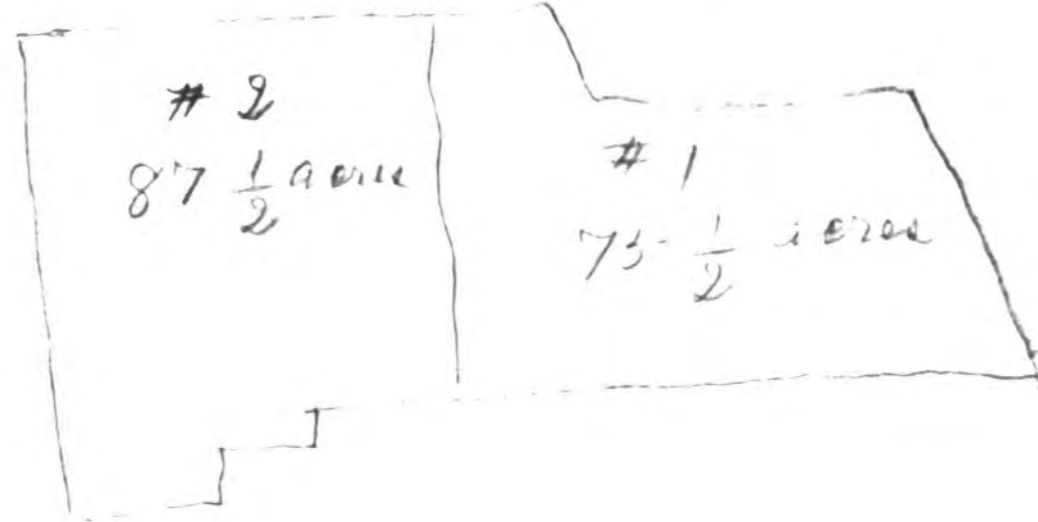
Thomas Graham

Book 69 page 509; Oct. 8 1883.

The land of deceased Thomas Graham is divided by the commissioners (M.A. Bost, Pleasant Wise & Caleb Barger) among his children as follows;

Lot #1 of 75 1/2 acres to John S. Graham is next lot #2, ---Rix?, ---Graham & R.F. Graham & valued at \$550.00;

" #2 " 85 1/2 " " Charles W. Graham is next lot #1 & ---Henderson, & valued at \$500.00



Elizabeth Graham.

Book 38 page 94; May 4 1847, Benjamin H. Hyde (as guardian of Polly Minerva Hyde & Margaret) who died without leaving sufficient to Graham

Book 37 page 282: May 6 1845, Thomas C. Graham (as guardian of the orphans of deceased Jonathan Young, who are James K., Eleanor, Jane Elizabeth & Sarah) as an order of Feb. court 1845 ordered that the estate besold, it was advertised, on March 14 1845 was sold for \$401.00 subject to dower of the widow Sarah B. Young, and is 192 acres on the bank of Third Creek next --- Burroughs & Sarah Young, to Thomas L. Cowan

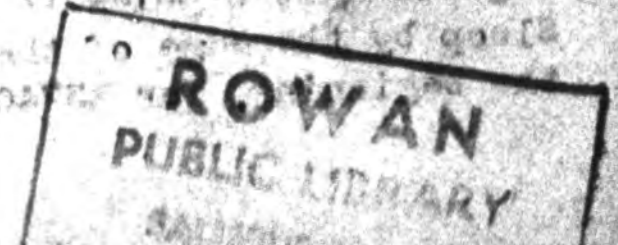
Lieutenant George Graham of North Carolina.

(N.C. DAR Register of 1947, page 9: Mrs. John R. Civil, (Puth Shannonhouse), as # 71016, from the

Luco M. Gillespie (South Bank of Withrows Creek)

Book 43 page 327; Jan. 1 1865, Samuel A. Sloan--no wife signs--lets B. Scott Krider (both of Rowan Co. N.C.) have 137 1/2 acres on south bank of Withrows Creek next A.H. Neely, W.J. Sloop, edge of the pond & dam, for \$3740.00, witnessed by M.F. Hall, & acknowledged on April 7 1865. ever for dimensions

Book 41 page 392: June 29 1869, C.C. Krider (as administrator of deceased B. Scott Krider) lets Luco M. Gillespie--all of Rowan Co. N.C.--have 137 1/2 acres on the south bank of Withrows Creek, by the old field, the road, up the creek, next M.H. Neely, W.J. Sloop, edge of the pond & the dam, for \$3020.00, witnessed by Luke Blackmer & acknowledged on Aug. 25 1869. (Thomas C. Watson bid this off but assigned it to said Gillespie) ever for dimensions



Book 69 page 13: May 3, 1876, Luco M. Gillespie & wife Mary E. let Luke Blackmer of ---, have 137 1/2 acres for \$100.00, acknowledged by the Gillespies in Robeson Co., N.C. on Jan. 30, 1877, before Warren B. Thompson & recorded in Rowan in Jan. 1886. (This is the dower-right of the said Mary E. in the tract which had been conveyed by C.S. Krider administrator of B. Scott Krider on June 29 1869--see book 44 page 522

Thomas Graham

Thomas C. Graham

Book 59 page 225; Dec. 1 1860, Thomas C. Graham--no wife signs--lets James L. Thompson (both of Rowan Co. N.C.) have 5 1/2 acres next Jesse Powlas, for \$95.00, witnessed by R.S. Graham & W.A. Meuck & proved by the latter on May 30 1881.

Book 44 page 592; June 29, 1869, G.C. Krider, as administrator of deceased B. Scott Krider, lets Luce M. Gillespie--both of Rowan Co., N.C., have 137 1/2 acres, beginning on the south bank of Witherows Creek at a persimmon, (in the old deed)--for the other dimensions see below--for \$3020.00

Book 43 page 327; Jan. 1 1865, Samuel A. Slean--no wife signs--lets B. Scott Krider, (both of Rowan Co., N.C.), have 137 1/2 acres on the south bank of Witherows Creek, beginning at a persimmon in the old deed, now a stone & going south 3 degrees east 31 poles to a stake (white oak in the old deed), south 20 degrees east 27 poles to a white oak, east 76 poles to a pile of stones in the old field, south 4 1/2 degrees east 91.13 poles to a stake, south 78 degrees west 34 poles to a stake on the side of the road, north 78 degrees west 147 poles to a stake on the bank of said creek, up the creek to a dead white oak on the corner of M.H. Neely, north with the line of Neely 39 degrees west 21 poles to a double dogwood, north 15 1/2 degrees east 8 poles to a hickory on the corner of W.J. Sleep, with the line of Sleep by the edge of the pond to the dam, then with the meanders of the creek to the beginning, for \$3740.00, witnessed by N.F. Hall & acknowledged April 7, 1865.

Elizabeth Graham.

\* Book 38 page 94; May 4 1847, Benjamin H. Hyde (as guardian of Polly Minerva Hyde & Margaret Ann Hyde, heirs of deceased Joseph T. Hyde, who died without leaving sufficient to pay his debts, so lets John S. Hyde--all of Rowan Co. N.C.--have their 2 shares of about 20 acres each, on Witherows Creek, next William Barber.

Book 69 page 256; Sept. 24 1865, the estate of deceased John S. Hyde is divided by the commissioners (J.M. Harrison & Jesse Powlas) as follows; Lot #1 of 58 2/3 acres to Melvina Hyde (being 5/10 interest of the whole tract) is next the field, lots #2 & 3 & Thomas Hyde, valued at \$596.00; " #2 " 105 1/3 " " Maggie M. Hyde (being 9/16 of the whole tract) is next lots #1, 3 & 4, valued at \$1063.92; " #3 " 11 1/4 " " Elizabeth Graham (being 1/16 of the whole tract) is next Thomas Hyde, lots #1, 2 & 4, valued at \$104.88; " #4 " 11 1/4 " " Polly White, Lee Nail, Jesse Nail & Thomas Nail (being 1/16 of the whole tract) is next lot # & 3, valued at \$104.88.

(East side of the South Fork of Catheys Mill Creek).

Book 6 page 95; Jan. 8 1765, Mathew Gillespie & wife Ann let the weaver, James Stuart--all of Rowan Co. N.C.--have 136 acres, beginning on the east side of the South Fork of Catheys Mill Creek waters of the Yadkin River, at a post oak, going west 47 chains to a post oak, north 12 chains to a white oak, north 49 degrees east 21 chains to a white oak, north 60 degrees east 30 chains to a Spanish oak, then south to the beginning, for 5 shillings--the release price being 10 pounds proclamation money on the next day--witnessed by Griffith Rutherford & John McCulloh & recorded in Jan. court of 1765. (This is part of 640 acres owned by the said Mathew Gillespie).  
Jan. 9 1765; Lease & Release from Mathew Gillespie & wife Ann to James Stuart for 136 acres Jan. 9-10 1765 proved by John McCulloh.

The will of Lavinia Hyde (book 2 page 193) made April 16 1886 & probated Aug. 11 1886. Sisters; Elizabeth Brandon Graham (a comfortable living out of my land while she lives, then it is to be equally divided among; Polly Minerva White, the children of Margaret A. Nail who was the first wife of John A. Nail, John Sikes Graham & Mary Elizabeth Graham). Exr; friend John A. Nail (who has attended my business since the death of my brother, John S. Hyde). Witnesses: S.W. Eaton & Joseph Barber. Her estate worth about \$550.00.

## Marriage bonds:

Married Nov. 20 1866 by W.A. Wood: J.A. Nail to Margaret A. Hyde

Book 44 page 417; Aug. 30 1866, Richard Graham--no wife signs--lets John Deaton (both of Rowan Co. N.C.) have 40 acres on Coddle Creek next ---Graham, G.W. McLean & G.C. McKnight, for \$300.00, witnessed by L.N. Kilpatrick & G.W. McLean & proved by the latter on Aug. 14 1869.

(Waters of Thompsons Mill Creek).  
Book 9 page 45; July 1 1779. The State grants (\$16 at 50 shillings the 100 acres) to James Stewart 640 acres on the waters of Thompsons Mill Creek, beginning on the southeast corner of his deeded land at a post oak, going with his line north & degress west 44 chains & 50 links to a Spanish oak on his other corner, east 21 chs. to a post oak, south 125 --- crossing four drafts of the said Thompsons Mill Creek to a post oak, west crossing four drafts of said Mill-Creek 67 chains & 50 links to a lightwood stake, north 45 chains to a white oak on the corner of Andrew McCollum, going the same course with his line 80 chains & 50 links to a white oak on his corner, then east with his line to the beginning.

Book 12 page 155; Aug. 2 1790. Matthew Stewart--no wife signs--lets Frederick Sickler (both of Rowan Co. N.C.) have 776 acres in two surveys on the east fork of Thompsons Mill Creek & the waters of the same, beginning at a Spanish oak & going east 21 chains to a post oak, south 125 chains to a post oak, west 67 chains to a post oak, south 125 chains to a post oak, west 67 chains & 50 links to a lightwood stake, north, partly with the line of Andrew McCollum, 80 chains & 50 links to a white oak on the corner to a late survey--the same course in all north 92 1/2 chains to a white oak, north 49 degrees east 21 chains to a white ---, north 60 degrees east 30 chains to the beginning, for 800 pounds N.C. money, witnessed by James Brandon & Walt. Braly & acknowledged by the said Matthew Stewart in Aug. court of 1790. (One of these tracts is the 126 acres which Matthew Gillespie let James Stewart have & the other is the State Grant of 640 acres to James Stewart).

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Book 44 page 487; Nov. 20 1869, Alfred M. Gillespie intending to marry Amy Dillow & wishing that she should retain her own property (about \$250.00 in value) relinquishes his claim, witnessed & proved by Obadiah Woodson on Nov. 27 1869.

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Book 51 page 484: Aug. 10 1875, George W. McLean of Rowan Co. N.C. (as commissioner & on the order of Superior Court) lets Thomas D. Graham of Iredell Co. N.C., have 207 acres next G.W. McLean, J.T. Goodman, ---Wilkerson, J.L. Hedrick, ---Deaton & ---Triplett, for \$1790.00 witnessed by J.E. Dobbin & F.H. Williford & acknowledged on March 1 1875.

Book 69 page 301: Dec. 11 1882, Thomas D. Graham of Iredell Co. N.C. --no wife signs-- lets J.C. Cowan of Rowan Co. N.C., have 207 acres next G.W. McLean, J.T. Goodman, ---Wilkerson, J.L. Hedrick, ---Deaton? & ---Triplett, for \$983.61, (G.W. McLean let said Thomas D. Graham have this on Aug. 10 1875--see book 51 page 484).

Marriage bonds:

Martha S. Hedrick to Thomas L. Triplett Nov. 28 1859 signed by Abner W. Owens

Lueco M. Gillespie

Book 69 page 13: May 3, 1876, Lueco M. Gillespie & wife Mary H., of the 1st part, let Luke Blackmer of the 2nd part, --All of ?-- have her dower in the 137 $\frac{1}{2}$  acres, which G.G. Krider, (as the administrator of deceased B. Scott Krider) let them have--see book 44 page 592--for \$100.00, witnessed by A.S. Rowan & acknowledged by the grantors in Robeson Co., N.C., on Jan. 30, 1877, before Warren E. Thompson & recorded in Rowan Co. in Jan. 1886.

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Book 46 page 321: July 8 1872, L.M. Gillespie & wife M.H. let Denny Page--all of Rowan Co. N.C.--have 94 $\frac{1}{2}$  acres next the mill-tract, the dower & public road next the church & ---Kistler, for \$450.00, acknowledged on the same day.

J.L. McKee (W.P. Graham place on Third Creek)

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Book 52 page 547: Aug. 21 1876, J.P. McElwee & wife Mary V. let S.A. Sharpe & J.L. McKee (all of Iredell Co. N.C.) have jointly, "known as the W.P. Graham Tract" by the old field & the old road, for \$500.00, ac., acknowledged in Iredell Co. N.C. Aug. 30 1876, before J.B. Connelly, judge of the Superior Court. (as they owe the Merchant's & Farmer's Bank

Book 53 page 431: Oct. 21 1876, S.A. Sharpe & J.L. McKee of Iredell Co. N.C. let J.A. White of Iredell Co. N.C. have 207 acres "known as the W.P. Graham Tract" by the old field & old road, for \$500.00. (J.P. McElwee & wife Mary V. of Iredell Co. N.C., mortgaged this on Aug. 21 1876--see book 52 page 547 & it is now being sold).

Book 53 page 430: Nov. 1 1878, J.A. White & wife Margaret A. let Sarah J. (wife of S.A. Sharpe)--all of Iredell Co. N.C.--have the above tract for \$500.00, acknowledged in Iredell Co. on July 19 1883.

Book 55 page 184: Oct. 28 1878, John H. McElwee & wife Victoria let Silas A. Sharpe--all of Iredell Co. N.C.--have 267 acres "known as part of the W. Porter Graham lands" next ---Washington, lot #3, old field, heirs of ---Graham, heirs of ---Barber & the old road, for \$1600.00, acknowledged in Iredell county on the same day.

(Back Creek & Fork of Second Creek).

Book 13 page 309: Jan. 2 1793, Isaac Gillespie--no wife signs--lets his brother, Robert Gillespie (both of Rowan Co. N.C.), have 295 acres on the west side of Back Creek & Fork of Second Creek on the west side of the Yadkin River, beginning on the bank of Back Creek on the line of Paul Hartsog, at a white oak, going north 78 degrees west 94 chains to a pine, north 35 chains to a post oak, east 48 chs. to a hickory by the fence of David Foster, south 34 degrees east 12 $\frac{1}{2}$  chains to a hickory on the great road, south 60 degrees east 17 $\frac{1}{2}$  chains to a black oak by the spring, south down the branch 33 degrees east 36 chains to a maple at the mouth of the branch, then up the creek to the beginning, out of his love & the better maintenance of said brother Robert, witnessed by Thomas Gillespie, George Gillespie & Joseph Foster & acknowledged in Aug. court of 1793. (Earl Granville granted this to Thomas Gillespie on Sept. 17 1744.).

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Book 44 page 455; May 11 1869, T.C.Graham & wife Ellen of Catawba Co.N.C. let John M. McElwee of Iredell Co.N.C., have a title to 75 acres (which they bound themselves to let Scott Wood have & said Wood remained in possession of the land but said McElwee paid for it) next the heirs of ---McDonald, Nathan Neely & John C.Foard, for \$1875.00, witnessed by J.C.Murrell & acknowledged on May 11 1869.

W.F.Graham (Third Creek)

\* Book 63 page 456; Nov.1 1878, J.A.White & wife Margaret A., let Sarah J. (wife of S.A. Sharpe)--all of Iredell Co.N.C.--have the following tract for \$800.00, acknowledged in Iredell Co. on July 19 1883.

Book 63 page 454; Oct.31 1878, S.A.Sharpe & J.L.McKee of Rowan Co.N.C. let J.A.White of Iredell Co.N.C., have 267 acres on Third Creek by the old field & the old road on Third Creek, for \$800.00, (J.M.McElwee & wife Mary V. of Iredell Co.N.C., mortgaged this on Aug.21 1876--see book 52 page 547-- & it was sold )

Book 52 page 547; Aug.21 1876, J.M.McElwee & wife Mary V. let S.A.Sharpe & J.L.McKee (all of Iredell Co.N.C.) have jointly what is "Known as the W.P.Graham tract" by the old field & old road, for \$500.00, acknowledged in Iredell County on Aug.30 1876 before J.B.Connelly, Judge of Superior Court. (as they owe the merchants & Farmer's Bank

Book 44 page 455; May 11 1869, T.C.Graham & wife Ellen of Catawba Co.N.C. (having bound themselves on March 2 1863 to let Scott Wood have title & said Wood remained in possession but McElwee paid him for it) lets John M.McElwee of Iredell Co.N.C., have 75 acres next the heirs of ---McDonald, W.P.Burke, Nathan Neely & John C.Foard, for \$1875.00, witnessed by J.F.Murrell & acknowledged on May 11 1869.

CHAS GOODMAN

Book 8 page 245; Dec. 14 1774, Henry Barkley, a farmer & wife Mary let William Barr--all of Rowan Co.N.C.--have 290 acres on Back Creek, beginning on the corner of Humphrey Montgomery at a stake & going south 180 poles with said Montgomery's line to a white oak, west 218 poles to a white oak, north 240 poles to a pine, south 77 degrees east to the beginning, for 185 pounds proclamation money, witnessed by James Barr, John Barr & John Brily & proved by the last named in Feb. 1775. (This is what Thomas Gillespie & wife Naomie let said Barkley have by lease & release on Sept. 16-17 1773).

Book 58 page 320: Dec. 27 1880, John F. Maloney--no wife signs--lets C.W. Graham (both of Rowan Co. N.C.) have his stock of goods, merchandise, confectionaries, groceries &c in the store-room on Main Street in Salisbury (which I rented from K.L. McIntyre but is owned by John Hedrick), for \$1198.00, witnessed by Thomas P. Johnston & acknowledged on Dec. 28 1881.

Book 58 page 350: Dec. 12 1881, Charles W. Graham of Cabarrus Co. N.C.--no wife signs--lets M.B. Graham & John J. Sloop of Rowan Co. N.C., have his stock of goods, merchandise, groceries, confectionary &c, in the storeroom on Main St. of Salisbury (which I bought of John Maloney on Dec. 27 1880--see book 58 page 320), for \$1177.00, witnessed by L.F. Clement & acknowledged on Jan. 12 1881. (The store-room had been rented to K.L. McIntyre who rented it to John A. Heilig).

Book 43 page 574: March 25 1867, W.P. Graham & wife Mary K. let John N. Morgan--all of Rowan Co. N.C.--have 500 acres next ---Washington, John Knox, ---Parks, for \$3000.00, witnessed by T.D. Mears Jr. & W.P. Caldwell & acknowledged on

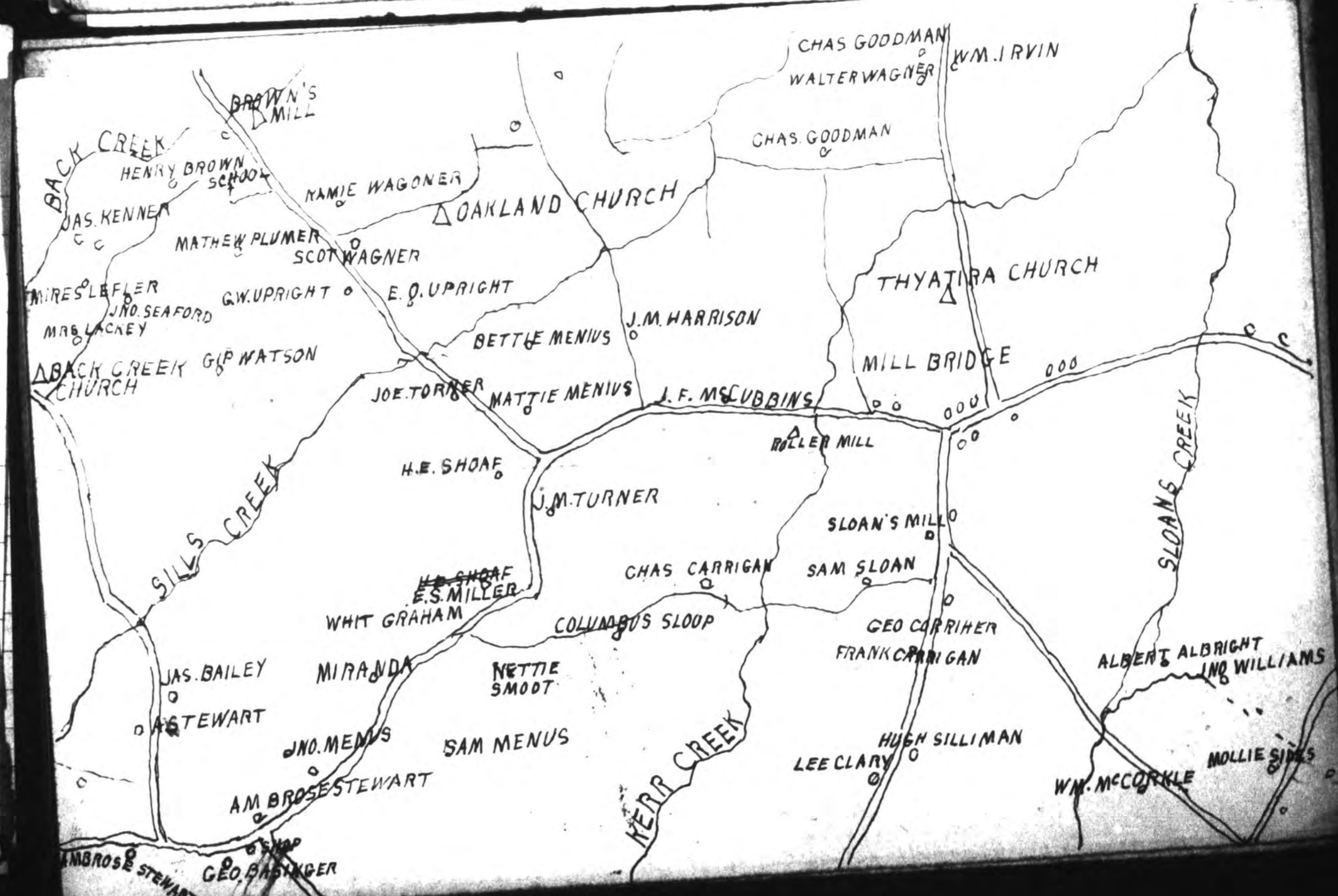
Book 43 page 574:

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FROM THE NORTH CAROLINA JOURNAL JAN. 9TH 1897,  
IN THE N.C. HISTORICAL COMMISSION, RALEIGH, N.C.

Died at 2 P.M. on Tuesday the 15th December, Mrs. Naomi Gillespie, aged 69; at 10 the same evening Mr. Thomas Gillespie, aged 78. They were the first settlers in Rowan on the West side of Yadkin River and had lived in the strictest bonds of love and matrimonial friendship for the space of 61 years. Their descendants amount to 55, of whom six sons carried them to the place of interment, where they were deposited in the same grave and in the same coffin. The history of North Carolina perhaps has never furnished a similar instance since its first settlement.



Book 48 page 146 or 148: April 1 1874. Joseph L. Wilson lets his trustee, Luke Blackmer (both of Rowan Co.N.C.) have 12 acres on Beaver Dam next J.M.Cowan & the Jinsey Graham place (being part of the plantation of W.P.Graham which was assigned in bankruptcy to R.F.Simonton who let said Wilson have it); also 79 acres, which is the Jinsey Graham place, for \$1.00 as he owes said Simonton \$65.00

(Mill Bridge)

Book 72 page 64; Jan.25 1888, the estate of deceased is divided by the commissioners (J.Alston namsay, J.L.Sloan & J.M.Harrison) as follows  
Lot #1 of 50 acres to Isabella Arwin is next lot #2 & J.M.Harrison & valued at \$950.00;  
" #2 " 56 " " Lucy Gillespie is next the field, lot #3, ---boyden & ---Henderson including the house & lot at mill bridge on the Beaties Ford road next ---McCubbins & J.W.Corrrell & valued at \$750.00;  
" #3 " 45 " " Allen Arwin is next Mrs. Mary Hall, ---boyden, ---Henderson & a field & valued at \$750.00;  
" #4 #5 & #6 of 150 acres to William Arwin & Allen Arwin jointly in on the Beaties Ford road next ---McCubbins, Mrs. Hall, lot #5 & ---Harrison & valued at \$2250.00.



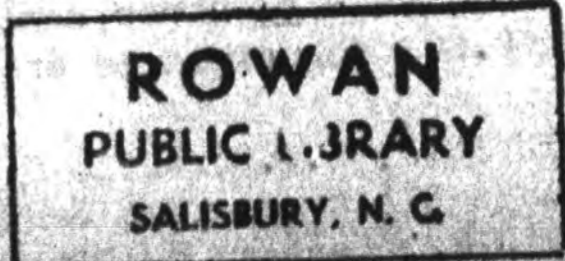
Book 69 page 446: Oct.25 1886, R.C.Corrrell--no wife signs--lets Elvira Graham & Martha G.Wagoner of Davie Co.N.C., have 45 acres next W.R.Thompson, W.H.Nolley, J.D.Corrrell & Lydia Culbertson, for \$400.00, witnessed & proved by Horatio N.Woodson on June 7 1887.

Book 72 page 557; Feb.21 1890, Elvira Graham, M.G. & husband Charles A.Wagoner of Davie Co.N.C., let H.E.Davis of \_\_\_\_\_ have 40 acres next lot #2, for \$360.00, witnessed by Amos Daniel & acknowledged on the same day in Davie County.

Book 51 page 298; May 16 1855, E.N.Pooler--no wife signs--lets S.C.Alexander (both of Rowan Co.N.C.) have 61 1/2 acres next E.N.Pooler, J.K.Graham & J.Miller; also 25 acres next Dr. S. Kerr, S.C.Alexander & H.L.Shoaf, for \$950.00, witnessed & proved by John K.Graham on Jan. 17 1876.

Book 51 page 300; Jan. 13 1870, Joseph P.Marvel & wife Ellen C. of Iredell Co.N.C., let John W.Turner of Rowan Co.N.C., have 61 1/2 acres next E.N.Pooler, J.K.Graham & J.Miller, for \$550.00, witnessed & proved by John L.Morah on Jan. 13 1876. (This is what L.F.Bradshaw as trustee of David L.Cowan, let Terrissa P.Gillespie have April 27 1870--see book 45 page 310, who let Sylvanus F.Burkhead have on April 28 1870--see book 45 page 309--who with his wife let Joseph P.Marvel have July 3 1874--by his attorney--in-fact, Isaac Harris made July 26 1873--see book 47 page 402).

Book 42 page 603; April 27 1863, J.C.Hargrave & wife C.T. of Iredell Co.N.C. & Teressa M. Douglass of Rowan let J.S.E.Hart of Rowan Co.N.C., have their interests in 257 acres next John K.Lowrance on the Beaties Ford road next ---Hart & east bank of the creek; also 4 1/2 acres (which is the dower of Teressa R.Gillespie) also the remaining interest of Henry T. Brown & wife Isabella E. (but not their dower interests) for \$2615.00, witnessed by J.T. Stewart & A.F.Graham & proved by the latter in May 1863.  
Marriage by Obadiah Woodson, J.P.; Isabella E.Sloan of Iredell Co.N.C. to Henry T.Brown of Monroe, Union Co.N.C. June 3 1854.



M.E.Graham

Book 67 page 508; Sept. 29 1886, H.G.Cranford & wife J.A. let M.E.Graham--all of Rowan Co.N.C.--have 40 $\frac{1}{2}$  acres next ---Wagner, ---Cranford & ---Owen, for \$400.00, acknowledged on Oct. 16 1886.

Terrissa P.Gillespie

Book 44 page 90; Jan. 22 1869, the freeholders (J.K.Graham, Joshua Miller & John W.McNeely) met at the home of Terrissa P.Gillespie on Jan. 27 1869 & laid out her homestead according to her directions in real estate to amount of \$1000.00 & personal property to the amount of \$500.00, being 61 $\frac{1}{2}$  acres next ---Pool

Book 42 page 144; Sept. 15 1860, David S.Cowan of the 1st part (Owing S.C.Alexander of Bladen Co.N.C. of the 3rd part, \$1293.00) lets L.T.Bradshaw of Rowan Co.N.C. of the 2nd part, have 61 $\frac{1}{2}$  acres next E.N.Pool, J.K.Graham & J.Miller, for \$5.00, witnessed by Joshua Miller & D.R.Bradshaw & proved by the latter on Sept. 18 1860.

Book 45 page 310; April 27 1870, L.F.Bradshaw (as trustee of David S.Cowan, for said deed refer to book 42 page 144)--no wife signs--lets Terrissa P.Gillespie--all of Rowan Co.N.C.--have 61 $\frac{1}{2}$  acres next Mrs. Melissa Pool & John K.Graham, for \$950.00, witnessed by W.A.Henck & S.F.Burkhead & acknowledged on April 28 1870.

Book 45 page 309; April 28 1870, Terrissa P.Gillespie of Rowan Co.N.C., lets Sylvanna F. Burkhead of Iredell Co.N.C., have 61 $\frac{1}{2}$  acres next John K.Graham, Joshua B.Miller, Melissa Pool & Wilson McNeely, for \$500.00, acknowledged on July 29 1870.

Book 46 page 302; June 13 1872, S.F.Burkhead & wife Laura B. let N.L.Holmes (trustee, to whom they owe \$200.00) have 61 $\frac{1}{2}$  acres next John K.Graham, Joshua Miller & others, for \$1.00 acknowledged on June 13 1872. (Terrissa P. Gillespie let them have this). over

William Graham  
Census of School District #16 Aug. 30 1850: William Graham, age 26 yrs. born in N.C.,  
& farmer. Elizabeth " " 27 " " " "  
Joseph G. " " 5 " " " "  
George W. " " 2 " " " "  
John L. " " 4 months. Probably

living with them was Sarah B.Rex, age 20 yrs.

Smith--Gillespie (Back Creek)

Book 37 page 292; May 6 1845, Thomas G.Graham (as guardian of the minor heirs of deceased Jonathan Young--who are James K., Eleanor, Jane Elizabeth & Sarah--& sold on March 14 1845 but subject to the dower of the widow, Sarah S.Young) let Thomas Cowan have 192 acres on South bank of Third Creek next ---Burroughs, for \$401.00, witnessed & proved by William P.Barke in May 1845.

Book 35 page 513; Nov. 19 1848, Esq. A.H.Caldwell as C.M.E. (on a petition in fall of 1848 from John P.Smith, Robert L.Smith, William L.Smith, John F.Cowan & wife Elizabeth, Joseph Erwin & wife Sarah, Joseph G.Gillespie & wife Obedience, James McWilson & wife Margaret as heirs-at-law & tenants in common of that  $\frac{1}{4}$  of 300 acres on Back Creek next Peter Sloop & James Graham which was allotted to the said heirs-at-law of Richard Smith as willed them by George L.Smith & sold by order on Jan. 10 1848) now delivers it to Robert L.Smith for \$400.00, witnessed by C.Klutz & acknowledged in May 1849.



Gillespie

Book 37 page 241: June 8 1839, Joseph G. Gillespie--no wife signs--lets Thomas C. Gillespie (both of Rowan Co. N.C.) have 36 1/2 acres on north bank of Withrows Creek next Thomas L. Cowan & the dower of Catharine Barkley, for \$162.00 witnessed by James A. Gillespie & John C. Gillespie & acknowledged in Nov. 1844--

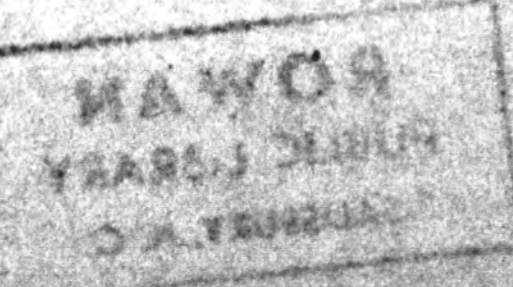
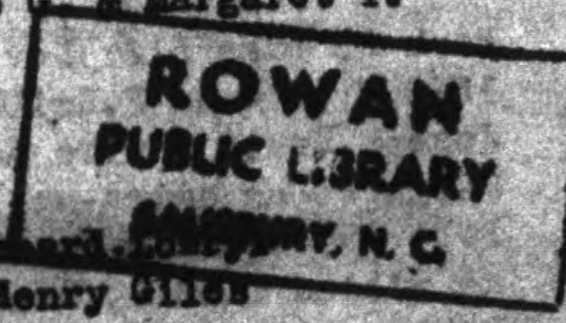
Book 32 page 675: Ann Barkley (daughter of deceased Thomas Barkley late of Rowan Co. N.C.) lets Joseph G. Gillespie--both of Rowan also--have her inheritance from father, which is lot #5 or 36 1/2 acres on north bank of Withrows Creek next Thomas L. Cowan, dower of Catherine Barkley & lot #4. for \$162.00, witnessed by William Cowan & Will Barber & proved by the latter in Nov. 1832.

Marriage bond: Joseph G. Gillespie to Obedience G. Smith Jan. 24 1814 signed by James H. McNeely  
Book 37 page 243: Feb. -- 1844, Sarah B. Young, J. G. Gillespie & wife Obedience, let Richard Smith, Robert L. Smith, John Smith & William Smith have their parts of the land which belonged to the deceased George L. Smith for \$100.00, witnessed by Thomas J. Gillespie (for Sarah B. Young) & David Montgomery & acknowledged in Nov. 1844.

The will of George L. Smith (book I page 207) made while in good health on June 18 1836 & probated in Feb. 1844.

Wife Margaret (her living out of where I live).  
Four sons: William (under age & is to live with his mother), Richard C., John P. & Robert. Daughters: Sarah Young, Elizabeth Cowan, Obedience G. & Margaret T.  
Exrs: sons Richard C. & John P.  
Witnesses: Thomas Todd & Robert L. Smith.

Marriage bonds:  
Sarah B. Smith to Jonathan Young Jan. 24 1814 signed by Richard Smith  
Elizabeth C. Smith to John F. Cowan Oct. 25 1828 signed by Henry Gillespie



William Graham (Waters of Beaver Dam Branch of Widrows Creek) of Rowan Co. N.C., have 115 acres on the waters of Beaver Dam Branch of Widerows Creek, beginning on the line of William Cowan on the corner of James Graham Sr., going with said Graham's line north 8 degrees west 115 poles to a stake on the corner of Richard Graham Sr., east with his line 6 degrees variation north 71 poles to a red oak at the fence on his corner, north with his line 8 degrees west 15 poles to a white oak on the west edge of the low-ground on the spring branch & on his corner, east with his line 6 degrees variation 88 poles to a stake on the line of Alexander Lowrance (about two poles south of the post oak on his corner), south with the line of Lowrance 8 degrees east 112 poles to a small black oak on the corner of Richard Graham Sr., west with his line 5 1/2 degrees south 65 poles to a small white oak & a dogwood on the east bank of the spring branch near the ford on Beaver Dam, south 8 degrees east 20 poles to a black willow near the bank of Beaver Dam on his corner & the line of ---Cowan, west with it 5 1/2 degrees variation 91 1/2 poles to the beginning, for \_\_\_\_\_ witnessed by William McLean & Hu Braly & proved by the latter in Feb. court of 1818.

David Gillespie  
Marriage bond: David Gillespie to Mary Marlin Feb. 15 1814 signed by William Kilpatrick.

Graham

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Book 26 page 599: Oct. 3 1821, David Graham & wife Margaret of Harden Co. Tenn., let Hugh Parks of Rowan Co. N.C., have their rights or 1/4 of 198 acres on Coddle Creek next Jacob Benning, the widow Niceler, John Houston & Hugh Park (which land was willed by the said deceased John -- of whom Margaret was the eldest daughter--to his son Hugh Park) which may be 120 acres; also their 1/5 part of the old place of Killion which was overlooked in the will of deceased John to which they are entitled in 218 acres, for witnessed by John Kindle & Samuel Edmiston & acknowledged in Oct. 1821.

Marriage bond: David Graham to Margaret Parke Nov. 3 1799 signed by James Kerr. The will of John Parks (book f page 33) made May 16 1795 & probated Wife Jean. Daughters: Margaret (the eldest), Mary & Jean--all under eighteen years of age. Son Hugh. Exrs: wife, brother Hugh Parks & James Gipson. Attests Robert Cochran, Jacob Binnin & John Houston.

John Parks was born Feb. 22(?) 1751 died May 21 1795  
Jane " died Oct. 19 1834 age 71 years & 9 months was born Jan. 20 1763. Nee wife of John Parks.

Book H page 642: The will of Jane Parks made while in perfect health on Jan. 5 1833 & probated in Nov. 1834. Daughters: Margaret Graham, Mary Coleman, Elizabeth Parks & possibly Zoraydo Marquis. Granddaughter: Zorando K. Marquis. Son: Hugh (1/6 of the land on the head of Parkes Creek next James Coleman) & he is made executor. Witnesses: William H. Kerr & Archibald Woodside. A codicil dated July 2 1834.

Marriage bonds:

Polly Parks to Jacob Coleman Feb. 18 1828 signed by Jacob Gouger

Gillespie

George Gillespie

Census of School District #6 on Sept. 17 1850: George Gillespie, age 48 years, born in N.C., farmer, had \$700.00 worth real estate.

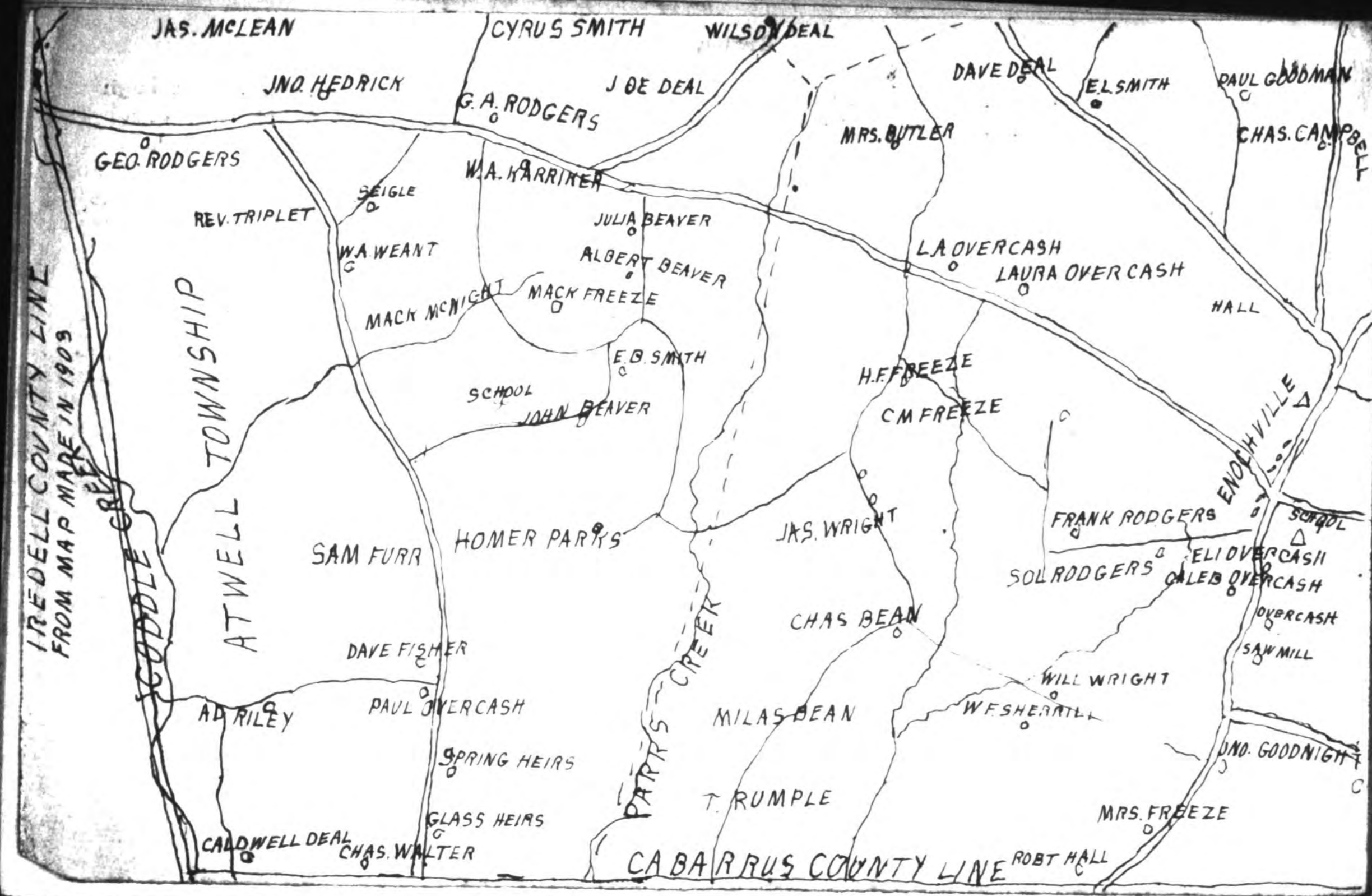
Afin S.	"	"	45	"	"	"
Mary Jane	"	"	18	"	"	"
Flora C.	"	"	17	"	"	"
Thomas P.	"	"	12	"	"	"
Margaret E.	"	"	10	"	"	"
Nancy A.	"	"	6	"	"	"
Sarah A. Felicia	"	"	2	"	"	"
John C.	"	"	15	"	"	"

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Gillespie.

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Book 28 page 52: Oct. 29 1824, Robert McElwrath of Burke Co. N.C.--no wife signs--lets Robert Gillespie of Rowan Co. N.C., have lot #4 in the division of deceased John McElwrath's estate, being 298 1/2 acres in Rowan & Iredell counties on the south waters of Fourth Creek next David Chambers, --McKnight, near the lowgrounds of Fourth Creek & John Cowan, passing Cowan's, Henry McHenry & David Chambers, for \$1100.00, witnessed by Catharine I. Andrews & John Andrews & proved by the latter in Nov. 1824.



Graham of Montrose & Menteith.

\* The Scottish Tartans, Badges, Slogans, &c ( by Rentons), page 48: "Sir William Graham of Clan Graham, during the reign of James I., married, as his second wife, May Stewart, the second daughter of King Robert III. By the sons of this marriage were founded several distinguished cadet branches of the Grahams.

Patrick, the eldest grandson of Sir William, was in 1445 raised to the Peerage as Lord Graham, in recognition of his gallantry in the field and his services as a Lord of the regency during the minority of King James III.

William, third Lord Graham, was in 1504 created Earl of Montrose, the title being derived from the lands of "Auld Montrose."

James, fifth Earl, born in 1612, was the celebrated first Marquis of that name, the Marquisate being created in his favour in 1644.

James, fourth Marquis, received in 1707 the title Duke of Montrose, and from him is descended the present Duke of Montrose, Chief of the clan.

It was through the efforts of the Marquis of Graham (afterwards Duke of Montrose) that in 1782 the Bill repealing the disgraceful Act of 1747 (which abolished and made penal the use of the Highland garb) passed both Houses of Parliament, and thereby placed the highlanders under a debt of gratitude to the House of Graham that will never be forgotten." Badge is laurel. Tartan is blue background with plaid of white, black & green. The coat of arms has a

Page 47: Graham of Menteith. "Sir Walter Scott says "few families can boast of more historical renown than that of Graham."

"Their origin is enwrapped in obscurity, but tradition has it that the Grahams are descended from a famous warrior who breached the Roman Wall in 420, and won it the name of Graham's Dyke.

The first recorded appearance of the name is William of Graham, one of the witnesses of David I. (Holyrood Charter, 1143, 47). He obtained the lands of Abercorn and Dalkeith.

His grandson, David Graham, obtained from William the Lion, before 1214, certain lands near Montrose. His son acquired under the succeeding monarch the lands of Dundaff (over)

Gillespie  
Third Creek

Book 6 page 467: Jan. 5 1767, Henry Chambers, a planter, & wife Jennet let their son, Robert Chambers, have 640 acres on the north side of Third Creek next Thomas Gillespie, for 5 shillings--the release price being 10 pounds on the next day--witnessed by Allan Alexander & Robert Steel & proved in July 1767. (Earl Granville let said Henry have this on Jan. 2 1761).

Richard M. Gillespie (Witherows Creek)



Book 41 page 596; May 16 1857, Richard M. Gillespie--no wife signs--lets M.A. Locke (both of Rowan Co. N.C.) have 450 acres on Witherows Creek next S.R. Harrison, ---Todd, ---Hartman, N.F. Hall & ---Cowan, for \$3600.00, witnessed & proved by Richard Harrison in May 1859.

Graham

and Strathearn from the Earl of Dunbar, and from the Earl of Lennox those of Strathblane and Mugdock.

Sir David of Dundaff, his son, married a daughter of the Earl of Strathearn, their second son being the "Right Hand" of Wallace. His grandson, Sir David, is styled in Royal Charter in 1360 as of old Montrose. By his eldest son of the second marriage, Sir Patrick Graham of Elieston he was ancestor of the Earls of Menteith of the name of Graham. The Grahams of Leitchtown, Perthshire, are descended from the second son of the second Earl of Menteith, through the Grahams of Gartmore." The arms are the same as over with the same motto & badge, but the crest differs in being the crown &c. while the tartan has more green in the background.

James Graham

Book 40 page 409; Dec. 19 1854, John Graham (as executor of the deceased James Graham), late Daniel O Furr--all of Rowan Co.N.C., have 154 acres beginning on the corner of John N.Lowrance & Joseph Overcash at a B oak, going east 126 poles to a post oak on the line of ---Neel, south with his line 40 poles to a post oak on his corner, east with his line 11 poles to a stake & a small B oak, south 93 poles to a B oak on the corner of ---Long, west with his line 173 poles to a W oak on the corner of JN Lowrance, with his line to a small persimmon on his corner, with his line 28 poles to a Spanish oak on his corner, then north with his line 52 poles to the beginning, for \$1001.00.

Gillespie

Estate of Archibald Gillespie (Mt. Ulla Township)

Book 49 page 440: Sept.22.1874, the Superior Court on the petition of James A., Richard D & Charlotte R. Gillespie, with George Moore & wife Flora B of full age & Dracilla E. Gillespie as guardian of Charlotte R. Gillespie & page 441: Aug.21 1874, the commissioners (P.O.Goodman, S.F.Cowan & W.A.Poston) divide & allot the estate of deceased Archibald Gillespie as follows;

- Lot #1 of 42 acres to James A. Gillespie is next ---Poston, ---Goodman & ---Poston valued at \$209.00;
- " #2 " 42 " " Elizabeth, wife of George Moore, is next ---Poston & ---Goodman valued at \$209.00;
- " #3 " 42 " " Dracilla E. Gillespie is next---Poston, valued at \$304.00;
- " #4 " 42 " " Charlotte R. Gillespie is near the barn, valued at \$444.00;
- " #5 " 42 " " Richard D. Gillespie is east of the house next ---Poston, valued at \$304.00.

Book 64 page 40: Sept.17.1883, James R. Moore & wife Dracilla E. let T.M.Beard--all of Rowan Co.N.C.--have 42 acres next William A. Poston, for \$400.00, acknowledged on Sept. 19 1883. (This is lot #3 in the estate of Archibald Gillespie).

Book of Mortgages #1 page 56: Sept.17 1883, Thomas M. Beard & wife Mary Jane let Robert A Knox--all of Rowan Co.N.C. have 82 acres (being lots #1 & 3 of 42 acres each in the estate of Archibald Gillespie divided by order of Court), in Mt. Ulla Township next William A. Poston, Levi Poston & John Goodman, for \$500.00, acknowledged on Sept. 19 1883.

Book 64 page 40: Sept.17 1883, James R. Moore & wife Dracilla E.

John Graham (Beaver Dam Branch of South Yadkin River)

Book 7 page 308; April 1 1771, Robert Tate & wife Rebecca let John Graham--all of Rowan Co.N.C.--have 402 acres on Beaver Dam Branch on the south side of the South fork of the Yadkin River, above the land of ---Luckie, beginning on the old corner next Samuel Young at a pine, going north 60 chains to a hickory on the corner of Richard Armstrong, north with his line 67 chains to the other corner of Armstrong, south 60 chains to a stake, then east 67 chains to the beginning, for 5 shillings-- the release price being 125 pounds proclamation money on the next day-- witnessed by James Dobbin, James Brandon & Samuel Young & proved in May court of 1771. (This is a part of 603 acres granted by Earl Granville to the said Robert Tate on Dec.4 1753).  
May 8 1771: Lease & release from Tate & wife to John Graham for 402 acres dated April 1-2 1771, proved by Samuel Young.

Gillespie

Marriage license Feb.141878: Mary Jane Gillespie age 29 yrs. to Thomas Melmuth Beard, age 41 yrs.--they were married Feb. 15 1878 in Mt. Ulla Township by Rev. Vantine?Stickley

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James A.Gillespie (Sills Creek).

Book 33 page 192; Nov.12 1836, John Erwin--no wife signs--lets James A.Gillespie (both of Rowan Co.N.C.) have 189 acres on Sills Creek next the field of said Erwin, Richard Gillaspie, John Kiestler, George Clodfelter, south side of said Creek, James Ramsay, Wm Barr, crossing said creek & Jacob Waggoner, for \$945.00, witnessed & proved by Joseph G Gillespie in Nov. 1836. (This had been bequeathed to the said John Erwin by his decease father William Erwin.)

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Robert Tate (Beaver Dam Branch of the South Fork of Yadkin River)  
Court of Equity of Salisbury District 1799-1818, page 155: John Graham vs the heirs of John Hall & Richard Graham, case #17. On June 17 1797, the complainant, John Graham, says that his grandfather, John Graham bought 402 acres from Robert Tate on April 2 1771 on Bever Dam Branch, above Luckie, on South Fork of Yadkin River next Samuel Young & --- Armstrong, (being part of the 603 acres which Earl Granville let said Robert Tate have on Dec. 4 1753) took possession of it & when he died about 23 years back, willed it to his sons: William Graham (father of said complainant) & Benjamin Graham. It was then divided but said Benjamin sold his part to said William who occupied it about 9 years when he died (at which said complainant was young) & his executors (the defendants Richard Graham & John Hall) undertook to execute it. The taxes were kept up & the complainant thought he owned the land, but Joseph Campbell got in a dispute with William Law & ejected the latter & the suit began. William Graham (one of the defendants) entered & took possession of 60 acres

Richard Graham, John Hall & Joseph Hall (other defendants)

Gillespie

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Book 11 page 130: Oct. 25 1786, The State grants (\$1339 at 50 shillings the 100 acres) to Hugh Graham 200 acres on the waters of Little Dutchmans Creek, beginning on the line of John Little at a pine, going east 54 chains & 40 links to a post oak on the line of Samuel Erwin, south with his line 31 chains to the corner of said Graham, west with his line 64 chains & 40 links to a stake on his corner & the line of said Little, then north with his line to the beginning.

Tuesday, Feb. 9 1785: The will of Hugh Graham is proved by John Little. The executors appointed by will are Sarah Graham & Charles Lovelace & they qualified.

Book 7 page 313: March 26 1771, James Brandon & wife Esther of Salisbury, N.C., let Thomas Gillespie of Rowan Co. N.C., have 350 acres between Robert Luckey & the other tract of said James Brandon, beginning on the corner of said Luckey at a scrub oak, going east with the said line 360 poles to a white oak in the line of the Meeting House, south with said line 140 poles to a W.O. on the corner of James Brandon, west with said line 320 poles to the corner of said Brandon, with said line 60 poles to a stake, west 60 poles to a stake, then to the beginning, for 110 pounds proclamation money, witnessed by Matt Troy & Christopher Beckman & acknowledged in May court of 1771.  
May 8 1771: Deed from Jas. Brandon & wife to Thomas Gillespie for 350 acres dated March 26 1771 is acknowledged.

Book 7 page 335: Aug. 2 1771, Thomas Gillespie--no wife signs--out of love for his son, George Gillespie (both of Rowan Co. N.C.), gives him 350 acres between Robert Luckie & James Brandon, as above, & for 10 shillings, witnessed by Thomas

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(Waters of Little Dutchmans Creek  
Book 11 page 145; Oct. 25 1786, The State grants (#1324 at 50 shillings the 100  
acres) to Hugh Graham 640 acres on the waters of Little Dutchmans Creek, begin-  
ning on the line of Charles Lovelace on the verge of a ditch, at a white oak,  
going north with a conditional line 9 degrees west 19 chains to a Spanish oak,  
north 78 degrees west 20  $\frac{1}{2}$  chains to a white oak, north 82 degrees west 27 chains  
to a hickory on a conditional corner, north 93 chains & 80 links to a pine, east  
64 chains & 40 links to a stake on the line of Samuel Erwin, then south with his  
line to the beginning.

Gillespie

Captain John Graham (Hunting Creek

Book 11 page 496; Oct. 12, 1785, John Graham, a wheelwright & wife Margaret, let the  
farmer, George Brandon--all of Rowan Co., N.C.--have 316 acres on both sides of Hunt-  
ing Creek, in the Parks of the Yadin, beginning on the creek bank & the corner of  
James Andrew at a box elder & going north 15 chains to a dogwood, east 20 chains to a  
black oak, south 20 chains to a pine, east 6 chains to a dogwood, south 34 chains to  
a chestnut on the line of John McGuire, west 25 chains to a black oak on his corner,  
south 31 chains to a post oak on the corner of George Brandon, north with his line 64  
degrees west 40 chains to a black oak on his corner, north 24  $\frac{1}{2}$  chains to two hickory  
grubs on his corner & the line of Erice Gaither, east 29 chains to a red oak, north  
9  $\frac{1}{2}$  chains to a gum saplin, east 10 chains to a white oak, north 3 chains to the creek  
bank, then down its meanders to the beginning--it being granted to the said John G-  
ham on ev. 4 1784--for 100 pounds--

Col. David Gillespie

Lines in Sons of American Revolution from Col. David Gillespie; Ernest Eugene Gillespie;  
David D. Gillespie; Robert Gillespie; Col. David Gillespie.

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George Brandon

John Graham (Hunting Creek)

Book 11 page 496; Oct. 12 1785, John Graham, a wheelright, & wife Margaret let the farmer, George Brandon--all of -----, have 318 acres on both sides Hunting Creek in the forks of the Yadkin next James Andrews, John McGuire, George Brandon & Brice Gaither, for 100 pounds, witnessed by James Davis, Benjamin Graham, Abraham Brandon & John Brandon & proved by the last named in Aug. 1788. (The State granted this to the said John Graham on Nov. 4 1784).

Book 10 page 269; Nov. 4 1784, The State grants (\$745 at 50 shillings the 100 acres) to John Graham 318 acres on both sides Hunting Creek, beginning at a box elder on the creek bank next James Andrew, going east 20 chains to a black oak, south 20 chains to a pine, east 6 chains to a dogwood, north 15 chains to a dogwood, south 34 chains to a chestnut on the line of John McGuire, west 35 chains to a black oak on his corner, south 21 chains to a post oak grub on the line of George Brandon, north 74 degrees west 40 chains to a black oak on his corner, north  $24\frac{1}{2}$  chains to a hickory grub on the corner of Brice Gaither, east 21 chains to a red oak, north  $9\frac{1}{2}$  chains to a grub sapling, east 10 chains to a white oak, north 3 chains to the creek, then down the meanders of the creek to the beginning.

Thomas Gillespy (Cataubo River below mouth of Davidsons Creek)

Book 1 page 22; Dec. 22 1750, Edward Givens--no wife signs--lets Thomas Gillespy (both planters of Anson Co. N.C.) have 275 acres on the south side of the Cataubo River below the mouth of Davidsons Creek, for 40 pounds, witnessed by James Carter & Alexander Osborn--no proof mentioned

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Brake Lining

Book 30 page 580: On May 17 1828, Henry Willson of Williamson Co. Tennessee, James, William, David, Margaret & Eleanor Willson, & Robert Doak & wife Jane of Rutherford Co. Tenn. (heirs of the deceased William Willson) let Jesse Marlin of Williamson Co. Tenn., have 111 acres on Second Creek next James Trott, William Innis, Stephen Trott & Jonathan Barber in Rowan Co. N.C., for \$100.00, witnessed by James Killough, Samuel B. Kelton & Thomas Peay

Jonesville, Washington Co., Tenn., book 1 page 31: The will of George Gillespie of Greene Co., Tenn., made while very sick on Dec. 14 1793. Wife: Martha. Daughters: Martha Jack (& her son George who is under fifteen years of age), Jane (the land in Greene County) & Elizabeth Pays (& her son Charles who is under fifteen years of age). Sons: John (where he lives at the mouth of the Big Limestone & other land); John (& his son George who is under fifteen years of age), George, Allen, James & Thomas (& his son George, who is under twelve years of age)

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D.A.R. Lineage, Vol. 80 page 9: Mrs. Anna Peeson Hoops (wife of Anselm Hoops) born in Greensboro, N.C., joined as #79022 from Captain Daniel Gillespie (1743-1829) born in Frederick Co. Va., died in Greensboro N.C., commanded a company of N.C. militia, was a member of State Convention in 1776 & served in Legislature 1779-83.

She is a daughter of Dr. John William Peeson (1825-1906) & wife Catherine M. Doak (1823-65) whom he married in 1847; granddaughter of William Doake (died 1845) & wife Thankful Gillespie (died 1849); great-granddaughter of Daniel Gillespie & wife Margaret Hall (died 1835).

Buried at Buffalo Church in Guilford Co. N.C.; Col. William Doak born Sept. 21 1777 died May 27 1845 & his wife, Thankful, born May 16 1786 died Feb. 23 1849;

Wetherow's (Withrows Creek)

Book 37 page 268; Feb. 5 1845, Thomas L. Cowan (as trustee of Christopher L. Cowan of Rowan Co. N.C., on the advice of Andrew Allison, William F. Graham & James G. Knox) lets Mary & John K. Graham (executors of deceased Abel Graham of Rowan Co. N.C.) have 135 acres on Witherow's Creek next ---Harrison, Polly Cowan, Joseph Cowan & Cowan's mill-pond, on the bank of said creek & below the mill-dam, for \$800.00, acknowledged in Feb. 1845.

Book 40 page 50; Aug. 4 1852, Mary A. Graham & John K. Graham let Harvey B. Reese--all of Rowan Co. N.C.--have 135 $\frac{1}{2}$  acres on Witherow's Creek next ---Harrison?, Polly Cowan, Joseph Cowan & Cowan's mill-pond, for \$800.00, witnessed by Joshua Miller & M.E. Reese & proved by the latter in May 1853.

Book 40 page 500; Nov. 28 1855, Harvey B. Reese--no wife signs--lets Edmund Burke (both of Rowan Co. N.C.) have 135 $\frac{1}{2}$  acres on Witherow's Creek next ---Harrison, Polly Cowan, Joseph Cowan & Cowan's mill-pond, for \$1250.00, witnessed by John A. Bradshaw & W.W. Myers & proved by the latter in Feb. 1856.

[North Fork of Great Alamance].  
Book 7 page 289, May 2 1770, James Graham, a farmer of Rowan Co. N.C., (Mary Graham makes her mark), lets the farmer, John Hodges of Orange Co. N.C., have 640 acres on both sides of the North Fork of Great Alamance, beginning at a black oak & going south 20 chains to a white oak bush, west crossing the fork, 71 chains to the center between a hickory & hickory bush on the line of Hobans, north by the corner of Hobans 90 chains & 4 links to a black oak sapling, east 71 chains to a hickory, then south crossing the fork to the beginning, for 206 pounds, 2 shillings & 11 pence proclamation money, witnessed by Robert Field & John Forbis & proved in Feb. court of 1771. (This is part of the tract of 640 acres which Harmon Husband sold said James Graham July 18 1766).

Graham--Miller  
Book 63 page 310; March 10 1883, Crissie Graham, Charles W. Graham, J.R. Graham, Ellen G. Graham, J.F. Maloney, Bruner M. Graham & wife Ada S. let H.M. Cauble--all of Rowan Co. N.C.--have 39 $\frac{1}{2}$  acres next ---Cauble & ---Caup, for \$600.00, witnessed by John K. Patterson (for C.W. Graham)  
Marriage license Dec. 2 1878; Bruner Malanthon Graham, age 23 yrs. to Ada S. Holmes, age 19 yrs.--they were married on the same day by Rev. V.R. Stickley

Book 63 page 306; March 10 1883, Crissie Graham, Charles W. Graham, J.R. Graham & Ellen G. Graham, J.F. Maloney, Bruner M. Graham & wife Ada S. let Caleb Canup--all of Rowan Co. N.C.--have 94 $\frac{1}{2}$  acres next ---Cauble, the Concord road, ---Sloop, old line, ---Beaver & creek, for \$1900.00, witnessed by C.W. Graham & John K. Patterson & acknowledged on May 15 1883.

Book 63 page 308; May 15 1883, Caleb Canup & wife Julian mortgage the above to Henry Peeler  
Special Proceedings page 6; Sept. 26 1873, R.F. Graham & wife Mary C., Pleasant R. Barringer & wife Ellen G. (by their guardian John C. Miller) & Sarah R. Barringer (by her guardian R.F. Graham), ex-parte.

Book 72 page 377: May 31 1889, Crissie Graham lets J.R.Graham--both of ?-- have her 1/4 of 50 feet on Fisher Street going back 194 feet next W.Shuman; and of in the seventh ward next George Eagle, the estate of J.S.Shaver, for \$1000.00, acknowledged in Buncombe Co.N.C. on June 24 1881. (Martin Richwine & S.R.Harrison deeded on Aug.22 1862--see book 42 page 437--but excepts 45 feet going back 194 feet conveyed to J.A.Price have, being what S.R.Harrison & wife let her have on April 1 1881.)

Book 63 page 311: May 15 1883, H.M.Cauble & wife Nancy let Chrissy Graham--all of Rowan Co.N.C.--have 39 1/2 acres in Litaker Township next ---Cauble, ---Caump & ---Beaver, for \$300.00 (over)

\* ed as Book 38 page 268: April 24 1848, Robert L. Smith--no wife signs--lets Fergus Graham (both of Rowan Co.N.C.) have 30 acres 2 rods & 24 poles next James M. Wilson, passing John Smith's, next Robert L. Smith on the south side of the creek next Elizabeth Graham on the edge of the field, for \$153.25, witnessed by N.E.Dobbins & James Graham & proved by the latter in May 1848.

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Marriage bond: Robert L. Smith to Mary Graham May 1 1848 signed by Rufus A. Brandon.  
Margaret T. Smith to James M. Wilson May 20 1846 signed by Rufus A. Brandon

The will of George L. Smith (book 1 page 207) made while in good health June 18 1836 & Probated in Feb. 1844. Wife Margaret (her living out of where I live).  
Four sons: William (under age), Richard C., John P. & Robert.  
Daughters: Sarah Young, Elizabeth Cowan, Obedience C. & Margaret C.  
Exrs: sons Richard C. & John P. Witnesses: Thomas Todd & Robert L. Smith.

Marriage bonds: Obedience G. Smith to Joseph G. Gillespie Jan. 24 1814 signed by James H. McNeely.  
Sarah B. Smith to Jonathan Young Nov. 3 1834 signed by Richard Lowry.  
Elizabeth C. Smith to John F. Cowan Oct. 25 1828 signed by Henry Giles

Book 79 page 97: Nov. 2 1895, James F. Graham (Second Creek & Western Railroad) of Rowan Co.N.C.--have two adjoining tracts 8 1/2 miles west of Salisbury on Second Creek & 1/4 of a mile from the Western Railroad, (one is acres, being lot #3 in the estate of deceased F.M.Dobbins--see book 52 page 535--which John E. Briggs & wife let H.E.Nail have on May 22 1879; while the other is 46 acres next Grissy Graham, Mary Ann Dobbins & other which J.M.Robinson as administrator of J.M.Dobbins let Naomi M.Nail have March 2 1885 & Tobias Kesler as trustee of H.E.Nail & wife Naomi M.Nail have March 2 1885 & other book 72 page 160) for \$1000.00, acknowledged on Nov. 13 1895.

Book 72 page 160: March 24 1888, Tobias Kesler (as trustee of H.E.Nail & wife Naomi M. let John Beard, who assigned it to James H. Graham, for \$835.00, let James H. Graham of N.M.Dobbins--see book 52 page 535--which F.E.Nail got of John E. Briggs & wife on May 22 1879): also the adjoining 46 acres (which J.T.Robinson as administrator of J.N.Dobbin let Naomi M.Nail have on March 2 1885), witnessed & proved by J.W.Mauney on March 26 1888.

Fergus Graham

Book 32 page 418: The plat of lots 2 & 3 in the estate of deceased Fergus Graham as he willed them dated Feb. 4. 1828 as allotted by Fergus, James & Samuel; Lot #1 to Samuel, lot #2 to James & lot #3 to Fergus

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James H. Graham (Second Creek)

Book 52 page 535; March 30 1876, the land of deceased N.M. Dobbins is divided among his heirs by the commissioners (James F. Robinson, Daniel Menius & D.M. Barrier) as follows: Lot #1 of 66 acres to Sarah J. Briggs is valued at \$530.00 " #2 " " " Joseph Dobbins is next lot #1 & J.C. Graham on the east bank of Second Creek & valued at \$530.00; " #3 " " " Naomi Nail is on the bank of Second Creek & valued at

Book 56 page 148; May 22 1879, H.E. Nail & wife Naomi

Jacob Graham (Second Creek)

Book 58 page 491: Oct. 15 1866, Jacob Graham of Union Co. Illinois, appoints George B. Wetmore of Rowan Co. N.C., to get & sell his possessions in Rowan, being the Davenport tract (which was formerly owned by deceased James Graham) next Jacob Lyerly, Jonathan Barber, John Todd, Eli Powlas, Ann Gillian, Margaret Lyerly, heirs of Margaret Thompson, James Robison, Sarah Robison & Eliza Robinson,

Book 44 page 450; Nov. 24 1866, George B. Wetmore (as the attorney of Jacob Graham of Union Co. Illinois), lets Jonathan Barber of Rowan Co. N.C., have 416 acres on Second Creek, called the Davenport tract, but more recently known as the Richard Graham tract (being where he died & it fell to his heir, the said Jacob Graham) next Margaret Lyerly, Mrs. Gilliam, --- Powlas, --- Barber, --- Todd & Isaac Lyerly; also 35 acres (being lot #2 in the division of said deceased Richard Graham's estate), next lot #1, --- Barber, --- Todd, --- Wetmore & --- Marlin, for \$400.00, witnessed & proved by John Marlin on Aug. 28 1868.

James H. Graham (Statesville road)

\* Book 68 page 97: May 26 1883, Joseph F. Dobbin & wife Mary Ann mortgage to Julia A. Rice (all of Rowan Co. N.C.), 10 1/2 acres on the Statesville road next lots #2 & 4, for \$100.00, acknowledged on May 28 1883. (This is lot #3 in the estate of deceased Polly Barger assigned them, being what had been assigned said deceased Polly Barger in estate of deceased Edmund Briggs).

Book 63 page 557; Sept. 29 1881, the land of John Barger is divided by the commissioners (Isaac Lyerly, Daniel Menius & J.N. Kepley) with J.C. Barnhart as C.S., as follows: Lot #1 of 10 acres to Julia A. Cheen is next S.P. Lord & lot #2, valued at \$100.00; " #2 " 10 1/2 " " John M. Barger is " lot #3 & valued at \$75.00; " #3 " 10 1/2 " " Joseph H. Dobbins & wife Mary A. is on the Statesville road next lots #2 & 4, valued at \$100.00; " #4 " 12 " " Charles W. Barger is on the Statesville road next lots #3 & 5 valued at \$225.00; " #5 " 20 1/2 " " James H. Graham & wife Chrissey E. is next lot #4, valued at \$125.00

Page 401 of the history of Marshal Ney by Dr. M. Smoot: Dr. Matthew Alexander Locke (the son of Major John Locke who lived near Mocksville, N.C. & was a good friend of Marshal Ney) studied under Marshal Ney when he taught near Statesville, N.C. at the home of Col. Thomas Allison, decided to become a physician so studied in Louisville, Kentucky, then settled at Rowan Mills (owned by Mr. Osborne G. Foard), where he remained five years before marrying Miss Melissa Adelaide (the daughter of Christopher Graham, whose son, Edmund R. Graham was born Sept. 20 1866, at Coddle Creek, Iredell, Co. N.C.). Dr. Matthew Alexander Locke attended Marshal Ney in his last illness at Mr. Foard's.

When this Dr. M.A. Locke died, he left a son John Alexander Locke, born in Rowan Co. on June 18 1861, moved to Ashboro, N.C.

R. Frank Graham (Second Creek, mouth of Beaver Dam Branch & P.L. Barringer)

Book 54 page 364: April 8 1878, John S. Henderson (as assignee of the bankrupt, R. Frank Graham & sold on ) lets George W. Corriher have two adjoining tracts on Second Creek next Julius A. Neely, being one of 134 $\frac{1}{2}$  acres & the other of 28 acres--see the mortgage from said Graham & wife to George Corriher Sr. on Aug. 12 1874 in book 50 page 348--for \$50.00, witnessed & proved by Horatio N. Woodson on April 8 1878.

Book 50 page 348; Aug. 12 1875, R. Frank Graham & wife Mary C. let George Corriher Jr. (all of Rowan Co. N.C.--have (the Peter L. Barringer mill-property) on Second Creek next Julius A. Neely, the dower, south side of the mill road & up the creek; also 134 $\frac{1}{2}$  acres on the bank of Second Creek, at the mouth of Beaver Dam Branch & up it, for \$720.00, acknowledged on Aug. 12 1875.

James Graham (Buffalow Creek)

Book 43 page 182: May 1866, the land of deceased Edmund Briggs is divided by the commissioners (W.R. Fraley, M. Plumer, T. Crawford, M.A. Bost & Jessie Lyerly) as follows: Lot #1 of 65 acres to John E. Briggs, a minor, next ---Robinson, the railroad & lot #4, & valued at \$650.00;

- " #2 " 50 $\frac{1}{2}$  " " Martha Briggs is next lot #1, Ann McNeely, ---Blackmer & the railroad, valued at \$600.00;
- " #3 " 63 $\frac{1}{2}$  " " John Barger & wife Polly is next lots 2 & 4, the railroad, Ann Powlass & Ann McNeely & valued at \$632.00;
- " #4 " 63 " " Thomas F. Barger, a minor, is next lots #1, 2, 3, the railroad, Adam Trexler & Ann Powlass & valued at \$567.00.

Book 33 page 485: March 20 1838, Alexander P. Graham--no wife signs--lets John Eddleman (both of Rowan Co. N.C.) have  $\frac{1}{2}$  the dower of Margaret Penny which is 204 acres on Buffalow Creek next Abram Secelar, Allen Rose & others; also 24 acres adjoining it next John Gibson, for \$420.00, witnessed by James Crosby & Allen Rose & proved by the latter in May 1838. (James Graham & wife Margaret let said Alexander P. Graham have this).

James Graham of North Carolina.  
 \* N.C.D.A.R. Register of 1947, page 89: Mrs. James H. Hill, (Margaret Louise Hill), nee #109357, from the service of James Graham, a Private of N.C., is listed among the former members 1890-1947.

(1) D.A.R. Lineage, vol. 110, page 109: Mrs. James Henry Hill, (Margaret Louise Hill), born in Rowan Co., N.C., as #109357, joined on the service of James Graham (1758-1834), born & died in Rowan Co., N.C., who served as a Private in the North Carolina Troops for which he received a Pension.

- She is the daughter of (6):
- (1) William Franklin Hill, (1826-1898) married 1856, Marietta Graham, (1833-1916);
  - (2) William Porter Graham, (1796-1869) " 1825, Mary King Barr, (1807-1873), +
  - (3) James Graham " 1785, Margaret Porter, (1765-1819).

in Accomac County before 1650, leased 1000 acres, removed to Middlesex County, married Anne, daughter of Frances Stokeley)

- (5) Col. Henry Hill (1743-1815) of Virginia, was a Captain in Culpeper Co. Militia & of the American Revolution, married in 1771, Anne Powell (1750-1805, the daughter of Ambrose Powell 6 who married Mary, the daughter of Captain William Bledsoe of Orange Co. Va., son of William 7 son of Benjamin 8)
- (4) Henry Hill (1782-1846) married Matilda Payne
- (3) John Payne Hill (1817-76) of Mt. Vernon, Texas, Captain of a company from Texas in the Civil War, married first in 1839, Frances Anne Terrill
- (8) John Terrill
- (7) Robert " married Elizabeth Towles
- (6) John " " Susan Mallory (daughter of Uriel Mallors 8 who married Hannah Cova)
- (5) Oliver " " Susan Mallory (daughter of Uriel Mallors 8 who married Hannah Cova)
- (4) Dr. Uriel " (1792-1885) married in 1814, Jane Lowell (1795-1870, daughter of William Lowell 5 of Virginia who married Janet Irving Urquhart; son of Jacob Lowell 6)
- (3) F. Anne " (1818-52) married John P. Hill (see #3 above)

*James Graham of North Carolina*

Page 101: Miss Mary Barr Morgan, as #109358, from the service of James Graham, a Private of R.C., is listed among the "Furnet members 1890-1947"

D.A.R. Image, vol. 110 page 109: Miss Mary Barr Morgan, born in Rowan Co., N.C., as #109358, joined in the service of James Graham (1738-1834), born & died in Rowan Co., N.C., who served as a Private in the North Carolina Troops for which he received a Pension. She is the daughter of (re):

- (1) John K. Morgan (born 1834), married 1864, Sarah Elizabeth Graham (1829-1872);
- (2) William Porter Graham, (1797-1869), " 1825, Mary Hilda Barr (1807-1873)
- (3) James Graham (above) " 1785, Margaret Porter (1765-1819).

Major James Graham

Virkus Compendium, Vol. VI page 113: Mrs. Thomas J. Caldwell (Bird Alice Holbrook) born at Mt. Vernon, Texas, on Feb. 9 1830, gave her lineage as

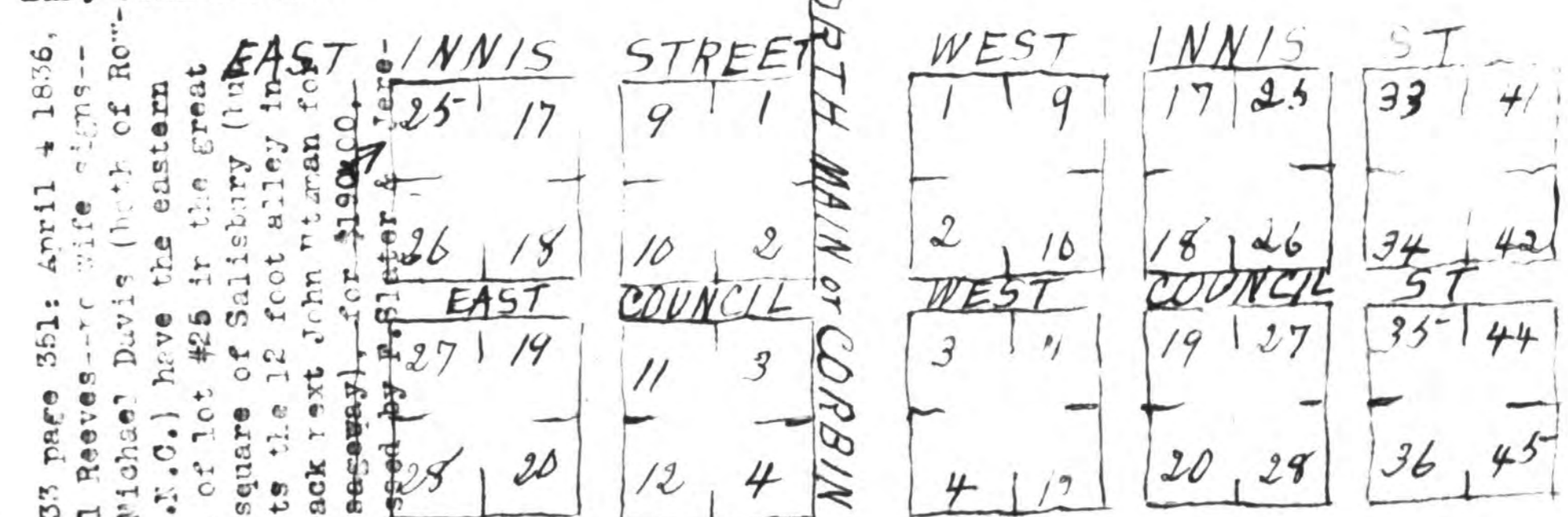
- (6) John Rutherford came from Scotland to Ireland, married a Miss Griffith of Wales-- both were lost at sea on their way to America
- (5) Griffith " (1721-1805) came as a child from Ireland to Rowan Co. N.C., near Salisbury, was a Member of the Legislature over twenty years; General in American Revolution; married in 1754, Martha Graham (who died in 1808, daughter of Major James Graham who came from Scotland to Rowan Co. N.C.)
- (4) John " (born in 1774) of Sumner Co. Tenn., married in 1801, Nancy McGuire (1779-1859)
- (3) Mary Elizabeth" (1817-93) of Mt. Vernon, Texas, married in 1838, Robert J. Holbrook (1807-83)
- (2) Robert Williamson Holbrook (1847-1915), married in 1868, Janet Matilda Hill (1843-1919) & had: 1 Robert Warren (1869-88); 2 Dr. John Hill (1871-1929), married Leila Davenport; 3 Carl Russell (1873-1906); 4 Anne Elizabeth (1874-76); 5 Janet Matilda (1876-82); 6 David Earl (born 1870) married Viola Sparks; 7 Sue Terrill (born 1881) married E.T. Bush; 8 Bird Alice (born Feb. 9 1884) married April 11 1907 to Dr. Thomas Judson Caldwell, born at Hoary Grove, Texas, on Aug. 24 1879 (son of Dr. T.J. Caldwell); 9 Lucie Powell (born 1886) married F.A. Snyder.
- (8) Thomas Hill (born 1659) of Virginia, married in 1677, Ann Russell (died 1726)
- (7) William Russell Hill (born 1684) married in 1710, Frances Needles (born 1690, daughter of Capt. John Needles 8)
- (6) Russell Hill (1716-89) of Virginia, married in 1738, Anne Towles (1719-92, son of Stokeley Towles 7 of Middlesex Co., Va., who married Anne ----; son of Henry Towles 8 who came from England & settled

Graham Tryon & Lincoln Co. Marriage Bonds (Curtis Bynum)

Malvina S. Graham	to John A. Young	May 20 1840	signed by Joel A. Huggins & J.F. Alexander
Betsy	" Ezekeil Price	Oct. 24 1810	" John Ramsey & Daniel M. Forney
Ephraim	" Jane Nixon	Aug. 25 1866	" R. Nixon (JP)
Elizabeth E.	" William T. Moore	Dec. 26 1835	" John H. Harry & M.W. Abernathy (C.C.)
Archibald	" Jane Beaty	Aug. 21 1782	" James Little & Hugh Torrence
Isabella	" William Wilson	Sept. 20 1792	" John Oats, Samuel Lindsey, ---Wilson
	" & Ephm McLean.		
Jane	" William W. Morris	Nov. 28 1829	" John B. Harry & W. Graham R.H. Morrison
	" William B. Maclain	Dec. 14 1858	" George Little (married next day by/ David T. Caldwell & V. McBee
Jane	" R.H. Morrison	April 23 1824	" V. McBee
Mary	" Martha Sherrel	Feb. 14 1867	" Max Chambers & H.Y. Webb
Ephraim	" Adam Carruth	March 16 1814	" V. McBee & John D. Graham (see Joley)
Nancy	" Polly Caruth	Dec. 4 1808	" Rufus Reid & R.R. Williamson
John	" John R. Witherspoon	May 1 1815	" Thomas N. Herndon & H. Candler
Sophia	" Bridget Little	Nov. 11 1834	
John	" Joseph Herndon	Nov. 28 1839	
Sophia N.	"		
Sophynealy	" Littleberry Bostick	Feb. 28 1818	" William Graham & James T. Alexander
Vilet W.	" Moses W. Alexander	Dec. 20 1821	" Robert D. Alexander & V. McBee
John D.	" Jane E. Johnston	Oct. 30 1840	" William Williamson
Thomas	" Pheby Bennick	Sept. 30 1823	" Thomas Dickson & M. Hull (J.P.)

John Graham & wife Julia

The will of Susannah B. Holmes (book I page 472) made Dec. 10 1870. Something goes to the children of deceased brother, Jacob Krider. Elizabeth Williamson also is mentioned Exr: John M. Forah



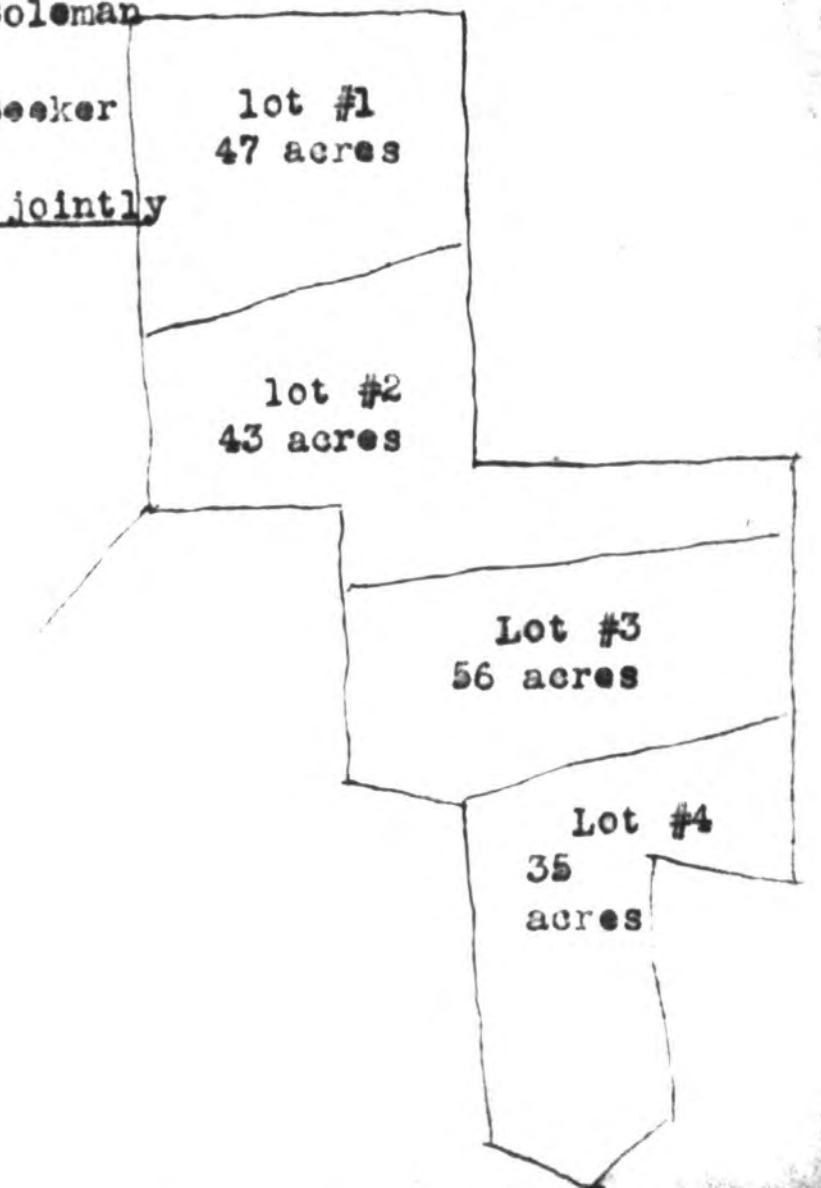
Book 56 page 200; Jan. 16 1879, Andrew Murphey (as administrator with will annexed of deceased Susannah B. Holmes on Jan. 8 1879, & on a decree of Court in the Special Proceedings vs Elizabeth Williamson, G.C. Krider, D.W. Krider, T.A. Krider, John G. Fleming & wife Margaret, John Graham & wife Julia, & sold to Ellet Alexander Parker have lot #25 in the great east square of Salisbury next Mrs. J.J. Bell, Peter A. Frerek, N.C.R. road, fronting on Innis Street (but excepting 12 feet on the back street for an alley for passage)--being her home, for \$300.00, acknowledged on June 13 1879.

Book 63 page 586; Jan. 7 1850, Michael Davis--no wife signs--lets Susannah Holmes (both of Rowan Co. N.C.) have the eastern part of lot #25 in the great east square of Salisbury (but excepts the 12 foot alley as a passageway at the back, for \$300.00

Graham

Book 91 page 371: Nov. 15 1901, the commissioners (J.F.Davis, W.T.Fair & J.H.Becker) in the case of J.F.Graham & George Harkey vs L.A.Graham, Jessie B.Graham et al, allot the land as follows

- Lot #1 of 47 acres to George Harkey for life, is next J.W.Knox, the road & ---Coley;
- " #2 " 43 " " J.F.Graham is next lot #1, Henry Coleman J.M.Monroe & J.W.Knox;
- " #3 " 56 " " L.A.Graham is next lot #2, Henry Becker & J.M.Monroe;
- " #4 " 35 " " Jessie L.Graham & Walter R.Graham jointly is next lot #3.



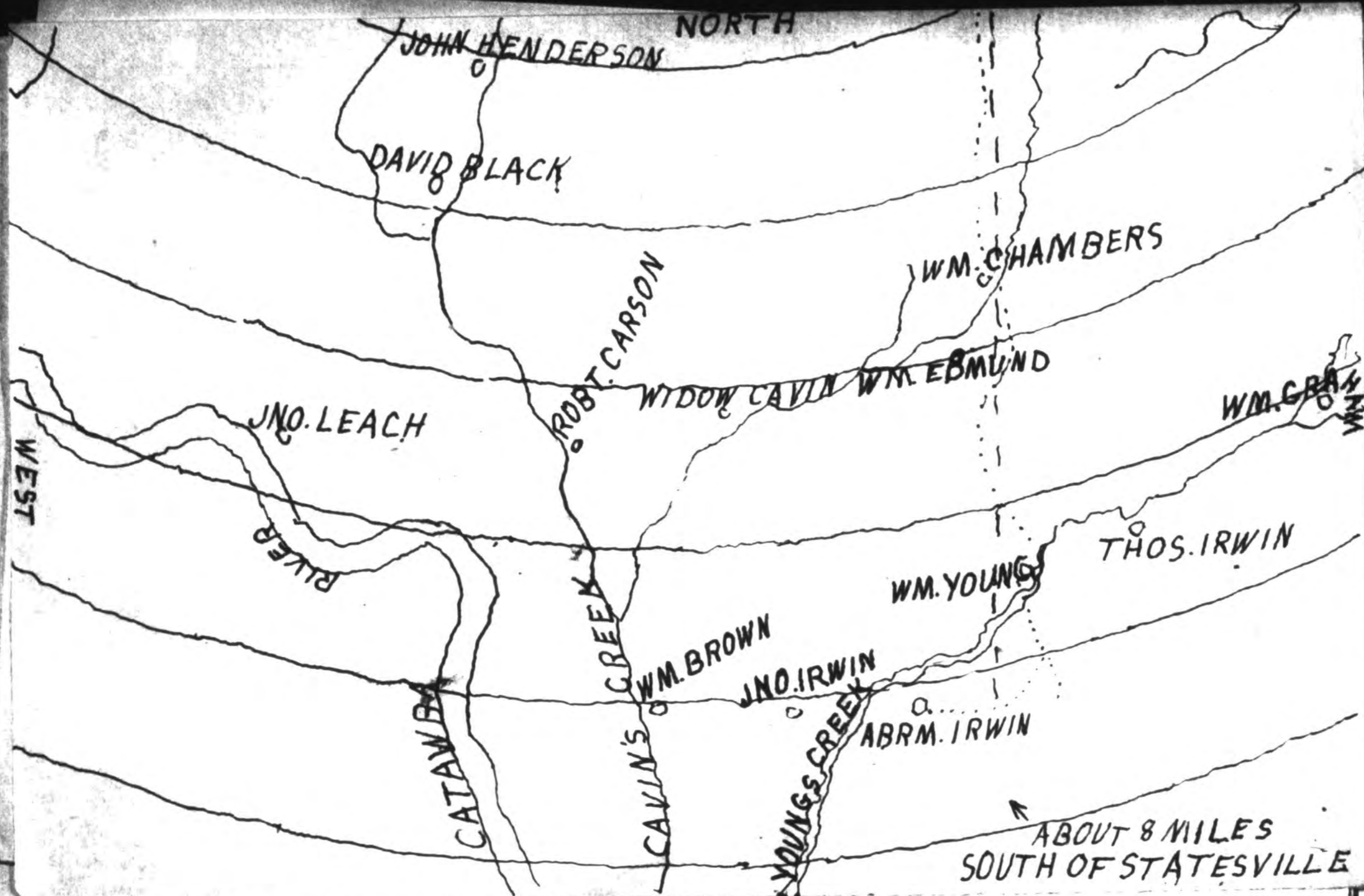
James Graham pronounced Grimes Regulator

N.C. Colonial Records Vol.8 page 519; March 6 1771 Waighstill Avery makes a deposition from Mecklenburg N.C. that on the 6th of about 9 or 10 in the morning, he was at the now dwelling house of Hudgins who lives & keeps the Atkin Ferry at the lower end of the long island & saw 30 or 40 of those people who style themselves "Regulators"; & was then & there arrested & forcibly detained a prisoner by one of them, (who said his name was John McQuiston) in the name of all of them, & soon thereafter one James Graham (commonly pronounced Grimes) spoke to this Deponent these words "You are a prisoner & must not go anywhere without a guard" & immediately after one Thomas Hamilton spoke words of the same tenor adding "you must keep with your guard & you shan't be hurt". Before this deponent left the house, the aforesaid James Graham desired him to step aside & then told him "You had best to call for a bowl of tody & treat the Captains for they are going to ride on to the regulating Camp". The bowl of tody spent, this deponent was conducted under a guard of 2 men to the regulating Camp (as they term it,) about a mile distand, where were many more persons of the same denomination & others came there some hours after--in the whole about 230 persons, this deponent imagines. From them this deponent learned the name of 5 of their captains or leading men then present, viz: Thomas Hamilton & one other Hamilton, James Hunter, Joshua Teague, one Gillispie & the aforesaid James Graham. Thomas Hamilton stood in the midst & spoke words of the following tenor, the crowd still assembling & affirming to the truth of what was said "What business has Maurice Moore to be Judge, he is no judge, he was not apptd by the King, he wor Henderson neither, They's neither of them hold Ct." &c

Marriage bonds:

Margaret C.Krider to John G.Cleming March 17 1845 signed by W.P.Luckey  
 Julia B.Krider (born June 5 1833 died July 7 1911) married 1st on Dec. 16 1857 to R.W. Griffith (who died May 31 1867); she then married John Graham (born Nov. 7 1824 died July 14 1882)





Buried in Thyatira Churchyard, Mill Bridge, Rowan Co., N.C., with one tombstone to  
 mark their graves: Ann McEay died Oct. 26, 1809, aged 67 years & Flora Gillespie,  
 died Nov. 1, 1821, age 53 years;  
 Allan Hall died Feb. 4, 1837, aged 59 years, Member of the Protestant Episcopal  
 Church, affectionate father &c