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Frey.

Buried in Hope Moravian graveyard, Forsyth Co.N.C., near Muddy Creek station, are: Susanna Hanes, (born Frey) in Friedburg on Feb.22 1778 died May 24 1834; Elizabeth Hauserin born April 30 1779 died Oct.7 1798; Martin Hanes of Yorktown, Pennsylvania, died April 15 1837 age 61 yrs. 11 mos. & 5 days; Vallentine Frey born in Germany died Sept.13 1798 age 77 yrs; John Frey (of Rowan Co.N.C.) died Dec.19 1802 age 40 yrs;

Book 13 page 364: Dec.30? 1791, The State grants (#2126) to Henry Ripple 63 acres on Frys Creek next Jacob Mock, Martin Wollox, George Fry & Peter Fultz

Jan. 17 1767: "Christian Fry, in the room of George Hartman" is appointed Constable.

July 16 1767: Christian Fry is the Constable for Town Fork & Muddy Creek settled out with Jacob Lambeth the Justice.

Jan. 16 1768: Adam Spough is appointed Constable instead of Christian Fry.

Feb. 17 1769: Edward Parnall is appointed Constable instead of Adam Spough.

Aug. 1770: Esq. Jacob Bonn is made Justice for the Moravians & others from the outh of Bershaby Creek to mouth of muddy Creek including the waters thereof.

Feb. 16 1771: Pearse Gwin is appointed Constable instead of Edward Parnall, & Joseph Edward is appointed for the head of Muddy Creek).

The will of Christian Fry (book E page 159) made June 22 1799. Wife Sarah. Friends: Henry Ripple (a Dutch Bible), Christian Ripple & his sister Sarah Ripple. Exrs: friends Henry Ripple & John Fry. Attests: Lazarus Hege, Frederick Bookel & John Right.

Aug. 9 1788: Deed from Christian Fry & wife Sarah with Lazarus Hege "Covenant with Indenture made May 1st: 1788, prov by Martin Walk".

May 9 1789: Deed from Christian Fry & wife to Fredk Beekle for 80 acres July 1 1788 proved by Martin Walk.

Book 25 page 172: March 27 1819, Vincent Fry--no wife signs--lets Jacob Garron (both of Rowan Co.N.C.) have 199 acres on Garrons Creek on south side of Fayette road next John Lambeth, (10 1/2 acres deeded him in same tract by said Fry) & Moses Lambeth & crossing the creek, for \$400.00, witnessed by Andrew Byerly & L.Tyer & proved by the latter in May 1819.

Book 17 page 127: On Jan. 30 1800, Elizabeth Hinkle, a widow, lets Lazarus Hege--both of Rowan Co.N.C.--have 200 acres on Fry's creek water of Muddy Creek next ---Grigs,---Ply & Christian Fry, for \$200.00, witnessed by William Standly & Francis Williams & proved by the latter in Feb. 1800. (This had been granted her by The State on Dec. 20 1791).

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Book 19 page 59: On Feb. 20 1801, John Fry Sr. of Wyth Co.Va., lets William Bracken of Rowan Co.N.C., have 134 acres on Weevers Creek next James Tatum, James McCulloh, &--- Rowland, for 67 pounds, witnessed by Samuel Bracken & Peter Dealy in Nov. term of 1804.

Divisions of Estates page 112 book A: On Jan. 8 1814, Britain J. Heymore surveyed the estate of Peter Fry according to his will, which is to be divided among his six daughters with the consent of their husbands. This is reported in May court of 1814, as divided into 66 acres each: lot #1 goes to Elizabeth (wife of Michael Houser); lot #2 goes to Susanna (wife of Martin Heynes); lot #3 to Sarah (wife of Isaac Douthet); lot #4 goes to Mary (wife of Jacob Crader); lot #5 to Hannah (wife of Philip Heynes) & lot #6 goes to Rebecca (wife of John Transou).

See also deed book 27 page 256 & Minutes of Aug.17 1811. His widow Catherine was willed money, the executors were Martin Haines & Isaac Douthit, & the six daughters as above.

Feb.11 1786: Deed from Geo Fry & wife to Jacob Mock for 240 acres Nov. 23 1785 proved by Henry Ripple.

Feb.11 1786: D Geo. Fry to Henry Ripple for 282 acres Nov. 4 1785 proved by Martin Walk deed from

Book 6 page 340: Oct. 9 1765, John Miller, a planter (someone else also) let Frederick Bookel next Geo. Hartman, for 15 pounds, witnessed by Geo. Hartman & Adam Spough & proved in Jan. 1767. (part of 453 acres Earl Granville may 10 1762--book 5 page 60)

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17 138 Jan 29 1800 David Butner + wife Mary sel
 John Butner all Rowan \$50 80 acrs on 2 corners of old
 track sd Butners field Phillip Brown w
 W Moore + Audlin Moore who proved Feb 1800

ABSTRACT OF TITLE to the property of _____

County of _____ Township _____ State _____

493 Nov 1 1800 Phillip Craver
 Michael Craver both Rowan
 head of Lick Creek of muddy
 granted by State to David
 Peter T. by. Mazonian line
 wrl ? + Jo Craver

- Kind of conveyance no wife held
- 2. Date of conveyance
- 3. Consideration, \$ 250 00 216 acrs
- 4. Is it properly executed?
- 5. Date of acknowledgment 18th May 1/2 wrl
- 6. Before what officer acknowledged?
- 7. Is it properly acknowledged? begun wrl
- 8. Was order of probate correct? Adam Coffey
- 9. Was privy examination of wife held? Nov 1800
- 10. Did certifying officer affix seal?
- 11. Does the above conveyance contain covenants:
 - (a) of seizin?
 - (b) power to convey?
 - (c) against encumbrances?
 - (d) against claims of all others?
- Date of filing for record 1800 259a
- 13. Recorded in Book _____ Page _____
 for Abner Allen County wrl
- 14. Does the deed contain any special limitations, provisions or
 restrictions? Perry Daniel + Richard
- 15. Habendum clause (quote fully)

472 Dec 16 1792 Mr Daniel
 wife sel Jas Daniel of Rowan
 Clipes Cree next Lours Loftin
 Dairs Jas Daniels wrl
 Quick who proved Feb 1801

Description:

738 Oct 4 1793 Samuel Lusk no wife Israh
 Buchanan both Rowan \$45- 85 acrs old line
 rd Lusk fork of branch + side of it Part
 grant to Sel Buchanan wrl Mr Beller + wrl
 Lusk + wrl Aug 1801

688 June 16 1801 Ezekeil Haisley no wife of Stokes
 Co N C sel Daniel Delap of Rowan \$812 50
 2 tracs
 muddy Creek next Marku Eberl Stokes live - Benders
 which Henry Hooser + wife Catharina sel her have
 + other = 125-acre Stokes wrl muddy Creek above
 the 1st crossing the branch next Marku Eberl
 " " " " " above the above sd
 homestead sel also bought of Henry Hooser +
 wife Catharina) wrl John Thane Markland +
 Mr Monroe who proved Aug 1801

Samuel Smith and Polly Gordon (they
at school at Salem & C buried on Oak Hill
of about 40 or 500 were where Macedonia but
rest at Bethlehem Church He is said to
come from Maryland

Grandpa Beachum born 1813
md

John Chas Edward Smith born
age 73 yrs) and Betty Williams (died
1906 age 31 buried Macedonia dau of
Ezekiel Williams " Little Rock Ark

Cousin Mrs Carrie Etnier (of York
Pa a daughter of Morgan Smith)

Smith Grove

Stephen Beachum = officer on Tory side
killed Kings Mt came from Delaware
md Caul

Mrs Haves (was Irene Smith)
lives in Salisbury

Her brother and Dorahuller lives near
Bethlehem Church Davco
Grandmother Caul

Antman, Ga.
Jan. 7. 1930.

My dear Mrs. M^c LeDine, It was nice of
you to let me know about the deed of
gift Andre Mathies made to his
grandchildren. Your Gilliam was my
father, and I have always heard that
Andre gave my aunt Marietta and
and Elizabeth Gilliam such a house
and lot in Charleston. They could never
tell any thing about it though. My
mother thought it belonged to his blind
wife, and she gave it to them. She
was an artist and musician, and
very temperamental, and left him and
returned to N. Y. Family tradition says
she was Miss Radcliffe. Andre was a
Revolutionary soldier, born in France
1760, ran away and came over with
Lafayette, fought under Count
Rothman here at Yorktown, was wounded

by a sabre in his hand. He married about
1794 (probably in N. Y.) Hannah (Davis)
Van Dusen, widow with three children,
and they had three, the mother and
~~two~~ little boys dying in New York
city 1805 from some pestilence. I have
a miniature of Hannah and one of the
little boys, the most sought after relic
in the family. But as I was always
the favorite it fell to me. I have a solid
silver spoon and fork, hammered out by
hand, which he carried with him
visiting for fear he would have to see
jeweler. He died at the home of his grand-
daughter, Elizabeth Sheek, and is buried
at Smith Grove, N. C. 1854. He owned an
inn in New York city in 1795, and
after the death of his wife traded it for
thousands of acres of land in Surry Co.
N. C. which included Pilot Mt. He
willed this to his great grand children,
(me) and Benjamin Bernard as trustee
I grander it, and we rec'd next to nothing

The case was in the N. C. courts for twenty
years. Andre's only child to live, Hannah
Theres, was educated at the Moravian
school, Winston-Salem, was an accom-
plished musician and artist, and
married Mr Gillam, my grandfather
in Salisbury in 1828. I have always
heard she was teaching there at the
time. They lived "at the Pilot" and in
Columbia S. C. Her son and daughter
Louis Matthew & Mrs Gillam, and
Marietta and Elizabeth Sheek came to
Ga., and Theres died in Atlanta at the
home of her son Louis M. when I was
almost a baby. I can barely remember
seeing her on her death bed about
1877. I am intensely interested in this
deed, and I want you to find out the
cost of a full copy, not necessary to be
certified as I want it for the family
data contained therein. If you copy it,

you will know the cost at once. Please
let me hear from you.

I have a photostat of a letter written to
Andre' by his mother Jeanne Mathien
in 1795, making mention of his marriage,
telling him the news of the family in
France and the French Revolution. I also
have the translation of one written him
by his cousin in France about cotton he
sent to France from Charleston 1829. Andre'
was evidently living in Charleston then,
and was a cotton buyer. My mother always
told me I was like Grandma Therese,
endowed with a great deal of executive
ability and a good cook, and very thrifty.
I consider it a compliment, although the
family say I am 'bossy', but they make me
decide every thing for them. My son came
from New York City to spend two weeks over
Christmas with us, and this was the
cause of my delay in replying.

Are you abstracting the Roman Co. records
for publication? Very sincerely,
Mrs. John L. Grace Gilliam Davidson.

204 N. Mill St.
Nashville, Illinois
3-12-45.

Mrs. Mamie H. Mc Cubbin,
Salisbury, Md.

My dear Mrs. Mc Cubbin,

It was indeed very good of you
to undertake the research for me with
the request to find out if the papers
may be able to straighten out a tangled
mess that has been for me.

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312-45.

Mrs. Mamie H. McCubbin,
Salisbury, N.C.

My dear Mrs. McCubbin:

It was indeed very good of you to undertake the research for me at the request of Mrs. Scott. I hope you may be able to straighten out a tangled ancestral line for me.

A number of members of the D.A.R. claim Pally Decker Blackwelder as an ancestress, and state that she was the mother of Margaret (Blackwelder) Phifer. They also claim that she was the mother-in-law of John Paul Barringer, whose second wife was Catherine "Katy" Blackwelder. The latter's grandson, Gen. Rufus Barringer, visited his Illinois relatives at the time of the Chicago World Fair in 1893. My grandmother, the general's second cousin had died before his visit, but his sister was living as well as another second cousin to both the general and my grandmother's sister.

General Barringer gave the information that his grandmother, "Katy" (Blackwelder) Barringer was the daughter of Colet and Betsey (Phifer) Blackwelder; that she was born at sea, Dec. 18, 1755 as her parents were coming to America. We know that she had a brother Isaac, Lt. Leventing Co. Va. 11-17-1757, a Revolutionary soldier, a brother, John, who died in a British prison in So. Carolina, a brother Jacob, Lt. 1763-64 (my great² grand father) a brother Martin, Lt. 1767 a brother Daniel, and a sister Rachel, Cress, Lt. 1772. Colet Blackwelder, the father of these children, died Sept. 1794 and his estate was settled at the October term of Court, same year, Covarrus Co. N.C. The original estate papers are not extant to show name of wife and names of heirs, but Martin Blackwelder was administrator and produced Jacob Blackwelder and Peter Mullman as security. (Jacob had married Peter Mullman's daughter, Elizabeth, Lt. 1770 d. 1814.)

Now if Catherine Blackwelder Barringer was ~~the~~ sister of Margaret (Blackwelder)

Phifer, it would mean that Polly Decker had children born from 1722 to 1772, over a period of 50 years. "They" say that Polly was b. about 1704 and d. 1780-85. She would be a remarkable woman, indeed, to be bearing children when she was 68 years of age. I hope you may be able to find a Phifer will or something that will show that John Paul Barringer's mother-in-law was "Betsey" (Phifer) Blackwelder and not Polly (Decker) Blackwelder.

A second cousin of Gen. Barringer here in Illinois, Isaac Simeon Blackwelder, now deceased, a S.A.R., stated that his own grandfather ~~and grandmother~~ Isaac (b. 1757) Blackwelder married for his first wife his cousin, Mary Phifer, who d. before 1796, in which year Isaac married Mary Redding (see Cobarras Co. marriage books). That would imply that Isaac's first wife was the daughter of some Phifer man who was a brother of Isaac's mother.

Records and tradition show that Martin Phifer who married Margaret Blackwelder had a brother John Phifer

of Rowan Co. who started from his home in northern Rowan to visit his brother Martin but died on the way, and his body was found about a week later. Did he leave a will or estate settlement? My opinion is that Caleb Blackwelder's wife, Betsey Phifer, was a sister of this John and Martin Phifer.

Now regarding the Ridenhous:
Nicholas Ridenhouse (Reitenauer) and his wife (a Heffley) came from Germany about 1764 and tarried for a while near Phoenixville, Pa. About 1778(?) they removed to N. Carolina. Evidently the first wife died and he married a Sitaker. Among the children by both wives were: John (lived Rowan Co., b. about 1774 and d. very aged) Henry (my ancestor who married Mary Jespersman) Mary Magdalen^e who mar. Adam Heffley, Daniel, Jacob (who had a son, Wilson) and a daughter who married a Stikelather, and a son Nicholas who married Catherine Walcher and had a son John Nicholas Ridenhouse b. 1797.

Peter Zullman was a Revolutionary soldier (Militia). He had at least two sons, Peter Jr. who mar. Barbara — and George who married a Barringer and a daughter Elizabeth b. 1770 d. 1814 who mar. my great great grandfather, Jacob Blackwelder. Peter Jr. Zullman had at least 3 sons, Aaron, Elias, and ^{L. 1799} Jacob all of whom came to Illinois, a daughter Polly who mar. John Friesland, (my great grand parents) and possibly a daughter Milly Zullman Lipe. Can you find anything about an Aaron Lipe who mar. Milly Zullman.

I am enclosing a chart or two to show my descent from the immigrants and shall be grateful for any data you can provide to prove or disprove my theories. Most of these people were connected with St. John's Lutheran Church in Cabarrus Co., some with Bethel Bear Creek, and other Lutheran and Reformed groups.

I have in my home the small blue

state headstone of Collet Blackwelder who I believe was my ancestor and the Revolutionary hero, father of 'Katy' Barringer, father-in-law of John Paul Barringer, cousin of Margaret Blackwelder Phifer (both were born 1722) and husband of Betsy Phifer Blackwelder.

wishing you success in your efforts to unearth vital facts about my N.C. ancestors, I am

Sincerely yours,
D. C. Williams

Gry.

U.C.D.A.R. Register of 1947, page 51: Mrs. J. E. Gry, (Mathie Anderson), as #335913, from the service of Captain Charles Allen of South Carolina, joined the "Dorcas Bell Love Chapter" of Waynesville, N.C.

Page 51: Mrs. J. H. Coman (Louise Gry) as #335914, from the service of Captain Charles Allen of N.C., joined the "Dorcas Bell Love Chapter" of Waynesville, N.C.

Page 51: Mrs. C. E. Pope (Catharine Gry) as #335915, from the service of Captain Charles Allen of N.C., joined the "Dorcas Bell Love Chapter" of Waynesville, N.C.

Page 83: Mrs. R. T. Gry (Mary Esther Goodrich), as #51243, from the service of Colonel Thomas Sowers of New Jersey, is listed among "The Former Members 1890-1947."

Colonel James Gry of Massachusetts.

U.C.D.A.R. Register of 1947, page 117: Mrs. Dr. A. Gaylor (Dorothy Pillars), as #180087, from the service of Colonel James Gry of Mass., is listed among "The Former Members 1890-1947"

Page 459 of the Sons of the American Revolution: Walter Clark Bates of Jamaica Plains, Mass., as #8652, joined the Massachusetts Society on the services of Colonel James of the Essex Co. militia;

Samuel Bates, a Private of Yellow's Massachusetts Regiment;

Samuel Clark, a Private of the Massachusetts Troops & Pensioned; & of

Daniel Poor, a Private of the Massachusetts Troops

(He was the son of, &c.):

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|---------------------|--------------------------|
| (1) Philander Bates | married Elizabeth Clark; |
| (2) Walter Bates | " Submit Comroy; |
| & Amos Clark | " Pamela Poor; |
| (3) Samuel Clark | " _____; |
| Samuel Bates | " _____; |
| & Daniel Poor | " Hannah Grye; |
| (4) James Grye | " _____; |

Grey.

N.C.D.A.R. Register of 1947, page 89: Mrs. J. W. Grey, (Channie Caldwell), as #38647, from the service of Rev. David Caldwell of The North Carolina Constitutional Con. is listed among the former members 1890-1947."

Page 134: Mrs. John Walker Grey, (Channie Caldwell), gave her Supplemental Lines as Rachel Craighhead Caldwell a Patriot of N.C.; Rev. Alexander Craighhead a Patriot of N.C.; Robert Lindsay of the N.C. House of Commons; & Captain Daniel Gillespie a Patriot of N.C.

Valentine Grey of North Carolina (note Grey).

N.C.D.A.R. Register of 1947 page 31: Miss Eleanor Hayes, as #364163 from the service of Valentine Grey a Private of N.C., joined "The Jonathan Hunt Chapter," of Elkin, N.C.

Page 21: Mrs. Dr. W. Whitaker, (Lottie Harrell), as #364102, joined as above.

Captain Benjamin Fry of Rhode Island.

Page 930 of The Sons of the American Revolution:
William Congdon, Fry of Providence, R.I., as #12659,
joined the Rhode Island Society on the service of
Captain Benjamin Fry of the fourth Rhode Island
Continental Regiment.

- (1) Charles Burleigh Fry
- (2) William Congdon Fry
- (3) John Fry
- (4) Benjamin Fry

He is the son of (re.):
married Frances Henrietta Phillips;
" Mary Wilson Cross;
" Deborah Congdon;

Colonel Joshua Fry

Society of the Colonial Wars Register of 1897-1898, page 354: Cary
Harrison Bacon of Louisville, Ky., joined the Kentucky Society as a
Charter Member, (being #8 - general society #1195), as 6th in descent
from Joshua Fry + Dr. Thomas Walker.

Page 467: "FRY, COLONEL JOSHUA, — 1754. Colonel of Virginia Regt.,
1754, French and Indian War. Died in the Expedition to Ohio, succeeded
in command of Lieut.-Colonel George Washington." Only Cary H. Bacon
see page 354 - + John W. Fry - see page 262 - joined on his services.

Page 262: John Walker Fry of — joined the Virginia Society as a
Charter Member, (being #14 - general society #1341), as 5th in descent
from Colonel Joshua Fry.

Page 570: "WALKER, DR. THOMAS, 1715-1794. ADJUTANT Adjutant of the Fron-
tier Counties of Virginia, 1754. Served in the Ohio Expedition against the
French. At Braddock's defeat. Member of House of Burgesses." Those
joining on his services were: Cary H. Bacon - see page 354; Harry S.
Block - see page 309 + R. G. W. Duke, Jr. - see pages 58 + 262.

Benjamin Frye of Massachusetts.

Page 304 of The Sons of The American Revolution:
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a Private of The Massachusetts artificers & Ammunition
& of
Nathaniel Corbin, a Drummer & Corporal of The Massa-
chusetts Troops.

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| | He is the son of, (etc.): |
| (1) Samuel Stedman Barry married Abigail Corbin Abbott | Nathaniel Corbin; |
| (2) Thomas Abbott | Mary Frye; |
| + John Barry | _____; |
| (3) Nathaniel Corbin | _____; |
| + Benjamin Frye | _____. |

Joshua Fry of Virginia

D.A.R. Lineage, Vol. 7 page 253: Miss Mary C. Stevenson, born in Illinois, joined
as #6748, from the service of
Joshua Fry served as a soldier of Virginia when but a boy of fifteen years;
Captain James Speed was Captain of the Rockingham Co., Va. militia, wounded
at the battle of Guilford Courthouse; removed to Kentucky after the reduction
of Yorktown & became a distinguished citizen of that State;
Dr. Thomas Walker of Virginia, was a member of the House of Burgesses
when that body dissolved; served on the Committee of Safety from Albemarle,
was an early explorer from Kentucky & bore a gallant part with the
brave Pioneers - see also numbers 1438, 2635, 3046, 3445, 4952 & 5515.

She is the daughter of, (etc.):

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| (1) Adlai Ewing Stevenson, Vice President of the U.S.A. married Letitia Green; | Mary Peachy Fry; |
| (2) Rev. Lewis Warner Green married | Elizabeth Speed Smith; |
| (3) Dr. Thomas Walker | Peachy Walker; |
| (4) Joshua Fry | Mary Spencer; |
| (5) James Speed | Auldred Thornton. |
| + Thomas Walker | " |

Several others joined

(Refer to page 55 of The Stevenson Family 1748-1898).

Gruze

N.C.D.A.R. Register of 1947 page 68: Mrs. L.H. Balthus (Mary Gruze) as #258907,
joined on the service of Colonel Charles Lewis of Berquida & is listed among
the former members 1890-1947."

Captain Isaac Gruze of New Hampshire

Page 656 of The Sons of the American Revolution:
Honor Alfred Gruze of Milford, N.H. as #11949, joined
The New Hampshire Society on the service of Cap-
tain Isaac Gruze of Scarborough, New Hampshire
regiment.

- (1) Timothy H. Gruze
- (2) Alfred Gruze
- (3) Isaac Gruze

He is the son of (he.):
married Mary Cochran;
" Betty Blanchard;
" _____

Colonel Joseph Frye, Jr., of Massachusetts
Brig-Gen " " " " " " " " " " " "

Page 257 of the Sons of the American Revolution
William Pierce Frye of the U.S. Senate, joined
The District of Columbia Society as #1833 on the
services of Colonel Joseph Frye, Jr. of the Mas-
sachusetts militia; & of
Major-General Joseph Frye Sr. of the Massa-
chusetts Troops & Brigadier-General of the
Continental Army.

He was the son of, (or):

(1) John M. Frye	married Alice M. Davis;
(2) Dean Frye	" Joanna March;
(3) Joseph Frye, Jr.	" _____;
(4) Joseph Frye, Sr.	" _____.

Captain James Frye of Massachusetts.

Page 313 of The Index of The Society of The Colonial Wars,
1903-1906: FRYE, CAPT. JAMES, 1653-1725, Andover, Mass.
King William's War, 1702. Only Samuel C. Edsall joined
on this service - see page 162.

Page 162: The Rt. Rev. Samuel Cook Edsall, D.D. joined
The Minnesota Society, as #151 (general society #3653), &
as fifth in descent from Colonel James Frye.

Page 161: The Rt. Rev. Samuel Cook Edsall, D.D., was elected
Chaplain of The Minnesota Society.

Page 467 of The Index of The Society of The Colonial Wars 1897-1898:
"FRYE, CAPTAIN JAMES, —, Andover, Mass. King William's War, 1702."
Only Joseph B. Eaton joined on this service - see page 185.

Pages 184 & 185: Commander Joseph Giles Eaton of —, & The U.S. Navy,
joined The Massachusetts Society, as #271 (general society #1845),
& as eighth in descent from Captain William French; seventh
in descent from George Barnum & Ensign James Kidder; sixth
in descent from Captain George Brown & Captain James Frye,
& fifth in descent from Corporal Jonas Eaton.

Brigadier-General Joseph Truitt Sr. of Massachusetts

Sons of the American Revolution, page 412: Seth Chase
Gordon of Portland, Me., as #6426, joined the Maine So-
ciety on the services of Brigadier-General Joseph Truitt
of the Continental Army: & of
Dr. Josiah Chase, Surgeon of the New Hampshire militia
& the fifth Continental infantry.

He was the son of, (i.e.):

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| (1). Stephen Gordon | married | Lydia B. Chase; |
| (2). Thomas Chase | " | _____ |
| (3). Josiah Chase | " | _____ |
| Josiah Chase | " | Inheritable Truitt |
| (4). Joseph Truitt | " | _____ |

Colonel James Frye of Massachusetts

Sons of The American Revolution, page 505: Daniel Ames Kimball of Stockbridge Mass., as #4845, joined The Massachusetts Society on the services of Colonel James Frye of The Massachusetts militia;
 Captain Peter Coburn Sr. of Bridgton's Massachusetts regiment & Peter Coburn Jr. a Private of " " " " " "

He was the son of, (re.):

- (1) Daniel Kimball married Mary Ann Ames;
- (2) David Tenney Kimball " Polly Scammum Coburn;
- (3) Peter Coburn Jr. " Elizabeth Poor;
- (4) Daniel Poor " Hannah Frye;
- + Peter Coburn Sr. " _____;
- (5) James Frye " _____.

Page 201: Ernest Porter Lyon of Bridgeport Conn., as #5912, joined The Connecticut Society, as #5912, on the services of Frederick Frye, a Private of The Massachusetts Troops;
 Colonel James Frye of The Massachusetts Troops; & of
 Nehemiah Webb Lyon a Private of Bennett's company of The Connecticut Coast Guards & Pensioned.

He was the son of, (re.):

- (1) Edward Hamilton Lyon married Jessie Porter;
- (2) Hamford Lyon " Anne Sr. Frye;
- (3) Daniel M. Frye " Ann Butler Frye;
- + Nehemiah Webb Lyon " _____;
- (4) Frederick Frye " _____;
- (5) James Frye " _____.

Lieutenant John Fryer of North Carolina & Georgia

D.A.R. Lineage, Vol. 14, page 291: Mrs. Mary Watts, (Martha Perry Fryer?), born in Talbot Co., Georgia, as #40942, joined on the services of Lieutenant John Fryer (1759-1812), born in North Carolina, died in Burke Co., Georgia, who received bounty land for his service as Lieutenant in The North Carolina Troops;

Daniel Grant (), born in Hancock Co., died in Georgia, who was a Patriot & was commissioned to sign & issue paper currency in North Carolina;

John Owen (1695-), died in Granville Co., North Carolina, who was a Patriot & took the Oath of Allegiance in this county;

Captain John Owen Jr. (1754-1824), born in Henrico Co., Virginia, died in Wythe Co., Virginia, who commanded a company under his brother, Col. Richardson Owen, in The North Carolina Troops.

She is the daughter of, (re.):

- (1) Robert Collins Fryer, (born 1853), married 1878, Lettie Bryan Owen;
- (2) Zachariah Lewis Fryer, (born 1828), " 1853, Adelia M. Shehee; + John Owen " 1847, Anathie Bryan Short-una (born 1830);
- (3) Zachariah Lewis Fryer, (1785-1862), " 1814, Sara Mathews (1795-1857); + Daniel Grant Owen, (1779-1860), " Sarah Willis;
- (4) John Fryer " Winifred Gonn; + John Owen Jr. " 1776, Amelia Grant (1752- (1822);
- (5) John Owen " 1741, Mildred Grant (born 1714); + Daniel Grant " Elizabeth Guit.

Fry.

Book 6 page 216: July 15 1765, James Wilson & wife Esther let Valentine Fry--all of Rowan Co.N.C.--have 258 acres on east side of Yadkin River next William Ellis & John Douthet for 5 shillings--price on next day being 100 pounds--witnessed by Abraham Van Gameron & Jacob Laesch & acknowledged before proved by Esq. Jacob Laesch in Oct. 16 1765

Book 6 page 59: Aug. 27 1762, Earl Granville (through his agent Thomas Child) lets James Wilson have 258 acres vacant land on Linville's Run on the east side of the Yadkin River next William Ellis & John Douthett for 10 shillings, witnessed by John Agner(') & John Frohock & proved in Jan. 1765.

: Lease & release from James Wilson & wife to Valentine Fry for 258 acres July 15 1765 is proved by Jacob Lash.

Book 14 page 839: April 4 1794, Valentine Fry, a planter--no wife signs--lets Stephen Codler, a "Mill right" (both of Rowan Co.N.C.) have 208 acres next the old line of --- Ellis, for 20 pounds, witnessed by G.Enochs & Gottlieb Shober & proved by the latter in Feb. 1797. (James & Esther Willson let said Fry have 258 acres on July 16 1765--see book 6 page 217).

: Mortgage from Stephen Codler to Valentine Fry for 208 acres April 5 1794 is proved by Gottlieb Shober.

Book 13 page 573: April 6 1794, Stephen Codler, a mill-right--no wife signs lets Valentine Fry, a planter (both of Rowan Co.N.C.) have 208 acres on the east side Yadkin River next --- Ellis (which James Willson & wife let Vallentine Fry have & he let said Codler have), also the 400 acres adjoining this & James Logen, as said Codler made seven bonds some payable on Dec. 24 1795--much more to it which I didn't copy

Book 14 page 703 or 803 (numbered twice): April 4 1794, Valentine Frey--a planter & no wife signs--lets Stephen Codler, a 'Millright'--both of Rowan Co.N.C.--have 400 acres on Yadkin River next James Logan & the other tract of said Codler, for 10 shillings, witnessed by Gottlieb Shober & G.Enochs & proved in Feb. 1797. (This is the State Grant #1006 on Nov. 4 1784--see book 10 page 30).

Book 10 page 30: Nov. 4 1784, The State grants (1784 at 50 shillings the 100 acres) to Valentine Fry 400 acres on the Yadkin River next said Fry & James Logan.

Book 21 page 79: Aug. 29 1806, Michael Fry & Fredric Pickle (as executors of deceased Valentine Fry) let Philip Hanes have 400 acres next James Logan, for \$420.00, witnessed by Joseph Hanes & John Hanes & proved by the latter in May 1807.

Book 18 page 579: Feb. 23 1803, Esq. Frederick Miller--no wife signs--lets Joshua Wilson (both of Rowan Co.N.C.) have 100 acres on Frys Creek on both sides of the main road leading to Salisbury next Philip Craver & Elisha Daniels, near the old apple orchard & on the old Moravian line, for \$200.00, witnessed by Anthony Hinkle, Britain Jones Heymoore & John Liven-good & acknowledged in May 1803.

Book 19 page 350: Aug. 31 1805, Esq. Frederick Miller lets Elisha Daniel () have 229 3/4 acres on head branches of Frys Creek on both sides of the main road to Salisbury, next the Moravians, Peter Hinkle, John Serrechor & John Wilson, for \$500.00, witnessed by J. Willson & John Burkley & proved in Aug. 1805.

Book 24 page 674: On April 14 1817, George Sheet or Shult & wife Mary--they make their marks--let Henry Shore (all of Stokes Co.N.C.) have their claims to the tract of 111 1/2 acres on Fry's Creek next ---Hege on the old line of deceased Frederic Beckel next lots #1 & #4 of the estate (which was 385 acres belonging to said Frederick Beckel at time of death & given to said Mary & her sister, Catharine wife of Henry Shore--both daughters of the deceased jointly) for \$70.00, witnessed by Emanuel Shober & John S. Leight & acknowledged on April 15 1817.

(Refer to Moravians for this land).

Book 10 page 379: July 25 1785, William Killen, a surveyor of Lincoln Co. N.C.--no wife signs--lets Henry Shoot of Rowan Co.N.C., have 178 acres on head waters of Hugh Parks Creek next William Braly & John Braly next said Killen's former survey, for 300 pounds, witnessed by Mitchel Fleming & Alison Fleming & proved by the latter in Feb. 1786.

Book 10 page 380: Another on same day from same to same for 300 acres in same locality next Robert Carlisle & Alexander Aston, for 300 pounds, proved April 21 1786.

May 11 1792: Deed from Henry Shute? to William Penny for 478 acres. Aug. 10 1791 proved by John Fleming.

Book 12 page 586: On Aug. 10 1791, Henry Shute of Casha Co.S.C.--no wife signs lets William Penny of Mecklenburg Co.N.C., have 478 acres on Hugh Parks Creek next Wm. Braly, John Braly, Robert Carlisle & Alexander Aston, for 200 pounds, witnessed by Mary Rape & John Fleming & proved by the latter in May 1793. (This had been granted by The State to Wm. Killer? who deeded it to Shute).

Marriage bonds:

John Sheets	to	Rebecca Peck	March 27 1804	signed	John Packe.
Mary	"	James Smith	Jan. 29 1794	"	Luis Little.
Jacob	"	Mary Wood	March 31 1807	"	John March Sr.
David	"	Nancy Orrill	Dec. 1 1807	"	Edger Orrill
Jacob	"	M Phelps	Jan. 11 1819	"	Mack Crump
Mary	"	Roland Jones	Sept. 20 1822	"	Michael Hanes

Book 16 page 41: Feb. 1 1798, William Harper (Mary also) let Jacob Sheets--all of Rowan Co.N.C.--have 5 acres as he had agreed, next the land which Jacob Sheets bought of John Sidden on Carters Creek, for 5 pounds, witnessed & proven by Jesse Adams in Feb. 1798.

Book 5 page 253: Feb. 17 in 3d year of reign of George III., Esq. Henry McCulloh lets John Barnett, a planter of Rowan Co.N.C., have 200 acres in tract #10 on both sides Hodges Fork, for 15 pounds, witnessed by Robert Rainey & Alexander Ford & proved in May.

Book 5 page 483: Feb. 17 (in the 2d year of the reign of George III.) Esq. Henry McCulloh lets Jacob Swartz, a planter of Rowan Co.N.C., have 200 acres in tract #10 on the bank of the Uharee & crossing said creek twice, for 18 pounds & 10 shillings, witnessed by Robert Rainey & Alexander Ford & proved in April 1764.

Aug. 14 1770: Deed of conveyance from Jacob Swatz? to George Sheets for 200 acres proved by John Kimbrough, Esq.

Book 7 page 257: On Aug. 12 1770, Jacob Swats of Rowan Co.N.C., ^{no wife signs,} lets George Sheets of ^{no wife signs,} have 200 acres on the "hughwarry, for 40 pounds, witnessed by Francis Metcalf & John Kimbrough & proved in Aug. 1770.

Book 7 page 478: May 11 1771, John Barnett, a planter & wife Martha of Anson Co.N.C. (both make marks) let Martin Sheets of Rowan Co.N.C., have 200 acres in tract #10 crossing Hodges Fork, for 57 pounds, witnessed by William Moore & John Kimrough & proved in May

Feb. 5 1772: Deed from John Barnett & wife to Martain Sheets for 200 acres May 11 1771 proved by John Kimbrough.
 May 4 1774: Deed from John Barnitt & wife Martha to martin Sheets for 200 acres Feb. 13 1773 proved by John Blalock.
 Aug. 5 1774: Deed from Martin Sheets to Conrod Dick for 200 acres Aug. 3 1774 is acknowledged.
 Book 8 page 188: Aug. 3 1774, Martin Sheets, a farmer--no wife signs--lets Conrod Dicks (both of Rowan Co.N.C.) have 200 acres in tract #10 of Mr. McCulloh, on both sides of Hodges Fork waters of Uharee & crossing it, for 100 pounds, witnessed by William Spurgen & John Braly & proved in Aug. 1774. (John Barnett & wife Martha sold this to said Sheets on May 11 1771).

Book 31 page 804: On Oct. 3 1817, Mumford Dejurnet--no wife signs--lets William Tucker--both of Rowan Co.N.C.--have 121 acres in the forks of the Yadkin River next Jacob & John Sheets, part of a tract granted Thomas Monroe, Kerr Baily on north bank of Carters Creek, & John _____, (but reserves 1/4 of an acre for the burying ground,) for \$650.00, witnessed by A.H. Buis & Thomas Markland & proved by Joseph Hanes (as to hand-writing of Thos. Markland)

Book 21 page 792: March 23 1808, James Dowell--no wife signs--lets Andrew Tucker (both of Rowan Co.N.C.) have 100 acres off the east end of the old tract of 578 acres of Martin Sheets, for 100 pounds, next George Holsbrooks, witnessed by George Gentle & John Dowell & proved by the latter in May 1810.

Aug. 12 1786: Deed from Thomas & Amelia Monrow to Martin Sheets for 528 acres on Nov. 24 1785 proved by Joseph Sidden.

Book 10 page 478: On Nov. 24 1785, Thomas & Amelia Monroe--he is a planter--let Martin Sheets--also a planter--have 528 acres on Carters Creek fork of the Yadkin River next William Holbrook & John Johnston for 30 pounds, witnessed by Daniel Sherwood, John & Joseph Sidden & proved by the last named in Aug. 1786.

Book 9 page 515: On Oct. 10 1783, Thomas Monrow has a State Grant (#516) for 528 acres on Carters Creek next William Holbrook, George Holbrook & John Johnston.

Book 9 page 504: William Holebrock has a State Grant (#141) for 250 acres on Carters Creek next John Monroe & George Holbrocks, on Oct. 10 1783.

Book 11 page 226: On March 28 1787, William Halbrooks & wife Susanna of Surry Co.N.C., let Joseph Higdon have 250 acres on Carters Creek next John Monroe & George Halbrooks, for 260 pounds, witnessed by _____ Robison & Enoch Enochs & proved by the latter in Nov. 1787.

Nov. 10 1787: Deed from Wm. Holbrook & wife to Joseph Higdon for 250 acres on March 28 1787 proved by Enoch Enochs.

Book 17 page 359: On Oct. 13 1798, George Dent Caton of Lincoln Co.Ky.,--no wife signs--lets Risdon Fisher, of Rowan Co.N.C., have 162 acres in Forks of Yadkin River next Martin Sheets for 110 pounds, witnessed by Nathl. Peebles & Rowland Jones & proved by the latter in Aug. 1800.

May 10 1793: Deed from Martin Sheets to Jacob Sheets for 137 peaches of land April 8 1793 proved by Edward Cox.

Book 16 page 401: Oct. 10 1798, George D. Caton, a planter of Kentucky--no wife signs--lets John Jones of Rowan Co.N.C., have 162 acres in forks of Yadkin River on Carters Creek next Philip Dowell, Risdon Fisher & Benjamin Caton, for 100 pounds, witnessed by Roland Jones & Nathl Peebles & proved by the latter in Nov. 1798.

The will of Caty Barker (book 6 page 329) made Feb. 14 1814 & probated Nov. 1814. Grand-children: Elizabeth (daughter of Frederiek Sheet), _____ (of son Charles Barker). Isaac Leatherman (10 shillings) & Barbara Weaver. Sons-in-law: Christian Weaver (10 shillings & his children) & Jacob Lennard (10 shillings & his children). Exrs: Daniel Leatherman & William Linker. Witnesses: George Weaver & Christian Weaver.

Book 23 page 195: April 13 1814, Jacob Shiets--no wife signs--lets Thomas McCarter (both of Rowan Co.N.C.) have 8 acres on Yadkin River next Samuel Peables & a branch, for \$28.00, witnessed by Alpha & Nathaniel Peebles & proved by the latter in Aug. 1814.

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She died in 1889 and she was married
to Hannah Kitley b. 1743 d. Jan 1887.

This Samuel had a son named James
born Jan 26 1782 and I am anxious to
know whether my line of Saml Smith
can be linked up with your line of Maj.
James Smith see p. 109 Supplement of Roman Co.

I have had a genealogist tracing the
Smiths from Maryland as there was a
tradition in our family that they came from
near Frederick.

I have found at Annapolis Saml Smith's
Gentleman's will probated 1717 He was from
Calvert County He had a son Samuel

WYNDHAM
YORK, PENNSYLVANIA

Mr. Lee R. Cremona
Delaware - N.C.
Dear Sir -

In the last ten years I have been
trying to trace my early N.C. ancestry.
Just the other day I came across an
old book of my father's called Hist of
Roman County by Remple, in which
reference is made to you as being a
descendant of Maj. James Smith.
I am descended from Samuel Smith

and a son John - his son John married a daughter
of Michael Kelly one of the famous old Md. families.
I am sending this letter in case of a change of
name who is now living in Salisbury, hoping that
she may be able to locate you better than I.

I trust that to the mail.

Will you please write to me direct as I am
opposed the information you might have, might be
conferred, if told by word of mouth to my family,
and I would be most ungrateful.

I have faced on Beachcroft since she our
Pardon lives in N.C. but can't establish a necessary
marriage when Sarah Pardon and John Beachcroft

I am working to clear up these lines in an effort
to establish a line that will meet with Colonial Gene
requirements, and if you can help me with your
Smith line I shall be most grateful.

Very sincerely yours,
Susan Smith Stricker
(Mrs. Carey Stricker)

May 21-1934

the children of Elizabeth Aron(?) Exrs: wife & nephew James James.
Witnesses: George Gentle & Isaac Harris (test).

Book 7 page 257: On Aug.12 1770, Jacob Swats of Rowan, lets George Sheats have 200 acres on "hughwarry" for 40 pounds, witnessed by John Kimbrough & Francis Metcalf & proved Aug. 1770. (No wife signs).

" A Deed of Conveyence from Jacob Savatz? to George sheets for 200 Acres in Rowan County prooved by the Oath of John Kimbrough, Esquire" in Inferior Court Tuesday Aug.14 1770.

" A deed from John Barnet and Wife to Martain Sheets for 200 Acres dated the 11 day of May 1771 Proved by John Kimbrough" Inferior Court of Feb.3 1772.

Mary Sheets to James Smith Jan.29 1794. Signed Luis Little.
John Sheets to Rebecca Peck March 27 1804. " John Packe.
Jacob Sheats to Mary Wood March 31 1807. " John March Sr.
David Sheets to Nancy Orrill Dec.1 1807. " Edger Orrill.
Jacob Sheets to Ma Phelps Jan.11 1819. " Mack Crump.
Mary Sheets to Roland Jones Sept. 20 1822. " Michael Hanes.
Susannah " ? " John Lathia? Sept.1 1818 signed by William Chapman.

The will of James James, a yeoman, (Book C page 313) made Jan.24 1793. Wife Elizabeth (1/2 of the plantation for life). Nephews: James (son of Brother James? James the plantation of which the other half goes to my wife) & James (son of John James, the part of 200 acres which is to be divided by the State line & taken out of office). Niece Catharine Williams (daughter of Brother John James, gets 100 acres of the 200 which is lately taken out of office). Children of Brother Samuel James & those of Brother Thomas James. Sister Rachel Shoets's children get 20 shillings as do the

Book 28 page 260: On April 6 1822, Willie Jones--no wife signs--lets John Sheek--both of Rowan Co.N.C.--have 74 1/4 acres on main Yadkin River on the water edge next ---Atcherson & ---Ward, for \$900.00, witnessed by George C. Bronel & James Thomas & proved by the latter in Nov. 1825.

George Savits signs the marriage bonds of: Mary Savits to Henry Bullinger on Dec. 20 1778; Catey Savits to Jacob Bullinger on June 15 1784;

George Savage signs the marriage bond of Andrew Boston to Sarah Humparier? on May 25 1775.

Deed; Absolam Baker to George Sevetts Jr. for 336 acres Aug.30 1790 Ackn. on Deed from Absolam Tayler to Absalam Baker for 336 acres Nov.30 1789. Matt. Brand Feb.5 1789 "George Sevitz jur in the room of Absolam Baker" is appointed Overseer of the road.

Cold Water Creek.

Book 11 page 844: On Jan. 30 1790, Henry Bear (a farmer) lets Andrew Boston have 71 & 3/10 acres on the east side of Cold Water Creek next John Campbell for 30 pounds, witnessed by ? & John Brandon in Feb. term of 1790.

Henry Bear signs like a German. This deed refers to page 842--one from Jacob Waggoner Sr. to Jacob Waggoner Jr.

Book 11 page 845: On Jan 26 1790, Andrew Bostian (a farmer) lets Henry Bear have 199 acres on the east side of Cold Water Creek next Charles Wood & John Campbell, for 30 pounds, witnessed by ? & John Brandon in Feb. term of 1790. (This refers to page 842 --a deed from Jacob Waggoner Sr. to Jacob Waggoner Jr.).

Feb. 7 1777: Deed from George Sevits & wife Rosanna to Daniel Boger for 335 acres May 18 1774 proved by Matthew Lock.

Feb. 7 1777: Deed from Daniel Boger to John Apple for 335 acres May.18 1774 proved by Matthew Lock.
Marriage bond: Mary Boger to Matthias Barringer Sept.13 1794 signed Daniel? Boger? (in German?)

Book 12 page 87: On Sept. 26 1786, Robert Bell lets Absolam Baker have 200 acres of land on Coldwater & Buffalow Creeks next James Brown & James Huit for 100 pounds, witnessed by James Brandon & John Brevard in Aug. term of 1790.

Book 24 page 527: On Feb. 10 1813, George Sefred lets John Sloop have 35 acres on Cold Water Creek next John Patterson, John Correll & John Sloop, for \$125.00, witnessed by William Miller (a tanner) & Andrew Bostian in Feb. court of 1813. (This was originally granted by the State to Robert Bell) & was next Jacob Correll, ----Nixon & ---Phifer).

May 6 1772: "Hugh Lynn Appointed Oversear of the Road from John Graham to the County Line of the Road, Leading to John Fifers".

Vacant Land Entry: On Feb.12 1778, Robert Lynn enters (#359) 427 acres in Rowan Co.N.C. next John Cochrom Alexander, Jas. Woods, Hugh Lynn & Geo.Savits.

Book 9 page 307: On March 21 1780, Robert Lynn is granted 227 acres (#141) on Grants & Cold Water Creeks next Geo.Sevitz, Lynn's corner & John Cochram.

Book 9 page 19: On Nov. 13 1778 ? George Sevitz Jr. & wife Katerin let George Sevitz Sr. have 179 acres on McCutcheons Creek of Cold Water next Samuel Cochran, for 700 pounds. This was conveyed by lease & release from Robert Rodgers on April 7 1774 & he got it from Thos. Lytte on Jan. 25 1766

Book 16 page 485: June 4 1796, Richard Laughlin--no wife signs--lets Daniel Loflin (both of Rowan Co.N.C.) have 125 acres next John Fry, for 20 pounds, witnessed by John Laughlin & acknowledged in Feb. 1799.

Book 16 page 489: July 30 1796, Richard Loflin--no wife signs--lets John Fry (both of Rowan Co.N.C.) have 150 acres on Beaver Dam Creek, for 20 pounds, witnessed by George Teasley & acknowledged in Feb. 1799.

Book 16 page 487: May 1 1798, Daniel Fry--no wife signs--lets Richard Loflin (both of Rowan Co.N.C.) have 100 acres next that part of same tract, for 60 pounds, witnessed by two John Loflin & proved by one in Feb. 1799. (This is part of the 300 acres granted by The State to Richard Loflin on Oct.25 1786).

Book 14 page 584 or 684 (numbered twice): March 31 1796, Richard Locklin--no wife signs--lets Daniel Fry (both of Rowan Co.N.C.) have 100 acres on Beaverdam, on the southwest corner down to the southeast corner of the State Grant of 300 acres made to the said Locklin on Oct.25 1786, for 10 pounds, witnessed by Eleazer Burkhead & James Burkhead & acknowledged in Nov. 1796.

Benjamin Fry (Uary)

Book 23 page 890: March 13 1816, Isaac Morgan--jo wife signs--lets Benjamin Fry (both of Rowan Co.N.C.) have 11 acres & 96 roods on the Uary next the springhouse of said Fry on the old line between said Morgan & said Fry, for \$10.00, witnessed by Jeremiah Perry & Elijah Morgan & proved by the latter in Nov. 1816. (Elijah Morgan let said Isaac have this).

Book 24 page 711: April 22 1818

Anna Maria Barbara Binkele Frey

Moravian Records (Dr. Adelaid Frés), vol V page 2321; Salem Diary of 1791:
"Jan. 6. The married Sr. Anna Maria Frey passed out of time today. She was here in the care of our Doctor." The index to this says her maiden name was Binkele.

Book 19 page 113: Feb. 20 1801, John Fry & wife Teany let Samuel Bracken--all of Rowan Co. N.C.--have 180 or 108 (both mentioned) acres next Conrad Graves & James Tatom, for 65 pounds, witnessed by Peter Dealy & William Bracken & proven by the latter in Nov. 1804.

Book 19 page 74: Feb. 20 1801, John Fry Sr. of Wythe Co. Va.--no wife signs--lets Paul Briniger of Rowan Co. N.C., have 87½ acres on Dutchmans Creek next Conrad Graves, Samuel Bracken & James Tatum, for 50 pounds, witnessed by William Branch & Samuel Bracken & proved by the latter in Nov. 1804.

Book 19 page 59: Feb. 20 1801, John Fry Sr. of Wyth Co. Va. lets William Bracken of Rowan Co. N.C., have 134 acres on Weevers Creek next James Tatum, James McCulloh & --- Rowland, for 67 pounds, witnessed by Samuel Bracken & Peter Dealy & proved in Nov. 1804.

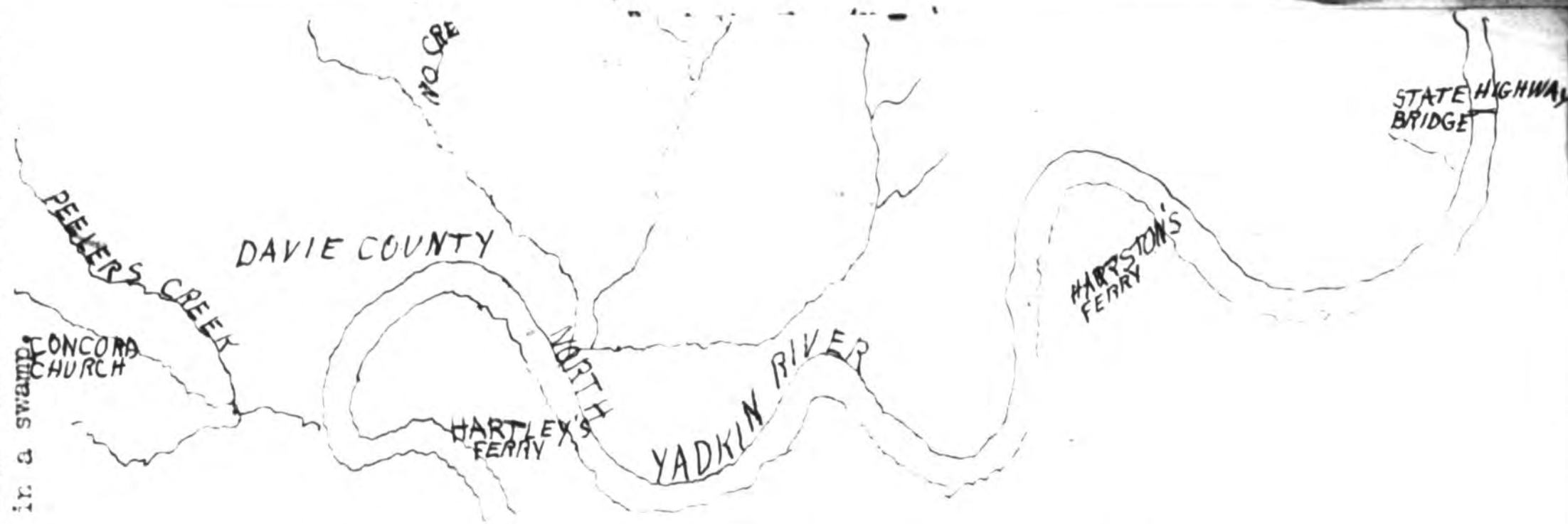
Book 23 page 275: Sept. 7 1805, William Bracken--no wife signs--lets Francis Keller (both of Rowan Co. N.C.) have 50 acres which is part of the tract which Paul Brinigar got of John Fry & let William Bracken have, for \$100.00, witnessed by W. Moore & Henry Keller & proved by the latter in Feb. 1815.

Book 21 page 14: Sept. 15 1806, Charles McCulloh--no wife signs--lets Asa Martin (both of Rowan Co. N.C.) have 134 acres on Weavers Creek next James Tatum, James McCulloh & --- Rowland, on a branch, for 67 pounds, witnessed by James McCulloh & Jacob Graves & proved by the latter in Aug. 1807

Book 19 page 65: Jan. 9 1804, William Bracken--no wife signs--lets Charles McCulloh have 134 acres on Weavers Creek next James Tatum, James McCulloh & ---

Book 9 page 310: March 21 1780, The State grants (#157 at 50 shillings the 100 acres) to Benjamin Merrin 162 acres on north side of Weavers Cree in the forks of the Yadkin next John Coon, on the south side of Division Branch between said Merrin & Mark Whitaker, in a swamp.

ONCORA CHURCH



Book 18 page 337: June 28 1798, John Hendrix Sr. of Montgomery Co. Kentucky--no wife signs--lets John Fry of Rowan Co. N.C., have 296 acres on Peelers Creek next James Tatum, James McCulloch & --- Roland, for 137 pounds, witnessed by Phillip Hendrix & John Larch & proven by the latter in Feb. 1802.

Book 18 page 281: June 28 1798, John Hendrix Sr., a planter of Montgomery Co. Kentucky--no wife signs--lets John Fry of Rowan Co. N.C., have 4 acres next James McCulloch on a branch for 3 pounds, witnessed by Phillip Hendrix & John Larch & proven by the latter in Feb. 1802. (This is part of the land which James McCulloch bought of Benjamin Nern.)

Book 12 page 169: May 13 1790, James McCulloch--no wife signs--lets John Hendrix Sr. (both of Rowan Co. N.C.) have 4 acres next said McCulloch, for 3 pounds, witnessed by Henry Hendricks, Lowrance Daly & John James & proven by the last named in Aug. 1790. (This is part of the land which the said McCulloch bought of Benjamin Nern).

Book 11 page 717: May 11 1786, Benjamin Nerns? (Elizabeth also makes her mark) let James McCulloch--all of Rowan Co. N.C.--have 162 acres on north side of Weavers Creek next John Coons & Mark Whitaker in a swamp of said creek on the division branch, for 100 pounds, witnessed by Stephen Noland & Rich. d. Pearson & proven by the latter in May 1789.

Valentine Fry

Lineage book of the Daughters of American Colonists, Vol. 111. page 330; Mrs. Minnie Fry Taylor, born in Lynville, Tenn., (wife of Wm. Brown Taylor), joined as #2941 from Valentine Fry of Rowan Co. N.C., who was a landed proprietor of Lancaster Co. Pa., her lineage is given thus

- (1) John William Fry (born 1859) married in 1885, Annie Horne (1863-1905);
- (2) William Fry (1800-80) married in 1845, Mary Jane McCreary (1820-99);
- (3) John Fry (1779-1854) " " 1799, Margaret Evans (1778-1858);
- (4) Henry Fry " " Merris
- (5) Valentine Fry

Valentine Fry Sr. & Jr. (Town Fork of Dann River, now Surry Co.N.C.)

Book 7 page 33; Sept. 2 1765, Esq. Jacob Laesch--no wife signs--lets the planter, valentine fry (both of Rowan Co.N.C.) have 700 acres on both sides town fork of Dan River, beginning at a pine & going north 20 chains to a white oak & a black oak, east 10 chains to a black oak, north 25 chains to a pine, east 20 chains to a white oak, north with the line of Mr. Halton 49 chains to a pine, west 50 chains to a white oak saplin, south 34 chains to a post, west $57\frac{1}{2}$ chains to a pine, south 60 chains to a white oak & black oak saplin, east $77\frac{1}{2}$ chains with the line of Henry Banner to the beginning, for 5 shillings, but said fry must pay Earl Granville's rents, witnessed by Christian Gotlieb Reuter & Johan Mathes Mucksih & recorded in Oct. 1768. (Earl Granville let said Laesch have this on March 17 1762--see book 4 page 895)
Oct. : Lease & release from Jacob Lash to vallintine fry for 700 acres Sept. 1-2 1765 is acknowledged.

George Fry

Book 10 page 396; Nov. 24 1785, George Fry of Rowan Co.N.C.--no wife signs--lets his son-in-law, Henry Ripple of ----, have 282 acres (granted said Fry by Gov. Martin on Nov. 4 1784) beginning on the southeast corner of said lot & going north to a stake, west 5 chains & 36 links to a black oak on the corner of a piece of land I sold to Jacob Mock, going south with said Mock's line 55 chains to a white oak on the corner of said Mock, then east to the beginning, for
Fry (German?) & Martin Walk & proved by the latter in Feb. 1786. witnessed by Peter
Feb. 11 1786; Deed from George Fry to Henry Ripple for 282 acres Nov. 4 1785 proved by Martin Walk.

Valentine Fry

Book 10 page 30: Nov. 4 1784, The State grants (#984 at 50 shillings the 100 acres) to Valentine Fry 400 acres on the Yadkin River next James Logan & said Fry. It begins on the line of James Logan at a post oak, goes with his line south 20 chains to an ash, south 67 degrees east 5 chains to a white oak, south ³⁵ chains to a pine in his line, east 55 chains to a pine, south 35 chains to a pine, east 35 chains to a black oak, north 35 chains to a post oak, north 35 degrees west 95 chains to a white oak, north 14 chains to a black oak on the corner of the deeded land of the said Fry, then west with his line to the beginning.

Book 11 page 703: Aug. 9 1787, The State grants (#1807 at 50 shillings the 100 acres) to James Logan on South Yadkin next Jacob Eakel, Valentine Fry & --- Davis. It begins on the corner of Jacob Eakel at a pine, goes with his line east 34 chains to a white oak on the line of Valentine Fry, south with his line 15 chains to an ash, south 56 degrees east 5 chains to a white oak, south 38 chains to a white oak, west 38 chains to a post oak on the line of ---Davis, then north 55 chains to the beginning.

Valentine Fry

Book 10 page 31: Nov. 4 1784, The State grants (#984 at 50 shillings the 100 acres) to Valentine Fry 200 acres on Muddy Creek next the Moravian line.

Fry--Hartman--Fry

--all heirs of deceased James Hartman of Rowan Co.N.C., let George Fry Jr. also of Rowan Co.N.C., have 212 acres on Fry's Creek next the Stokes County, for \$525.00, witnessed by Lazarus Hege, John Hyatt & Phillip Lock & proved in Feb. 1815. (This is the old tract which was granted to Peter Fry on July 11 1788--see book 11 page 567--who conveyed it to Joseph Fry--see book 18 page 428--who conveyed it to James Hartman--see book 18 page 444--who died without a will and it descended to the above heirs).

Book 11 page 170: Oct.25 1786, The State grants #1169 at 50 shillings the 100 acres) to Peter Fry 200 acres on the south side of said fry's homestead, a branch & the Moravian line.

Book 11 page 826: Oct.29 Peter Fry--no wife signs--lets Martin Walk (both of Rowan Co.N.C.) have 477 $\frac{1}{4}$ acres for 47 pounds, witnessed by John Mull & George Fry & proved by the latter in Nov. 1789. (The State granted one of 638 acres or #1747--see book 11 page 567--on July 11 1788 & other #1169 on Oct.25 1787--see book book 11 page 170)
: Deed from Peter Fry to Martin Walk for 477 $\frac{1}{4}$ acres Oct.29 1789 proved by

George Fry.

Peter Fry (Everets Branch).

Book 11 page 567: July 11 1788, The State grants (#1747 at 50 shillings the 100 acres) to Peter Fry 638 acres on the county line on the south side of Everets Branch next said Fry & the Moravians.

Book 18 page 428: Sept. 8 1802, Peter Fry--no wife signs--gives to his son Joseph Fry (both of Rowan Co.N.C.) 212 acres on Frys Creek on the county line next the homestead plantation of Peter Fry, crossing said creek by a little branch, witnessed by Joseph Walek & James Hartman & proved by the latter in Nov. 1802.

Book 18 page 444: Sept. 9 1802, Joseph Fry--no wife signs--lets James Hartman (both of Rowan Co.N.C.) have 212 acres on Frys Creek on the Stokes County line, crossing said creek, by a little branch, for \$500.00, witnessed by George Fry & Lazarus Hege & proved by the last named in Nov. 1802. (This had been given to said Joseph Fry by his father, Peter Fry).

Book 25 page 435: April 9 1819, the high sheriff of Rowan County, Esq. John Beard (on an execution from Stokes Co.N.C. on the suit of Rosa Foley &c, with orders to sell the lands of George Frank to make \$110.00 & 7½ cents costs, which was done on March 27 1819) now lets George Fry of _____ have 212 acres on Frys Creek next the old tract of Peter Fry & crossing said creek a couple of times, also a branch next the county line, for \$120.00, witnessed by Godfrey Ratts & acknowledged in May 1819. (This was granted to Peter Fry on July 11 1788--see book 11 page 567--who let John Hartman have it--see book 18 page 428--who died & it descended to his heirs who deeded it to George Fry--see book 23 page 329-- & George Frank contracted to buy it.)

Book 23 page 329: June 1 1811, George, Henry, Peter, Catharina, Hannah & Elizabeth Hartman, Lewis Ebeling & wife Rachel, Christian Froe & wife Christina of Rowan Co.N.C., John Folke & wife Maria, Daniel Conrad & wife Hannah & Adam Leinback of Stokes Co.N.C.
(over)

Jacob Eller (Yadkin River bank) Adam Trees

Book 5 page 36: Dec. 31 (in the 2nd year of George III.) Esq. Henry McCulloh (by his attorney Henry Eustace McCulloh, let the planters, George Laemges & Jacob Eller of Rowan Co.N.C., have 320 acres in tract #9, beginning at a pawpaw on the bank of the Yadkin River on the line of Earl Granville, & going with the same 302 poles to a stake, north 243 poles to a stake, east 461 poles to a locust on the river bank, then down the meanders of the said river to the beginning, for 20 pounds sterling, witnessed by Conrad Michael & Daniel Little & proved in Oct. 1762.

Book 6 page 483: June 2 1767, George Laemgen & Jacob Eller, planters--no wives signs-- let the potter, Michael Morr (all of Rowan Co.N.C.), have 320 acres, beginning on the bank of the Yadkin River & line of Earl Granville, at a pawpa, going with the same west 305 poles to a stake, north 243 poles to a stake, east 101 poles to a locust on the bank of the said river, then down its meanders to the beginning, for 50 pounds proclamation money

Book 6 page 448: June 2 1767, Michael Morr, a potter,--no wife signs--lets the planter, Jacob Eller (both of Rowan Co.N.C.), have 160 acres next George Laemger's line on the Yadkin River, beginning on its bank at a black oak, going south with the line of George Laemger 52 degrees west 268 poles to a black Jack oak, north 223 poles to a stake, east to a locust on the river bank, then down its various meanders to the beginning, for 20 pounds proclamation money

(This is half of the tract of 320 acres which Earl Granville let George Laemger & Jacob Eller have, who deeded it to the said Michael Morr

Book 12 page 280: June 5 178- Christian Eller--no wife signs--(as executor of the deceased Jacob Eller), lets the planter, Adam Trees of Rowan Co.N.C., have 160 acres on the south side of the Yadkin River on the line of George Lambley, beginning on its bank at a black oak, going with the said Lambley 52 degrees west 160 poles to a black Jack oak, north 223 poles to a post or stake, east to a locust tree on the river bank, then down its members to the beginning, for 145 pounds, witnessed by two Germans & acknowledged by the said Eller in Feb. court of 1791. (This is half of the tract of 320 acres which Esq. Henry McCollough let the now deceased George Lambley & Jacob Eller have, who conveyed it to Michael Murr & later the said Jacob Michael Murr let the said Lambley & Jacob Eller have in two deeds, June 2 1767).

Frieze (Grants Creek)

Book 7 page 464: March 7 1772, Richard Auten--no wife signs--lets Archibald Morrison (both of Rowan Co.N.C.) have 201 acres on north side Grants Creek, for witnessed by Hugh Julton & Alexander Morrison & proved in May 1772. (This was heired by Benjamin Woods from his deceased brother Robert Woods to whom it was leased & released on Jan.15-16 1762 by Samuel Woods & wife Sarah).

Book 8 page 279: Feb.8 1775, Archibald Morrison & wife Elizabeth let Joseph McLane have 201 acres on both sides Grants Creek for 44 pounds, witnessed by Joseph McConnaughey & Andrew McClain & proved in Feb. 1775. (This was heired by Benjamin Woods from his deceased brother Robert Woods who got by lease & release from Samuel Woods & wife Sarah on Jan. 15 1762).

Book 14 page 757: March 17 1795, John McLean of Rowan Co.N.C.--no wife signs--lets Jacob Frieze of have 201 acres on both sides Grants Creek, for 100 pounds, witnessed by Walt Braly & Fred Siegler & proved by the latter in Feb. 1797. (This is the land which Archibald Morrison let Joseph McLean have & it descended to his heir-at-law John McLean). (copied elsewhere)

Book 11 page 306: Feb.4 1788, William Cathey--no wife signs--lets Peter Stillar have 150 acres on north side of the north fork of Grants Creek next the deeded land of said Cathey, the deeded land of Matthias Bostian, Richard Cathey, Frederick Seevert

Book 11 page 305: Feb.6 1788, Peter Stillar--no wife signs--lets Peter Fries & Peter Albright (all of Rowan Co.N.C.) have 8 acres & 16 poles on the north side of the north fork of Grants Creek next Richard Cathey

Book 19 page 344: April 18 1801, Peter Frieze & Peter Albright--no wives sign--let David Bostian (all of Rowan Co.N.C.) have 8 acres & 16 poles on the north side of the north fork of Grants Creek next Frederick Seeford (formerly Richard Cathey's), for \$17.00, witnessed by Ja Fisher & Matt Brandon & proved by the latter in Aug. 1805.

Frize or Freeze (Grants Creek)

March 19 1754: Lease & release from Matthew & Ann Glaspie to Samuel Wood is proved by Esq. John Brandon.

Book 1 page 113: March 19 1754, Mathew Gallaspy, a cordwinder (Ann makes her mark A) let Samuel Woods a planter-- have 387 acres on Grants Creek next land of Matthew Gallaspy, for 100 pounds, witnessed by John Dunn & John Brandon

Aug. 1778: Lease & release from Samuel Woods & wife to Jacob Frize for 387 acres June 29 1778 proved by James McCulloh.

Book 8 page 522: July 30 1778, Samuel Woods & wife Sarah let Jacob Frieze--all of Rowan Co. N.C. have 387 acres on south side of Grants Creek next Matthew Gillespie, for 800 pounds, witnessed by Mickel Albright & James McCulloh & proved by the latter in Aug. 1778 (This begins on the south side of said creek at a hickory & goes north 64 chains & 50 links to a white oak, east 60 chains to the corner of Matthew Gillespie, south 64 chains & 50 links with said Gillespie's line to his corner white oak, then west to the beginning).

Adam Freeze (Grants Creek)

Book 26 page 309: Dec. 23 1812, Jacob Wensel--no wife signs--lets Adam Freeze (both of Rowan Co. N.C.) have 60 acres on Grants Creek next Henry Savitz, Jacob Albright & Horatio Baker, for 50 pounds, witnessed by a German & Hu Bräly & proved by the latter in Feb. 1821. (This is a surplus within the boundaries of the old claim of ---Goose).

James Freeze (Grants Creek)

Book 39 page 437: March 22 1852, James Freeze--no wife signs--David Fouts & wife Christiana Noah Ritchie & wife Sally let Elias Freeze & Martha (the widow of deceased John F. Rose)--all of Rowan Co.N.C.--have 90 acres on Grants Creek next John Freeze, a branch, George Corriher & Michael Shuping, for \$30.00, witnessed by Alexander Poston & John Freeze & acknowledged in May 1852.

Book 70 page 64: Jan.19 1888, Elias Freeze & Martha Rose let Jerry A. Freeze--all of Rowan Co.N.C.) have 90 acres next John Freeze, , George Corriher & ---Barnhart (formerly ---Shupings): also 1 acre (which was conveyed to George Corriher some years ago for which see deed for boundaries), for \$1.00, witnessed by James M. Bostian & Jacob A. Corriher & proved by the latter on March 5 1888.

Henry Fry Jr.

Book 10 page 268: Oct. 13 1783, The State grants (#370 at)
to Joseph Walford 212 acres on Abbotts Creek next Conrod Cornelison, Henry Fry, James Howerton? & Caleb Todd.

Book 10 page 146: Oct. 10 1783, The State grants (#217 at 50 shillings the 100 acres)
to Conrod Cornelis 500 acres on the west bank of Abbotts Creek & up a branch.

Book 14 page 151: Feb.1 1787, Conrod Cornelis?--no wife signs--lets William Elston
have 500 acres on Abbotts Creek, for 100 pounds, witnessed by
Caleb Campble & Peter Todd & proved by the latter in Aug. 1795. (This was granted to
said Cornelis by The State on Oct.13^y 1783)

Book 18 page 831: Sept.20 1803, William Elston--no wife signs--lets Henry Fry Jr.(both
of Rowan Co.N.C.) have 256 $\frac{1}{2}$ acres on west bank of Abbotts Creek on the original line,
for \$400.00, witnessed by Thomas Carson & Lorris Davis & proved by the latter in Nov.
1803. (This is part of the 500 acres granted by The State to Conrod Cornelison who let
said Elston have this)

Henry Fry (Abbotts Creek)
Book 9 page 606: Oct. 10 1783, The State grants (#636 at 50 shillings the 100 acres) to
Henry Fry 177 acres on the west side of Abbitts Creek at Colnalsons Ford next David Smith,
James Howell, Joseph Warford & Conrod Cornelyson.

Henry Fry (Abbotts Creek)

Book 10 page 146: Oct.10 1783, The State grants (#217 at 50 shillings the 100 acres) to Conrod Cornelus 500 acres on the west bank of Abbitts Creek, up a branch.

Book 14 page 151: Feb.1 1787, Conrod Cornelis?--no wife signs--lets William Elston have 500 acres on Abbitts Creek, for 100 pounds, witnessed by Caleb Campble & Peter Todd & proved by the latter in Aug. 1795. (The State granted this to said Cornelis Oct.13 1783)

Book 18 page 831: Sept.20 1803, William Elston--no wife signs--lets Henry Fry Jr. (both of Rowan Co.N.C.) have 256 $\frac{1}{2}$ acres on the west bank of Abbotts Creek on the original line for \$400.00, witnessed by Thomas Carson & Morris Davis & proved by the latter in Nov.

Fry

Virkus Compendium Vol.Iv.page 582:

Henry Nading Heitman born Jan.15 1905 in Forsyth Co.N.C., gave his lineage as

(7) Marcus Hoehns (1719-97) came from the Platinate to America in 1738; married 1749 Anne Elizabeth Kerber (1727-1804)

(6) John " (1750-1822) married Maria Schor (1756-1825)

(5) Anna Catherine Hoehns (1786-1870) married 1812 Christian Ripple (1784-1869 son of Henry Ripple 6 1758-1835 who married 1782 Catharina Frey 1765-1825 the daughter of Christian Frey & wife Sarah ----)

(4) Phillip Ripple (1813-93) married Melinda Frey (1813-52)

(3) Elizabeth Catherine Ripple (1837-1914) married 1863 Orin Burgess Heitman (1845-1917 son of John A.Heitman 4 1816-93 & wife Anna Kensy 1823-1910 John Christian Kensy? 5)

(2) Emory Phillip Heitman (born 1866) married

(1) Henry Nading Heirman (born 1905)

(5) Daniel Wagner (1792-1850) married Christina Eller (1794-1851)

(4) Mathias " (1820?-) " Mary (Lollie) Hedrick

(3) John Peter" (1845-1911) " 1865 Martha Jane Michael

(2) Claudia Irene Michael (

(1) Henry Nading Heitman (born 1905)

(5) Jacob Michael (1783-1832) married

(4) Henry " (1820-95) "

(3) Martha Jane " (1850-1909) married 1865 John Peter Wagner (1845-1911)

Susanna Koontz (1783-1855)

Louisa H.Myers (1831-1918 daughter of Col. John

Myers 1804-83 & wife Jane Clopton 1811-79).

Oct. : Lease & release from Jacob Lash to Vallintine Fry for 700 acres Sept.1-2 1763? is acknowledged.

Book 7 page 32; Sept.1 1765, Esq. Jacob Laesch--no wife signs--lets Valentine Fry, a planter, & both of Rowan Co.N.C., have 700 acres on both sides Town Fork Creek of Dan River next William Falton & Mr. Henry Banner, for 5 shillings, witnessed by Christian Gotleib Reuter & Johan Mathes Michseh? & proven in Oct. 1768.

Surry Co.N.C. book C page 433; Feb.25 1774, Valentine Fry Sr. of Rowan Co.N.C.--no wife signs--lets Valentine Fry Jr. of Surry Co.N.C., (both men are planters), have 175 acres on the fork of Dann River, for 100 pounds, witnessed by Henry Fry & Edward Hughes & proved by the latter in Aug. 1774. (This is part of the 700 acres originally granted by Earl Granville to Jacob Lash on March 17 1762? who let Valentine Fry Sr. have it by indenture on Sept.1 1755?)

Surry Co.N.C. book A page 93; Feb.25 1774, Valentine Fry--no wife signs--lets Henry Fry (both planters of Rowan Co.N.C.) have 175 acres in Surry County on Town Fork of Dann River, next Mr. Davies, for 100 pounds, witnessed by Michael Fry & Edward Hughes & proved by the latter in Aug. 1774. (This is part of 700 acres which Earl Granville let Esq. Jacob Lash have March 17 1762, who let said Valentine Fry have Sept. 1 1755?).

Valentine Fry (Town Fork Creek of Dan River)

Book 7 page 41: Jan. 6 1769, Esq. Jacob Laesch of Rowan Co. N.C.--no wife signs--lets Henry Van Vleck of New York City N.Y., a merchant, have 348 acres on both sides Town Fork Creek, for 10 pounds, witnessed by Fraugotte Bagge & Gottlieb Reuter & acknowledged in Feb. 1769. (Earl Granville indentured this to the said Laesch on Oct. 16 1761).

Michael Tracey (Potts Creek)

Book 9 page 496: Oct. 10 1783, The State grants (#632 at 50 shillings the 100 acres) to Zebuland Bard 170 acres on Potts Creek next John Dancey, Joseph Smith & the said Bard.

Book 11 page 717: Nov. 16 1785, Zebulon Baird, a cordwiner of Rowan Co. N.C. (Lydia also signs) lets Godfrey Ratts of _____ have 170 acres on Potts Creek next John Dancey, Joseph Smith & ---Baird's deeded land, for 300 pounds, witnessed by Thomas Carson & proved in May 1789. (The State sold this to Zebulon Baird on Oct. 10 1783)

Book 14 page 535: May 24 1792, Godfrey Ratz, a planter & wife Margaret let Jacob Huff, a cordwainer--all of Rowan Co. N.C.--have 170 acres on Potts Creek next John Dancey, Joseph Smith & the deeded land of Zebulon Baird, for 100 pounds, witnessed by Gersham Hunt & Thomas Carson & acknowledge in Nov. 1796. (The State granted this to Zebulon Bard on Oct. 10 1783, who indentured it to said Ratz on Nov. 16 1785).

Book 14 page 667: April 27 1796, Jacob Huff ^{a cordwinder} no wife signs--lets Michael Tracey, a potter (both of Rowan Co. N.C.) have 170 acres on Potts Creek next John Dancey, Joseph Smith & the deeded land of Zebulon Bard, for 100 pounds, witnessed by Jonathan Hunt, George Thomason & Joseph Radnour & proved by the last named in Feb. 1797. (The State granted this to Zebulon Baird Oct. 10 1783 who indentured it to Godfrey Ratz on Nov. 16 1785).

Book 14 page 842: Oct. 22 1796, Michael Tracey--no wife signs--lets Jonathan Hunt (both of Rowan Co. N.C.) have 50 acres on Potts Creek next Joseph Smith, for 40 pounds, witnessed by George Thomason & Daniel Hunt & acknowledged in Feb. 1797. (This is part of the 170 acres granted by The State to Zebulon Beard Oct. 10 1783, who let Godfrey Ratts have Nov. 16 1785, who let Jacob Huff have May 24 1792, who let Michael Tracey have April 27 1796)

Book 17 page 264: April 24 1800, Jonathan Hunt--no wife signs--lets William Dancy? () have the above for 50 pounds, witnessed by Edward Dancy & Michael Tracey & proved by the latter in May 18 .

Marriage bonds:
Polly Trease to George Pitman Nov. 30 1809 signed by George Miller

Adam Fries? (or Tries? Dutch Second Creek)
Book 12 page 176: March 15 1790, Adam Tries or Fries (a German?) & wife Mary, who doesn't sign, lets John Showman--all of Rowan Co. N.C.--have 299 acres on the north waters of Dutch Second Creek, beginning on the corner of George Ernhart Sr. at a black oak in the line of Jacob Lyerlie, going with his line north 22 chains & 50 links to a corner of Lyerlie--in all 57 chains & 30 links to a post oak-- east 52 chains & 32 links to a white oak, south 57 chains & 32 links to a stake on the old line of the said Ernhart, then with it to the beginning, for 200 pounds, witnessed by two Germans? & acknowledged in Nov. 1790. (This appears to be signed by Leonard Krider, & not by Tries, however).

Book 11 page 295: Jan. 31 1788, Adam Drees (makes his mark "AD"), a yeoman, appoints the shoemaker, Leonard Krider--both of Rowan Co. N.C.--his attorney to sell about 300 acres next George Ernhart & Jacob Lyerly's plantation on the north, witnessed by Joseph McPherson & Robert Linn & proved by the latter in Feb. court of 1788. (John Showman now lives upon the place).