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Perhaps you will find some of the enclosed material interesting. I was somewhat jarred when I learned that Joseph Kirk (of Hawk Creek) was arrested for murder by the British.

The man he was accused of murdering (James Capeland) also lived on Hawk Creek but I don't know how close to the "Kirk plantation" Orange County was split politically about 50% of the inhabitants supported the British, the other half were revolutionists. So the "murder" might be a military thing.

The document addressed to Governor Telafay is also "military". The interesting thing is that both Stephen Kirk and Abraham W. Mack signed it, and that they were in Green County at the time.

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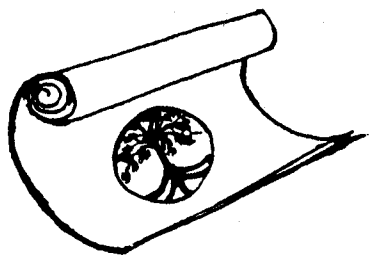
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A TRIBUTE TO MISS MARGARET JOHNSTON

The members of the Stanly County Genealogical Society wish to pay tribute to Miss Margaret Johnston, former Stanly County Librarian, and a founding spirit and charter member of the Stanly County Genealogical Society.

Miss Johnston, who died on December 27, 1982, served Stanly County people well. Her role in the building and the equipping of the Stanly County library is well known. She played a leading role in making its staff and services available to all the people of Stanly County. She was identified with many projects of historic, civic, and cultural importance, and had much to do with the creation of the Heritage Room with its growing storehouse of historical information, and the placement there of the portrait of George Monk, First Duke of Albemarle, in whose honor the city of Albemarle was named.

She had assumed many leadership responsibilities in the civic and historical activities of the county, and had, in turn, received many honors. One of the most distinguished of these was her being named by the Business and Professional Women's Club of North Carolina as its Woman of Distinction.

She was a co-founder and charter member of the Stanly County Arts Guild. She was a leader in the establishment of the Stanly County Coin Club, the sponsor of chess tournaments at the library to encourage the playing of chess, and she organized lunch-time movies at the library. She was well known and highly respected by the librarians over our state.

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STEPHEN KIRK'S FAMILY RECORD

(From the STEPHEN KIRK FAMILY BIBLE)

BIRTHS

Stephen Kirk born February 28th 1791
 Patsy Kirk his wife born August 20th 1795

Children born of Stephen & Patsy
 William P. Kirk born August 19th 1814
 Lewis J. Kirk born April 26th 1816
 Jane Kirk born Nov. 11th 1817
 Atlas Kirk born Jany. 29th 1820
 Ezra Kirk born June 13th 1822
 Mary [M.] Kirk born Feby. 14th 1824
 Nancy Kirk born May 1st 1825
 Elizabeth Kirk born Feby. 9th 1827
 Rebecca Kirk born Sept. 23rd 1828

BIRTHS

Edith Kirk born May 4th 1830
 Carrel Kirk born May 27th 1832
 Jesse [A.] Kirk born May 17th 1835
 Kimbrell Kirk born August 15th 1840

Syntha Kirk his [Stephen's] s[second]
 wife born May the 26th day 1814

The Family of Kimbrell Kirk
 Nancy Jane Kirk was born July the 7th 1859
 Julian Kirk was born March the 26th 1861
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MARRIAGES

Stephen Kirk was married Nov. 18th 1813
 Marriages of children born to Stephen & Patsy Kirk
 Lewis J. Kirk son married to Purity Eudie July 20th 1837
 Jane Kirk to Jesse Parker January 28th 1838
 Atlas Kirk to Elizabeth Parker Nov. 14th 1842 [dau. of Howell Parker]
 Nancy Kirk to Henry Miller Oct. ____ [unreadable] 1843
 Elizabeth Kirk to [John] Eli Lents Dec. 2nd 1847
 Rebecca Kirk to Peter E. Fouts November 29th 1849
 Mary Kirk to Richard Harris January the 31st 1850

MARRIAGES

Edith Kirk to Elick M. Miller July the 31st Day 1851
Stephen Kirk married the second time to Syntha Goodman September the 25th 1851
 Ezra Kirk to Saraann Burkhead April [torn] 1850
 Jesse A. Kirk to Elizabeth [torn - Shaver? or Crowell?] February the 19th 18__ [unreadable]
 Kimbrell Kirk and Mary Eagle was married August the 19th 1858
 William A. Kirk was born February the 13 1859

DEATHS

John Kirk my father died January 15 1818
 Patsy Kimbrell wife's mother died May 29th 1818
 Mary Kirk mother died June 9th 1828
 Buckner Kimbrell wife's father July 10th 1830
 Lewis Kirk brother October 12th 1832
 Patsy Kirk my wife August 16th 1840
 Polly Moss sister died Novr. 7th 1844
 George Kirk brother died Feby. 17th 1845
 Daniel Kirk brother died Oct. 29th 1846

DEATHS

Martin Kirk brother died Novr. 19th 1814 [This date could be 1844]
 Stephen Kirk died June the 16th day 1852
 Parham Kirk died July the 3rd day 1854 [bro.]
 William P. Kirk died May 29th 1815
 Nancy Miller died August the 14th day 18 [torn off]
 Mary Harris daughter died August the 13th day 1858
 Kimbrel Kirk son of Stephen died January the 13th 1853

[zerixed copies of the original Bible pages are in the Heritage Room of Stanly County Library]

FAMILY RECORD OF JESSE A. KIRK

Copied by David Kirk Shaver

Jesse A. Kirk was Born May the 17th 1833 [1835 in S. Kirk Bible]
Elizabeth Kirk was born August 11th 1833

Children:

Mary Isebelle Kirk was born August the 12th 1857
William Adolphus Kirk was born February the 13th 1859
John Lovelis Kirk was born March the 26th 1861
Julius Kimbrell Kirk was born September the 16th 1863
Lieuticia Jane Kirk was born February the 20th 1866
Marthia Allice Kirk was born March the 20th 1868
Joicy Eller Kirk was born June the 20th 1873
Nancy Lizebeth Kirk was born August the 2nd 1877

Jesse A. Kirk Departed this life December the 14th 1887
His age 54 years - 7 mos. - 7 days

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WATKINS FAMILY RECORD

From the Bible presented to Ruth O. Watkins by her affectionate
father, John F. Watkins, July 23rd 1875
- A Birthday Present

BIRTHS

Christopher C. Watkins was born in S.C. 1732 died Nov. 6, 1822
Jane Watkins (his wife) was born 1737 died in 1817
James Watkins, son of C.C. Watkins, born in Anson, died Jany. 1840 aged 82 yrs.
Phoebe DeJarnett, his wife, born in Anson Co., died Sept. 1840 aged 62 yrs.
Montford D. Watkins was born in Anson Co., N.C. May 8, 1801; died Feb. 14th 1849
Sarah Covington, his wife, was born in Anson Co., 1799 died Aug. 14th 1842
John Fletcher Watkins was born Feb. 13, 1828, married Albertine A. Allen
March 3rd 1851

THEIR CHILDREN

1. William M. Watkins, born in Anson Co., N.C. January 5th 1852
2. Sarah J. Watkins, born in Anson Co., N.C. August 14th 1853
3. Ruth O. Watkins, born in Anson Co., N.C. July 23rd 1855
4. Mattie L. Watkins, born in Anson Co., N.C. March 23rd 1857
5. Joseph W. Watkins, born in Anson Co., N.C. Jany. 23rd 1859
6. Phoebe E. Watkins, born in Anson Co., N.C. Nov. 15th 1861
7. Lena O. Watkins, born in Anson Co., N.C. Jany. 15th 1864
8. Robert C. Watkins, born in Anson Co., N.C. Jany. 16th 1866
9. Mary A.F. Watkins, born in Anson Co., N.C. May 7th 1868
10. John T. Watkins, born in Anson Co., N.C. June 26th 1870
11. Young Allen Watkins, born in Anson Co., N.C. April 7th 1873
12. Hugh D. Watkins born in Anson Co., NC April 16, 1875

DEATHS

Young Allen Watkins Departed this life Febuary the 19, 1884 of Tipoid Fever
Dear Sun sleep till thy Father's call to awake and a gaine thy Hevenly Chore

Robert A. Allen was bore in Anson county North Carolina Febuary the 11, 1838
And Died in Texas Panola County June 13 1885 Age 47 years 4 months and 2 Days
[Bible in possession of Lester D. Little, August, 1979, Rt. 4, Box 29,
Asheboro, N.C., copied and submitted by T.C. Little, Albemarle, N.C.]

NAMES FROM AN OLD "DAY BOOK" LEDGER FOUND IN WILEY SMITH'S ESTATE PAPERS

The first page of the "Day Book" is torn out. The entries begin with December 24, 1814 and end January 10 1815. Each page has "Henderson" written across the top which places the store at or near the old county seat of Montgomery, which at that time included Stanly County.

Mrs. Ann C. Nall	Benjamin Bell	Jordan Russell
Henry Ledbetter	John Bell	John Nall
Mrs. Martha McArthur	Arthur Freeman	Willis Nall
Williamson F. Smith	Mrs. Nell Abraham	Nathan Lilly
John B. Crump	George Shankle	Nathan Caruthers
Wiley Smith	David King	Kiah Talbert
John Christian	Nathan Cauthen	John Smith
Samuel Dunn	Starling Andrews	Michael Dockery
Thomas Moore	William Stone	Brantley Harris
Joseph Parsons	John Kirk	John Randle
Geroge Bledsoe	Sally Smith	John Lisk
Isham Wood	Benjamin Williams	George Kirk
William Nall	William W. Harris	Thomas Christian
Stephen Smart	James G. Nash	Mrs. Noles James
David Bell	Alfred Harris	W.F. Smith
Henry Moore	Wm. Harrill	Minry Wall
Thomas Biles	James G. Mask	Colby Randle
Isaac Biles	John Freeman	Jere Lisk
William Harris	✓ Stephen Kirk	John Tilman
Peter Davis	John Forrest	John Atkins
William Howell	Archibald Graham	Thomas Moss

(Original in possession of Mrs. G.D.B. Reynolds, February 10, 1936.)

CALEB AUGUSTUS MOOSE FAMILY BIBLE RECORDS

Contributed by Ernest P. Russell

From THE NEW TESTAMENT, New York, Sheldon & Co. - 1860

Caleb Augustus Moose Born July 4th 1826

Amelia Elmore Moose Born August 31st 1831

Caleb A. Moose and Amelia E. Ridenhour married December the 7th 1853

Births: Augustus Poindexter Moose Born January 9th 1855
Albert Theophilus Moose Born September 15th 1857
Margaret Elisabeth Moose Born April 19th 1860
John Philip Moose Born November 1st 1862
George Thomas Moose Born August 6th 1865
Joseph Eugene Moose Born Sept. 20th 1868
Charles A. Moose Born June 30th 1871