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REGISTER OF ST. JOHN-IN-THE-WILDERNESS, FLAT ROCK

Transcribed by ELISE PINCKNEY

(Continued from July)

BURIALS

1847

Aug. 7. Ralph Izand Blake, infant Son of Walter and Ann S. Blake. Aged 11 months.

1849

July 21. Mrs. Hester Wild, a native of Syndhurst, Hampshire, England. Aged 83 years.

1851

May 17. C. G. Middleton. Aged 1 year.

July 31. Woodruff, Servant to Mr. Molineaux. Aged 85.

July 31. Joseph, Servant to Mr. Molineaux. Aged 1 year.

Sept. 11. Mica Elizabeth Middleton. Aged 4 years.

1852

July 25. Allard Belin Memminger. Aged 4 years.

1853

July 23. Morris Kinloch Clark. Aged 7 months.

Aug. 26. Anna M. Johnstone. Aged 75.

1854

July 1. Pigeon, Servant of Dr. King. Aged about 20.

Aug. 19. Matthew R. Singleton. Aged 38.

Nov. 3. Arthur Heyward. Aged 1 year.

1855

July 12. Gardenia G. Barnwell.

1856

June 23. William C. Johnstone. Aged 9 months.

July 17. Arthur M. Gibbes. Aged 19 years.

Aug. 12. Elizabeth Ryan Ward. Aged 1 year, 8 months.

Sept. 12. Catharine LeBruce. Aged 1 year, 5 months.

Set. 20. Austin Brown. Aged 14. (By T. I. Girardeau)

While the tradition we have been sketching was never completely lost, it became somewhat garbled, with so many successive generations named "John," and links dropped out which are here clarified. The writer has been able to supply full basic documentation and offers this note in hopes that it may stimulate others to further research in what appears a rich and unexplored field.

Ashe of Teffont, Junior, the emigrant. One of the S. C. Ashes, Richard Cochran Ashe, II, was banished from the state because of his Tory activities. On the other hand Cato Ash, son of Samuel of Berkeley County and Charleston, was a member of the Provincial Congress of S. C. in 1775 and active on the Whig side. See McCrady, *South Carolina Under the Royal Government 1719-1776*, p. 651.

1857

June 4. William Butler Reed. Aged 5 months.

July 6. David Allison. Aged 55. (A resident of Halifax, N. S.)

Sept. 2. Arthur Middleton. Aged 24 years. (By Rev. T. I. Girardeau)

1858

June 12. Ruth Ripley. Aged 38 years.

July 19. Catharine, Servant of Wm. Cuthbert. Aged 18 years.

Sept. 10. Sarah Howard. Aged about 70.

1859

Sept. 27. Louis deSaussure Elliott (of Beaufort, S. C.) Aged 5 years.

1860

June 11. Mrs. Calloway. Aged between 60 and 70.

July 13. Harry, Servant of Wm. Cuthbert. Aged 26.

July 25. Caroline Huger Manigault. Aged 7 years.

Aug. 6. Mary, Servant of Judge King. Aged 24 years.

1861

Nov. 9. Eliza Campbell King. Aged 10 weeks.

1862

May 13. Anne H. Stuart. Aged [blank].

June 8. Joseph Thomas, Servant of J. R. Jones. Aged 4 months.

July 1. Charles de Choiseul. Aged 44 years.

Sept. 7. Mary Jane Cartwright. Aged 1 year.

1863

Jan. 18. Rev. Edward Reed. Aged 50 years, two months and 15 days.

Jan. 20. Frank—Servant of the late Judge King.

Jan. 26. Stephen P. Huger.

April 24. William Aiken Lowndes. Aged 7 years, 3 days.

May 2. Theodore Bormann. Aged about 54. (A native of Dresden).

May 23. Phoebe, Servant of Wm. Cuthbert. Aged 26.

May 24. Lieutenant C. Pinckney Seabrook.

July 3. Charles, servant of R. I. Middleton. Aged 48.

Oct. 9. Juddy, servant of E. L. Trenholm.

1864

Jim, servant of Dr. M. C. King. About 40.

June 12. Andrew Johnstone.

July 9. John, servant of the Misses King. About 60.

July 31. Harriet, servant of Mrs. Ed. Reed. Aged about 32.

July 31. Sylvy, Servant of Henry T. Farmer.

Aug. 1. Lewis, Servant of Jas. R. Pringle. Aged 2 years, 2 months, 2 days.

Aug. 8. Simon, Servant of Jas R. Pringle. Aged 11 months.

1865

Jany. 30. Thomas Bennett. Aged 85.

1866

Mrs. Edward Reed.

1867

Charles Baring.⁵

Thomas, Son of Thos. and Caroline Manders. Aged 10 months.

Oct. 3. Henry Ewbank. At St. Pauls in the Valley, Transylvania.

1869

July 16. Margaret Shiems (Colored). About 20.

Sep. 6. Annie E. Johnstone. Aged 19 years, 3 months, 22 days.

Sep. 14. Rose Harrison (Colored). About 45.

1874

July 23. Bessie Lee, daughter of Thomas Manders and Caroline Manders.
Aged 5 years and one day.

Aug. 6. [blank] Turpin.

Aug. 8. Lizzie Bryan, daughter of Geo. D. Bryan and Mary M. Bryan.

1875

July 15. Louis Barnwell, son of Arthur and Lou Barnwell. Aged 19 months
and 14 days.

July 28. Edward Deas, Son of Savage and Alicia Trenholm. Aged one year
and two months.

Aug. 4. George S. Bryan, Son of Geo. D. and Mary M. Bryan. Aged 5 years,
1 month, 29 days.

Aug. 5. Margaret Elizabeth Hyman, Daughter of John D. and Ella V. Hy-
man. Aged 3 years, 6 months, 29 days.

1876

July 26. Harriett Ladson.

Aug. 18. John Dunstan Hyman.

⁵ The death notice in *The Charleston Daily Courier* of December 23, 1865, reads: "Died, on the 7th December, at his residence Solitude, at Flat Rock, North Carolina, Charles Baring, Esq., in the ninety-second year of his age." Since a tablet on the church wall states that his remains were deposited in a vault beneath, the entry in the register must have been made at the time of this interment.

1879

May 20. A colored infant.
May 22. A colored infant.
July 5. A colored infant.
July 30. A colored infant.

1880

July 14. Miss Victoria Murden of Charleston. At Mountain Page.
July 28. Isabel Pankins. At Hendersonville.

1881

June 30. A Colored child.
July 19. Martha Freeman.
Aug. 14. A Colored Boy.

1883

June 17. Edward L. Trenholm.
July 18. Col. Bridgerson. At Hendersonville.
Sept. 17. Henry Tudor Farmer. Aged about 63.

1885

July 15. Stephen B. Fowles.
Sept. 28. Judge Farmer.

1884⁶

July 8. Frederic Rutledge. Aged 83.
Sep. 3. Gabriella Hunn. Aged 11 months.
(Services in 1884 by Rev. Mr. Tracy.)

1886

Aug. 21. Miss Mary Ladson.
Aug. 30. Miss Lilie King.
Oct. 2. Miss Wilson.
Oct. 12. Louis de Griffin Trenholm. Aged 2 years and two months.

1887

May 25. Mrs. J. G. Drayton. (Services by Dr. Bael.)
Sept. 23. Dr. Farmer.

1891

June 14. R. Izard Middleton. Died June 13.

⁶ The entries for 1884 appear after those for 1885.

1892

May 31. Mrs. L. Matthews. Died May 30; Funeral at St. James' Hendersonville. Interment at St. John's, Flat Rock.

July 27. Thos. N. McCrady (Infant). Died July 26. Interment (temporary) at St. John's. (Removed Nov. 4, '92 to St. Philips, Charleston.)

Sept. 11. Francis Avery. Died Sep. 10, age 30.

1899

May, Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. H. Drayton. Died in Charleston, S. C., April 2. Interment in Flat Rock.

Mrs. Alice Middleton Ripley, widow of Gen'l Roswell S. Ripley. Died June 2 in her 75th year.

Edward DeVere Memminger, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Edw. R. Memminger. Died June 6; born July 18, 1897.

Augustus W. Rademacher. Died July 16. Born in Mulheim, Germany, April 6, 1857.

Ann (Hanckel) Means, widow of Dr. Thos Means. Born Mr. 8, 1813 and died in Hendersonville, N. C., Dec. 27, 1899.

1900

Thos. Sibna Drake. Aged 18 months, 12 days. Died Aug. 20. Funeral at Mud Creek (Baptist) Church cemetery.

Infant son (not named) of Mr. and Mrs. W. Gregg Chisolm.

August. Funeral service of Rupert Hart read by Rev. R. M. Bland; interment in Hendersonville cemetery.

James R. Rutledge. Born Oct. 20, 1827, died in Flat Rock, N. C., Sept. 22, 1900.

1901

Rev. R. Withers Memminger, died in Flat Rock, N. C. April 19. July 16. Infant Daughter (not named) of Mr. and Mrs. Richard H. Harris at Salisbury, N. C.

July 25. Alexander Harrison Tabor. Born Nov. 13, 1841. Interment at Mud Creek Church (Baptist) cemetery.

July 28. Laurence R. McC. Cheves, aged 1 year, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cheves. Read funeral service at house; interment in Charleston, S. C.

Aug. 7. Mrs. Ralph Izard Middleton. Aged 80+.

Aug. 17. Funeral service at "Refuge" (Baptist) Church Cemetery for [blank] Justice.

1904

Miss Eliza DeChoiseul died in Greenville, S. C. January 29, 1904; buried in Church Yard of St. John in the Wilderness Feby 2, 1904, Rt. Rev. Ellison Capers, D.D., Bishop of S. C., the Rev. A. R. Mitchell, Rector of Christ Church, Greenville, S. C. officiating.

1905

Christopher Gustavus Memminger. Born Nov. 17, 1840; died Mar. 30, 1905.

Richard Henry Lowndes. Born Mar. 4, 1815. Died Oct. 23, 1905.

1906

William S. Hastie. Born June 9, 1843; died Feb. 14, 1906.

1907

Winifred Wilcox, infant Daughter of R. N. and N. T. Wilcox. Born July 18, 1906; died July 17, 1907.

Hobbs.

Marinus Willett. Born Jan. 2, 1845; died at Flat Rock Sept. 30, 1907. Funeral services at the church of St. John's in the Wilderness Oct. 3. Private Interment in Churchyard Oct. 4.

Monroe.

1909

Mary Barnwell Elliott Johnstone. Born Aug. 27, 1824; died Mar. 4, 1909.

Margaret Melinda Miles. Born Apr. 6, 1873; died Mar. 16, 1909.

1911

Louise P. Rutledge. Born Jan. 29, 1839; died Feb. 14, 1911.

Susan M. Parker Lowndes. Born Sep. 29, 1821; died Oct. 24, 1911.

1912

Elizabeth Pinckney Rutledge. Born Apr. 15, 1830; died Feb. 23, 1912.

1917

Major T. G. Barker. Age 85. Date of death, May 31, 1917. B. C. C.

1920

Mar. 23. Louisa Theuston (King) Barker. B. C. Age 63 (?) Date of death, Mar. 22, 1920.

1922

June 3. Geo. Kirkwood King (baptized). Age 61. Date of death, June 2, 1922.

1923

June 24. Julius H. Heyward. Age 74. Date of death, June 23, 1923. Interred temporarily in church yard.

[CORRECTION: In the April issue, page 107, the entry for 1841, July 31, should read: "Daniel Francis, Son *Daniel* & Emma M. Blake. . . ."]

MARRIAGE NOTICES FROM NEGRIN'S SOCIABLE MAGAZINE
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APRIL, 1804 *

[1803]

At Charleston, September 29. By the Rev. Mr. Munds, Mr. George Harper to Miss Catherine M'Vere. Mr. William Piercey to Miss Mary Lowndes.

October 11. By the Rev. Mr. Mills at Islington, Mr. P. Mooney to Miss Mary Williamson.

October 17. Richard Blan to Miss Margaret Kissicke.

October 25. *At Providence, R. I.* Mr. David Chalmers, of Charleston, to Mrs. Margaretta Pinkerton, widow of David Pinkerton, Merchant of Philadelphia.

November 8. By the Rev. Dr. Hollinshead, Mr. Joshua Lockwood, jun. merchant to Miss Caroline Dorothea Lee, eldest daughter of Major Stephen Lee.

November 15. Dr. Thomas Denney, to Miss Mary Lee Gowdey. . . . Mr. Lewis Dubois, to Miss Eleanor M'Gill.

At Columbia September 8th Mr. Nathaniel G. Welch, of Charleston, to Miss Elizabeth Todd, of Columbia.

At Newport, R. I. Dr. Edmond T. Waring to Miss Freelope Sophia Malbone.

Charleston, December 24, 1803. By the Rev. Dr. Buist, Mr. John Crow, to Miss Margaret Shaw, both of this place.

Mr. Frederick Decker, to Mrs. Mary Hippers.

Dec. 27. Mr. Andrew Holm, marriner, to the amiable Mrs. Margaret Gillon, both of this city.

Dec. 31. By the Rev. Dr. Buist, Mr. Rupert Kirk of this city, to Miss Jean Newby of New-York.

* This little almanac, measuring only 9 x 14 cm, is in the collections of the South Carolina Historical Society. The selections printed here will be found to supplement the marriage notices covering the same period which appear in this quarterly, XXVI and XXVII (1925, 1926).