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TOMBSTONE INSCRIPTIONS AT WALNUT GROVE PLANTATION CEMETERY

Contributed by ALICE GAILLARD BURKETTE *

Walnut Grove plantation was settled by Major Percy in the parish of St. James, Santee. It is located between U. S. Highway 17 and the intercoastal waterway just north of Awendaw.

The plantation was purchased by David Doar about 1828 and remained in that family until 1875. Although the property has passed through several hands since then, the acre of the Doar Family Burying Ground has been reserved and is still used by Doar descendants.

Alex Watson Cordes / Sept. 25, 1830 / Dec. 9, 1878.

Mary R. Lucas, wife of William Lucas, daughter of Stephen D. and Charlotte Cordes Doar / Dec. 15, 1847 / Oct. 31, 1945.

Sarah Walker, daughter of G. S. and H. W. Lucas / July 5, 1918 / Oct. 15, 1923.

William, Son of W. and M. R. Lucas / May 16, 1880 / Dec. 16, 1880.

Alexander Hume Lucas / Sept. 20, 1838 / Sept. 23, 1914.

Charlotte Lavinia, third child of Alex H. and Lizzie A. Lucas / Sept. 23, 1872 / Sept. 4, 1873.

Ann Elizabeth, daughter of A. W. and F. C. Cordes / Sept. 8, 1852 / Oct. 15, 1893.

William Lucas, Son of John Hume Lucas and Eleanor Ball Simons / Dec. 3, 1845 / Jan. 27, 1914.

Mary Doar, daughter of W. and M. R. Lucas / March 26, 1887 / Aug. 14, 1888.

Elizabeth Ann Lucas, nee Doar, wife of Alexander Hume Lucas / Oct. 15, 1845 / Nov. 2, 1921.

Lewis S., Son of A. H. & E. A. Lucas / March 23, 1886 / Nov. 1, 1888.

^e A genealogist of Charleston. These inscriptions were copied in May 1968 by Mrs. Burkette, Mr. Grange Simons Lucas and Mr. and Mrs. Francis L. Parker, II. In printing them here remarks of sentiment and quotations have been omitted, but a complete copy is on file at the Historical Society.

Lizzie, 3rd daughter of A. H. and E. A. Lucas / April 21, 1874 / Oct. 3, 1882.

Alice Lucas, wife of Archibald Rutledge / May 16, 1884 / May 21, 1968.

John DeKalb Cheshire / March 3, 1870 / June 9, 1943.

Charles B. Cochran / March 1, 1805 / Dec. 6, 1886.

Charlotte Lavinia Cochran, wife of C. B. Cochran of Charleston, and daughter of Thomas Cordes of St. Stephen's Parish, S.C. / Jan. 5, 1800 / July 14, 1882.

Charlotte Lucas, daughter of Alexander Hume Lucas and Elizabeth Ann Doar Lucas / Dec. 24, 1881 / Jan. 22, 1953.

Anne Ashburne Lucas, wife of John De Kalb Cheshire / April 7, 1871 / May 3, 1954.

George McDuffie Cordes / May 16, 1832 / Feby. 21, 1915.

Stephen D. Doar, M.D., Son of Stephen D. and Charlotte A. Doar / Jan. 20, 1838, / Jan. 29, 1923. For over 50 years Dr. of this Parish.

Harriet Gadsden Doar, beloved daughter of Dr. S.D. & Jane E. Doar / Oct. 6, 1868 / Oct. 19, 1903.

Jane E. Doar, / April 15, 1843, / Dec. 1, 1882, / wife of Dr. S.D. Doar, daughter of Christopher Gadsden.

Stephen Duval, only son of Dr. S. and Jane E. Doar / July 14, 1875 / aged 14 Days.

Christopher Gadsden, son of Dr. S.D. & Jane E. Doar / July 14, 1877 / Sept. 21, 1877, aged 2 months.

Harriott Rutledge Doar, wife of Stephen D. Doar, M. D. / Aug. 21, 1841 / Dec. 23, 1935.

Mrs. Mary R. Doar, who departed this life on the 9th Oct. 1840, in the Sixty Seventh year of her age.

Miss Mary Doar, who departed this life in the 10th of April 1852, in the Eightieth year of her age.

Virginia Sarah Screven, third daughter of S.D. and Jane E. Doar / Jan. 25, 1871 / Nov. 25, 1871.

Percival Ashe, son of Dr. S.D. & J. E. Doar / Oct. 7, 1879 / Oct. 28, 1879.

James Cordes, son of Dr. S.D. & Jane E. Doar / Dec. 30, 1880 / June 5, 1881.

Thomas Doar, Senr, who departed this life Dec. 9, 1836, in the seventy second year of his age.

Miss Elizabeth Doar, who departed this life Dec. 17, 1831, in the forty first year of her age.

David Doar, who departed this life the 2nd Dec. 1837, in the Fortieth year of his age.

Miss Ann S. Doar, who departed this life on the 2nd June 1865 in the 67th year of her age. E. R. White [stonecutter]

Martha P. Doar / Feby 11, 1814 / Oct. 22, 1894.

David Doar, son of Charlotte A. and Stephen D. Doar / Jan. 14, 1850 / Nov. 5, 1928.

Harriet A. Doar, wife of David Doar / June 24, 1845 / Aug. 21, 1879.

William H. Doar, who departed this life on the 26th of Jan. 1864, in the 48th year of his age. E. R. White

James R. Doar, who departed this life on the 15th of Dec. 1871, in the Sixth-Ninth Year of his age. White's

Rev. Paul Trapier Prentiss / April 12, 1875 / Dec. 14, 1923.

Sarah Rebecca, wife of David Doar, daughter of John W. & Sarah Gillison Walker / Feb. 18, 1863 / Jan 16, 1936.

Samuel Cordes Doar, Jr., son of David & Sarah R. Doar / Sept. 22, 1898 / June 24, 1920.

Charlotte A., daughter of Dr. Samuel Cordes, wife of Stephen D. Doar, / June 15, 1815 / Nov. 22, 1906.

Stephen D. Doar of St. James, Santee / June 12, 1805 / Sept. 27, 1872.

Charlotte Lavinia Doar, daughter of S.D. & C.A. Doar / Sept. 18, 1843 / Dec. 9, 1903.

Thomas Cordes, son of S.D. and Charlotte Ann Doar, died the 24th of Nov. 1836, aged 9 months.

Charlotte Cordes, daughter of S.D. and C.A. Doar / Aug. 18, 1855, / Sept. 14, 1862.

Ulric Huguenin / August 9, 1880 / Oct. 14, 1935.

Infant son of S.G. & S.B. Doar / March 31, 1891 / April 2, 1891

Infant son of S. G. & S.B. Doar, born & died Oct. 15, 1889.

Thomas Watts Doar / Feb. 22, 1836 / Oct. 10, 1889

Stephen D., son of S.G. & S. B. Doar / Oct. 7, 1887 / Nov. 23, 1888.

Mary Elizabeth, daughter of S. D. and Charlotte Ann Doar, / died the 19th May 1840, aged 4 months.

Thomas Gregorie, infant son of S.G. & S.B. Doar, / died at McClellanville, on the 22nd of Oct. 1877, aged one month and two days.

Sallie Gregorie Huguenin / Sept. 4, 1911 / Aug. 17, 1925.

Samuel Cordes Doar / July 24, 1853 / Feb. 9, 1937 / and wife Sarah Butler Gregorie / Apr. 21, 1850 / Jan. 2, 1939.

William H., son of E. M. and M. A. Doar, who departed this life on the 20th October 1856 / in the 6th year of his age.

Elias M. Doar, who departed this life on the 13th August 1851 in the Forty first year of his age.

Thomas Watts Doar, Jr. / Sept. 28, 1875 / Apr. 3, 1919.

Annie DeWolf Doar / Sept. 5, 1877 / Sept. 9, 1955.

Martha Gillison Doar, daughter of Sarah Gregorie and Samuel Cordes Doar / Aug. 10, 1885 / Aug. 29, 1959.

James Cordes, only child of James C. and Mary L. Doar / Sept. 5, 1870 / August 27, 1871.

Rev. Nathaniel Hyatt / Feb. 29, 1812 / July 30, 1865, Rector of the Parish of St. James Santee for twenty years.

Thomas Doar, / born 9th of March 1795 / died 25th of Dec. 1837.

Maria Middleton Doar / July 23, 1844 / Nov. 15, 1905.

Mary Louise Huguenin / Oct. 13, 1925 / Aug. 16, 1928.

James Cordes Doar / son of S.D. & C. A. Doar / June 25, 1841 / Nov. 15, 1889 / a faithful Soldier in the 17th S.C. Cavalry, C.S.A. 1861-1865.

Josiah Doar, / 2nd Nov. 1851 died, in the forty-fifth year of his age. Mrs. Ansley Waterman Doar, 3rd daughter of Rev. John Singletary Capers and wife of Josiah Doar, / died 3rd of Sept. 1840, aged 17 yrs 6 months & 9 days.

Martha Susannah, consort of W. J. Westbury, and eldest daughter of Thomas & Louise Doar, who departed life Feb. 4, 1856, aged 26 yrs. 1 mo, & 14 days.

Thomas Burn, twin son of J. W. and E. C. Doar, aged 1 yr., 7 months and 14 days.

THE SCHIRMER DIARY

(Continued from April, 1976)

1846

Nov. 4	J. S. Riggs	Ruth Ann Smith	Mr. Smith
4	Gabriel Manigault	Ann M. Mazyck	Mr. Trapier
12	Dr. Chs. M. Cheves	Isabella Middleton	Bishop Gadsden
18	Isaac Friedlander	Priscilla Valentine	Rosenfelt
18	Tench C. Coxe	Sarah Ann Stevens	Dr. Gilman
30	S. L. Levy	Ellen Alice Moise	
24	George W. Grugett	Anna C. Gibbes	Wd Smith
23	Ricardo Jacenta de Sa	Frances W. Truesdell	Wd Smith
24	Wellington W. Starr	Caroline E. Rivers	Douglass at James Island
26	Ferdinand Tugbaurn	Mary B. Fairchild	Dr. Gilman
26	H. Wm Forde	Mary Boykin	Dr. Gadsden
26	Rev. J. W. Kelly	Anna M. Wilbur	Mr. Derrick
26	Capt J. K. Richardson	Sarah Torrington	Mr. Yates
16	C. Riacka today in State Court was continued to 10 with immigration and		

- 16 C. Riecke today in State Court was sentenced to 12 mths imprisonment and at its expiration to remain 12 mths longer and every mth to receive 39 Lashes; and on 31 Dec. he was pardoned by the Governor on Condition that he leave the State, which he has done and gone far West.
- 19 Volunteers. The Gov has recd orders from the War Department to have them organized; and rumor says they cant be found, and he has issued orders for a new Supply to be called.
- 21 Fire this Evg; no Bells rung. Chimney at Ellen Gullatts, Archdale St.
- 24 Fire 4 a. m., midst some rookeries in King Street facing Burns Lane; thru the great exertions of the Firemen very little damage done.
- 22 Fire, 11½ p. m. Cotton on Exchange Wharf, about 20 bales burnt. It is said there were Several attempts this Evening. Deaths: 10, Robt H. Quash; 19, A. P. Trouche in a fit; 22, Thos Dotterer very sudden; 20, Mrs. R. E. Browne; 27, Old Tom Beckmann. Remarks. During the latter part of this mth great disatisfaction existed in St. Michaels Church between one of the Pastors (Mr. Trapier) and the People; and it eventually ended in the resignation of Mr. Trapier.
- Dec. 5 Fire—9 a.m. in the garrett of one of the Buildings of the Planters hotel. It soon burst out of the roof, but the Firemen soon put it out. The Etna Co. which was stationed in Margent's Yard and myself had a dispute about the cistern water, which caused a little newspaper controversy.
 - 6 Fire-a short alarm in Tradd St.
 - 30 Fire-1 a. m. in a Shed of Empty C[a]sks on a Lot in Society St.
 - 27 Clear & pleasant. [Sunday] Mong Dr. B. Aft Mr. Delanney (a converted Catholic); had a Collection for a Society in New York; his mission did not appear to take with the people, only 9.87 collected. I did not go but went to Trinity and heard W. Capers, jr.
 - 6 Chs Thompson Angeline Hitchings Leard
 - 14 Joseph Ryley Mrs. Maria McEleran in Baltimore