## Alfred Marie Moncla, MD 555 Riverside Avenue 18 April 1995

Dear Dr. Peeples,

It has been a long time since I met you in Charleston, last summer, at the Lawton family affair. I am the brother of Carmen Hiott of Raleigh. I sat at the luncheon table with you and Miss Cora.

Since seeing you, I have become a member of First Families of South Carolina, with your help. I am a Robert descendant.

I have genealogy questions with which I hope you can help me. Was Mary Stoney the wife of The Hon. Paul Grimball? According to my records, Paul Grimball (~1630-~1696) married Mary Stoney. Both were immigrant ancestors. Both were from somewhere in England and both died in Colleton County. They are parents of Thomas Grimball (bef 1685-10/26/1721), who married Elizabeth Adams, daughter of William Adams.

Is anything known about Paul Grimball's wife? Was she Mary Stoney? Or have I confused her with **Mary Stone** (1720-1803), wife of Paul Grimball, II, and daughter of John Stone?

Is anything known about the above mentioned William Adams?

I have recently learned how to use the Internet and have enjoyed "talking" via E-mail with many distant cousins who are interested in genealogy. I have learned much about some of my ancestral lines especially the **Eldreds** who went from Rhode Island to Charleston. It's fun. But I think genealogy is addicting.

Give my regards to your wife.

Sincerely, your cousin,

Fred Moncla