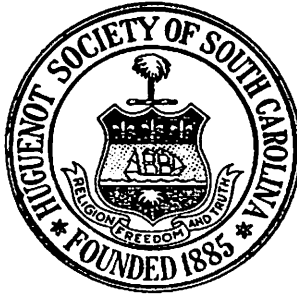


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Dear Robert,

Mailed number 86 page proof back to R. L. Bryan this morning, so now we await the books themselves. I used your "Memoir" for our lead piece!

Curiosity is killing me, so I must write you. You sent me a letter telling me that our Harrison illustrious ancestry was out! I have put the letter away in my files and cannot find it. At the time you wrote I was busy with some projects for this place and did not have time to chart the information as you told me to do.

Last night Edwin Mikell called me and asked me if I still thought Paul Grimball (?) married a Harrison. I said no, you had told me differently. He asked if you got it from Paul Grimball's plantation journal (or some such source). I said no, Tom Lawton found it at Caroliniana.

Robert, all the above may be misinformation - I'm vague about it.

The meat of Edwin's conversation was that Thomas Winborne had married Elizabeth (Carriere) Stone, or Mrs. Stone, nee Carriere, and

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she was our ancestress.

Is this what you told me?

Thinking about Thomas Winborne, I seem to have the idea he was twice married and had two daughters (one by each wife) named Susannah. Susannah by the first wife — did she marry Gibbons? Of course the Susannah by second wife was our Townsend's tie-in.

Robert, I know you are planning an article on this (for our Transactions I hope) but please just tell me the name of the lady. A post card will do.

Please forgive haste, and love to Cora.

Let me hear soon, please,

Martha B.