

Report of the Historian, Lawton & Allied Families Association:
Mrs. Cora McKenzie Peeples
18 June 1994:

BIRTHS:

Allie Crane Bates, born 22 March 1993, daughter of Robert Anthony and Stephanie Crane Wiggins Bates, descendant of Hon. George and Eliza Jane (Robert) Rhodes.

Maggie Louise Amos, born 4 Feb. 1992, daughter of Michael and Tracy Lee (O'Neal) Amos, gr-granddaughter of Richard Wilmotte and Lula Mae (Jackson) Ellis, descendant of Charlotte Ann (Lawton) Robert.

MARRIAGES:

Theodore Milton Rhodes, III, son of T. Milton Rhodes, Jr. of Charleston, married 21 Aug. 1993 Karen Charlotte Addy, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. James M. Addy.

William Dee Chisolm, III, of Columbia, son of William D. Chisolm, Jr. of St. Augustine, Fla., married 15 Jan. 1994 Frances Ruth Anderson, daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Audie Anderson of Huntsville, Ala. The groom is a gr-grandson of Stoney Lawton & Ethel (Rhodes) Peeples.

Angus Macaulay Lawton of Charleston, son of Thomas Oregon Lawton, Jr. of Allendale, married 25 July 1993 Sara Anne Gustin, daughter of Dr. Allen Nathaniel Gustin of Walterboro.

Lillian Gray Laffitte, daughter of Charles Atkins Laffitte of Hampton, married 28 Aug. 1993 Benjamin Kory Henderson of Park City, Utah, son of Mr. & Mrs. Gary Dean Henderson of Blue Springs, MO. They will reside in Park City, Utah.

NECROLOGY:

Mary Elizabeth Baxter, 75, died 14 Feb. 1994, daughter of Lawton Baxter of Summer Pines, Garnett, descendant of William Henry Lawton and Col. William John Lawton.

Henry Lawton Bishop, Jr., 82, died 20 Apr. 1994, survived by four children: William L. Bishop of Ft. Lauderdale, Connie Campbell and Beverly Holcomb of Gray Court, Judith Hyde of Lula; and three siblings: Morris L. Bishop of Brentwood, TN., Billie Cheatham of Mt. Pleasant and Mary Flowers of Decatur, Ga.

Clarence Charles Haigh (24 May 1925-18 Sept. 1993), son of Clarence Charles & Jessie (Nelson) Haigh; he was the husband of Mary Elizabeth Bostick, daughter of Maner Lawton Bostick of Beaufort.

Julia G. Lawton died 17 Aug. 1993, survived by her husband, Thomas O. Lawton of Indialantic, Fla., 2 sons: T. Stanley Lawton of Chapel Hill, NC & James B. Lawton of Bluffton, and a daughter, Ann Lawton Hardy of Melbourne, Fla., a brother J. Allen Gresham of Atlanta and a sister, Motte Gray of Greenville, SC.

Olive Allene Lawton died 18 Sept. 1993, daughter of Wesley Willingham and Ida Carey (Deaver) Lawton; she was a missionary to China for 40 years. She is survived by her brother Deaver Lawton of Ridgecrest, NC.

Thomas Maxwell Lawton (15 Jan. 1908-5 May 1992), son of T. O. and Bess (Miller) Lawton. His wife, Wilma Clinkscales Lawton died 25 Dec. 1991; they are survived by 3 nephews: William A. Farrar & James D. Poteat of Greenville and Frank Lawton of Richmond, Va. and a niece Dr. Mary Elizabeth Myers of Philippi, W.Va. Max Lawton owned the first Seeing Eye dog in Greenville.

Catherine Lawton Moore (1 Dec. 1900-29 Apr. 1993), daughter of Joseph Maner & Maud (Tilton) Lawton of Florence; widow of Jefferson Davis Moore, she is survived by a daughter, Dr. Catherine Elizabeth Moore & 2 sisters: Mrs. Leslie J. Huntley of Lumberton, NC & Lt. Col. Rosa T. Lawton of Georgetown, and a brother, Joseph Maner Lawton of Darlington, SC.

William Lawton Rice, 89, died 20 Mar. 1994, son of James M. & Emma J. (Maner) Rice of Conway. He is survived by a son David L. Rice of Charleston & a daughter, Mrs. Charles F. Duvall of Pensacola, Fla.

Eleanor Hook Varn, 93, died 1 Aug. 1993 in Beckley, W.Va.; born in Augusta, she moved to Beaufort in 1920 to teach school & married Rivers Lawton Varn. She is survived by a son Rivers Lawton Varn, Jr. of Beckley, W.Va. & 2 daughters: Anne V. Thompson of Atlanta and Frances Varn Bass of Hilton Head Island.

Wallace Bailey Watson, 51, of Baltimore, Md., died 22 Dec. 1993, an attorney & member of the Society of First Families of SC, survived by his wife, Carole Parkstone Watson, a brother David H. Watson of Charleston, 3 sisters: Virginia W. Culbertson of Florence, Vinda W. Goodman & Wanda W. Heffelfinger, both of Atlanta.

Glynn Correll Webber, 71, died 25 Nov. 1993 in Charleston, born in Jonesville, son of James H. and Melle (Whitlock) Webber. He is survived by his wife, Elizabeth Gamble Webber of Kingstree, 2 daughters: Mrs. Lawton W. Scott of Marietta, Ga. & Mrs. Jane W. Lassiter of Stone Mountain, Ga. and a brother, Col. Ira B. Webber of Beaufort.