

Joseph Lawton No.1, born in Wales 1723 and emigrated to South Carolina 1748, settling on Edisto Island. Joseph Lawton No. 1 married Miss Fickling and had three children.

Joseph Lawton Jr., (son of Joseph Lawton No. 1 and his wife who was a Miss Fickling,) was born March 5th 1815 on Edisto Island, S. C. Jos. Lawton, Jr. (2) purchased in 1776 Mulberry Grove, in the Black Swamp Settlement, St. Peters Parish, Beaufort District, S. C. Joseph Lawton, Jr. Married Sarah Robert.

William Lawton, second child of Joseph Lawton No.1, settled in Charleston, S. C.

Beulah Lawton, third child of Joseph Lawton No. 1, married William Seabrook, promoter and perfecter of long staple cotton and sea island cotton.

Joseph Lawton, Jr. ^{#2} and Sarah Robert Lawton had eleven children as follows:

- 1st. Winborn Asa Lawton (Rev.) born about 1755
Married
1st Mrs. Mary Rhodes (Lawton)
2nd Mrs. Perry
3rd Lucinda Landrum " of Edgefield, S. C.
- 2nd Thirza Lawton -she married Thomas Polhill
- 3rd Joseph J. Lawton born 1777 died 1859
he married Phoebe Morse 1798
their children were Dr. Benjamin W. Lawton
"Parson Joseph Lawton
Sarah married Charles L. Singleton
- 4th William Henry Lawton ~~married Jane Morse~~
- 5th Benjamin Lawton ~~born Sept 17, 1785 married~~
married Jane ~~Morse~~ Morse.
- 6th Charlotte Ann Lawton born Sept. 17, 1785 married
James John Robert Jan. 22, 1802
- 7th Alexander James Lawton born Mulberry Grove
Nov. 21st 1790 died April 8, 1876.
He married Martha Morse.

Married 2nd time a German lady.