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Dear Rev. Peoples,

I want to thank you in behalf  
of my family for the beautiful documented  
job you did on the Miles genealogy.  
Last spring I suddenly became  
interested in family history and  
instead of working on one family  
at a time, I have tried to jot  
down as <sup>much info.</sup> ~~many~~ as I could as I  
came to them. At times this becomes  
confusing and very frustrating. I  
have studied carefully all the August  
Transactions and now am working  
on all the S. C. Hist Mag from 1940.  
The other <sup>mag.</sup> will work in our library at  
the University. I read your cry for  
help back in the 1950's and then again.

last year - so that I was especially  
delighted to see you had finished  
your job and what a beauty it is  
I am still wondering who the  
McPherson's really were, as I have  
run across an Isaac McPherson who  
fought the Indians too -

Thomas Miles  
B 1687

I am descended from  
and also his sister, Rachel  
Finally Elizabeth Miles m. Press Smith in Oct 1776  
B 1688  
No use to go into all the rest (unless you  
are interested - my brothers are not!)  
My father was Dr. Daniel Deane Smith  
of Spartanburg S.C.

There is not enough time in the day to  
work on my project. I have never enjoyed  
anything as much as this. I just had  
to say thank you for all the time and  
effort you put into your work. It will mean  
much to many people and to the ones  
in the future. Sincerely,  
Nettie Smith Quinze

Oct. 10, 1968