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Mr. Bill Alstetter Heritage Library 32 Office Park Road, Suite 300 Courtyard Building Hilton Head, SC 29928

Dear Bill,

I was in the library last week and I am so impressed with how it has grown! We will be back on Hilton Head in September and I plan to spend some time researching.

As I told you, and as you were kind enough to check out, I have some material on my Appleby and Rumph relatives who lived in the St. George – Edisto River area. They owned quite a bit of property there and, if I do say so myself, were pretty prominent citizens of the area.

My line of descent is from the sons who left South Carolina and moved to Alabama as the Creek Indians ceded their lands there. There is one Appleby whose history you must read – Benjamin Franklin Appleby. It is hard to believe that one man lived through all that!

I appreciate your, and Norma's, kindnesses and willingness to take your time to help me. Will be glad to get together when we return to your beautiful island!

Thank you,

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OUR RUMPH FAMILY

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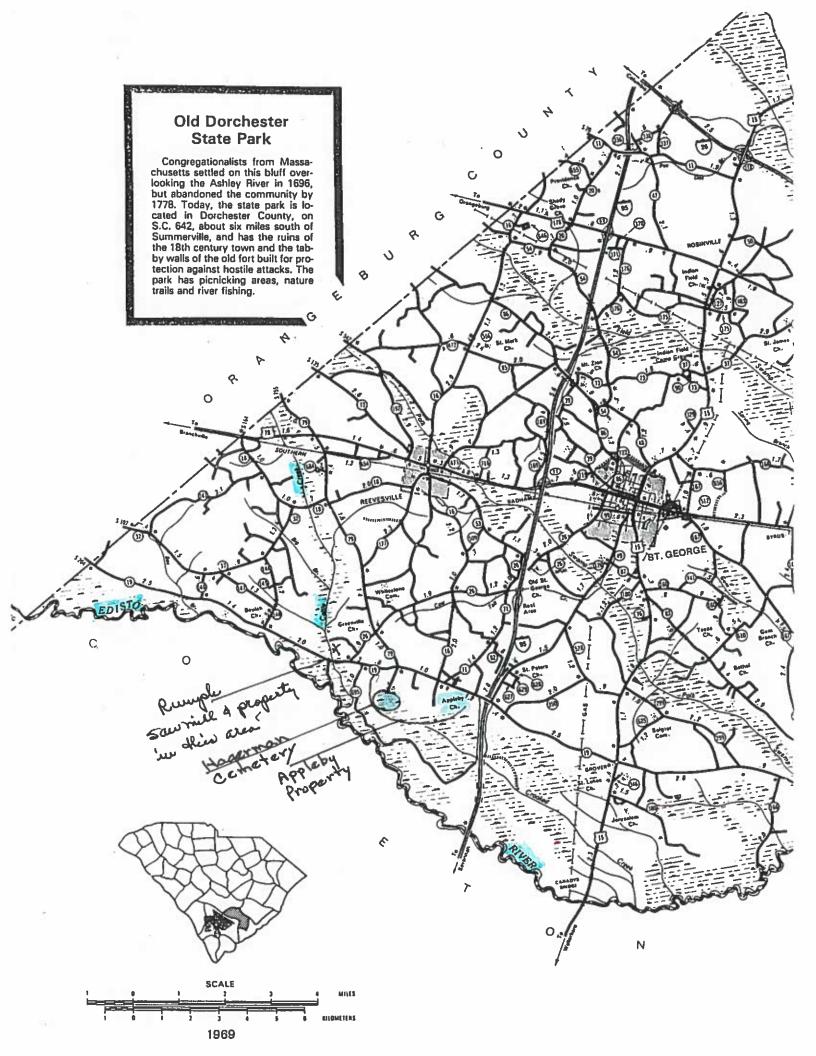
FOR MY SONS,

STEVE, GLENN AND DAVID WILLIAMS

AND MY GRANDDAUGHTERS,

AMY, EMILY AND RACHEL

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OUR RUMPH FAMILY

Generation No. 1

11	RUMPH He married UNKNOWN.	
Notes for	RUMPH:	

The Rumphs of South Carolina, and their relatives in other Southern States, trace back to five Rumphs whose names first appear on South Carolina records about 1735. (1) They were four brothers and a sister.

These were DAVID, JACOB, ABRAHAM, PETER and CATHERINE RUMPH. These young people, undoubtedly, came over with the Swiss emigrants (from the German Cantons - the 22 sovereign political units which make up the Swiss Federation), who arrived in Charleston, South Carolina, July 13, 1735, and settled a township, fifteen miles long by ten miles wide, which had been laid off on the Edisto River (2), about eighty miles from Charleston, in 1730. Up to this time it had been known merely as "The Township on the Edisto", but when settled by these Switzers, was named Orangeburg by Lieutenant Broughton, in honor of the then Prince of Orange (William IV) who was the son-in-law of King George II of England.

If the parents of these young people came with them, they must have died soon after, for we do not find their names in contemporary records. Perhaps their earlier deaths provided the impetetus for the emigration of these five young people. As they were so young, it may be that they were related to some of the other passengers.

Note (1) "On Sunday, last, arrived here Captain Hugh Percy, in nine weeks from Rotterdam and six from Cowes, with 250 SWITZERS on board, who are come to settle a township on the King's land in this Province." THE SOUTH CAROLINA GAZETTE, July 19, 1735.

(Compiler's note: All ships sailing to the British Colonies from other countries were required to stop at a British port to obtain permission to land in the Colonies. Therefore, Captain Percy's ship stopped at the Port of Cowes, England to obtain the permission.)

Note (2) "About 220 of the Switzers that have paid all their passages are now

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going up to Edisto to settle a township there. The government defrays them upon their journey, provides them with provisions for one year, and gives them fifty acres a head. They are exempt from all charges for ten years." THE SOUTH CAROLINA GAZETTE, Saturday, July 26, 1735.

Children of RUMPH and UNKNOWN are:

- i. DAVID² RUMPH, SR., b. 1725, Switzerland; d. February 08, 1783, St. George Parish, Dorchester County, South Carolina.
 - ii. JACOB RUMPH, SR., d. 1785; m. ANN DAETWILER, May 19, 1748, Orangeburg Township, South Carolina.

Notes for JACOB RUMPH, SR.:

Jacob died in 1785. THE STATE GAZETTE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, on Thursday, August 24, 1786, published this NOTICE:

"The credtors of the estate of the late Jacob Rumph, Sr., of Orange Parish, deceased, are desired to render an attested statement of their demands, to either of the subscribers, to be settled, and those indebted to said estate are requested to make payment by the 1st day of October next, as after that period no indulgence can be given. Jacob Rumph, Jr., John Hook, David Rumph, Executors. Orangeburg Parish, July 29, 1786."

iii. ABRAHAM RUMPH, m. UNKNOWN.

Notes for ABRAHAM RUMPH:

Abraham settled in St. George's Parish, Dorchester at an early date. By his will, dated October 4, 1777, he is known to have had three sons, Abraham, Christian and George. (5) The first of these, Abraham, was Brigadier-General of the Fifth Brigade of South Carolina Militia in 1808.

iv. PETER RUMPH, m. CATHERINE KNOWE.

Notes for PETER RUMPH:

Peter Rumph, of "Horse Savannah, in the Province of South Carolina, cordwainer (shoemaker or leatherworker), Catherine Knowe, of St. James Parish, Goose Creek, in the Province aforesaid, widow", and "David Rumph, of St. Paul's Parish, in the Province aforesaid, planter, made a tripartate agreement, April 4, 1746, arranging a marriage settlement between the said Peter Rumph and Catherine Knowe, widow."

SOURCE: Probate Court Records, Charleston County, South Carolina, Book 1736/1740, page 415.

v. CATHERINE RUMPH, m. JAMES PENDARVIS, September 03, 1741, Orangeburg Township, South Carolina.

Notes for CATHERINE RUMPH:

Catherine Rumph was married in Mr. John Hearne's house, near the village of Orangeburg, in Orangeburg Township, on Thursday, September 3, 1741, to Mr. James Pendarvis.

SOURCE: Rev. Gissendanner's record; Salley's History of Orangeburg County, 1704-1782, pp. 96 and 107.

Generation No. 2

2. DAVID² RUMPH, SR. (_____1) was born 1725 in Switzerland, and died February 08, 1783 in St. George Parish, Dorchester County, South Carolina. He married MARIE ANN (MARY) 1746 in Dorchester County, South Carolina. She was born Abt. 1730 in St. George Parish, Dorchester County, South Carolina, and died Aft. 1783 in St. George Parish, Dorchester County, South Carolina.

Notes for DAVID RUMPH, SR.:

David Rumph first settled in St. Paul's Parish, but at an early date moved to St. George's Parish, Dorchester, Charleston District, South Carolina, near the present town of St. George, and became one of the most prominent men in his Parish.

On April 18, 1767, he was selected by the Commons House of Assembly, to be one of the Commissioners for building a "chapel of ease", in the upper part of the Parish, "at the north side of Four Holes Swamp, within three miles of the said swamp." (7) He was "several times Inquirer and Collector of taxes for the Parish (8), and was one of those selected January 15, 1775, by the First Provincial Congress of South Carolina as the "Committee for Carrying into Execution the Continental Association" for St. George's Parish, Dorchester. (9)

Note (7). Statutes at Large of South Carolina.

Note (8). Ibid. Vol. I.

Note (9) Moultrie's Memoirs of the American Revolution. Vol. I, p. 4.

WILL OF DAVID RUMPH, SR.

(As written, with a little added punctuation for easier reading)

In the name of God, Amen, I, David Rumph of St. George's Parish in Berkeley County, and in the Province of South Carolina, Planter, being weak of Body but of sound Mind, Memory and Understanding, do make publish and declare this to be my last Will and Testament revoking all other Wills by me heretofore made. My soul I recommend into the Hands of Almighty God who gave it, hoping for Remission of all my Sins through the Merits of my only Saviour Jesus Christ and my body I submit to the earth to be decently buried at the discretion of my Executors herein after named. Imprimis my will is that all my just and lawful Debts be paid and satisfied by my Executors herein named.

Item, I give and devise unto my wife, Mary Rumph, and to my three Youngest Sons namely Joseph Rumph, Jacob Rumph, and Christian Rumph, the Use, Profits and Product of all my Plantation or Tract of Land containing five hundred acres situate on Tom Henley's Branch and the river Swamp, with the Saw Mill thereon erected and all the utensils thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining And also, the Use, Profits, and Produce of all my Plantation or Tract

of Land containing two thousand and two hundred Acres adjoining the said Plantation or tract of land containing five hundred acres as aforesaid, Together with the Use, Profits and Produce of all my Stock of Cattle, Horses, Mares, Colts, Fillies, Hogs and Sheep, and also, the Use and Profits and Produce of all my Household Furniture and all my Kitchen Furniture, and all my Plantation Utensils Such as Hoes, Tools, Grin Stones and Stone Mill, until my said Son Christian Rumph shall attain the Age of twenty-one Years, and then if my said Wife Mary Rumph should happen to be alive, then and in such case as long as she shall live, and after her Decease to my nine Children named John Rumph, David Rumph, Joseph Rumph, Christian Rumph, Elizabeth Geissendanner, Sarah DeWitt, Ann Rumph and Catherine Rumph, to be equally divided amongst them Share and Share alike to themselves, their Heirs and Assigns for ever.

Item, I further give and devise unto my said wife Mary Rumph, ten of my Negro Slaves of her own Choice in Picking and Choosing without separating or parting any Family of my Slaves, that is to say, not to separate the Children from their Mother and Father, during all the Days of her natural life and after her decease to be equally divided, with their future Issue and Increase, amongst my nine children named John Rumph, David Rumph, Joseph Rumph, Jacob Rumph, Christian Rumph, Elizabeth Geissendanner, Sarah DeWitt, Ann Rumph and Catharine Rumph, to be equally divided amongst them Share and Share alike to themselves their Heirs and Assigns for ever.

Item, I give and devise unto my said three youngest Sons named Joseph Rumph, Jacob Rumph and Christian Rumph, all my wearing apparel to themselves their heirs and assigns forever.

Item, I give and devise all the Residue or Remainder of my Estate unto my said Nine Children named John Rumph, David Rumph, Joseph Rumph, Christian Rumph, Elizabeth Geissendanner, Sarah DeWitt, Ann Rumph and Catherine Rumph, to be equally divided amongst them Share and Share alike to themselves their Heirs and Assigns for ever.

Item, my Will and meaning further is, that is to say, if my said Wife Mary Rumph should happen to die before my said Son Christian Rumph shall attain the Age of twenty-one years then and in such case, my will is that all that Part of my Estate herein devised by me to her shall go to and be belong to my said Son Joseph Rumph and to my said Son Christian Rumph, until my said Son Christian Rumph shall attain the Age of twenty-one years.

Item, my Will is, if in Case my said Son Joseph Rumph should happen to die before my said son Christian Rumph shall attain the age of twenty-one years, and leave no issue of his body lawfully begotten then and in such Case, my Will is, that all that part of my Estate herein devised to him by me, shall go to and belong to my son Jacob Rumph, and to my said son Christian Rumph, until my said Son Christian Rumph shall attain the age of twenty-one Years and then if my said Wife Mary Rumph should happen to be alive, then and in such case as long as she shall live.

Item, it is my will if in Case my said son Christian Rumph should happen to die before he attain the Age of twenty-one Years and leave no issue of his Body lawfully begotten then and in such case my Will is, that all that Part of my Estate herein devised to him by me shall go to and be belong to my said Son Joseph Rumph and to my said Son Jacob Rumph until my said Son Jacob Rumph shall attain the age of twenty-one years, and then if my said Wife Mary Rumph should happen to be alive then and in such Case as long as she shall live.

Item, it is my Will, that is to say, if in case I should purchase or buy any land or should have any Land granted to me after the making and publishing of this my last Will and Testament then my Will is that all such Land as I shall hereafter purchase or buy, or shall be granted to me shall be equally divided amongst my said nine Children Share and Share alike to themselves and their Heirs and Assigns for ever.

Item, my Will further is, that is to say, that all that part of my personal Estate herein devised by me to my said wife, Mary Rumph and to my said three Youngest Sons named Joseph Rumph, Jacob Rumph and Christian Rumph, shall be kept together until my youngest Son Christian Rumph shall attain the Age of twenty one years, and then if my said Wife Mary Rumph should happen to be alive, then and in such Case, as long as she shall live, and during all that Time shall be subject to the direction, Management and Discretion of my Executors herein after named.

Item, it is my will, that my said wife Mary Rumph and my three youngest Sons Named Joseph Rumph, Jacob Rumph, and Christian Rumph, shall live on that Plantation or Tract of Land on Tom Henleys Branch and the River Swamp containing five hundred Acres with a Saw Mill thereon Erected, until my youngest Son Christian Rumph shall attain the age of twenty one years, and then if my said Wife Mary Rumph, should happen to be alive, then and in such Case as long as she shall live.

Item, it is my will, that when my said son Christian Rumph shall attain the age of twenty-one years and my said Wife Mary Rumph be dead, that then each of my Children shall enjoy their full Share and Dividend of my Estate according to the

true Intent and Meaning of this my said last Will and Testament.

Item, it is my Will, that none of my said Children shall bargain nor sell any of my land that I shall be possessed of at my Death unless it be from one of them, to another of them.

Item, my Will further is, that is to say, that no Division be made of my Estate until all my just and lawful Debts be paid and satisfied by my Executors herein after named, And Lastly I hereby constitute, nominate and appoint my Son in Law Henry Giessendanner, and my Brother in Law John Pendarvis Executors of this my Last Will and Testament.

In Witness of, I, the said David Rumph, Senior, to this my last Will and Testament, contained in two Sheets of Paper, set my Hand and Seal, that is to say, to the first sheet thereof my Hand and to this Second sheet thereof my Hand and Seal, and also my Seal is the Tape which affixes the same together at the Bottom this second day of November in the Year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and seventy four, and in the fifteenth Year of his Majesty's Reign.

(Signed) David Rumph, Senr. (LS)

Signed Sealed Published and Declared by the said Testator David Rumph, Senior as and for his last Will and Testament in the Presence of us who, in his presence, and at his request have subscribed our Names as Witnesses thereto.

John Dandridge.....Isaac Utesy.....James Pettigrew

A Codicil to be taken as Part of the Last Will and testament of me, David Rumph, Senior, Planter.

Whereas, since the making and publishing of my last Will and Testament bearing date the second day of November in the Year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and seventy-four, and in the fifteenth Year of his Majesty's Reign, my Daughter Ann Rumph, whose Name is expressly mentioned in my said Last Will and Testament died and left two children lawfully born of her Body, named David Clayton, and John Clayton, and whereas I did give and devise unto my said Daughter Ann Rumph a Share of my Estate both Real and personal equal with all the rest of my Daughters as will appear by my said Last Will and Testament, therefore for the more better and pure settling of that Part of my Estate devised to my said Daughter Ann Rumph, my will is that all that Part of my Estate devised by me to my said Daughter Ann Rumph, as will appear by my last Will and Testament, shall go to and be belong to her said Two Children named David

Clayton, and John Clayton, to themselves their Heirs and Assigns for ever. And I do hereby give and devise to my Son in Law James Dewitt and his Wife Sarah Dewitt all my Plantation or Tract of Land on Catteels Creek (Cattle Creek) containing five hundred Acres, during all the Days of their natural Lives and after their Decease to the Heirs of the Body of the said Sarah Dewitt for ever, and I do hereby ratify and confirm my said Will in all Respects, excepting such Part as is hereby repealed or disannulled, And I do declare this to be a Codicil, and to be taken as Part of my last Will and Testament, in witness whereof I have hereunto set my Hand and Seal the fourth day of January in the Year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and eighty two.

David Rumph, Senior (LS)

Signed Sealed Published and Declared by the above named David Rumph as a Codicil, and to be taken as Part of his Last Will and Testament, in the Presence of us, who in his Presence and at his Request have set our Hands as Witnesses thereto.

her
William Clayton.....Catherine X Dewitt.....Brand Pendarvis
mark

David Rumph, Senior died February 8, 1783. His will was proved (probated) before George Abbott Hall, Esquire O. C. T. D. At the same time Henry Gissendanner and John Pendarvis were qualified as Executors.

Examined 22 Co.8th C. L.

Recorded in Original Will book 1780-1783, Page 268.

(Compiler's note: This will is included here (transcribed as written) as an example of the times and also in amazement and admiration that David Rumph, who arrived in South Carolina from Switzerland at the age of tem, with brothers and a sister but no parents, should have been able and enterprising enough to have amassed this property by age 49. He was also a concerned and active citizen of his Parish and the State of South Carolina.)

SOURCES: Genealogy of the Rumph Family of South Carolina, by Alexander S.

Salley, Jr. Birmingham, Alabama, Leslie Press and Publishing Company 1903, 10 pages. (L 14806; X812-NY). (Salley was a descendant of Sarah Rumph Dewitt, a daughter of David, Sr., and was custodian and curator of the Archives of the State Historical Commission in Columbia, South Carolina); Will of David Rumph, Sr., dated November 2, 1774, and Codicil dated January 4, 1782, Recorded in Original Will Book 1780-1783, Page 268; DAR Records; the above cited References.

More About DAVID RUMPH, SR.:

Burial: St. George Parish, Dorchester County, South Carolina

More About MARIE ANN (MARY):

Burial: St. George Parish, Dorchester County, South Carolina

Children of DAVID RUMPH and MARIE (MARY) are:

- i. ELIZABETH³ RUMPH, b. 1748; m. HENRY GIESSENDANNER, February 23, 1767.
- 3. ii. DAVID RUMPH, JR., b. April 01, 1750, Orangeburg District, Colleton County, South Carolina; d. 1783, Dorchester County, South Carolina.
 - iii. MARY RUMPH, b. August 16, 1751.

Notes for MARY RUMPH:

Mary was not listed in the will her father, David, Sr., made November 2, 1774. It is presumed she died before November 1774, but not documented. He only names nine children in will.

iv. SARAH RUMPH, b. May 17, 1753; m. JAMES DEWITT.

Notes for SARAH RUMPH:

Sarah was baptised at the house of Thomas Pendarvis, near the Four Holes, April 23, 1754.

- v. JOHN RUMPH, b. 1757.
- vi. ANN RUMPH, b. January 1757; d. Bef. January 04, 1782.
 - vii. CATHERINE RUMPH, b. 1759.
 - viii. JOSEPH RUMPH, b. 1761.
 - ix. JACOB RUMPH, b. 1763; m. ANNA COONER.

Notes for JACOB RUMPH:

Jacob and his wife, Anna, had eight children; Joseph, Ann, Jacob, Charles, John, Margaret, Elizabeth and Sarah.

x. CHRISTIAN RUMPH, b. 1764; m. UNKNOWN.

Notes for CHRISTIAN RUMPH:

Christian and his wife, whose name is unknown, had five children; Ann, William, David, Mary and Sarah.

Generation No. 3

3. DAVID³ RUMPH, JR. (DAVID², _____1) was born April 01, 1750 in Orangeburg District, Colleton County, South Carolina, and died 1783 in

Dorchester County, South Carolina. He married MISS LEWIS.

Notes for DAVID RUMPH, JR.:

David was born April 1, 1750 and was baptised in Orangeburg Church, Sunday, June 17, 1750. Sponsors were Jacob Rumph, William Bery, and Barbara, wife of John Jennings.

He grew up in Colleton District (now Dorchester). He was twice married, first to Miss Lewis, and second, to Miss Anne Haddock. He was a planter and lived at "The Cypress".

On October 20, 1776, "David Rumph, Jr., of Charles Town District" conveyed to "John Salley, of Orangeburg District", his half of a tract of 200 acres in Colleton County, which had been conveyed by Christian Minnick to John Salley and David Rumph, Jr., October 24, 1774."

More About DAVID RUMPH, JR.:

Burial: Dorchester County, South Carolina

Children of DAVID RUMPH and MISS LEWIS are:

- i. MARY⁴ RUMPH, b. 1773, Orangeburg District, Colleton County, South Carolina; d. January 19, 1859, St. George Parish, Dorchester County, South Carolina.
 - THOMAS DAVID RUMPH, b. March 24, 1783, Orangeburg District, Colleton County, South Carolina; d. January 19, 1859, Carlowville, Alabama; m. SARAH MAXWELL, November 06, 1806; b. March 06, 1788; d. March 27, 1866, Carlowville, Alabama.

Notes for THOMAS DAVID RUMPH:

Thomas David and Sarah moved to Macon County, Alabama in 1823. The names of their children are not known.

More About THOMAS DAVID RUMPH:

Burial: Carlowville, Alabama

More About SARAH MAXWELL: Burial: Carlowville, Alabama

iii. Joshua Rumph.

Notes for JOSHUA RUMPH:

Joshua Rumph was killed by lightening in 1823. He was unmarried.

4. ANN³ RUMPH (*DAVID*², _____¹) was born January 1757, and died Bef. January 04, 1782. She married DAVID CLAYTON.

Notes for ANN RUMPH:

Ann was baptised 26 January, 1757, at the house of Frederick Thore, at the Four Holes.

Children of ANN RUMPH and DAVID CLAYTON are:

- i. DAVID4 CLAYTON.
- ii. JOHN CLAYTON.

Generation No. 4

5. MARY⁴ RUMPH (DAVID³, DAVID², ______1) was born 1773 in Orangeburg District, Colleton County, South Carolina, and died January 19, 1859 in St. George Parish, Dorchester County, South Carolina. She married JAMES PRESTON APPLEBY, SR. November 23, 1790 in St. George Parish, Dorchester County, South Carolina. He was born Abt. 1765 in Virginia, and died 1849 in St. George Parish, Dorchester County, South Carolina.

More About MARY RUMPH:

Burial: Hagerman Cemetery on old Appleby Plantation, St. George's Parish, Dorchester County, South Carolina

Notes for JAMES PRESTON APPLEBY, SR.:

James Preston Appleby, Sr. came to South Carolina from Virginia before the 1790 census, with a "good horse" and one slave. Ancestors stated that he was an affluent young man. He became a planter, and the 1824 tax records of Colleton County, now Dorchester, show that he owned 2,409 acres of land and 65 slaves.

He and Mary had eleven children. Both Mary and James are buried in Hagerman Cemetery (located on the original plantation owned by James) which is about 2 miles west of Appleby Church, about 4 miles west of Grover, SC, on the Wire Road. The land for Appleby Church was donated by James Preston Appleby.

More About JAMES PRESTON APPLEBY, SR.:

Burial: Hagerman Cemetery on old Appleby Plantation, St. George's Parish, Dorchester County, South Carolina

Children of MARY RUMPH and JAMES APPLEBY are:

RICHARD R. E.⁵ APPLEBY, b. December 30, 1792, St. George Parish, Dorchester County, South Carolina; d. December 16, 1819, Macon County, Alabama; m. MARY GIVHAN, South Carolina.

Notes for RICHARD R. E. APPLEBY:

Richard R. E. Appleby, his wife Mary Givhan, and family migrated to Macon County, Alabama with his brother Peter Ridley Appleby, his wife Martha Sarah Minus, and family in 1835.

More About RICHARD R. E. APPLEBY:

Burial: Macon County, Alabama

THOMAS ALGIER APPLEBY, b. November 10, 1794, St. George Parish, Dorchester County, South Carolina;
 d. St. George Parish, Dorchester County, South Carolina.

Notes for THOMAS ALGIER APPLEBY:

Thomas died very young.

- iii. SARAH ANN APPLEBY, b. January 13, 1797; m. WILLIAM CARR, M.D..
- iv. JAMES PRESTON APPLEBY, JR., b. April 05, 1799, St. George Parish, Dorchester County, South Carolina; m. MARY ANN PEARSON, June 23, 1819, South Carolina.
- v. PETER RIDLEY APPLEBY, b. April 12, 1801, St. George Parish, Dorchester County, South Carolina; d. October 12, 1857, Society Hill, Macon County, Alabama.
 - vi. JACOB WALTER APPLEBY, b. August 17, 1803, St. George Parish, Dorchester County, South Carolina.

Notes for JACOB WALTER APPLEBY:

Jacob died at a very young age.

- vii. ANN C. APPLEBY, b. August 31, 1806, St. George Parish, Dorchester County, South Carolina.
- viii. DAVID CLINTON APPLEBY, REVEREND, b. March 04, 1808, St. George Parish, Dorchester County, South Carolina; d. March 10, 1864, St. George Parish, Dorchester County, South Carolina; m. AMELIA STOKES.

Notes for DAVID CLINTON APPLEBY, REVEREND:

David was a Methodist minister. He represented St. George Parish, Dorchester, in the Secession Convention. He was one of the signers of the South Carolina Ordinance of Secession. While attending the Convention he served as chaplain and preached two sermons.

With the onset of the War Between the States, he organized his own 3rd Corp. Militia, CSA and was in the Battles of Chickamauga, Vicksburg and Atlanta. Both his brother, Morgan, David and David's sons are recorded as fighting in sixteen battles of the War Between the States. David lost one of his sons in the Battle of Atlanta.

More About DAVID CLINTON APPLEBY, REVEREND: Burial: Appleby Churchyard, St. George Parish, Dorchester County, South Carolina

- ix. ALFRED MARION WILLIAM APPLEBY, b. May 25, 1811, St. George Parish, Dorchester County, South Carolina; m. MILDRED STOKES.
- x. MORGAN THOMAS APPLEBY, M. D., b. January 25, 1814, St. George Parish, Dorchester County, South Carolina; d. April 27, 1867, St. George Parish, Dorchester County, South Carolina; m. REBECCA ANN JOHNSTON.

Notes for MORGAN THOMAS APPLEBY, M. D.:

Morgan Thomas Appleby was a physician and planter in St. George Parish, Dorchester County, South Carolina. He graduated from the Medical College of South Carolina in 1836. According to the 1860 slave schedules (lists) he owned at least 57 slaves. The census for that year recorded real and personal estates valued at \$18,000 and \$38,000 respectively. In 1866, he paid taxes on four tracts, totaling 1,505 acres, in his home parish. (Compiler's note: I found it remarkable that he should have been able to pay these taxes, one year after the end of the War Between the States, when so many southerners were impoverished.)

He was elected to the State Senate and served from 1844 through 1861, on various committees. During the War Between the States, he served as Captain of Company C of the Twenty-fourth Regiment of South Carolina Volunteers and was promoted to Major prior to his resignation on June 1863. He and his brother, David, were in sixteen battles during the War. He served St. George Parish in many other offices.

Sometime in 1838, he was married. There are conflicting reports that his wife was Rebecca Ann

Johnston, or was Ann O'Brien. "Ann" is buried next to him at Appleby Churchyard but that name would fit either. There is no clarification at this time. At least two children were born to him.

More About MORGAN THOMAS APPLEBY, M. D.: Burial: Appleby Churchyard, St. George's Parish, Dorchester County, South Carolina

Generation No. 5

6. PETER RIDLEY⁵ APPLEBY (MARY⁴ RUMPH, DAVID³, DAVID², ______¹) was born April 12, 1801 in St. George Parish, Dorchester County, South Carolina, and died October 12, 1857 in Society Hill, Macon County, Alabama. He married MARTHA SARAH MINUS May 27, 1824 in South Carolina. She was born in South Carolina, and died July 24, 1881 in Society Hill, Macon County, Alabama.

Notes for PETER RIDLEY APPLEBY:

Peter Ridley Appleby, his wife Martha, and their children migrated to Macon County, Alabama in 1835. They were accompanied by his brother, Richard and wife Mary Givhan Rumph, and their family.

Some years before Peter and Richard came to Alabama some of the Rumph family, namely their mother's brother, their uncle Thomas David Rumph, and his wife Sarah Maxwell Rumph, had settled in the southern part of Macon County while it was still Indian Territory. So when Peter Ridley and Richard moved to Alabama, some of their mother's family were already settled there. Macon County was formed from the Creek Indian Cession in 1832.

Peter and Martha had nine children who are enumerated below. Daughter, Julia Elizabeth, who married George Henry Tally, was this compiler's direct ancestress. To find out more about them, read the family histories of the Appleby and Tally families.

SOURCES: Family Bibles; Census Records; Gravestones and Records of Little Texas Campground Cemetery, Macon County, Alabama; Land and Tax Records; Personal Knowledge of Family Members and Descendants. The above information was compiled by Jean Copeland Hayes, great great granddaughter of Julia Elizabeth Appleby and George Henry Tally.

More About PETER RIDLEY APPLEBY: Burial: Society Hill, Macon County, Alabama

More About MARTHA SARAH MINUS:

Burial: Little Texas Campground Cemetery, Society Hill, Macon County, Alabama

Children of PETER APPLEBY and MARTHA MINUS are:

- i. RICHARD STEPHEN6 APPLEBY, b. December 20, 1825.
- ii. MARTHA SARAH APPLEBY, b. January 29, 1828.
- iii. WILLIAM P. APPLEBY, b. August 17, 1829.
- iv. JULIA ELIZABETH APPLEBY, b. July 30, 1831.
- v. BENJAMIN FRANKLIN APPLEBY, b. August 30, 1833.
- vi. DAVID APPLEBY, b. April 20, 1838.
- vii. AUGUSTUS M. APPLEBY, b. May 06, 1841. viii. NARCISSA M. APPLEBY, b. June 08, 1843.
- ix. GEORGE CARTER APPLEBY, b. September 08, 1847.