

STONEY

April 3, 1991

Dear Dr. Peeples,

Thank you very much for your gracious letter, and invitation, written on Easter Day, 1991. My husband is very pleased at the possibility of his children being a recognized part of South Carolina history. Our letter of acceptance will go to Charleston soon.

Reed is also interested in knowing where his Pope connection might stand in relation to the Society of First Families. Barbara Jenkins (sister to Catherine Scott Jenkins Stoney), was married to Joseph James Pope whose ancestor, Thomas Pope, came to South Carolina from Virginia in 1690. Joseph James was the grandfather of Eddie if my information is correct.

We would like very much to visit with you again and maybe you can help answer some of these questions as well as clearing up some conflicting dates which we have encountered.

I have enclosed a copy of the new Samuel Reed Stoney "page" which I revised when we realized that Suzanne had not been acknowledged. We also corrected May Salley's name. It seems that she was named May Stoney at birth but baptised May Dickens. She is currently interested in DAR membership in Bella Vista, Ark. where she lives with her husband Howard J. Ross. Their daughter, Salley Ross Taylor was married

on February 9th, 1991 to Elias
Pinkney of Ridgeland and
continues to make Ridgeland
her home.

Thank you again for
your letter and we hope to
be seeing you again soon.

Sincerely,
Mary S. Salley