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# BURKHALTERS IN JOMES COUNTY, GEORGIA

Michael Burkhalter, R. S. (Senior and Junior mentioned)

Joshua Burkhalter, Rebecca Lane Burkhalter, James

Burkhalter, Jones Burkhalter, Annie-Mae Blanks Burkhalter,

Daniel Burkhalter.

The Hutchinson family married into the Burkhalter family in Warren Cty., and this name in included Nathaniel Hutchinson, A. L. Hutchinson and Daniel Hutchinson.

F. Fuss

# BURKHALTERS of JONES COUNTY

# Jones County

1820 Census of Jones County- Typed in Ordinary's Office.

Michael Burkhalter 45 plus years old.

#### 1850 Census

Michael Burkhalter age 89, Farmer, 800 Acres, Born in S.C.
Rebecca " 49 Born in Va.

# Marriage Book 1829-1843

Page 190 License
Michael Burkhalter and Mrs. Rebecca Lane
March 9, 1839
Charles MacCarthy, CCO

I certify that Mr. Michael Burkhalter and Mrs. Rebecca Lane were duly joined in matrimony by me this 21st day of Novr. 1839

A. B. Stephens, J. P.

Authentic List of All Land Lottery Grants Made to Veterans of the Revolutionary War by the State of Georgia- Authority of Ben W. Fortson.

Burkhalter, Michael- Jones County- 1827 Lot 132 Fortunate
Draw 19 Muscogee County Granted Nov. 22, 1834.

## Buckhalter, Mithael.

Index-Buckhalter, Michael Grantor John Loyd Deed Nov. 23, 1816 Apr. 18, 1817 In Book J. Page 124-- 12 dist lot 153-- 196A. Page 124.

"Georgia- This indenture made the twenty third day of November in the year of our Lors one thousand eight hundred and seventeen between John Lloyd of the County of Jones and state aforesaid of the one part and Michael Buckhalter of the same county and state of the other part witnesseth that the said John LLoyd for and in consideration of the sum of seven hundred dollars to him in hand paid by said Buckhalter at or before the sealing and delivering of these presents the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged hath granted bargained and sold unto said Buckhalter his heirs or assigns all that tract or parcel of land situate lying and being in the county of Jones containing one hundred and ninety six acres more or less being part of lot no one hundred and fifty three in the eleventh district Baldwin when surveyed now Jones County to Marke Strouds orphans beginning at the south corner of said tract running north forty five west twenty two and a half chains to a state corner on the original line thence north twenty two west fourteen chains to a rock thence north forty eight west seven chai: to the head of a branch thence down said branch to the original line thence north forty five east forty one chains to the original corner thence south forty five east forty five chains to the original corner then to the beginning together with all and singular the rights membersand appertinances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining to the said land and premises for the only use and benefit of him the said Michael Buckhalter his heirs or assignes forever in fee simple said John LLoyd for himself his heirs etc doth warrant and forever defend the above land and promasas against the claim of any person or persons whatsover claiming or to claim in ? whereof the said John Loyd hath hereunto set his hand and affaxed his seal the day and date first above written.

Signed scaled and delivered in presents of John English John Bayne J.P.

John LLoyd.

Georgia Clerks office Superior Court Recorded Jones County the 18th Day of April A.D. 1817

John R. Gregory Clk.

#### BUCKHALTER MICHAEL

Index, Buckhalter, Michael Grantee Andrew Land Sheriff Deed-Feb. 6, 1849- In Book R 267- 197A. 11th Dist. "State of Georgia

Whereas in obedience to a writ of Fieri Jones County Facias issued our of the Superior Court of the County of Jones at the suit of Thomas M Leroy administrator on the Estate of Vinson A. T. Buckhalter against Michael Buckhalter I Leroy Singleton Sheriff of the county aforesaid did lately seize the tract of land hereinafter described as the property of said Michael Buckhalter and after being duly and publicly advertised agreeable to law did on the sixth day of February in the year one thousand eight hundred and forty nine at the place of public sales in said county of Jones expose the same at public outcry when Andrew I. Lane being the highest bidder the same was knocked off to him at the price of sum of eighty hundred and fifty collars. Now this indenture made the sixth day of February in the tear of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty nine and in the seventy third year of the Independence of the United States of America between the said Leroy Singleton Sheriff aforesaid of the one part and the said Andrew I. Lane of the other part witnesseth that the said Leroy Singleton Sheriff as aforesaid for and in consideration of the sum of eight hundred and fifty dollars to him in hand paid by the said Andrew J. Lane at and before the scaling and delivery of these presents the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged hathybargained granted and sold and by these presents doth grant bargain and sell so far as the office of Sheriff authorized me unto the said Andrew J. Lane one hundred and ninety seven acres of land more or less lying in the eleventh district originally Baldwin now Jones County (number unknown) being the place whereon Michael Buckhalter now lives adjoining lands of William Reynolds and others- together with all and singular the rights members and appertanences unto the said tract of land being belonging or in any wise appertaining and also all the estate right title interest property claim and demand of the said Michael Buckhalter in law reuity or otherwise whatsoever of in or to the same to have and to hold the said trace of land and premises and every part thereof unto the said Andrew I. Lane his heirsand assigns to the only proper use benefit of the said Andrew I. Lane his heirs and assigns forever in fee simple in as full and ample a manner as the said Michael Buckhalter or his heirs and assigns did or might have held and enjoyed the same had it not

been seized and sold under the execution aforesaid

In witness whereof the said Leroy Singleton hath hereunto set his
hand and affixed his seal the day and year just above written

Signed scaled and delivered in the presence of Test G. G. Grisson

Leroy Singletom Sheriff E.S.

Recorded of Feb. 1849 Gilbert E. Thigpen Depy Clk Superior Court.

#### Michael Burkhalter

In Index Burkhalter, Michael Grantor Palatyre Strawter Deed Jan 10, 1839 Jan 12, 1839. Book P Page 621- Lot 179 11 Dist.

"Georgia Jones County

This Indenture made this the tenth-day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty nine between Palatyne Strawther of the county & state aforesaid of the one part and Michael Burkhalter senr of the same place witnesseth that the said Palatyne Strawther hath this day made and delivered to the said Michael Burkhalter senr her certain promisory note subscribed with her hand and bearing even date with these presents whereby the said palatine Strawther hath promised to pay the said Michael Burkhalter senr or bearer three hundred and six dollars and twenty four cents on or before the twenty fifth day of December next ensuing the date hereof for value received & now for and in consideration of the sum of five dollars by the said Michael Burkehalter senr to the said Palatyne Strawther in hand paid the receipt whereof is hereby acknow ledged as well as for the better securing the payment of the aforesaid promisory note the said Palatyne Strawther hath granted, bargained and sold and doth by these presents grant, bargain and sell unto the said Michael Burkhalter senr his heirs and assigns all that tract or parcel of land containing one hundred & fifty two acres and a half it being part of Lot (no 179) number one hundred and seventy nine in the eleventh district of Baldwin at the time of survey now Jones county To have and to hold said bargained premises to the said Michael Burkhalter senr his heirs and assigns to his and their own proper use, benefit and behoof forever, and the Palatyne Strowther, for herself her heirs, executors, and administrators the said bargained p emises unto the said Michael Burkhalter senr will warrant and forever defend against the claim of herself and her heirs and against the claim of all other persons whatsoover provided nevertheless that of the said Falatynexsx Strowther her heirs executors and administrators shall and do well andxx truly pay or cause to be paid unto the said Michael Burkhalter senr his heirs and assigns the aforementioned sum of three hundred and six dollars and twenty four cents on the day and time mentioned and appointed for the payment in the said promisory note mentioned with law-ful interest for the same according to the tenor of said note, then and from thenceforth as will this present indepture and the right to the property thereby conveyed as the said promissory note shall coase determine and be void to all interests and purposes In testimony whereof the said Palatyne Strowther hath hereunto set her hand and seal the day and year above written.

Palatyne X her mark Strowther Recorded the 12th day of January 1839 William Bro er Clerk.

Signed sealed and delivered in the presence of Dennis Springers, Wm. Candler, J.P.

#### Michael Burkhalter

Index. - Burkhalter, Michael Grantor David Aspy - Deed. Oct. 27, 1827 Oct. 29, 1827 Book N Page 379 lot 174-11 dist 1012 acres.

Page 379.

"Know all men by these presents that I David Aspy of Georgia
Jones County and commonwealth gentleman for and in consideration
of one hundred dollars forty five cents paid to me by Michael
Burkhalter Junior, the son of Joshua Burkhalter of the state & County
aforesaid Yeoman the receipt whereof I do hereby acknowledge do hereby give, grant, sell and convey to the said Michael Burkhalter
Junr his heirs & assigns a certain tract or parcel of land, one hundred
one & a quarter acres it being a part of lot number 174 formerly
Baldwin now Jones County, the 11th district of the former Bounded as offollows (viz) beginning at the north corner of Thomas Baizmores &
running north to the corner of Hartwell Millifords thence west to the
corner of Henry Candlers thence south to another corner of
said Candlers land thence east to the place of beginning to have
& to hold the same unto the said Michael Burkhalter his heirs &
assigns that I am lawfully seized in on the premises that they are
free of all incumbrances that I will warrant & will defend the
same to the said Michael Buckhalter his heirs & assigns forever
against the lawful claim & demands of all persons.

In witness whereoff I hereunto set my hand & seal this twenty

In witness whereoff I hereunto set my hand & seal this twenty seventh day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred twenty seven.

his mark

David X Aspy L.S.

Signed scaled & delivered in the presence of V. F. Burkhalter Michael X (his mark) Burkhalter John (his mark) Cain.

Georgia -Personally appeared before me Vincent I Burkhalter who after Jones Cty - being duly sworn saith that he say Michael Burkhalter make his mark as a witness to the within deed & that he also saw John Cain

make his mark as a witness to the within deed that he saw David Aspy sign the same by making his mark for the purpose therein contained

#### V. (T or I) Burkhalter

Recorded the 29th Oct. 1827

Sworn to & subscribed before me this 29th October 1827 Sol Hoge J.C.

JAMES BUCKHALTER

Buckhalter, James (Index) Grantor Green Whatley Deed Dec.29, 1818, Jan 22, 1819 Book K Page 115 Lot 156 11th district.
P. 115 .James Buckhalter, Jones County- lot 156 for six hundred dollars. Sgd.Green Whatley
in presence of David Perryman, John A. Beneley, James Gates. J.P.
Recorded 22nd day Janu. A.D. 1819

James Feagin D. Clk.

Bulkhalter, James (Index) Grantor James Roquemore by Sheriff Sheriff Deed Dec. 6, 1822, Feb.15, 1823. Book M. Page 230. 202 12 acres.

P. 230 Sold at public a ction baid by James (or Jones)
Buckhalter. (Still look more like Jones than James.)

Index- Burkhalter, Jones. Grantor Fhud Harris Deed May 27, 1818 Book K Page 21 11 dist lot 154. Book K Page 21 Page 21-

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#### JAMES BURKHALTER. or JONES. (Burkhalter)

Index-Burkhalter, James- Grantees Peter Rockmore- Deed- Nov. 15, 1821, Nov. 21, 1822-- In Book M Page 166, - Lot 154-51A
Page 166- Buckhalter, Jones, Rockmore, Putnam County, Signed James Burkhalter > Witnesses Ehud Harris, Joseph Brantley, Witnessed by Joseph Brantley, Chas. Phippes, J.P.; and Recorded 21st Nov. 1822 by Edwin Bowin, C.S.C.

Index-Burkhalter, Jones Grantee Charles Bayne- Deed- Dec. 6, 1822 In book M. Page 232- 202 A. Page 232- Both Jones County- Waters Oakmulgee River- Signed Jones

Page 232- Both Jones County- Waters Oakmulgee River- Signed Jones Burkhalter in presence of Shad F. Slatter, John D. Caton and witnessed by Slatter, Adam Carson, J. P. and Recorded by Edwin Bowin, C.S.C.

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Index Burkholder, et al Mrs. Annie Mae Blanks Burkholder, Grantee D. M. Moore-Deed. Sept 27, 1943 Book XX 187 415 acres Davidson suit.

Index Hutcheson Nathaniel, Jeremiah Bennett Deed-Mar. 3, 1810, Aug. 4, 1810 Book B, 418-7th dist lot 51.

Page 418-Signed Nathaniel Hutchinson Signed sealed and delivered in the presents of Daniel Hutchinson and John Bennett. Witnessed Clerk of ffice superior Court J. R. Gregory, Clerk that personally appeared before him John Bennett that he saw the within signed sealed and delivered also saw Daniel Hutchinson sign his name as one of the subscribers.

Index Hutchinson, A. L. Grant@e Mrs. Adele K. Ruan-Deed Dec 11 and 12 1941 Book WW 191-102-35 acres Finney Dist.

Page 191- A. L. Hutchison County of Bibb Ruan of Bibb.
11th dst. lot 95.

Index Artope William H. Grantors Benjamin F. Finney and Champion Drew Qc Deed and Deed Sept. 22, 1881 and Sept. 16th 1882. in Book V Page 10 On Ga RR lw acres - 12 acres. (Two pages.) Book V Page 11, to Sum of 600 dollars to William H. Artope of Bibb County land including rocm quary.

THE BURNHALTERS

By O. B. Colquitt Former Governor of Texas.

Taken from Southern Historical Research Magazine, Dallas, Texas. April, 1936.

"Now let me give you something about the family of my mother, Ann Eliza Burkhalter, whom I have never ceased to worship, though she has long since gone, more than to that bourne where the 'weary are at rest'. The lessons of trust and faith, and duty,

that she has taught me, have never been lost on me.
"Michael Burkhalter, the Senior, the first of my mother's ancestors in America, came to Savannah, Georgia in 173h, either from Holland or from Switzerland. The family tradition says from Holland, but it appears that in Faust and Brumbaugh's list of Swiss Emigrants in the 18th Century to the American Colonies, (volume 2 page 38) is a note translated which says that Hans Knobel has bought the homestead of Michael Burkhalter, who is believed to have emigrated to South Carolina and since 'Burkhalter emigrated without permission and paid no emigration tax, these 90 crowns (due by Knobel to Burkhalter) are confiscated by

the Landvogt for the use of the government.
"We have no records showing the date of his birth. He was evidently one of the 'Salzburger' protestants driven out of the Salza River valley in Austria by the Catholic Prince who beheaded their preachers and drove the Lutherans out of the Salza Valley by the thousands. In his charter for the colony of Georgia, Oglothorpe stated that the colony was intended to furnish an asylum for the persecuted Salzburgers and the imprisoned debtors of London. The first ship load of Salzburgers landed in Savannah and went up the river some thirty miles and established their own colony and called the town 'Ebinezer." Their original church built of brick made in the neighborhood is still standing. On the cupalo they had a white swan as an emblem of innocence until the Revolationary war when the British tore it down and made away with it, but a search for it has continued until now. The Camily tradition says that Michael Burkhalter was on the second ship load of emigrants + of Salzburgers and Moravians - on which John

and Charles Wesley were passengers to Savannah. "MIChael Burkhalter was granted 50 acres of land for himself and 50 for his eldest son. The Colonial Records of Georgia show that he later applied for 500 acres more of land for himself and five sons, which was granted to him by the Trustees of the Georgia of the Common Council of Georgia. The representative of the Trustees and Oglethorpe reported Michael Burkhalter to be the best planter in the Georgia Colony. He laid out and established a road to this land which is still called the Burkhalter road and is marked with a bronze tablet, placed by the Colonial Dames. His will is dated January 1, 1762, and soon thereafter he died. His will provided for the sale of his property for the use of his wife after his death, and at her death it was to go in equal parts to his children tof the first and second bed." The will contained a provision that because Investigation of the first and second bed." provision that because 'my mother-in-law, Catherine, always behaved obediently and dutifully to me, I do ordain that her child Mary Catherine, shall inherit an equal portion of all my children!

"His will was written in German and he made his pastor executor. His will indicated that he was twice married, but unfortunately we have no data as to the maiden names of either of his wives. He had five sons and two daughters. The Revolutionary records of land allotments in Georgia to soldiers in that war, the following were alloted land for service in the Revolutionary War: Michael (Jr.), Jacob, Joseph Rudolph, Peter, John and Joshua Burkhalter. John and Joshua were sons of Michael Jr., and I assume the others were brothers, nephews or sons of Michael Jr.

'Michael Burkmalter, Jr. was the eldest son of Michael Sr., already discussed. Michael Junior's two sons, Joshua and John, were like himself." soldiers in the Revolution. A certificate from Colonel E, Clark says. Michael was in the Mattle of Kettle Creek near Augusta where the Georgianwhipped the British. Besides Joshua and John, Michael had a daughter named Patsey. He was born in Alsaco-Lorraine in 1725 and died in Georgia, in 1828, aged 103 years. He came to Savannah, Georgia, with his father, from the old country in 1734. In 1750 he married a daughter of Conrade Densler, a farmer, near Savannah.

"John Burkhalter was the son of Micael Burkhalter, Jr.; and his wife, nee Densler, and was born in 1763, died in 1862, aged 99 years. He and his brother Joshua were buried on their farms near Pea Ridge (afterwards changed to Buena Vista) in Marion County. Ga. Their graves are marked as Revolutionary soldiers, though John's remains have been moved to Buena Vista cometery. John Burkhalter married Sarah (Hardin) Loyless, a widow, and the daughter of Henry Hardin, of Puttsylvania County, Va. who was also a soldier in the Revolutionary army. Tazwell was the original county seat, but it was moved to Pea Ridge, the center of the county, and the name changed to Buena Vista.

"David Newsom Burkhalter, son of John Burkhalter was born in Georgia. He was my grandfather, and I regret that I haven't the date and place of his birth. He married Ann Eliza Short, daughter of Saptain and Mrs. Thomas Short, Jr., who moved from Amelia County Virginia, to Georgis. He and his father, Major Thomas Short, Fr., were officers in the Continental Revolutionary army. Captain Short married his cousin, his mother being the sister of Col John Jones, and his wife Dorothy, Was the daughter of Colonel Jones, and the Jones family in Virginia ran back to Peter Jones the founder of Petersburg, Va.

"David Hewson Burkhalter and Ann Eliza Short's children were:

John Thomas Sally Ann Eliza Hettie. Flotaber Lucy Dowld Creekett

John Thomas, Sally, Ann Eliza, Hattie, Fletcher, Lucy, David Grockett

and Jennic.

and Jennie.

"Ann Eliza Burkhalter married Thomas Jofferson Colquitt at
Buena Vista, Ga. April 14, 1853. Their children were Eulalie, Ida,
(died in infancy), David Thomas, Oscar Branch, William Fletcher,
John Milton, and Pierce. (My grandmother named me: she had a brother named Branch Short, and the Short family in Virginia were connected in some way with the Branch families in Virginia and North Carolina, but I have not been able with the little research I have made to find the 'connecting link'). Ann Eliza Burkhalter Colquitt, my mother, died near Daingerfield, Morris County, Texas, in September, 1679.

My father died at Daingerfield in April 1885. They are buried in the Daingerfield Cemetery.

O. B. Colquitt." / (A study of Michael B. in S.C. records will show that he never left S.C. was granted land there and died there in 1804. The Ga. Michael paid his way as stated by Gov. Golquitt .. -- F. Fuss.)

THE BURKHALTERS WERE SALZBURGERS AND THE NAME WAS SPELLED

A NUMBER OF WAYS: BOURGHATTER, BOURGHALTER, BUCKHOLSTER,
BUCKHALTER, ETC.

THERE WERE A NUMBER OF MICHAELS IN THE PROVINCE BETWEEN 1735 AND 1850, ETC. A CAREFUL STUDY WAS MADE AND THE ACTHEMIC RECORDS GIVEN ON EACH.

THE FOLLOWING PAGES ARE ON MICHAEL, SENIOR AND JUNIOR OF GEORGIA. THESE WERE THE ORIGINAL SETTLERS IN GEORGIA.

(NOTE- See records on Michael of South Carolina, Jones County, Georgia, etc.)

(Also see The Burkhalters by former Governor of Texas, O. B. Colquitt)

Florric Baker Fuss (Mrs. John Pelham Fuss)

Major William Horton Chapter D.A.C. Mary Hammond Washington H. D.A.R. Col. T. Mardeman Chapter U.D.C.

IN LOVING MEMORY OF MY FATHER

# GEORGE FICKLEN BAKER

AND HIS FAMILY NAMES:

Burkhalter, Baker, Hutchinson, Newson, Bales, Johnson, Hardaway, Wood, Wilson, Harrison, Neal.

See article by Gov. O. B. Colquitt, and abstracts of Colonial Records. See article of another Michael Burkhalter in South Carolina.

A List of Early Settlers of Georgia- By The University of Ga. Press.

	ay to the Colony of Georgia.
155 Burgholder, Matthew-	
(Mich!1)	
	the end of the year 1746." (Note- I
•	checked the original and the name had been exased and should read Michil.
,	also see Colonial Records for
Non-onet	verification of name Mich'l. F. Fuss)
156, Margaret 157, Mich'l	"Son- His lot improved by his father.
157, Michil	
	the same joyning his, In the Colony the end of the year 1746."
158 (?)	"Wife of Mich'l Junr. & 5 children
± ) ( · /	more. In the colony the end of the
•	year 1746."
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Joan Titos
Persons who came under th	e Trust and at the expense of the Trust.
345 Denzler (?), Conrad	"Age 34, Farmer, Palatine Tr. Servt.
	arrived 20 Dec. 1737."
346, Hanah Wichi:	ne W. age 35, I suppose dead before
	Oct. 1739.

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Casper Hans Jacob

Henry Regula

Page #13 (119) At the University of Georgia Library in Athens, Ga.

D. age 7.

D., age 11

Son age 1. age 9

Son age 3. I suppose dead before 1739

"State of Hamstead June 1738. 4. Mich. Burgholder with 7 young children by a former wife, but his present wife is gone from him. Settled 2 years and more but little done, the first year by reason of sickness now 5 acres cleared and well planted with rice and pease besides one acre of English wheat which he had come to good maturit; and was ripe in May, very good housing. Mich. Burgholder, Junr. son of Mich, Senr. 24 acres cleared and planted with corn and pease under the care of his father.

(N.B. Burgholder, Holstatler, Houlster and Dester are Industrious and laborious men the rest of little account."

Note- From the above and reference to The Colonial Records of Georgia By Candler Vol. 6, Page 133 WG find that Michael Junior was married to a daughter of Conrad Densler in May 18, 1745 when he filed the petition to the Trust. She evidentally cared for the children of Michael Senior in 1746. His wife was named Anna as shown in later records in this article- F. Fuss. D.A.R. records of Mrs. Mamie Burkhalter Little give Michael Sr. born in Germany died 1762 and wife Barhara, the mother of Michael Jr. It lists Michael, Jr. born 1725 in Germany died at Jones Cty., Ga. 1828 and wife Martha Newsom. (Undeubtedly there is a mistake in wife Martha Newsom as Anna was married to Michael Jr. from 1745-1772 as shown in this record)

#### BURKHALTERS, MICHAEL SENIOR AND JUNIOR Page 2.

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Page 208 Year 1740

"Those at Hamstead have shewn their industry with very little success, and the they have been well supported but tired with their experiments on land so little fruitful, they have all left it but one man, who is a Switzer and having some cattle is in hopes of better things."

Page 241- "Petition of the Malcontents in Savannah to his Majesty, or to the Parliament as their agents in England should advise" - Signed December 1740. On page 462 has "Michl. Bugholster Junr."

Vol. 10 V14206 Page 45 (85)

"Malcontents 7 Oct. 1741 & 9 Nov. 1741- "Michl Burgholder."

See Will of Michael Sv. dated 1762. (attached)

The Georgian- 1/30 Page 2 Col. 5 Newspaper in Savannah Library.

Buckhalter, Michael- "Statement of claims allowed by the Commissioner appointed by the President of the United States, under the 4th article of the Treaty concluded with the Creek Nation, on the 8th day of January, 1821, to ascertain the balance that may be due by the Creek Nation to the citizens of the State of Georgia, agreeable to the said Article of Treaty and the agreement between the Commission of Georgia and the Creek Nation." ----1778-81 Burkhalter, Michael 607 50.

Georgia Gazette- Page 1 Col. 1 3/22/1792.

This is regarding foreclosure of 50 acres in Vernonburg, bounded on N W by land owned by Michael Burghaster.

Conveyances 1772-1774- Vol. 2 20th Dec. 1769 (On microfilm in library.)

"Between Michael Burghatter Farmer and Province of Georgia and Anna his wife of the one part and Frederick Herb of the Town of Savannah" - - "sum of twelve pounds sterling money." ---"Lot No. 11 50 acres Village of Hampstead in the Parish of Christ Church." - - Signed - "I Anna Burghatter wife of the within Michael Burghatter do hereby acknowledge and declare that without any manner of compulsion or fear from my said Husband or any other persons I did consult to and join with him in the within written deed purporting to be a conveyance of a tract of land therein described unto Frederick Herb within named his heirs and assigns and I do renounce and relinquish all right and title of Dower or other estate whatsoever which I now have or may hereafter claim in or to the premises or any part thereof as witness my hand and seal." Acknowledged before me Recorded 29th October 1772. (ABB Burghalter).

Stephen's Diary- July 16, 1744 Dec. 31, 1745.

Page 595 (338) Account of Silk worm seed delivered to Sundries in the year 1744-- Mich. Bourghatter at Hamstead 1. Silk Balls received in the year 1741 From Mich. Bourghalter at Hampstead 6. 10.

Hampstead 6, 10.
Buckhalter Land Grants Archives, Atlanta (2 to Michael Buckhalter)
Christ Church C 382-50 1761. Homestead C 380-50 1761.

"Georgia

"By His Honour James Wright Esquire Lieutenant Governor and Commander in Chief of His Majesty's said Province Chancellor and Ordinary of the same:

"Personally appeared before me John Eppinger being one of the subscribing witnesses to the last Will and Testament Michael Burkhalter late of Acton in Christ Church Parish planter, deceas'd, being duly sworn on the Holy Evangelists made oath that he was personally present and did see the Testator sign, seal, publish, pronounce, and declare the same to be and contain his last Will and Testament and that he was of sound and disposing mind and memory to the best of his knowledge and belief and the (torn off) with George Derick and David Unseld sign'd their names as witnesses to the said Will at the request and in the presence of the testator and in each other's presence

"At the same time the Revid. John Joachim Tubby (may be Lubby) and Christopher Ring named Executors qualified as such before me- Given under my hand this Eighth day of January 1762.

. J. Wright

Recorded 19th Jan'y 1762 Colonial Wills Book AA pp 75"

The State Department of Archives and History 1516 Peachtree Street N.W. Attanta, Ga.

#### BURKHALTERS

COLONIAL

DEPARTMENT OF STATE
BEN W. FORTSON, JR.
Secretary of State
Atlanta 3, Ga.

#### \*COPY\*

In the name of God Amen: This is the last will of Michael Burkholder, Planter. My will is that whenever I am taken out of this world (my) Executors hereafter mentioned shall sell everything that belongs to me whe(rest of word missing) consisting of Land, negroes household goods or anything else Nothing (illegible) except my wife's bed & a few necessaries toward house-keeping which (illegible) The purchase money said Executors shall lay out on Interest on sufficient security, & from the Interest my wife & daughter shall be (illegible) maintained during her natural life & if the interest should prove insufficient for that purpose the Executors may break in upon the Principal yet they make it their care to preserve it as much entire as may be possible (illegible) my will that after the Decease of my wife all that remains shall be equally divided between all my children of the first & second Bed whereas my sister-in-law (?) Catherine always behaved obediently & dutifully to me, I do ordain that her Child Mary Catherine shall inherit an equal portion (word missing) all my children. I appoint the Revd. Mr. Tubby, Mr. Wm. Russell & Mr. Christopher Ring my Executors revoke all former wills and declare this to be my last Will & Testament done January first 1762

the mark of X Michael Burkhalter

Signed & Sealed in Presence of the Testator by the following Witnesses who were present at the Testators signing & sealing Signed

> John Eppinger George Derick

# Estates, Inventories, 1754-71 Page 108.

"In appraisement of the Estate of Michael Burghalter deceased

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Primus	20					
Simon						
Tuby	15					
Coffee	25					
	20					
Florah	20				, eds	
York	12					
The crop of Rice unthreshed	20					
Crop of Ryo	1	5				
A stone mill 10/A sieves 11/.3		- ·	. ,			
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Some Dutch Books 20/2 guns or						
swords 20/	2		,			Ę .
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Recorded 15 April 1762.

# THE FOLLOWING RECORDS WERE ABSTRACTED FROM THE COLONIAL RECORDS OF GEORGIA By CANDLER

THEY CONTAIN ALL REFERENCES TO THE BURKHALTER FAMILY AS CONTAINED IN THE INDEX OF EACH VOLUME AND THE GENERAL INDEX TO THE COLONIAL RECORDS AT THE UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA.

VOLUME 26 IS THE LAST VOLUME PUBLISHED BUT
THE OTHER VOLUMES ARE ON MICROFILM AT THE
UNIVERSITY AND IN THE GEORGIA STATE ARCHIVES.

THE NAME IS SPELLED AS FOLLOWS: BOURGHALTER,
BOURGHATTER, BURCKHALTER, BURGHALTER, BURGHOLDER,
BURGHOLTER, BURKHOLDER, BOURGHOUTER AND BUCKHALTER.

F. FUSS.

BURKHALTERS -- (BOURGHATTER, BUCKHALTER, &ETC.)

ABSTRACTS.

From THE COLONIAL RECORDS OF GEORGIA by Candler.

Vol. 1, Page 404.

Recommended- Land Grant 1742 of 500 acres too Michael and five sons besides 2 lots which he and one of his sons held. A very industrious family. Vol. 2, Page 106- Granted.

Vol. 6, Page 4.

Dated Oct. 16, 1741- Requests grant 500 ac. for himself and numerous family- 5 sons and 2 daughters intending raise & build water mill for grinding corn. Michael considered a Genius for such undertaking. Had been in Hampstead for five years.

Page 133- Petition of Michael Bourghalter, Junior in behalf of wife Daughter of Conrade Densler asking for allowances under the Trust, May 18, 1745.

Vol. 8, Page 379.

483 acres in Christ Church Parish-. Page 618- two grants 50 acres each in Hampstead Village.

Vol. 9, Page 94.

March 1767- Read petition of Rodolph Burghatter setting forth he had been in the Province for thirty years and had no land granted, asks for land having a wife and six children.

Vol. 10, Page 430.

1768- His Excellency the Governor signed following grant Rodolph Burghalter 400 acres in St. Phillips Parish.

Vol. 18, Page 90.

Boundaries of land grants. Michael Bourghalter and others\_appointed surveyors.

Page 2/44- Burghalter, Randolph collector and assessor for Vernonburgh and Acton.

■ Vol. 23, Page 143.

List of settlers of Vernonsburgh, Acton, Highgate, Hamstead and Ebenezer, Letter from Mr. Dobell to Trustees of Georgia. List of Freeholders mentions Michael Burkholder.

Page 439- Michael Burckholder of Hampstead considered "of all others in the whole Colony the best Planter; Skilful, Industrious, Master of several hand craft trades such as millwright, wheelright, cooper and carpenter! Eldest son shoemaker and carpenter, eldest daughter, a tailor and five younger children trained daily in those trades. Gareful of observing the Lord's day and performing religious duties in his family.

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Abstracts from THE COLONIAL RECORDS OF GEORGIA - By Candler

Vol. 23, (cont@d), Page 485.

Inhabitants of Vermonburgh request Trustees for Pastor 1742.

A pastor well grounded and settled in the Calvinisticall principles of Religion, God fearing, hating coveteousness. Ask that they send the Rev, John Joachim Zubli of St. Gall in Switzerland. (He was the son of David Zubli of Purrisburgh in Carolina. Expresses deepest appreciation to Trustees and first name in signature is Michael Burckhalter.

Vol. 24, Page 33.

Humble petition of German and French Inhabitants of Savannah to His Excellency General Oglethorpe in behalf of Lord Chiffelle. Many signatures including Michel Burkhalter in the name of the Germans.

Page 172- Concerning disturbance of Mr. Avery.

Vol. 25, Pages 29 & 30.

Letter from Michael Burkhalter to the Trustees expressing appreciation for their goodness to the poor German Protestants, giving the conditions in the Colony and telling of the need of a market.

#### BURKHALTERS

Taken from the GENERAL INDEX TO THE COLONIAL RECORDS OF GEORGIA By CANDLER at the U. of Ga. Microfilm Dept. These are not listed in Book Index or were inadvertently overlooked.

#### ABSTRACTS

Vol. 5, Page 554.

Oct. 16, 1741- Grant of 500 acres to Michl. Burghalter, about 2 miles & upwards S.E. from Hamstead.

Vol. 6, Page 83

Nov. 2, 1743- "Some doubts arising concerning the Bounds of Several Lots in Acton by the report of Mr. Avery, Surveyor. It is ordered that the Surveyor do take Sundry Persons of good repute with him in order to measure the number of chains between the Bounds of Hamsted and Burghalter's 500 acre Tract and accordingly John Pye, Nicholas Rigby and James Papot were pitch'd upon."

Page 401July 3, 1753- "situated between Acton and Vernonburgh partly adjoining to lands possessed by Michael Burghalter. The Board ordered fifty acres of land to be laid out for the said Casper Herbach west of lands possessed by Michael Burghalter Senr.---"

Vol. 7, Page 195

June, 1755- Read a Petition of Rodolph Burghalter of this Province praying for one hundred and fifty acres of Land. Ordered That the said Petition be postponed."

Page 551May 1757- Petition of George Motts for 50 acres of land "at Hamstead joining lands of Michael Burghalter which if granted he promised to cultivate."

Page 553Petition of George Knapp for 150 acres of Land at Hamsted near to or adjoining lands of Michael Burghalter -- " May 1757.

Page 581Petition of Georgee Motts for fifty acres at Hampstead joining lands of Michael Burghalter - - - "

#### BURGHALTERS Colonial Records

ABSTRACTS

Vol. 8, Page 111

August 1759. Meeting of Council held at Savannah, Aug. 10, 1759. Whereas on the fourth Day of April 1758 Petition was performed to the Governour by sundry persons subscribing on behalf of themselves and other Inhabitants of the Townships of Vernonburg and Acton praying certain portion of land then-to-fore set apart and appropriated for the use of a Minister of the Gospel among them might be surveyed and ascertained that grant be ordered to pass for same which was granted and ordered to pass unto John Joachim Zubli, Michael Burghalter, Simon Gernig, George Uland, George Torey, John Matthias and Thomas Fraser in trust for the use and purpose of aforesaid. Edmund Tannatt Esqr on behalf of some of the inhabitants of Vernonburg entered a caveat against the grant passing but withdrew and the Board duly weighing the matter and no sufficient reason appearing for altering their form ordered the grant to pass.

Page 573Nich Haner for fifty acres "of marsh land lying between the lines of land surveyed for Christopher Rink and Michael Burghalter for the benefit of a mill then building.

Vol. 10, Page 169

May 1767 Two hundred acres of Marsh and Hammocks at Acton to join land heretofore Burghalter's and purchased by him of John Joachim Zubli. Petition of

Vol 10, Page 94.

Petition of Rodolph Burghalter setting forth that he had been thirty years in Province - had no land granted -- desirous to obtain for cultivation having a wife and six children -- four hundred acres on south side of Great Ogechee join land John -- Kaddick about half mile from place called Eatton's Garden.

Page 95- On condition only that the Petitioner doth take out grant for said land within seven months from this date - - doth register in the Registers Office of Ga - - within six months from date - - that His Majesty may not be defrauded of his quit Rent the said prayer is granted one hundred acres - - -

Page 363- Read a Petition of Rodolph Burghalter setting forth he had ordered four hundred acres upon Great Ogechee which had been surveyed and a plan thereof returned into the Surveyor General's Office but the time was elapsed in which a grant ought to have passed - - praying that not withstanding lapse of time grant for said land and Surveyor General might be ordered to prepare and certify a plan thereof.

Resolved that on condition only that the Petitioner doth take out grant within two months and register in six months would be granted.

#### BURKHALTERS - COLONIAL Records.

Abstracts.

Vol. 18 Page 90. (In Fulls)

"To impower the several Surveyors hereafter named to lay out Public Roads in the Province of Georgia 1755. "and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid that the land from the Town of Savannah to the Villages of Hamstead and Highgate, Acton and Vernonburg including the Inhabitants of Acton and Vernonburg, the settlements to the southward of Vernonburg on Vernon River and the Inhabitants to the eastward of the south west road aforesaid shall be the southern district and St. Patrick Houston, Edmund Tennatt, Michael Bourghalter, George Uland, David Keiffer Junr. and George Derick shall be, and they are hereby appointed Surveyors of the Highways for the said District."

Vol. 23, Page 473

List of produce of corn, pease & potatoes betwixt Christmas 1741 & Christmas 1742.

Michael Bourghalter 141 Bu. corn, 12 Bu. pease 2512 potatoes value 10..12..72.

Page 476
Dutch Town at White Bluff upon Vernon River now settled.
Lands adjoining "Burtholders, a Switz."

Vol. 24, Page 143

Account of all Possessions & Claims in Towns "40 is an account of Vernonburgh, 41 of Acton, 42 Of Michael Burkholders 500 acre Tract.

Page 179- Concerned the error "Was on account of Michael Burgholder who was settled on the adjoining mile has 36 acres more than his due.

State of Georgia.

This Indenture made this tenth day of May in the year of our Lord, one thousand seven hundred & ninety two and in the sixteenthyear of the Independence of the United States of America, between John Michael Buckhalter of the said State & County of Effingham of the one part and Jacob Reddick & Peter Reddick of the County of Durke of the other part Witnesseth that the said John Michael Buckhalter for and in consideration of the sum of one hundred pounds lawful money of the said State to him i hand and well & truly paid by the said Jacob & Peter Reddick & before the sealing and delivery of these presents the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, I the said John Michael Buckhalter hath granted, barga ned 3 sold and aliened, released & confirmed & by these presenth doth grant, bargain, sell % alien, release and confirm unto the said Jacob & Peter Reddick & to their heirs & assigns forever All that tract or parcel of land containing four hundred acres be the same more or less, situating, lying and being in the County of Burke bounded westwardly by lands of Mordecai Sheftall, north by land of William Phillips, Hastwardly by lands of Major Hurst and Charles Simons, South by lands of Francis Parris, together with all and singular the houses, buildings & improvements, rights, issues & profits, privileges, commodities & all the rights, title, interest, appurtenance, benefits, claim and demand whatsoever to the said land and all. aprurtenances & water courses thereunto belonging or in anywise thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining thereunto. To have and to hold the said tract of land and all & singular the premises above mentioned with their & every of their rights, members and appurterances, together with all's singular the writings touching or any wise concerning the same or any part thereof to the only proper use benefit ? behoof of the said Jacob and Peter Reddick, their heirs "assigns forever " the said John Wichael Buckhalter for himself . his heirs ? assigns, doth warrant & defend the said tract of land & premises above mentioned all every rart & parcel thereof unto the said Jacob ' Peter Reddick their heirs & assigns & against all \* every person or persons whatsoever shall ? will forever warrant & defend by these presents. In witness whereof the said John Michael Buckhalter have hereunto set my hand & seal the

PAGE 2 CERTIFIED COPY DEED JOHN MICHAEL BUCKHALTER TO JACOF \* PETER REDDICK day & year above written. Signed, sealed and delivered in presence of: James Long James Glisson John Michael Buckhalter (Wafer Seal) Frans Paris Received the day & year first within written of from the within named Jacob Reddick & Peter Reddick one hundred pounds being the consideration of money within named. John Michael Buckhalter Recorded this 3rd day of December, 1828. Seaborn Goodall C. S. C. S. C. Georgia, Screven County. The printed matter on the foregoing page and  $\frac{1}{2}$  is an exact copy of a deed as appears of record in the office of the Clerk of Superior Court, Screven County Georgia, in deed book "L", on page 245-246. Given under my hand and seal of the Court, this July 26, 1958. Yerk Superior Court, Screven County, Os

#### BURKHALTERS

Washington Memorial Library, Macon, Ga. Microfilm Records compiled by Mrs. Julian C. Lane of Statesboro, Georgia.

#### Lang Historical Collection- F Ga. 2 Pt. 2 on page 74

Washington D.c. Land grant to (1752) Martha Burkhalter in Warren Co., Ga. The Scotts and Reeves coming in later from Va. I have records of 7 Burkhalters fighting in the Revolution in Ga, (2 brothers and their sons.) (--Mrs. J. F. Mamie Burkhalter Little).

Page 82- Bacon Falls, Conn. #312- April 29, 1932.

My grandmother Mary Miller was born in Bullock County, Ga. the daughter of James Turner and Nancy Redd, came from Barnwell Dist. S.C.

My great grandfather, William Charles Woodward married Celia Buckhalter, but I have nothing of her ancestry- J. W. Woodward.

(West Woodward, exam. est. of Samuel Moore.)

# Page 59 F Ga. 2 Pt k.

Abbeville Co. Chastain C. Buckhalter wit: the will of Rame Chastain in South Carolina Jan. 27,  $1786^{\circ}$ .

# Page 43 F Ga. 2 Pt. 5

Sarah Ann Burkhalter born 1827 married Sherod Tomlinson of Clinch Co., Ga.

#### F Ga. 2 Pt. 6

Warren County Marriages.

- P 106 James Buckhalter married Kiddy Bazemore
  Sally Buckhalter John K. Reeves
  P 104 Patsy Buckhalter Wm. Hutchinson
  P 102 Nancy Buckhalter Daniel Hutchinson.
- Wills on file in Secretary of States (Ga.) Office

P 79 Michael Burkholder 1762.

#### Lang's Court Records F. Ga. 2

Page 126

1862 Oct. Peter Buckhalter deceased no will John M. Buckhalter Administrator. (This is in Tattnall Co. Records.)

#### BURKHALTERS

## GEORGIA LANDMARKS MEMORIALS AND LEGENDS\* KNIGHT. Vol. 2 Page 869

"John, Burkhalter the latter's (David N.) father was a Revolutionary soldier whose grave on a plantation some few miles out from Buena Vista is soon to be marked by Tamahassee Chapter of the D.A.R. Mr. Burkhalter was one of the earliest pioneer settlers of the county of Marion and a man from whose loins have sprung a host of descendents including the present distinguished chief magistrate of Texas, Governor O. B. Colquitt.

Page 870-"Mr. David N. Burkhalter to whose vigorous initiative the removal of the county seat was due, donated the land-on which the court house, the Methodist Church and other buildings were located."

Page 869- "But the most dominant figure among the early settlers of Pea Ridge was David N. Burkhalter, who removed to Pea Ridge from Tazewell in 1845 Mr. Burkhalter was a Methodist preacher, a large property owner and a man of wide influence in public affairs. He was one of the first citizens of the county to represent Marion in the State Legislature. It was long before any railroad penetrated this section and he usually made the trip to Milledgeville behind two mules. While a resident of Tazewell he built a church for the Methodists but on changing his residence to Pea Ridgem he moved the church too."

Ceorgia, Scriven County:

This Indenture made this fourth day of November in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred & twenty eight between Peter Reddick Administrator of the Estate of Turner Braswell de ot. late of the State & County aforesaid of the one part & James Mobley of the other part, both parties of the State & County aforesaid. The said Peter Reddick, Administrator as aforesaid, did on the day of the date hereof at the place of public sales in the said County expose the following described tract of land at public o tory, after being duly & publicly advertised agreeable to law & in pursuance of an order of the Honorable the Inferior Court of said County when setting for ordinary purposes on the first day of September last, when the said James Mobley being the highest bidder the same was knowled off to him at the price or sum of Two hundred dollars. Now this Indenture Witnesseth that the said Peter Reddick, Administrator as aforesaid for and in-censiderationof the said sum of two hundred do llars to him in hand paid at and before the sealing & delivery of these presents, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, hath granted, bargained and sold & by these presents doth grant, bargain and sell unto the said James Mobley his heirs & assigns forever. All that tract of lad containing Two hundred acres originally granted to John Michael Buckhalter on the twenty fourth day of April - one thousand seven hundred % eighty six by his Excellency Edward Telfair adjoining at that time lands of Wm. Phillips & Mordicia Sheftall to the S. W. and on all other sides by vacant land, lying on or near what is called Sheftall's branch, and at present adjoining lands

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CERTIFIED COPY DEED FROM PETER REDDICK, ADMINISTRATOR ESTATE OF TURNER BRASWELL dec'd. - PAGE 2#

members & appurtenances thereunto belo ging or in any wise appertaining. To have and to hold the said tract of land & all & singular the premises aforesaid with their & every of their rights, members & appurtenances aforesaid unto the said James Mobley his heirs & assigns & to his & their own proper use, benefit & behoof forever in fee simple against me the said Peter Reddick, Administrator aforesaid & my heirs & assigns. In which whereof I the said Peter Reddick, Administrator aforesaid hath hereunto set my hand & seal the day & year first afore written.

Signed, sealed and delivered

in presence of
Seaborn Goodall
Mulford Marsh
Not. Pub.

Peter Reddick, Admr. (L. S.)
Est. of Turner Braswell, ded'd
The word "ninety" in the second line from the bottom of the first page, obliterated before signed.

Recorded this 1st day of January, 1829.

Seaborn Goodall C.S.C.S.C.

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Georgia Screven County.

The printed matter on the foregoing page and 1 is an exact copy of a deed as appears of record in the office of the Clerk of Supertor Court, Screven to nty Georgia in deed book "L" at page 246-247.

Civen under my hand and seal of the Court, this July 26, 1958.

Clerk Superior Court, Screven County, Ca.

# BURKHALTERS IN SOUTH CAROLINA

(Note- See Michael Burkhalter of S.C. under his name.)
Contained in this record:

Babi Buckhalter, Christian Buckhalter, David Buckhalter, William Buckhalter, Peter Buckholtz, Christopher Buckhalter, Jos. Buckhalter, John Buckhalter, Marion Buckhalter, Dr. C. M. Buckhalter, Helen Burkhalter, Nancy Burkhalter, Barbery Buckhalter Norris, John Buckhalter, Mary Buckhalter Griffis, Betsy Buckhalter Morris.

#### BURKHALTERS SOUTH CAROLINA

See Michael on separate pages.

LISTS OF SWISS EMIGRANTS IN THE EIGHTEENTH CENTURY TO THE AMERICAN COLONIES. FAUST. Vol. 2 (Carnegie Library in Atlanta.)

Pages 29 & 30- "From Landvogter formerly a part of the Bishopric of Basel. Some French others German Anabaptists. Babi Burckhalter paid tax before imigrating."

Page 24

Emigrated to America in the thirties- Burkhalter.

COPY OF THE ORIGINAL INDEX BOOK SHOWING THE REVOLUTIONARY CLAIMS IN S.C.-Kept by James McCall Auditor/General.

Between Aug. 20, 1783 and Aug. 31, 1786

Page 28

Nos. Returns

Buckhalter Christian David

50

William

50

#### STUB ENTRIES TO INDENTS FOR REVOLUTIONARY CLAIMS. SOUTH CAROLINA.

Page 6 Issued 6th May 1785 to Mr. Peter Buckholts Vol. R-T for militia.

Page 33 No. 207 Book U Issued the 9 of July 1785 to Vol. U-W Mr. Christopher Buckhalter for three pounds & eight pence sterling for provision & saddle impressed in 1781 as per acct. audited.

> Noo 206 Book U Issued the 9 July 1785 to Mr. William Buckhalter for seven pounds eight shillings and six/pence three farthings sterling for duty done in the militia as per acct audited.

Page 34 No. 208 Book U Issued the 9 of July 1785 to Mr. David Buckhalter for two pounds two shillings and ten pence farthing sterling for duty done in the militia as per account audited.

#### 1790 Census South Carolina 96 District Edgefield County.

Page 62 Males 16 plus under 16 Females under 16 Slaves Buckhalter, Christian Buckhalter, David **3** Buckhalter, Jos.

"NOV. 9, 1773 - John Buckhalter came to Ga. from S.C. wife 6 sons 2 daughters from 16 years to 6 mos.

BOUTH CAROLINIANS IN THE REVOLUTION Sara Sulligan Ervin. Revolutionary Soldiers from South Canolina to Georgia-Buckhalter, Marion Page 120.

Ancestral Roll. S.C. D.A.R. Buckhalter, David.

# BURKHALTERS SOUTH CAROLINA Page 2.

HISTORY OF EDGEFIELD COUNTY SOUTH CAROLINA By Chapman

Burkhalter, Dr. C. M. (Write up of character only.)

SOUTH CAROLINA HISTORICAL & GENEALOGICAL MAGAZINE Page 104

A Palatine Family in S.C. Story of Dr. Albert Quattlebaum Family & wife Harriett Susan Killen- son Julian Killen married Helen Burkhalter, practising physician, Savannah, Georgia.

ABSTRACT OF WILL OF CHRISTIAN BUCKHALTER From Court House Edgefield County-- (See Will in Full attached).

South Carolina Soldiers and Patriots By Leonardo Andrea. Pemphlet.

Page 10- Christopher Euckhalter (6)
Served in the Cherokee War under Col. John Chevilette
whose men were mainly from Borkeley Ct y.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

WILL BOOK "A"

EDGEFIELD DISTRICT

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#### LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF CHRISTAIN BUCKHALTER

IN THE NAME OF GOD AMEN:

I, Christain Burkhalter of the State and County aforesaid, being in perfect memory, but weak in body and calling to mind that it is ordained for all man kind one to die, do make and constitute this my last Will and Testament.

lst. I give to my dutiful daughter Nancy Burkhalter, one horse to be of the value of sixty dollars.

2nd. I lend to my loving wife Mary Burkhalter all my estate during her natural life, all my estate both real and personal, and at her death to be equally divided between my children in the following manner: I give to my daughter Nancy one negro boy, named Peter to her and her heirs forever, and the remainder and the remaining part in the following manner, (Viz) To Barbery Morris, I give one fifth part to her and her heirs lawfully begetting her body. To John Burkhalter one fifth part forever, to Nancy and her heirs lawfully begotting of her body forever, to Mary Griffis one fifth part forever, to Betsy Morris one fifty part to her and her heirs lawfully begotten of her body forever, and Lastly I appoint my friend John Martin, my son John Burkhalter and my Son-in-law John Griffis, Executors of this my Last Will and Testament.

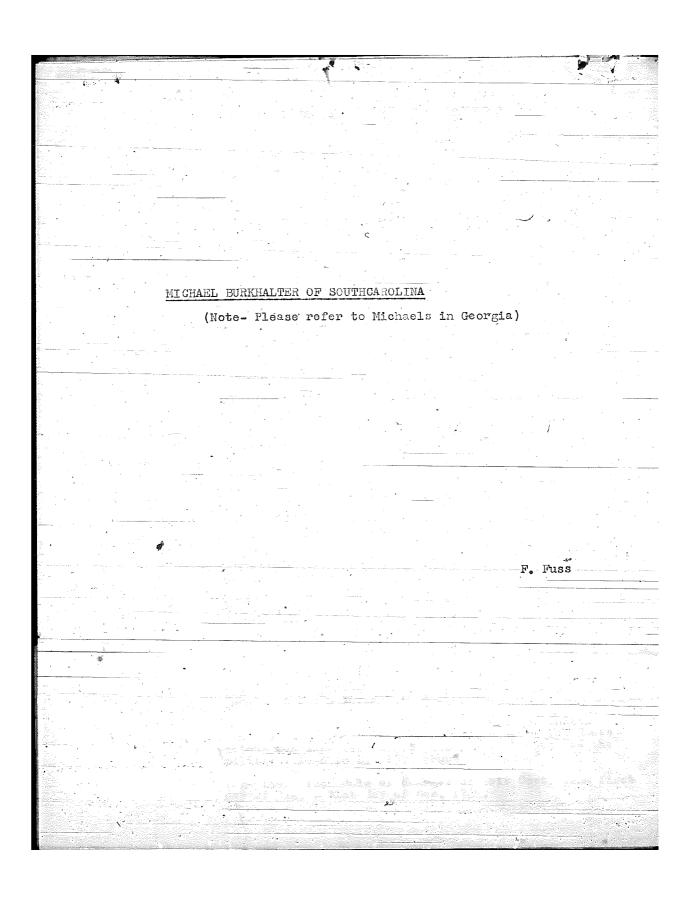
IN WITNESSES I have put my hand and seal this 25th of December 1792.

Witnesses presence:

Christain X Burkhalter (SEAL)
mark

John Cheney, Jr. William Wade

Recorded: March Term 1799



#### MICHAEL BURKHALTER OF SOUTH CAROLINA

"The name which signifies 'Keeper of the Castle", is quite common in Switzerland." THE NATIONAL CYCLOPEDIA OF AMERICAN BIOGRAPHY. Vol. XVIII Page 407.

See Michaels in Ga. LISTS OF SWISS EMIGRANTS IN THE EIGHTEENTH CENTURY TO THE AMERICAN COLONIES. Faust. Vol. 2 (Carnegie Library in Atlanta.)

1735

Page 38- "Burkhalter- 1735, Nov. 3, Brandis, Amtsrechnung. Hans Knobel of Schaufelbuhl in the commune of Lutzelfluh in the district (amt) of Brandis has bought the homestead of Michael Burckhalter, who is believed to have emigrated secretly to carolina, and still owes him a sum of 90 crowns. Since Burckhalter emigrated without permission and paid no emigration tax, these 90 crowns are confiscated by the Landvogt for the use of the government. (Lutzelfluh now belongs to the district of Trachselwald.)"

THE DEPARTMENT OF ARCHIVES SOUTH CAROLINA, at Columbia S.C. From Mr. F. M. Hutson, Asst. to Director.

1755

"300 acres were surveyed for him in Granville County on Steven's Creek in 1755. Stevens Creek is in the section which later became Edgefield District, now County." (See—photostat copy of Land Grant in Washington Memorial Library.)

JOURNAL OF THE COMMON HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY OF SOUTH CAROLINA. Jan. 8, 1765- Aug. 9, 1765. Edited by A. S. Salley, State Historian of South Carolina.

1765

Page 13- "Buckhalter Michael, two accounts for Indian expence and one account for Provisions for the Rangers amounting to 17 pounds." (Tuesday 15th day of Jan. 1765.)

Page 51- "Buckhalter, Michael, two accos for Indian Expence & one accot for Provisions for the Rangers the accot for Indian Expences are not attested and the later being for Rangers, the comice cannot, allow these accos." (Tuesday 5th Mar. 1765.)

Page 64- "Then the House took into Consideration the Report of the Committee appt, to audit the Public accounts from 1 to 76 and the House disagreed to the account number 16 and allowed thereon to Michael Buckhalter for the Indian Expences 10.4.6 pounds and to Provisions furnished the militia 7.17.6 etc."

Page 66- "Buckhalter Michael 2 accounts for Indian Expences, and one for Prov. for the Rangers' the House allows for Expences 10.4.6 pounds & for Provs. to the militia 7.17.6 in all 18.2 pounds allowed."

Page 169- "(Schedule of charges of this Govt. from first day of Jan. - 31st day of Dec. 1764.

### MICHAEL BURKHALTER OF SOUTH CAROLINA Page 2.

"For Indian Expences
"For Engertainment of Indians Pounds 10.4.6
Page 171 "Michael Buckhalter, for Provisions 7.17.6."

#### ABSTRACT BY MRS WARREN THORPE.

MEMORIAL Page 201. South Carolina

1768 1772 Michael Burkhalter, 300 acres on Head of Royals Creek; granted, 4/29/1768 to John Buckhalter, who 11/2-3/1769 conveyed it to said Michael. Entered 4/23/1772.

See Will of Michael attached.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA EDGEFIELD DISTRICT WILL BOOK "A" PAGE 393

# LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF MICHEAL BUCKHALTER

IN THE NAME OF GOD AMEN:

I, Micheal Buckhalter of the State and District aforesaid, being in sound health and memory, but calling to mind the uncertainty of life do make, and ordain this my Last Will and Testament in manner and form following.

FIRST: I commit my body to the earth to be buried in a decent manner at the discreation of my Executors here after named and my soul to return to God who gave it.

SECONDLY: " I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife Ann Buckhalter my negro woman named Bet during her natural life, and after her decease the said negro woman Bet is to be set free by my Executors. And I also leave my beloved wife the plantation where I now live together with all my working tools, and household property and all my live stock of every set and denomination whatsoever which is not\_otherwise despose of in my natural life, and after the decease of my beloved wife Ann Burkhalter all my working tools, I give and bequeath unto my youngest son Henry Buckhalter over and above his equal share of the other property and all my household furniture and stock of all secks and denomination is to be equally divided into seven parts and each living child to be contented, and fully satisfied with their equal share or part and my two Grandsons, Jonathan Stringer and Willis Stringer is to have one childs part divided between them and my six living children, William Burkhalter and John Burkhalter and Nancy Beckum, David Burkhalter, Elizabeth Fudge and Henry Buckhalter, which I also constitute and appoint together with Absolom Napper to Executors to this Last Will and Testament and do hereby request the two persons before mentioned namely Henry Burkhalter and Absolum Napper to equally divide the said property as before as written. In witnesses hereof I have here unto set my hand seal this tenth day of January, One thousand eight hundred and four.

Signed, sealed and acknowledged in the presence of

Nathan Napper Isaac Brunson Jesse Beckum M. X Burkhalter (SEAL)

Recorded: May 13, 1807 Jn. Simkins, O.E.D.

## THE SALTZBURGHERS

MICHART DURNHALTER, was a Saltsburgher who paid his vey to the Commit of 430 MGIA. The name was spelled a number of ways, BOURGHALTER, SOURCHATER, MASSOCIANS, BUCK MINERAL, etc. He settled at Hamsteed and arrived 1735. This information was taken from "A List of The Sarly detailers of Georgia -- University of Georgia lress.

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"Mr Vormon and Dr. Dundy accuminted the trustees, that the Society for Appropriating Christian Mac-Leans were desireds, that the Fersequied Saltsburg our should have an as flum provided for them in Georgia.

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in America to greatly as rove the tremosal of the Society for premoting Christian knowledge for defraging the Expense of settling certain of the poor Saltzburghers in Georgia in America; and will readily join and concur in sending and settling so many of them, as by, the Contributions which the said Society shall transmit to the Trustees and What other money the said Trustees shall for that purpose receive, they shall be enabled to send and settle in the graid Colony.

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"Resolved

"That the said Society be desired to inquire by their Correspondents in Germany, in the Mames of the said Trustees, whether any of the said Saltzburghers will be willing to become British Subjects and to sattle in the said Colony.

"Resolved

"That the said Society be desired to publish such further Accounts of the desilorable State of the poor Saltsburghers as they shall think proper; and at the name time to make publick the Design of the said Society, jointly with the said Trustees, to apply such contributions ad shall be received for the Relief of the said Foor Saltsburghers, to the sottling as many of them

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"Sealed the said correission granted to Mr. Arch Deacen Atwood.

"Order'd some people who had offer'd themselves to go to Georgia and had been examined, to attend tomorrow for us the afternoon.

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"Adjourned to Thursday the 19th of Oct. at Xx o'clock in the afternoon."

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"Mr. Vernon delivered to the Trustees Extracts and Letters relating to the Saltzburghers, and Mmigrants from Bertholdsgaden &c with some queries desired to be answered by the Trustees.

Volume 1 Page 93 Dec. 20th 1732.

"Mr. Vernon acquainted the Trustees, that He and Mr. Towers had drawn up in pursuance of their Desire, ensuers to the Queries relating to the Saltzburghers and Emigrants from Bertholsgaden, which he had delivered to the Society for promoting Christian Knowledge, and that the Society had sent a letter with the said answers to Germany.

Page 93.

"That there7is already sent to Germany an Invitation for sending over fifty Saltzburghers Parilies to be transplanted at the charge of the particular collection for those people. That the Trustees hope for a publicly Encouragement at the meeting of the Parliament for sending over more people for strengthening of the Colony.

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"That the Names of all those Who so to Georgia, paying their orm Expenses, shall be published in One of the News Papers before their Grants are delivered to them.

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Volumie i Page 137 Sept. 12th 1733.

"A letter from Mr. Henry Wesman to the Rev. M. Urlsperger at Augsburg relating to the Establishment of the Saltzburghers in Georgia was read and approved of."

Find Vernon reported from the Society for provagating Christian Knowledge that they agreed to defray the Expense of the Saltzburghers and other Emigrants in their Journey from Germany to Rotterdam and to support a minister and catechist if the said Saltzburghers and other Emigrants be settled together in One Town, But if they shall be settled at such a distance as one Minister cannot conveniently attend them, then the Society will maintain two Ministers and two catechists.

Page 139 Sept. 26th 1733.

"Mr. Vernon produced copies of Letters from the Rev. Mr. Urlsperger to Mr. Hedman acquainting him with several obstacles thrown in the way of the Saltsburghers coming over by the copies fart of the Magistry of Augsburgh. That the Number ready to embark is at present but forty one, and that many of these object to their going to America; and that there seems but little likelihood of increasing the number.

"Resolved

"That Mr. Vernon be desired to procure Letters to be writ to Mr. Urlsperger to send over the said Forty One Saltzburghers immediately or as many of them as are willing to come. Being assured that their Mecaption in Georgia will encourage others to follow them. And that Mr. Urlsperger be desired to dismiss such as are unwilling to embark. To acquaint him that an application has been made to his Majesty to send Instructions to his Minister at Vienna to apply to the Imperial Court that the Popish Magistrates at Augsburgh may be induced to consent, that the Georgian Colonists may be admitted to their city.

mage 111 Oct. 3, 1733

"That a letter be sent to Mr. Ogletborpe that he may expect sixty Saltzburghers very seen; that he is desired to settled them as near as he can conveniently together, that they may have the Benefit of their German Minister, That he be acquimited with the behavior of Mr. Wise and desired to send him back with his Baggage to England at the Expense of the Trustees and that the Trustees want to be informed how the people that have been sent are subsisted in Georgia.

SALTUBURGHERS CONORYAL RECORDS

Page 1/5 Oct. the 31st 1733

-"Mead some Letters relating to the Embarkation of the Saltzburghers, recommending at the same time Several Piemontose to be sent to Georgia."

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" Talace Court

### Wednesday November the 21st 1733

"Read a Letter from the Rt. Honble Lord Marrington Secretary of State with an Extract of a letter from Mr. Tither (His Majesty's Resident at Denmark) with a proposal relating to a hundred families in Germany going to settle in Georgit, and their desire to know the Terms usually granted by the Trustees. "Orderd

"That the Secretary do draw us an Account of the same."

Page 160 dated Peb. 20th 173/4

"Received a Receipt from the Bank for ten pounds, the Benefaction of an Unknown person to be applied towards the support of the Saltzburghers in Georgia by the hands of the Rev. Mr. Venna"

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"Palace Court Wednesday July 31st 1734

"Mead an Extract of a lotter from Mr. Urlsperger to Mr. Hewman, desiring to know Whether another Embarkation may be made of the Saltzburghers for Georgia;

"Mr. Vernon then acquainted the Board that the Society for propagating Christian Mnowledge resolved to send over an Embarkation of fifty Heads of Baltzburg hers at their (expense.

"Resolved --

"That the thanks of the trustees be given to the said Seciety and that it be recommended to the Common Council to give the said Saltzburghers Grants of Land in Georg ia."

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SALTZEURGHERŞ COLORIAL RECORDS PAge 6

"Palaco Court

Wednesday September 25th 1734

"Mr. Neuman Secretary to the Society for promoting Christian Knowledge being introduced presented two letters from Mr. Urlsperger at Augsburg dated Sepr. 20th and Sopt. 23d 173h, giving an account of the arrival there of fifty four Saltzburghers and their Embarkation for Rotterdam, with a List of the said Saltzburghers."

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Fage 187 Oct. 2d 1734

"Orderd

"That the Accountant do attend on the Society for promoting Christian Knowledge on Occasion of this Embarkation of Saltzburghers on occasion shall require."

Page 190 Nov. 6th 1734

"Mr. Verelat reported the muster at Gravesend on board the Frince of Wales Captain Scorge Dunbar for Georgit the 31st of October 1734 to consist of fifty seven Saltaburghers whereof thirty five mon, fourteen women, three boys and five girls besides Daniel Weissiger and Mr. John Vat the conductor—in all fifty nine Persons, the Profight of Whom is computed to be fifty four Heads one half at five Pounds each Head to be paid by the Society for promoting Christian knowledge, likewise of twent two Dritish, Wh reof six men seven women and nine boys the freight of whom is computed at mineteen heads one third, at five pounds each Head to be and by the Trustees of the Indians in the cabin to be paid by the Trustees."

Palace Courb

Nov. 11, 1734

"Received two dozon Fractical Tracts for promoting Christian Knowledge amongst the Saltzburghers the Democration of the Rev. H. Ph. Stubbs."

Pege 198

Thursday Jan 9th 1734/5

Received from Mr. Jereminh Hart by the hands of Mr. Smith twenty pounds the Benefaction of an Unknown forson to be appropriated to the Relief of the poor Saltzburghers in Georgia.

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Read the following conv of his Majesty's Order for six hundred pounds granted to the Trustees out of his Majesty's Exchanger.

Saltzburghers Colonial Records Page 7

Twhereas at hath been represented to Us that One hundred foreign Frotestants, Swiss Gresons, and Germans are arrived here in their way from their own Countries to Savannah and Purisburgh in our Colony of Georgia in America, who have by various Accidents occasion'd chiefly by the War which raged in the countries, thro which they were obliged to pass expended and lost their substance and are now not only incapacitated from continuing their voyage to Savannah and Purisburgh but also exposed to perish thro want; and we being graciously disposed to contribute to their relief; Our will and Pleasure is that you issue and pay unto the Trustées for Establishing the Colony of Georgia in America or their assigns, the sum of six hundred pounds without account to enable the said Trustees to lend money to the said foreign Protestants for their Passage and assistance in their Voyage to Savannah and Purisburgh as aforesaid.

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"State of Georgia

John Neal-

Abram F. Ellen-

John Landram-Wm. Geezling-Michael Burkhalter-

"A Muster Roll with an Inspection of Arms and accoutrements of the Gentlemen of Arms affixed liable to do Militia Duty by the Militia Law of this state Resident in my Militia Company District Beginning at Rockey Comfort at the upper Trading Road thence down sd road to Whites Path then along sd path to the County Line thence on sd Line near John Toirenurs & thence along an old path to the Wolf Pit on Golding Road then along so Road to Rockey Comfort and thence on so Road to Ozbons on the Trading Road thence down sd Road to the Beginning

October 2nd 1793."

The following information is given by each name: "1- Rank & Gentlemen of Arms 2- Whether Auxiliary, Dragoons, Fusiliers, Musqueters, Granadiers, Riflemen. 3- By whom Commanded 4- Arms of Private Property
5- Arms of Publick Property
(No. 4 7 5 composed of following)

"Rifles, Fusils, Musquets, Baronets, 6- Accoutrements

"Cash Box, Powderhorn, Shot Bag, Belt, Knapsacks.

David Neal- Capt,; Commander, Maj. Pruitt, 1st 4 R. W Co.

1 sword, private property.

Randolph Newsom- Lieut.; Commander- Capt. Neal; 1 sword, private property.

Sterling Gardner-Ensgn.; 1 sword, private property.

Zacheriah Landram- Segt. 1 sword private property.

Moore Carter- Segt. 1 bigil 1 nowderborm 1 shot has private "David Neal-Segt. 1 Fusil, 1 powderhorn, 1 shot bag, private. Moore Carter-Jeremiah Burkhalter- Segt. 1 Fusil, private property.
John Moon- 1 Fusil, private property. Abel Ansley- Rifleman, 1 rifle, 1 powderhorn, 1 shot bag, Private Property.

Joseph Landram- Rifleman, 1 rifle, 1 powderhorn, 1 shot bag." Joshua Dunaway-Byrd Brazil-Wm. Scott- Rifleman, 1 rifle, 1 powderhorn, 1 shot bag, private property. 1 powderhorn, 1 shot bag, private property.
Musqeeteer, 1 musquet, 1 powderhorn, 1 shotbag, private. Edmon Dunnaway-John Burkhalter-Micajah Brooks-John English-George Dunnawa**y.** Josa. Burkhalter- Musqueteer, 1 musquet, 1 powderhorn, 1 shotbag, private. Micajah Johnson-Isaac Ball-

Rifleman, 1 rifle, 1 powderhorn, 1 shotbag, private. Rifleman, 1 rifle, 1 powderhorn, 1 shotbag, private. Thos. Childery-David McCullars-

Musgeeteer, 1 musquet, 1 powderhorn, 1 shotbag. private. Rifleman, i rifle, l powderhorn, l shotbag.

Joseph Davidson-Matthew Gilmore-Musqeeteer, Musquet, 1 porderhorn, 1 shotbag, private.

### COPY of Muster Roll 1793 Page 2.

Isaac McCrary- Fuslier, 1 fusil, 1 powderhorn, 1 shotbag. (Frivate).) Burkum May-Nathaniel Thomson- Musqueteer, lemisquet, Private (Private Property)
Theo Philip Howel, Fuslier, lemislin, (Private Property)
Benjamin Howard- Musqueteer, Musquet, (Private property). John Gilmore, Jr. Joshua Jones - Musquet, private property. Dred Thomas-John Harden-Michal Cody -Isaac Brook-Jacob T. Landrum-Thos Cox- Fuslier, 1 fusil, private property. Benjamin Geezeling-Henry Hairbuck- Musqueteer, 1 musquet private property. Jonathan Deeson-John Hambleton- Rifleman, 1 rifle , 1 powderhorn, 1 shotbag, private. Thos. Charles Mamon-Wm. Duckworth-Wm. Davidson-Wm. Landramtt 11 Saml. Pierson-Saml. Neal- Musqueteer, 1 musquet, private property. Tilman McKinny - Fusilier, l.fusil, Joseph Howel-Isaac Burkhalter-Joseph Ansley-Joseph Richardson-George Nichols-Benjamin Reese-, Fuslier, 1 fusil, 1 powderhorn, 1 shotbag, private. Joel Neal-Saml. Johnson-Robt. Willis-James Topper-John Granaid - 1 fusil, private property. Sterling Jones- Fuslier , I fusil, private property. John Gay-Richd. Hode- Drumer, James Granaid. Piper.

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Henry Furkhalter born February 29, 1769- married to Margaret (did 1935)
Furkhalter- born June 6, 1771. One of their children was Micheal
Eurkhalter - born October 27, 1795 - married to Jane (or Jennie) Jina 10,187,
Griffin- born May 9, 1799 in North Carolina. did Nec 23,1863

Children of Micheal Eurkholter and wife:

William Henry . Born in Green City, Tennessee- March 29, 1818- 1884

William Henry . Born February 18, 1820 in Green City, Tennessee-

merriod a Cagle
David Witt- born May 25, 1822 Marion City, ennessee-married Lou

John Micheal- born February 29, 1825 Marion City, Tennessee

Eben Maxwell-born April 25, 1827 Marion County, Tennessee married married Sarah Risha Tidwell

Pamelia -born October 10, 1829 Marion County, Tennessee-married

William Morgan Micheal Sellers born February 18, 1832-Marion County, Tennessee

Nancy-born Scptember 19, 1834-Marion County, Tennessec-Married Joe Hill

Sarah - born October 5, 1837 Marion County, Tennessee-Married Chatmon Sholton

Margaret - born May 25, 1840 Mrion County, Tennossoe -married George Maxwell

Martha Jene-born December 25, 1842 Marion County, Tonnesseo married Bryant

From the information passed down through the years, Micheal Furkhalter and Jane Griffin moved their family to Cass County, Texas, near the present town of Linden somewhere close to the year of 1850. Except for their eldes son, Daniel Brunson, who remained in Tennessee in or close to the Lookout Mountain area. The son, David Witt was a Primitive Baptist Preacher, as well as his father. He established their religion in the Old Union Community at Simms, Texas in 1850. That Church, the Primitive Baptist Church (Hardshell) celebrated their 100th anniversary in 1950. Since then the old Church has been torn down and a new one built on the same site. The Church has had Burkhalters among its members since it was established.

Daniel Brunson Burkhalter helped move the Cherokee Nation to their Oklahoma Reservation at the age of twenty: He saw the horrors of the "trail of tears" in 1818. For this service he was granted the privileged of filing for a tract of land-one-fourth of a section -or 160 acres (or more - I hope sometime to look up the county record) in Deerhead Cove, DeKalb, County, Alabama, (County seat Fort Payne, Alabama (nearest town to place was Trenton, Georgia) As the story is handed down, another man, in the same service to his country, wanted the same tract of land. Daniel Brunson signed for it only two hours before the man arrived.

Note:

This listing of Burkhaller nomes borworded by

Louise Burkhalter ( Min Ted) Perkins, lt C

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Georgia, Screven County.

on the reverse hereof

The printed matter is a true copy of a deed as appears of record
in the office of the Clerk of Superior Court, Screven County Georgia,
in Deed Book "K" at page 312.

Given under my hand and seal of the Court, this 26 day of July, 1958.

Clerk Superior Court, Screven County, G

Georgia, Screven County.

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This Indenture made this 27th day of May in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred & twenty between Peter Buckhalter & Sarah Buckhalter, of the same place of the one part & Robert Beville of said County of the otherpart, Wilnesseth that the said Peter & Sarah, his wife for and in consideration of the sum of One hundred & fifty dollars to them in hand paid by the said Robert, at or before the sealing & delivery of these presents, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, hath sold and by these presents, dogh grant, bargain and sell, unto the said Robert his heirs and assigns, 209 acres of land purchased by the said Peter of Willis Smith & wife, & being a part of One thousand acre tract beginning in the edge of the branch & running South seventytwo, West thirty-one chains, to a stake corner, thence north fifty West eleven chains, fourteen links, to a stake corner, thence two East, forty-seven chains forty links to a pine corner, thence North seventy-one, East thirty-six chains, forty links, to a stake corner, thence South two, East fifty seven chains, fifty links, to the beginning agreeable to the plat made by James Oliver, County Surveyor - Together with all & singular the rights & appurtenances thereunto belonging, also the right, title, claim & demand of the said Peter & Sarah his wife, to have and to hold unto the aforesaid Robert, his heirs & assigns, the aforesaid tract of land & all and singular the premises with their rights, unto the said Robert, his Heirs and assigns forever & the aforesaid Peter and his wife, Sarah, by virtue of these, do warrant and defend the same against every person whatsoever. In witness whereof they have set their hands & seal the year & day above written.

In the presence of: the witnesses In. B. Deveaus
'C. Bevill'
William Wood

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Peter x Buckhalter (L.S.)
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her
Sarch x Buckhalter (L.S.)
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State of Georgia, Scriven County
Personally same & appeared before me, Lewis Lanier a Magristrate
for said County; Claburn Bevill and made oath that he saw Peter Buckhalter and Sarah Buckhalter, his wife sign & acknowledge the within
deed on instrument of writing and that he did sign his name as a witness
to it, and also did see William wood subscribe his name as a wigness
to the same. Sworn to this 28th day of July, 1821.

Lewis Lanier J.P.

Recorded, this 4th day of October, 1821, S. Goodall, C. S. C. S. C.