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These persons: sons, sons-in-law, and grandchildren, (children of Josiah Dunn, who was killed in the second Battle of Augusta, Georgia, Rev. War) signed the "Quit-Claim Deed" to the sale of the land of Sarah Dunn, deceased. This land was in Columbia county, Ga. This Deed was signed 22 December 1804. Witnesses to this signing of this deed were: BAILEY STEWART, Mary Dunn (wife of John Dunn, who was brother to Benjamin Dunn) and John G. Willingham. This Deed is found in Deed Book "W", pages 58-59, Clerk's Office, Columbia county, Georgia.

In Richmond county, Ga. there is a "Deed of Gift" from Benjamin Dunn to "my beloved son, Nehemiah Dunn", which proves relationship. This Deed is dated 21 July 1779. It is recorded Realty Book "B-1" pages 150-151, Office of Clerk of Superior Court, Richmond Co. Ga.

I secured the information on Josiah Dunn and the names of his three children from: Mrs. M. P. Clegg, 5609 Lynbrook Road, Houston 27, Texas. Mrs. Clegg used Josiah Dunn as an auxiliary line for DAR. Mrs. Clegg is Auditor and member of the Texas Society Colonial Dames of the 17th Century. Mrs. Clegg is a lineal descendant of Josiah Dunn through his son Thomas Dunn. You, she and I have the common ancestor: Benjamin Dunn.

These Dunns may have lived in Virginia before being in North Car. But, I believe, our Dunns were of the Dunns who established Dunn's Creek Monthly Meeting (Quakers) at Dunn's Creek, N. C. All records of this MM have been lost. But Richard Dunn laid down the MM at this location about 1745. I believe some of his sons were: Benjamin, Waters, Richard, Jr., John, Gatewood, & William. Benjamin and John came to the Quaker settlement of Wrightsborough, Georgia about 1770. I have a copy of the original grant of land made by King George III to Benjamin Dunn, 1770, and signed by Sir James Wright, Governor of Georgia. This document I secured from Mrs. Pat Bryant, Department of Archives and History, 1516 Peachtree Street, NW. Atlanta, Georgia

Other Dunns who settled in St. Paul Parish as early as 1764 were: David, John, Lewis, William, Thomas, Drury. This information I found in Volume IX, COLONIAL RECORDS OF GEORGIA, by Candler.

In THE HISTORY OF OPELIKA ALABAMA, published by the Alabama State Department of Archives and History, Volume 15, pages 410-414. is a discussion of ~~the~~ Judge Peter V. Guerry. Here I learned that he married a granddaughter of Nehemiah and Anna Dunn, instead of a daughter. This granddaughter was Georgia Rebecca Moreland. This marriage is recorded in HISTORY OF JONES COUNTY, GEORGIA, by Williams, page 842, second from bottom of page. It is recorded as: Peter V. Cary to R. Moreland - 10-25-1820. The mistake in the spelling of the surname of Peter V. Guerry was made through transcribing of records, I suppose. I have just a statement from the SOUTHERN CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE, Columbia, S. C. about the death of Judge Guerry, also about the death of his wife, Rebecca.

*This information came from Mrs. Adelia Sallie, 900 East Tulsa,  
Sulphur, Oklahoma*

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HUSBAND'S NAME Benjamin DUNN

When Born \_\_\_\_\_ Where \_\_\_\_\_  
 Christened \_\_\_\_\_ Where \_\_\_\_\_  
 When Died before Jan. 8, 1785 Where Richmond Co. Ga.  
 When Buried \_\_\_\_\_ Where \_\_\_\_\_  
 When Married \_\_\_\_\_ Where \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other Wives (if any) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Number (1) (2) etc. \_\_\_\_\_  
 His Father (Richard?) Dunn His Mother's Maiden Name Maybe Waters, or Gatewood.

(Husband's Full Name)

(Wife's Maiden Name)

This information obtained from



WIFE'S MAIDEN NAME Sarah

When Born \_\_\_\_\_ Where \_\_\_\_\_  
 Christened \_\_\_\_\_ Where \_\_\_\_\_  
 When Died before Dec. 22, 1804 Where Columbia Co. Ga.  
 When Buried \_\_\_\_\_ Where \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other Husb. (if any) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Number (1) (2) etc. \_\_\_\_\_

Date

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Address

City

State

Male or Female	CHILDREN (Arrange in order of birth)	When Born			Where Born Town or Place	County	State or Country	When Died			Married
		Day	Month	Year				Day	Month	Year	
M	1. Nehemiah Dunn	1782-3			Maybe Cumberland Co.		N.C.	MAY 8-5-1821			Date <u>ca 1780</u> To <u>Anna Murphy</u>
RF	2 Rebecca Elizabeth										Date To <u>Isaac Pinson</u>
RF	3 <del>Mary</del>										Date To <u>Samuel Mains</u>
RF	4 Mary										Date To <u>Alexander Angolly</u>
RF	5 Susannah	ca. 1770			Wrightborough, Ga.						Date <u>8-8-1786</u> To <u>Thomas Johnston</u>
RF	6 Prudence										Date To <u>Abraham Picketson</u>
RF	7 (maybe) Elizabeth										Date To <u>John Baker</u>
M	8 Joseph Dunn										Date To
M	9 Josiah Dunn							1782			Date To
M	10 Thomas Dunn							1782			Date To
M	11 Benjamin Dunn										Date To
E	12 Mary Dunn										Date To
	13										Date To
	14										Date To

Have all additional data & return  
 children  
 Josiah

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 \* If burial date is known on children and not death date, write  
 \* Use reverse side for additional info.