

Family Group Record

Husband Simcock Cannon		
Born	Abt 1730	Place Perhaps, Amelia/Henrico/Goochland Co., Virginia, USA
Chr.		Place ***NOT PROVED AS SON***
Died	Aft 1803	Place Resided, Buncombe Co., North Carolina, USA
Buried		Place
Married	Abt 1751	Place Perhaps Henrico Co. or Amelia Co., Virginia
Husband's father	William Cannon I	
Husband's mother	Judith Woodson	

Wife Jane Rudd		
Born	Abt 1737	Place , Henrico Co., Virginia, USA
Chr.		Place
Died	Aft 1771	Place
Buried		Place
Wife's father	John Rudd Jr.	
Wife's mother	Hannah Russell	

Children List each child in order of birth.

1	M	Russell Cannon		
		Born	Abt 1752	Place , Prince Edward Co., Virginia, now USA
		Chr.		Place
		Died	betw 10 Jul 1824 and 1 Oct 1824	Place , Pendleton District, South Carolina, USA
		Buried		Place
		Spouse	Jane (sometimes Jean) Campbell	
		Married	Abt 1778/1779	Place

2	M	[Male] Cannon		
		Born	Abt 1753	Place , Prince Edward Co., Virginia, now USA
		Chr.		Place
		Died		Place
		Buried		Place
		Spouse	Unknown	
		Married	Abt 1774	Place

3	M	William Cannon Sr.		
		Born	Abt 1754	Place , Prince Edward Co., Virginia, now USA
		Chr.		Place
		Died	Bef 1810	Place Perhaps, Greenville District, South Carolina, USA
		Buried		Place
		Spouse	[Not known]	
		Married	Abt 1777	Place

4	M	Robert Cannon		
		Born	Abt 1760	Place , Prince Edward Co., Virginia, now USA
		Chr.		Place Resided, Greenville Co. and Pendleton Co., South Carolina, USA
		Died	Abt 1819	Place Resided, Christian Co., Kentucky; or perhaps Missouri, USA
		Buried		Place
		Spouse	Unknown	
		Married	Abt 1782	Place Probably, Virginia, Georgia, or Tennessee, USA

5	M	Richard Cannon		
		Born	Abt 1761	Place , Prince Edward Co., Virginia, now USA
		Chr.		Place
		Died	12 Jul 1831	Place , Habersham Co., Georgia, USA
		Buried		Place
		Spouse	Elizabeth Cole	
		Married	Abt 1783	Place

6	F	Juda or Judith Cannon		
		Born	Abt 1763	Place , Prince Edward Co., Virginia, British Colonial America
		Chr.		Place
		Died	28 Sep 1836	Place , Forsyth Co., Georgia, USA
		Buried		Place
		Spouse	Abel Kendrick	
		Married	Abt 1781	Place perhaps, . Sc

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7	M	[Male] Cannon
	Born	Bef 1764 Place , Prince Edward Co., Virginia, now USA
	Chr.	Place
	Died	Place
	Buried	Place
	Spouse	Unknown
	Married	Bef 1784 Place
8		Cannon
	Born	Bef 1770 Place , Prince Edward Co., Virginia, OR Tryon Co.,North Carolina,now USA
	Chr.	Place
	Died	Place
	Buried	Place
	Spouse	
	Married	Place
9		Cannon
	Born	Bef 1771 Place , Prince Edward Co., Virginia, OR Tryon Co.,North Carolina,now USA
	Chr.	Place
	Died	Place
	Buried	Place
	Spouse	
	Married	Place
10	F	Nancy Cannon
	Born	Abt 1776/1780 Place , , South Carolina, USA
	Chr.	Place
	Died	Bef 1820 Place , Lawrence Co., Tennessee, USA
	Buried	Place
	Spouse	John Kendrick
	Married	Abt 1796 Place perhaps, Union Co., South Carolina, USA
11	F	Mary Cannon
	Born	Abt 1775 Place , , South Carolina, USA
	Chr.	Place
	Died	Aft 1860 Place Resided, Gum Log, Pope Co., Arkansas,USA
	Buried	Place
	Spouse	Austin Kendrick
	Married	Abt 1794 Place Probably, Union Co., South Carolina, USA

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HUSBAND - Simcock Cannon
 NOT PROVED AS A SON OF WILLIAM CANNON AND JUDITH WOODSON.

Simcock Cannon is in the 1800 Greenville Co., SC, census, and ALSO the 1800 Buncombe Co., NC, census, with identical information: a male aged 10-15, a male 45 or older, 2 females under 10, and a female 26-45. He does not appear in any state census in 1810. He was the head of a young family, which is either that with a wife after Jane Rudd, or perhaps it is the family of a widowed daughter.

The name of "Tim Cock Cannon," which appears to be Simcock Cannon, appears in the 1803 fall census of the first Walton Co., GA, in the Eastern District with a household of 7 white persons. This area was the "Orphan Strip" that South Carolina, North Carolina, and Georgia sparred over until it was found to belong to NC and is the lower part of present-day Transylvania Co., NC. It was roughly in the vicinity of Buncombe Co. of 1800. Some of Simcock's neighbors in the 1800 Buncombe Co., NC, census also were in the "Orphan Strip" listing.

A separate "time line" has been prepared, which shows Simcock Cannon's movement from Virginia into South Carolina, Georgia, and North Carolina.

First record of Simcock, besides his mother-in-law's will, was in tax records of Amelia Co., VA, 1751. Two years later he was in Prince Edward Co., VA, where he served as constable. To be eligible for this post he had to have been at least 21 years old and own property. He lived in Parish of Patrick, Prince Edward Co., when he sold Lunenburg Co., VA, land to William Davidson. He also owned land in Charlotte Co., VA, before going to SC.

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How old did a male have to be before being taxable? Victor Dunn, Certified Genealogist, in Virginia wrote to me (C.G.) in an email of 26 Sep 2008: "...the act that seems to apply here was passed in 1748 and indicates that all males 16 and over were tithable:"

LAWS OF VIRGINIA, OCTOBER 1748--22d GEORGE II

I. BE it enacted, by the Lieutenant-Governor, Council and Burgesses of this present General Assembly, and it is hereby enacted, by the authority of the same, That all male persons of the age of sixteen years and upwards, and all negroe, mulatto, and Indian women of the same age, except Indians tributary to this government, and all wives of free negroes, mulattos, and Indians, except as before excepted, shall be and are hereby declared to be tithable, and chargeable for defraying the public, county, and parish levies, of this colony and dominion, excepting such only as the county courts, for charitable reasons appearing to them, shall think fit to excuse.

Victor Dunn continued, "However, since Simcock was listed in his own household in 1751, I'm certain he was over 21 and likely married. In addition, since he was sued in July 1752, he had to have been at least 21 to enter into a debt contract to be sued over. Also since he was appointed constable in 1756, I would estimate he was in his mid 20s. I'd estimate a birth date of 1725-1730 at this point."_

Regarding a question in my mind (C.G.), was it unusual that Simcock Cannon's wife never released dower in land transactions? -- He wrote: "As for the dower release, as you know, to clear title the wife was required to be release her dower interest. However, I've seen a number of instances where this did not happen when the wife was still living. The reason may have been as simple as delicate health such as a pregnancy, which did not permit the wife to travel over bumply roads to the court house. You will often see women releasing dower years later."

Some researchers speculate that Simcock Cannon was the son of William Cannon & Judith Woodson, although no documentation of this has been found. This William Cannon was the son of John Cannon and Hester or Esther Pledge of Henrico Co., VA. After John Cannon died, Hester married Abraham Childres. Her known children with Cannon were:

- John Cannon born about 1688 Henrico Co., VA. [Marr. Mary Price bef. 1710]
- William Cannon born about 1690 " " " [Marr. Judith Woodson, b.c.1673]
- Joseph Cannon born about 1692 " " " "
- Mary Cannon born about 1694 " " " [Married William Russell? No proof]

Abraham Childres and two of his step-sons, John and William, sold land in Virginia to John Simcock of Henrico Co. (Wm. lived in Goochland Co.) This John Simcock might have been the reason for Simcock Cannon's first name. John Simcock & wife Mary lived in Henrico Co. and then James City Co. & New Kent Co., where a daughter, Patty Bryan, was born 05 Aug 1736, so John Simcock may not have been old enough to be the grandfather of Simcock Cannon. [CAUTION: THESE RELATIONSHIPS HAVE NEVER BEEN PROVED.]

NOTE: In the 1790 SC census, 2 Childres families are living between Russel Kennon and William Kennon, Greenville Co., Ninety-Six District.

THE ROYAL GRANT IN SOUTH CAROLINA INDICATES A HOUSEHOLD OF 11 PEOPLE: Simcock, his wife, and 9 children--although slaves could account for some of the people.

03 Dec 1771 Craven Co., SC, Colonial Plats, Vol. 13, p. 522. "Pursuant to a warrant bearing date 3 December 1771, I have admeasured and laid out to Simcock Cannon, a tract in Craven County of 600 acres on a branch of Brown's Creek, and bounding on all sides by vacant land." 16 Dec 1771. Survey. Browns Creek was in what was later Union County.

21 May 1772 Royal Grants, Vol. 25, p. 520 [microfilm 22607, SC Archives]. George III to Simcock Cannon, 600 acres on a branch of Browns Creek bounding on all sides by vacant land. Patent. 21 May 1772.

NOTE: A wife named Hulda Hoad has been suggested for Simcock Cannon or for his son, Russel. This has never been proved and came from speculation by researchers that there was such a wife because this was linked to a Cannon family;

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however, this name has been associated with the family of Russell E. Cannon, son of the Richard Cannon who appears to have been a son of Simcock Cannon. I have posted the correspondence with people who knew of the Russell E. Cannon family link at genforum.genealogy.com/Cannon [Note from C.G.]

BEWARE: There are names of supposed siblings of Simcock Cannon circulated on the Internet that are not proved. They come from extremely thin speculation and are essentially fictitious.

WIFE - Jane Rudd

Extensive research on family of Jane Rudd done by Mary Gregg of Austin, Texas.

Jane Rudd's mother's name believed to be RUSSELL, according to Mary Gregg's research in Virginia. Some evidence indicates the siblings of a Russel/Russell family, and wills mention grandchildren with surnames which fit married names of two daughters.

Jane (RUDD) CANNON or KENNON was named in her father's and her mother's wills, so she was alive as late as 1771. She did not release dower when Simcock Cannon sold any of his land.

19 Nov 1778 Prince Edward Co., VA, Deed Book 6, p. 34. Indenture made between Russell Cannon of the Province of South Carolina and ninety six district of the one Part and John Brown, of the province of Virginia & County of Prince Edward of the other part, for £200 current money of Virginia 125 acres in Prince Edward Co., bounded by the lands of John McGeehee, Daniel Friths/Roths or Falk, and Jacob McGeehee. Wit: William Bibb, Reuben Coleman, Samuel Burton. [May have been part of land inherited from grandfather Rudd; therefore, Jane (Rudd) Cannon, Russell Cannon's mother, may have died before this date..]

CHILD 1 - Russell Cannon

Will of John Rudd II 05 Jan 1753/54 mentions his grandson Ruscill Kennon, son of his daughter Jane; son-in-law Simcock Kennon, one of the executors. Thus, Russel Cannon/Kennon was born about or slightly before this time.

Birth date also determined from South Carolina land record for father, Simcock Cannon. A head of household, after 4 Nov 1755, could obtain 100 acres of land and others in their household, regardless of age or race, could obtain 50 acres of land each. "As of 1763, no person was allowed land for any children of the age of eighteen years or older. A person eighteen years or older was supposed to obtain land in his or her own name (which would have been 100 acres for a single person). Therefore, it would appear that Simcock Cannon had himself, a wife, and nine other persons in his family. If Russell Cannon (presumably his son) were as old as eighteen, he would have had his own grant. Therefore, we may assume that he was not born until c1754." [From letter to Cecilie Gaziano from researcher Brent H. Holcomb on 16 Dec 1791.]

Marriage date 1781 from Compendium of American Genealogy, Frederick Adams Virkus, ed.; Baltimore: Genealogical Publishing Co., 1968 (orig. pub. 1937). This source is known to contain many errors. If 1779 is take as birth date for son William, they were likely married about 1777/1778. They could have married in Tennessee, as Simcock Cannon, Russell's father, was in Washington Co., TN, in 1783. Russell may have been with him. Otherwise, Russell was found in Pendleton District, SC, roughly about this time.

Will given in A Collection of Upper South Carolina Genealogical and Family Records, Vol. I; James E. Wooley, ed.; published by Southern Historical Press, c/o The Rev. S. Emmett Lucas, Jr., P.O. Box 738, Easley, SC 29640, 1979.

Estate documents allow an estimate of date of death between 10 Jul 1824 and 01 Oct 1824.

Juanita Askew of Trafford, AL, a descendant of Russell, also gives citation for will: Anderson Co., SC, Vol. I, p. 283, Section A, 1800-1834. Will made 10 Jul 1824, probated 6 Sep 1824. Grave not yet found.

Will of Hannah Rudd dated 02 Oct 1771 mentions her grandson Russell Kennon, no other grandchildren. Russel would

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 have been 16-18 years old then.

Juanita's notes point out: Russell's land was in Pickens Co., SC, on Rice's Creek, adjoining John Arial, James Mansel 201 acres, 300 acres/Wolf Creek (both sides), joining William Gilstrap, Mary Haynes, Reese Bowen, G. W. Davenport. [NOTE: Russel's son, Elijah, married Dorcas Bowen]

Russell's father, Simcock Cannon, accepted an appointment as constable in Prince Edward Co., VA, in the 1750s. Perhaps Russell was born there. Simcock could have been in Henrico Co. or Chesterfield Co., VA, before then, as his father-in-law lived in Henrico Co., and a John Simcock, perhaps his grandfather, lived in Chesterfield Co., next door (Richmond area).

04 Sep 1786 Russel Cannon received a land grant in Greenville Co., SC.
 01 Jan 1787 Russel Cannon received 95 acres in 96 District on branches of middle fork of the Saluda River. Plat certified 16 Mar 1786.
 20 Apr 1790 Russel Cannon of Greenville Co. sold land granted in 1786.
 21/22 Sep 1787 Simcock Cannon of 96 District, SC, leased 105 acres to Russel Cannon of same district, middle fork of Saluda River.

Also see: Betty Willie, ed., Pendleton District, S.C., Deeds 1790-1806, published by Southern Historical Press (see above).

Pendleton District and Anderson County, S.C.: Wills, Estates, Inventories, Tax Returns and Census Records, compiled by Virginia Alexander, Colleen Morse Elliott, and Betty Willie, published by Southern Historical Press (see above).

Information on Russell's son Elijah and family from: Ancestors and Descendants: Grayson County, Texas, compiled and edited by Grayson County Genealogical Society (pub. date missing from my photocopied pages).

U.S. Censuses:

1790 Franklin Co., GA, in The Reconstructed 1790 Census of Georgia: Substitutes for Georgia's Lost 1790 Census, compiled by Marie De Lamar and Elisabeth Rothstein, Baltimore: Genealogical Pub. Co., Inc., 1985. (Shows Russell Cannon as either landowner or witness to land transaction.)

1790 Ninety-Six District, Greenville Co., SC, p. 93: Russel KENNON.
 1800 Greenville Co., SC, p. 248: Russel Cannon.
 1810 Pendleton Distr., SC, p. 145A: Russel Cannon.
 1820 Pendleton Distr., SC, p. 180: Russel Cannon.
 1830 Pickens Co., SC, p. 317: Jane Cannon. [widow of Russel]
 1840 Pickens Co., SC, p. 370: Jane Cannon. [widow of Russel]
 1850 Pickens Co., SC, p. 497: Jane Cannon. [widow of Russel]

CHILD 3 - William Cannon Sr.
 Timeline for William Cannon, Sr., in Pendleton & Greenville Districts, South Carolina

abt 1754 Probably Prince Edward Co., VA. William Cannon was born to Simcock Cannon & Jane Rudd.

1778 Washington Co., NC (TN). William Cannon, Poll Tax 100 (pounds), 1-06 Michael Woods, Esq.[1]

1780/1781 Washington Co., NC (TN). William Cannon sued William Murphy for the return of a rifled gun.[2] 01 - William Cannon, Box 1/F6, p. 6 (Nov. 1780-Feb. 1781)
 Wm Cannon In petition the Sheriff returns the [words?] on a rifle gun
 vs Wm Murphy Junr Ordered to be dismissed

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Feb/May 1783	Washington Co., (NC) TN. Robert Bayless conveyed a tract of 100 acres to Wm Cannon.[3] 04 - William Cannon, Box 1/F10 (page 32 (Feb.-May 1783). A deed of conveyance from Robert Bayless to Wm Cannon for one hundred acres of land acknowl, and same ordered to be recorded.
20 Apr 1784	Washington Co., NC (TN). William Cannon conveyed to John Hunter, Jr., a tract of land containing about 50 acres on a branch of Cherokee Creek for 55 pounds. It being a part of a tract conveyed by Robert Bayless to Cannon in 1782. Wit.: Robert Rodgers, Thomas Rogers.[4]
26 May 1784	Washington Co., TN: William Cannon conveyed to Fredrick Anderson fifty acres on a branch of Cherokee Creek for 40 pounds. Wit.: Russell Cannon, William Murphy, Ambrose Mayfield.[5] 05 - William Cannon, Box 1/F12, p. 3 (Feb.-Aug. 1784). A deed of conveyance from William Cannon unto Fredrick Anderson for fifty acres was proven by the oaths of Wm Murphy and Ambrose Mayfield and the same is ordered to be recorded.
1790	Greenville District, SC. Federal Census, Series: M637; Roll: 11; Page: 93.[6] William Kennon Free White Males - Under 16: 2 1774/older William Jr. 1774/1784, Jonathan 1787 Free White Males - 16 and over: 1 1774/older William Sr. 1754 Free White Females: 4 Any age Wife & 3 daughters?
1792	Greenville Co. petition, #153, in SC Archives, General Assembly Petitions, 1792, to have the Publick Buildings in a more central location. Signed by Russel Cannon and Wm Cannon[7]. Greenville Co. had been settled less than 10 years at this time.][8]
17 Nov 1794	Greenville Co., SC. Deed Book D, pp. 117-118. Memorial deed between John Covenhaven of Union Co., SC, and John Glass of Greenville for 100 acres on the middle fork of the Saluda River for £30 originally granted to Thomas Brummit. Wit: Simcock Cannon and William Cannon[9]. Proved by the oath of Simcock Cannon 05 Aug 1795 before John B. Grigsby.
NOTE: Entries shaded in green are land transactions.	
1795-1798	Sometime during this period William Cannon acquired the 100 acres described above. He sold this land to Mary Barns in 1799, see below. Researcher Brent Holcomb could not find this deed.
10 Nov 1795 Samuel Barren	Greenville Co., SC. William Cannon[10]was to receive 5 barren cows from Hollingsworth, per note: "I promist to pay or Cause to be paid unto William Cannon five Cows of the Secont quality to be paid at or before the 15th day of August... 10 November 1795." Samuel Hollingsworth, Samuel Hollingsworth. [Jr. and Sr.]
18 Mar 1796	Greenville Co., SC. Court Paper #1796 #22. William Cannon[11] & Russel Cannon of the Co. & St. aforesaid do acknowledge ourselves to Owe to Samuel Hollingsworth Senr the Just & full Sum of 18 Pounds 13 shillings & 4 Pence Sterling to be levied and made of our Goods and Chattles if the above named William Cannon do make a Default in the Condition under Written, 18 March 1796. The condition is such if the above bound William Cannon do and shall Prosecute or Cause to be Prosecuted a suit against the above Samuel Hollinsworth Junr & Samuel Hollinsworth Senr by attachment with affect... William Cannon (#) (LS), Russel Cannon (R). Wit: S. Earle, J. P.
13 May 1799	Greenville Co., SC. Deed Book L, p. 79. William Kannon/Cannon of Greenville Co. sold 100 acres (part of tract run by Thomas Brummett and by him conveyed to John Conenhoven and from him to John Glass). Sold to Mary Barns.[12] Wit: David McBrayer & Aaron Slaten. (Proved 24 Jul 1813)

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1800 Greenville Co., SC. Federal Census, Series: M32; Roll: 47; Page: 251.[13] William Cannon
 Free White Persons - Males -10 thru 15: 1 1785/1790 Jonathan 1787
 Free White Persons - Males - 16 thru 25: 1 1775/1784 William Jr. 1784
 Free White Persons - Males - 45 and over: 1 1755/earlier William 1754
 Free White Persons - Females - 16 thru 25: 1 1775/1784 Daughter 1778/1782
 Free White Persons - Females - 26 thru 44: 1 1756/1774 Wife 1759
 Number of Slaves: 3

31 Jul 1804 Greenville Co. Deed Book G, pp. 441-442. William Cannon of Greenville Co., SC, bought land on the south side of Gap Creek of the middle fork of the Saluda River, 100 acres, for \$200, from Jonathan Potts. Wit.: Thos. Cantrell, Nimrod Cantrell. Proved by oath of Thomas Cantrell 03 Aug 1806.

18 Mar 1805 Greenville Co., SC, Vol. G, p. 250, Bill of Sale. William Cannon sold a slave to Jonathan Cannon[14]. Wit.: James Gilliland, Jonathan Potts, John Tubb J.P.[15]

1810 Federal Census. No William Cannon in Greenville that fits this man. It appears that he had died.

1810 Greenville, SC. Federal Census; Roll: 62; Page: 542. Wm Canan[Wm Canon][16]
 Free White Males - 26 thru 44: 1 1766/1784 This appears to be William Jr., son, b. 1784.
 Free White Females - 45 and over: 1 1765/earlier This may be William Sr.'s widow, b. c.1759. Numbers of Slaves: 5
 His brother, Jonathan, was next door.

It appears that William Cannon, Jr., married a woman named Jeaney about 1811/1813, and they sold his father's land. (William Cannon, Jr., and Jeaney moved to White County, Tennessee, and little is known about them after that.)

14 Feb 1813 Greenville Co., SC. Deed Book I, page 210. William and Jeaney Cannon sold land in Greenville Co., SC, to Jesse Mayfield tract on south side of Gap Creek[17] of the middle fork of the Saluda River, 100 acres adjoining Jonathan Potts and Cannon, part of tract granted to Job Colcock surveyed for Ephraim Ellis. Witnesses: David McBrayer, Samuel McJunkin. This William may have been either the brother or the father of Jonathan Cannon. I suspect he was the brother, and the father had died or moved by this time, but it is a little difficult to be sure.

William Cannon was next door to Jonathan Potts in the 1800 and 1810 censuses.

[1] Washington County, Tennessee, Tax Book 1778, Tennessee State Library Archives microfilm roll #639.

[2] Washington County Court Minutes, Vol. 1, p. 124, TSLA microfilm #129.

[3] Washington Co Court Minutes, Book 1, p. 213, microfilm #129.

[4] Washington County Deed Book, Vol. 3, pp. 173-174. (TSLA Roll 195, Old Book "A.")

[5] Washington County, NC, Deed Book, Oct. 1783-Oct. 1786, Vol. 3, pp. 192-193. (TSLA Roll 195, Old Book "A.")

Duplicate record in Washington Co., TN, Court Minutes, Vol. 1, p. 242, microfilm #129.

[6] Ancestry.com. 1790 United States Federal Census [database on-line]. Provo, UT, USA: Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2010.

[7] This William Cannon was too old to be Russell's son (who would have been aged 11-13 at this time). I think he was Russell's brother.

[8] Published in South Carolina Magazine of Ancestral Research, Vol. XIII, No. 4, pp. 183-184 (Fall 1985).

[9] This William Cannon was too old to be Russell's son (who would have been aged 13-15 at this time). I think he was Russell's brother.

[10] This William Cannon would have been too old to be Russell's son (who would have been aged 14-16 at this time). Perhaps a brother.

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[11] This William would have to have been born in 1778 if Russell's son. Date for son is supposed to be 1781. If 1781 is correct, this is not Russell's son. I believe this information is for Russell's brother.

[12] Mary Barns may or may not be related to John S. Barnes who married Martha Cannon, daughter of Carter Cannon, granddaughter of Russell Cannon, and great-granddaughter of Simcock Cannon.

[13] Ancestry.com. 1800 United States Federal Census [database on-line]. Provo, UT, USA: Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2010.

[14] Jonathan Cannon [Canan] lived next door to Wm Canan [sic] in the 1810 Greenville District census.

[15] Annie K. McCuen, Abstracts of Some Greenville County, South Carolina, Records Concerning Black People Free and Slave 1791-1865, Vol. I (Spartanburg, SC: The Reprint Company, Publishers, 1991), p. 19.

[16] Ancestry.com. 1810 United States Federal Census [database on-line]. Provo, UT, USA: Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2010.

[17] Gap Creek would be fairly near the town of Tigerville in upper Greenville County, according to researcher Brent Holcomb.

CHILD 4 - Robert Cannon

Robert Cannon of Greenville & Pendleton Counties, SC, later of Kentucky, appears to have been a son of Simcock Cannon. Several people who descend from Simcock Cannon have matched DNA results at Ancestry.com, including matches in common, with people who descend from this Robert Cannon.

c.1760 Probably Prince Edward Co., VA. Robert Cannon born to Simcock Cannon and Jane Rudd.

c.1780 Unknown location (perhaps VA, TN, or GA). Robert Cannon married an unknown woman.

23 Nov 1783 Unknown location, probably SC. William Bourland signed a note of debt to Robert Cannon (see court papers below).

02 Jan 1790 Unknown location, probably SC. Robert Cannon, Josiah Hawkins, and William Hooper contracted a debt to John Paul (see court papers below).

1790 Pendleton District, SC, Census: Robert Cannon, p. 83
 1 w m 16/older 1774/earlier Robert 1760
 1 w m 16/older 1774/earlier ?

 1w m under 16 1775/1790 Simeon 1781
 1 w m under 16 1775/1790 Benjamin 1786

 1 w f any age Robert's wife
 1 w f any age Elizabeth 1790

23 Mar 1791 Greenville Co., SC, Court Papers, #1791, #9: "The Petition of Robert Cannon humbly Sheweth that William Bourland is Justly Indebted to him the sum of Eleven hundred weight of Tobacco to be delivered at the Congarees[1] by note of hand...Robert Cannon. / "To the Sheriff of said County... We command you that you Summon the said William Bourland to appear on the third Monday in May next... 23 March 1791.

[note] "Twelve months after date promes to pay or caus to be paid unto Robert Cannon eleven hundred wait of good marchentble tobacco at the Congaree for value received of him... 24 November 1783. William Bourland.

"I hereby assign over the within note of hand to John Paul or his order for value received 14 Decr 1789. Robert Cannon" (C)[2],[3]

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23 Mar 1791 Greenville Co., SC, Court Papers, #1791, #10: "The petition of John Paul humbly sheweth that Robert Cannon, Josiah Hawkins & William Hooper is justly Indebted to him the sum of Twelve hundred weight of Tobacco to be delivered at the Congarees Grandby ware house and to pass the Inspection by note of hand... John Paul. / "To the Sheriff of said County... we command you that you Summon the said Robert Cannon, Josiah Hawkins, and William Hooper to appear on the third Monday in May next... 23 March 1791.

[note] "We Jointly and severally promise to pay to John Paul or his order on or before the first day of December next the full quantity of twelve hundred weight of tobacco... 2 Janry 1790. Robert Cannon, Josiah Hawkins, William Hooper (H).

20 July 1791 Judgment on Josiah Hawkins...[4]

01 Feb 1793 Pendleton District, SC, Will Book 1(?), pp. 10-12. Inventory of estate of Asa Tourtellot. Among his debts was a book debt to Robert Kennon. [Note: it was not unusual for "Cannon" to be spelled "Kennon."][5]

02 Nov 1798 Franklin Co., GA. David Greer of Pendleton County South Carolina to Obadiah Kendrick of Franklin County Georgia In consideration of \$145 conveys 287 1/2 acres in Franklin County on Hudson River of the Broad River adjoins John Johnston, granted to said Greer 17 March 1786 by Governor Edward Telfair wit: Thomas Armstrong, Robert Cannon Sworn to by Cannon before Joel Mabry J..P. Franklin County 5 November 1806, recorded 27 Feb 1806. Is this the same Robert Cannon?

NOTE: Ten years earlier Obediah Kendrick was associated with an Izabella Cannon. Was she Robert's wife?

01 Aug1788 Union Co., SC. Merry McGuire of Union County to Obadiah Kendrick tract of land on Pacolate River adj: land of John Cunningham, Turner Kendrick part of tract granted to Merry McGuire wit: Abner Chastain, Ann Chastain, Izabella Cannon proved by the oath of Izabella Cannon 03 April 1793.

25 Feb 1799 Christian Co., KY. Robert Cannon received 100 acres on the Muddy Fork of Little River, site of Hopkinsville.[6] (Also in the area were a James Cannon and a William Cannon who may or may not have been related, possibly from Newberry Co., SC. A Nathaniel Cannon, who may or may not have been related, settled about 10 miles farther northwest on McNabbs Creek in Caldwell Co., KY, now Lyon County.

2 Jun 1803 Christian Co., KY. Robert Cannon received 100 acres on the Muddy Fork of Little River.[7]

01 Nov 1804 Greenville Co., SC: One note on Robert Cannon due November 1, 1804, for \$65.00.0 in a List of Cash on hand, Obligations, Book Accounts, Open Accounts, & Open sales & Copardnership Books Due William Gowen on his Decease, May 16, 1804.

c1819 Possibly Missouri: Robert Cannon was killed, apparently, in a fall from a horse while riding to a neighbor's house.[8] His son Simeon moved to Missouri by at least 1815.

26 Feb 1828 Christian Co., KY, Deed Book R, pp. 71-73: the heirs of Robert Cannon was recorded, regarding his 100 acres on the Muddy Fork of Little River.

This date may mark the death of Robert's widow, whose name in unknown.

His heirs (children) were:

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Husband **Simcock Cannon**

Wife **Jane Rudd**

Notes

CHILD 4 - Robert Cannon (Continued)

1. Simeon, who married Sarah "Sally" Cornelius on 10 Apr 1813 in Christian Co., KY.
2. Elizabeth "Betsy," who married David Bailey about 1815/1816 perhaps in Illinois.
3. William [married 1. Unknown and 2. Zilpha Hay or Hayes]
4. Jesse [married Louisa Shaw before 1824]
5. Benjamin [married Nancy Cameron in 1816]
6. Nancy, who married William Randolph 23 Nov 1817 in Christian Co., Kentucky.
7. Judith, who married William Gallant about 1820.
8. Richard, who married 1. Sally Porter Brady in 1826 and 2. Mary Harter in 1844.
9. Cornelius, deceased by this date, who had married Maria Mina Shaw in 1818. His daughters, Polly Ann and Jane, were heirs.

Christian County, Kentucky, Deed Book R pp. 71-73.

This Indenture made the 26th day of February in the year of our Lord 1828 Between the heirs of Robert Cannon deceased, To Wit, Jesse Cannon, William Cannon, David Bailey & Betsey his wife late Betsey Cannon, Simeon Cannon, Benjamin Cannon, William Randolph and Nancy his wife late Nancy Cannon, William Gallant and Judith his wife late Judith Cannon & Richard Cannon and Polly Ann Cannon and Jane Cannon children & heirs of Cornelius Cannon deceased one of the heirs of the said Robert Cannon deceased all of the State of Tennessee by Abraham Stites and commissioner in chancery(?) of the first part and John Cornelius of the County of Christian and Commonwealth of Kentucky of the second part witnesseth that whereat the October term of 1827 of the Christian Circuit Court in a suit depending in the said court whereas said John Cornelius and complainant & the said heirs of Robert Cannon deceased were defendants ...[goes on to describe 100 acres on the Muddy Fork of the Little River being sold]

{signed}

Jesse Cannon

William Cannon

David Bailly

Betsey Bailly

Simeon Cannon

Benjamin Cannon

William Randolph

Nancy Randolph

William Gallant

Judith Gallant

Richard Cannon

Polly Ann Cannon

By

Abraham Stites

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[1] According to Wikipedia, "The Congarees is a historic archaeological site located near Cayce, Lexington County, South Carolina. The site was established as early as 1691, and served as a frontier outpost, early township settlement, and crossroads of the great trade paths of the Catawba and Cherokee nations. The Fort Congaree back country fort was established on the site in 1718.[2][3]"

"It was listed on the National Register of Historic Places in 1974.[1]"

[1] "National Register Information System". National Register of Historic Places. National Park Service. July 9, 2010.

[2] ^ Historic Preservation Staff (October 1974). ""Congarees" Site" (pdf). National Register of Historic Places - Nomination and Inventory. Retrieved June 2014. Check date values in: |accessdate= (help)

[3] ^ "Congarees Site, Lexington County (Address Restricted)". National Register Properties in South Carolina. South Carolina Department of Archives and History. Retrieved June 2014.

[2] Comment on this by researcher Brent H. Holcomb of Columbia, SC, in letter to Cecilie Gaziano of 26 Feb 1992: " Notice that the note was dated in 1783, well before [white settlers were allowed to settle] in Greenville County. Therefore, this Robert Cannon had dealt with William Bourland in another place. I usually place the name Bourland in Laurens or

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CHILD 4 - Robert Cannon (Continued)

Newberry County. Congarees was where the tobacco inspection warehouse was located (actually at the town of Granby, now the location of the town of Cayce.)

[3] William Bourland was in Pendleton Co., SC, in Apr 1796, selling land to Wm Michel [Mitchell?] on Dowdy's Creek of Saluda River. Wit: Benjamin Bourland, John Bourland, John McClury. In Nov 1803 the Matlocks of Grainger Co., TN, sell land on Dowdy's Creek to Wm Boling, formerly of Pendleton Co., SC. Wit: Catharine Michel, Major Lee. In 1800 SC census index: Wm Bolin & John Bolin were in Pendleton District. John Boling in Laurens Dist. Benjamin & John Bollan in York Co. This information was posted by Bill McKnight on the Baker_Bolin Rootsweb email list on 11 Jun 1998.

[4] Comment on this by researcher Brent H. Holcomb: "Notice that Robert Cannon appears to have signed this note. We also have record of a Robert Cannon signing by mark (C)."

[5] Pendleton District and Anderson County, S.C., Wills, Estates, Inventories, Tax Returns, and Census Records, compiled by Virginia Alexander, Colleen Morse Elliott, and Betty Willie (Easley, SC: Southern Historical Press, 1994).

[6] Book 25. The Kentucky Land Grants; Volume Number: 1; Part: 1; Title: Chapter IV Grants South Of Green River (1797-1866); Section: The Counties of Kentucky; Source Page 281. Ancestry.com. Kentucky, U.S., Land Grants, 1782-1924 [database on-line]. Provo, UT, USA: Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 1997.

[7] Book 25. The Kentucky Land Grants; Volume Number: 1; Part: 1; Title: Chapter IV Grants South Of Green River (1797-1866); Section: The Counties of Kentucky; Source Page 281. Ancestry.com. Kentucky, U.S., Land Grants, 1782-1924 [database on-line]. Provo, UT, USA: Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 1997.

[8] Information in a letter to Cecilie Gaziano, cgaziano@prodigy.net, from James Cannon Fleming of Carthage, IL, on 11 Nov 1991.

CHILD 5 - Richard Cannon

Y-DNA Analysis shows that descendants of Russell E. Cannon, son of Richard Cannon, match closely with a descendant of Simcock Cannon, increasing confidence that Richard was a son of Simcock or other close relative.

Also information from worldconnect.genealogy.rootsweb.com, from Elaine Hampton, elanehampton@aol.com, [Elane spelling in email address is as listed on the page, although her name is also spelled Elaine] last updated 5 Feb 2003; accessed 15 Dec 2004. She stated: "Richard Cannon dec'd. James Adams issued Letters of Administration, W/LWT (meaning?) annexed 9/1831; Richard CARR, James ADAMS, Wadsworth CLADY were present when he died on 7/12/1831 and said he left all his real estate to wife, Elizabeth, 10/4/1831, Habersham Co., GA."

1790 Census of Union Co., Ninety-Six District, SC, p. 48: Rchd CANNON 2,1,4

1800 Census of Greenville District, SC, p. 250/275: Richard CANNON

1810 Census of Pendleton District, SC, p. 209/146a (lived very near Russell Cannon, son of Simcock Cannon)

1820 Census of Pendleton District, SC, p. 169

1830 Census of Halbersham Co., GA, p. 53a: Richard CANON

His widow, Elizabeth appears to be the Elizabeth Cannon in the 1840 census of District 936, Cass Co., Georgia, on p. 101A. Joseph Murdoch (& Celia Ann Cannon) are on the same page.

Elizabeth was in the 1850 census of Division 12, Gordon Co., Georgia, p. 103B, 575/598, household of Malinda Cannon & James Adams: Elizabeth Canon 80 F S.C. [born about 1770]

Richard's birthdate determined from the above censuses as about 1755/1760. He was likely born after 1753 because he was not named as a grandchild in Jane Rudd's parents estate papers. Jane Rudd's mother's will names only Russell as her grandchild, which indicates that Russell was the oldest of Jane Rudd's children.

Ages of wife of Richard Cannon

1790: Not available

1800 1755-1774

1810 Before 1765

1820 Before 1775

Family Group Record

Husband	Simcock Cannon
Wife	Jane Rudd

Notes

CHILD 5 - Richard Cannon (Continued)

1830	1760-1770
1840	1770-1780
1850	Age 80 (born about 1770)

Question: Is Elizabeth Cole the only wife of Richard Cannon?

According to Lucy Grisham, genforum.genealogy.com/cannon/messages/4434.html, on 17 Jan 2008; accessed same date, the will of John Cole signed 8 Apr 1799, proved 2 Sep 1799, Union Co., South Carolina, Will Book A, p. 94, names his daughter Elizabeth Cole as the wife of Richard Cannon/Kennon. Also see her message 12134 on genforum.com/cannon on 1 Sep 2003. Her email address on 17 Jan 2008 it was lgrisham@ont.com. Her ancestor is Richard Cole, who married Lydia Hansford Hill, and who was the eldest son.

A deed of Richard Cole's (brother to Richard Cannon's wife) mentions Richard Cannon, which shows the tie between them.

26 Feb 1807 Union Co., SC. Deed Book I, p. 182. Richard Cole of Union District for \$300 to James Foster of same, part of tract obtained by Turner Kendrick in 1785 according to a plat and patent, 100 acres, likewise part of tract laid out for Richard Cannon in 1796 112 acres, in a deed as the said Richard Cole bought of Elizabeth Turner, in all 135 acres, adj. Peter Philpeck, McGuire, said Cole, Sturges, F. F. Foster. Richard Cole (Seal), Wit: Z. Reid, Wm. Palmer, Edw'd Tilman. Hannah Cole (X), wife of Richard Cole, relinquished dower, before Joseph Gist, J.P. Proved in Union district by the oath of Zach'y Reid 26 Feb 1807 before Joseph Gist, J.P. Recorded 6 Apr 1807.

Timeline for Richard Cannon and Elizabeth Cole [1]

- c1761 Richard Cannon was born perhaps in Prince Edward Co., VA. Simcock Cannon, believed to have been his father, was in this area at this time.

- 24 Oct 1768 Simcock Cannon, likely father of Richard, was apparently living on or near the Broad River in what became Union Co., SC.
- c1783 Probably Union District, SC. Richard Cannon married Elizabeth Cole about this time.

- 1790 Union Co., SC, Ninety Six District, Census, p. 48: Rchd Cannon, 2 males b bef 1774, 1 male b 1775/1790, 4 females. (His father-in-law, John Cole, was on page 44.)

- 30 Oct 1793 Union Co., SC. Deed Book D, pp. 33-34. Leonard Adcock of Spartanburg Co. & Jane his wife to John Bailey of Union Co. for £65 sterling, tract on south side Pacolet River in Union County, 100 acres adj. lands of John Whitman, William Spears, by plat dated 8 Feb 1773. Leonard Adcock (Seal), Jean Adcock (X) (Seal), Wit: Rich'd Canton [sic], John Murrey, Henry Bailey. Proved in Union Co. by the oath of Henry Bailey 10 Mar 1795 before Christ'r Johnson, J.P. Recorded 10 Mar 1795.[2]

- 12 Aug 1795 Date of survey: State Grants, Vol. 40, p. 336.[3] South Carolina to Richard Cannon, 112 acres, surveyed for him in Pinckney District on the waters of Pacolet River in Union Co.

- 26 Oct 1795 Union Co., SC, Deed Book E, pp. 160-161. Richard Wood of Union Co. to Richard Cannon, for £30 sterling, part of tract of land formerly laid out for Richard Wood, granted to him 1 May 1786, plat certified 16 Oct 1784, 130 acres in Union Co. on Fannings Creek on the waters of Broad River, including said Richard Cannon's improvement[4]. Wit: Robt Chapman, Alex Kindrick, Timothy Haney. Proved in Union Co. by the oath of Alex'r Kindrick 12 Dec 1795

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CHILD 5	- Richard Cannon (Continued) before J. A. Whyte, J.P. Recorded 13 Feb 1798.
28 Dec 1795	Union Co., SC, Deed Book F, pp. 174-176. Richard Cannon of Union Co. to Isaac Hainey of same, for £30 sterling, tract being part of tract of land formerly laid out for Richard Wood, plat certified 16 Oct 1785 on Fannens Creek, waters of Broad River, whereon Isaac Hainey now lives. Richard Cannon (X) (LS), Wit: Timothy Hainey, Daniel McKissick. Proved in Union Co. by the oath of Timothy Hainey 4 Jun 1799 before Thos Blasingtame, J.P. Rec. 4 Jun 1799.
07 Mar 1796	State Grants, Vol. 40, p. 336, South Carolina to Richard Cannon, 112 acres, surveyed for him in Pinckney District on the waters of Pacolet River in Union Co. adj. Mary McGuyers, Philpucks, Crittenden, Turner Kendrick.[5]
24 Feb 1796	State Plats, Vol. 32, p. 584. I hereby certify for Richard Cannon, 112 acres, surveyed for him in Pinckney District on the waters of Pacolet River in Union Co. [Also see: Union Co., SC, Deed Book O, No. 5, p. 336.
13 Sep 1797	Union Co., SC, Deed Book E, pp. 162-163: Richard Cannon sold to Elijah Turner, both of Union Co., farmers, 112 acres for \$100, tract on a prong of the Ready branch, a branch of Pacolate River. Richard Cannon (+) (Seal), Wit: Timothy Haney, Sarah Haney, Sarah Hainey. Proved in Union Co. by the oath of Timothy Haney 2 Dec 1797 before Thos Vance, J.P. Recorded 13 Feb 1798.[6] ,[7]
1800	Greenville District, SC, Census, p. 250, household 275: Richd Cannon household of 9 persons plus 3 slaves.
21 Sep 1801	Greenville Co., SC, Deed Book F, pp. 452-453. John Holder and Agnes Holder of Greenville to Richard to Richard Cannon of same, for \$300, 106 acres to a plat and grant to John Holder 4 June 1798 both sides of a small branch on the middle fork of Saluda river adj. Duncan Keith; part of a tract granted to William Flippo, 50 acres; and part of a tract granted to Russell Cannon[8] 23 acres, 3 tracts of land, a total of 126 acres (176?). John Holder (LS), Agness Holder (LS), Wit: Thomas Holder, Duncan Keith. Proved by the oath of Duncan Keith 5 Dec 1801 before George Salmon, J.A. Rec. 29 May 1802. [Note: in 1786 Simcock Cannon had land adjoining William Flippo, Dennis Duff, and Samuel Brummit.]
When was this land sold? Greenville District, SC -- 126 acres NOTE: Researcher Brent H. Holcomb was not able to locate any information about the disposition of this land. He reported: "...the deed might not have been recorded, OR, it might have been sold by the sheriff for debt. If so, in Greenville County, it would not be indexed under the name of Richard Cannon."	
03 Aug 1803	Anderson Co., SC, Deed Book I, p. 70. Pendleton District. William Whitmire of district aforesaid for \$___ to Ric'd Cannon of same, part of a tract of 422 acres granted to Daniel Kelly 06 Apr 1789 on branches of Twelve mile River & Oolenoe Creek adj Christopher & Henry Whitmire to the Waggon Road 275 acres. Wit: Thomas Hood, Michael Whitmire. Proved by the oath of Thomas Hood 16 Sep 1803 before Colin Campbell, J.P. Rec. 08 Oct 1807.
16 Nov 1807	Anderson Co., SC, Deed Book M, pp. 587-588. Pendleton District. John Adams and Rebeckah Adams, his wife, & sold to Richard Kannon, for \$700 a tract of land on the Horse[?] Branch, Wolf Creek including the swamp to Bruce's line. Wit: Samuel Ward, William Farris. Rebecca Adams relinquished dower 18 Nov 1807 before John McClure, J.Q. Proved by oath of William Farris 16 Nov 1807 before John McClure, J. Q.

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Wife	Jane Rudd
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CHILD 5 -	Richard Cannon (Continued)
08 Feb 1812	Anderson Co., SC, Deed Book M, pp. 588-589. Pendleton District. William Farris of district aforesaid for \$150 to Richard Cannon of same, tract on branches of Wolf Creek to a line on John Adams' line, adj. Samuel Duff, John Gillespie, James Gillespie. Proved by the oath of Robt Boyd, Howel Miller 08 Feb 1812 before Nathl Davis, J.P. Rec. 27 Aug 1816.
1810	Pendleton District, SC, Census, p. 209: Richd Cannon, household of 12 whites & 1 slave.
1820	Pendleton District, SC, Census, p. 169: Richard Cannon, household of 8 whites & 1 slave.
08 Jan 1824	Anderson Co., SC, Deed Book S, pp. 86. Pendleton District. Richard Cannon of said district for \$100 to Elijah Cannon[9], 170 acres on head branches of Wolf Creek, corner of Barney Freeman's field, adj. John Langley, John Gillaspie, Solomon Bankses' house, Earle Sr.'s line. Wit: C. Cannon, Ransom Cannon. Proved by oath of Carter Cannon 10 Dec 1825 before Edward Norton, J.P. Rec. 30 Mar 1827.
10 Feb 1823	Anderson Co., SC, Deed Book S, p. 87-88. Pendleton District. Richard Cannon of said district for \$150 to Elijah Cannon, tract on head branches of Wolf Creek, on John Adams' line between Samuel Duff and John Gillaspie, James Gillaspie. Wit: George Bruce, Thos Brown. Proved by oath of Thomas Brown 10 Dec 1825 before Edward Norton, J.P. Rec. 30 Mar 1827.
10 Feb 1823	Anderson Co., SC, Deed Book S, p. 88. Pendleton District. Richard Cannon of said district for \$550 to Elijah Cannon, 200 acres on branches of Wolf Creek, to Bruce's line, including swamp. Wit: George Bruce, Thos Brown (X). Proved by the oath of Thomas Brown 10 Dec 1825 before Edward Norton, J.P. Rec. 30 Mar 1827.
09 Dec 1826	Habersham Co., GA. Deed Book G, p. 151 (150B). Wiley Freeman to Richard Cannon, both of Habersham Co., GA, for \$250.00 250 acres in Lot 60 in the 2nd District, originally granted to William Hewitt 29 Aug 1825. Wit: Albert Vickery, J.P., M. D. Vickery. Recorded 05 Jun 1829 Jno T. Carter, C.S.C.
10 Mar 1828	Habersham Co., GA. Deed Book M, p. 461. Richard Cannon to Elisha Cannon[10], both of Habersham Co., 62 ½ acres, 1/4th part of Lot 60, 2nd District, for \$100.00, NE corner, originally granted to William Howell [the name looks like Hewitt in the 1826 deed] the 29th Aug 1825. Wit: Albert Vickery, J.P., O. Hooper. Recorded 21st Nov 1833, J. T. Carter, C.S.C.
--- Mar 1828	Habersham Co., GA. Deed Book O, p. 550. Richard Cannon to Bird Cannon[11], both of Habersham Co., 62 ½ acres, 1/4th part of Lot 60, 2nd District, for \$100.00, SE corner, originally granted to William Howell [Hewitt?] the 29th Aug 1825. Wit: Albert Vickery, J.P., O. Hooper. Recorded 30th Jan 1839, J. T. Carter, C.S.C.
1830	Habersham Co., GA: Census, p. 53: Richard Canon, household of 4.
08 Feb 1831	Habersham Co., GA. Deed Book L, p. 162. Richard Cannon to Abraham Tate[12], both of Habersham Co., 60 ½ acres[13], 1/4th part of Lot 60, 2nd District, for \$250.00, SW corner. Wit: Ezekiel McCravy, John Stephens. [Recorded 21st Sep 1831?, J. T. Carter, C.S.C.][14]
12 Jul 1831	Habersham Co., GA.[15] Richard Canon died.
04 Oct 1831	Habersham Co., GA: Georgia Intestate Records, Cannon, Richard, decd, James Adams [who married his daughter Malinda]. Letters of Administration W/LWT annexed 9/1831; Kinchen Carr, James Adams, Wadsworth Clady were present when he died on 7/12/1831 and said he left all his real estate to wife, Elizabeth.

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Husband **Simcock Cannon**

Wife **Jane Rudd**

Notes

CHILD 5 - Richard Cannon (Continued)

18 Jun 1832 Union Co., SC: Deed Book V, pp. 439-440. Elisabeth Cole now Elisabeth Cannon [widow of Richard] of Habersham County, Georgia, for \$20 to John Bailey of Franklin County, Georgia, all my part which is one seventh part in a tract of land which was willed to me by my father John Cole of Union District, with the rest of my brothers and sisters after the death of our mother which are the names as follows Richard Cole, John Cole, Nancy Cole now Nancy Bailey, Rody Cole now Rody Yearby, Lucy Cole now Lucy Bailey, Mary Cole now Mary Kindrick and now myself, Elizabeth Cole now Elisabeth Cannon, tract of 475 acres in possession of William Cole adj. J. J. Foster, Robert Foster, Geo Garner & others. Elisabeth Cannon (X) (LS), Wit: Hiram Potts (X), James Bryan J. P. Andrew M. Norris, clerk of the court of Habersham County, Georgia, certifies that James Bryan was a justice of the peace. John Starritt, one of the justices of the inferior court certified that Andrew M. Norris was clerk, 23 Oct 1832. Recorded 3 Nov 1832.

4Other Deeds for this family:

02 Nov 1833 Habersham Co., GA, Deed Book M, p. 462. Elisha Cannon to Ezekiel McCravy 62 ½ acres in Lot 60 in the 2nd District for \$42 granted to William Howell the 29th Aug 1826. This is a 12-month note, meaning that if Elisha Cannon did not repay Mr. McCravy, he would lose his land. Wit: James Brown, John Morgan, J.P. Rec. 21st Nov 1833 J. T. Carter, C.S.C.

07 Jan 1839 Habersham Co., GA, Deed Book O, p. 551. Bird Cannon to William Jackson and Evan(?) Galloway Jackson, all of Habersham Co. for \$150, one-fourth part of Lot 60 in the 2nd District, SE corner. Wit: Joel Dickinson and Ezekiel McCravy, J.P. Rec. 30th Jan 1839 J. T. Carter, C.S.C.

01 Sep 1840 Habersham Co., GA, Deed Book P, p. 217. Sheriff seized land from Elisha Cannon in Lot 60 of the 2nd District. This document was damaged by water and is very hard to read.

Elizabth Cole Cannon's father's will:

02 Sep 1799 Recorded in Union Co., SC. John Cole bequeathed:

Son, Richard Cole, 150 acres bought from John Weinman on the Reedy branch
Dau, Lucy Baley, 50 acres of the same tract
Wife Mary, his "lands, 2 negroes, David and Judith, livestock, tools, furniture,

the rest divided among

Richard,

John,

Elizabth Cannon

Mary Hendric [Note: this is Kindrick in Elizabeth's 1832 deed, above]

Nancey Baley

Lucey Baley

Rhoda Yerbey.

Executrix, Wife Mary

Executor, Son Richard.

Wit: James Fowler, Joseph Walker, Sarah Baley

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Husband **Simcock Cannon**

Wife **Jane Rudd**

Notes

CHILD 5 - Richard Cannon (Continued)

[1] Land transactions are shaded in light green on the separate file for Richard's timeline.

[2] SC Archives microfilm C2205.

[3] SC Archives microfilm ST 634.

[4] This indicates that Richard Cannon was already living on this land.

[5] SC Archives microfilm ST 634.

[6] SC Archives microfilm C2205.

[7] 27 Nov 1801 Union Co., SC. Deed Book I, p. 183. Richard Cole to Elijah Turner of Union Co. for \$500 bounded on the south by Peter Philpeck of McGines line thus by Richard Cole's line thence by John Sturgis line thence by John Crittenden line to the said Philpeck's line. Wit: John Crittenden, Wm Smith, Geo Hicks. Proved by oath of Geo. Hicks before John F. Hendly, J.P. Rec. 06 Apr 1807.

26 Feb 1807 Union Co., SC. Deed Book I, p. 182. Richard Cole of Union District for \$300 to James Foster of same, part of tract obtained by Turner Kendrick in 1785 according to a plat and patent, 100 acres, likewise part of tract laid out for Richard Cannon[7] in 1796 112 acres, in a deed as the said Richard Cole bought of Elizabeth Turner, in all 135 acres, adj. Peter Philpeck, McGuire, said Cole, John Sturges, F. F. Foster. Richard Cole (Seal), Wit: Z. Reid, Wm. Palmer, Edw'd Tilman. Hannah Cole (X), wife of Richard Cole, relinquished dower, before Joseph Gist, J.P. Proved in Union district by the oath of Zach'y Reid 26 Feb 1807 before Joseph Gist, J.P. Recorded 6 Apr 1807.

[8] Russell Cannon was a likely brother of Richard Cannon. Richard had a son named Russell E. Cannon, likely named for his brother. Three descendants of Russell E. match closely with two descendants of Simcock's Russell in the Cannon Y-DNA project.

[9] Elijah Cannon, C. or Carter Cannon, and Ransom Cannon were sons of Russell Cannon (who was a son of Simcock Cannon). Richard Cannon is believed to have been Russell's brother.

[10] A son of Richard Cannon.

[11] A son of Richard Cannon.

[12] Abraham Tate is believed to have married Eleanor Caroline Cannon, a likely daughter of Richard Cannon.

[13] I think this must be 62 ½ acres, not 60 ½, because the deed also refers to the tract as being one-fourth of the lot.

[14] This part of deed does not show on my copy of it. -C.G.

[15] Habersham Co. was created from Franklin Co. in 1818. Simcock Cannon & Russell Cannon were found in Franklin Co. earlier.

CHILD 6 - Juda or Judith Cannon

See notes for Abel Kendrick.

NOTE: DNA matches among descendants of Russell Cannon (son of Simcock Cannon) and Jeremiah Cannon (apparent brother of Simcock) with descendants of Abel Kendrick and Juda Cannon indicate that the match is in the Cannon line. The matches, along with records showing associations between members of their Kendrick and Cannon relatives and Juda's age, suggest she was a daughter of Simcock Cannon. Researchers, of course, may draw their own conclusions.

14 Mar 1759 Hanover Co., Virginia. Abel Kendrick was born. His parents are believed to be Thomas Kendrick, Sr., and Rebecca Palmer (documentation not known).[1]

Abt 1763 Probably Prince Edward Co., Virginia. Juda Cannon was born to Simcock Cannon and Jane Rudd. Records for Simcock Cannon show he was living there at this time.[2] Relationship is not proved. It is suggested by DNA matches at Ancestry.com.[3]

[1] His date of birth is from: Abel Kendrick, Revolutionary War Pension Papers, Transcribed By Verna Dinkins, Service in South Carolina, Kendrick, Abel R.5861. Retrieved from: <https://members.tripod.com/~DINKINS_2/abel_kendrick.html>. Accessed 21 May 2022.

[2] 21 Mar 1763 Prince Edward Co., VA, Deed Book 2, p. 148a. John Rudd of Chesterfield Co. to John Folks of same, 45 pds. For 200 acres on Rudds Branch of Bush River in Prince Edward County, adj. Thomas Hill, Simcock Kennon, McGehee's and Shervan's. Wit: Jacob Ashhurst, John Folks, Thos. Hill and Simcock Kennon. 31 Dec 1763 Lunenburg Co., VA, Deed Book 11, pp. 445-447. Simcock Cannon of St. Patrick's Parish, Prince Edward Co., to William Davisson of same place, 46 pds., 235 acres; Lunenburg Co., both sides Springfield Creek, adj. Wm. Nance. Wit: George Davisson,

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Husband **Simcock Cannon**

Wife **Jane Rudd**

Notes

CHILD 6 - Juda or Judith Cannon (Continued)

Thos Hill, Joshua Davisson, George Moore. Sig: Simcock Cannon. Recorded 14 Mar 1771. June Banks Evans, Lunenburg County, Virginia Deed Book 11, 1767-1771, New Orleans, Bryn Ffyllaid Publications, 1990, p. 5.

[3] DNA matches among descendants of Russell Cannon and Jeremiah Cannon with descendants of Abel Kendrick and Juda Cannon indicate that the match is in the Cannon line. Russell Cannon was the son of Simcock and apparently his oldest child. Jeremiah Cannon may have been a brother of Simcock. The DNA matches with descendants of Abel Kendrick and Juda Cannon, along with records showing associations between members of their Kendrick and Cannon relatives and Juda's age suggest she was a daughter of Simcock Cannon.

CHILD 8 - Cannon

01 Aug1788 Union Co., SC. Merry McGuire of Union County to Obadiah Kendrick tract of land on Pacolate River adj: land of John Cunningham, Turner Kendrick part of tract granted to Merry McGuire. Wit: Abner Chastain, Ann Chastain, Izabella Cannon proved by the oath of Izabella Cannon 03 April 1793. Izabella would have been born before 1767.

Conclusion: Izabella was either a daughter of Simcock Cannon, his second wife, a previously unknown first wife of Richard Cannon, or the wife of an undocumented son of Simcock Cannon. Could she have been some other kind of relative?

CHILD 9 - Cannon

Simcock Cannon's household had 11 persons, according to his Royal Grant allotment of 600 acres in 1771. The law allowed 100 acres to the household head and 50 acres each to other household members, including slaves. There could have been as many as nine children, although the persons in the household were not necessarily children.

CHILD 10 - Nancy Cannon

Birth place from son, Cannon Kendrick, in 1880 Federal Census.

NOTE FROM CECILIE GAZIANO OF MINNEAPOLIS, MINNESOTA, cgaziano@prodigy.net and cgaziano1@gmail.com: Based on the number of DNA matches at Ancestry.com of Cannon Kendrick descendants with descendants of Russell Cannon and Robert Cannon, sons of Simcock Cannon (at least 10 persons), I believe that the match is through a Cannon who married John Kendrick as his first wife.

CHILD 11 - Mary Cannon

NOTE FROM CECILIE GAZIANO OF MINNEAPOLIS, MINNESOTA, cgaziano@prodigy.net and cgaziano1@gmail.com: Based on the number of DNA matches at Ancestry.com of descendants of Russell Cannon, son of Simcock Cannon, with descendants of Austin Kendrick, I believe that the match is through a Cannon who married Austin Kendrick. I propose that Austin's wife Mary was a daughter of Simcock Cannon, as Simcock's sons and various members of the Kendrick family were associated.

Mary was born in South Carolina, according to the 1850 Federal Census of Pope County, Arkansas, p. 280A. From Ancestry.com. She was living in the hom of her son, John, Family 547.

1840; Census Place: Lawrence, Tennessee; Roll: 531; Page: 142; Family History Library Film: 0024548.

1 m 20-29 1811/1820 John, b. 1818

1 f 60-691771/1780 Mary, b. 1773/1775

1 f 30-391801/1810 Susannah, b. 1810

Ancestry.com. 1840 United States Federal Census [database on-line]. Provo, UT, USA: Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2010.

NOTE: In 1840 Austin Kendrick was in Hardeman County, Tennessee, with probably a widowed daughter or daughter-in-law or a new wife and children. It appears that Austin and Mary split up before 1840.

1850; Census Place: Pope, Arkansas; Roll: M432_29; Page: 280A; Image: 326, Family Number: 547.

Family Group Record

Husband **Simcock Cannon**

Wife **Jane Rudd**

Notes

CHILD 11 - Mary Cannon (Continued)

Household Members:

Name Age

John Kindrick 32 TN [1818]

Mary Kindrick 77 SC [1773]

Susannah Kindrick 28 GA [1822] [really born about 1810]

Mary M Kindrick 22 TN [1828]

Ancestry.com. 1850 United States Federal Census [database on-line]. Provo, UT, USA: Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2009. Images reproduced by FamilySearch.

1860; Census Place: Gum Log, Pope, Arkansas; Roll: M653_48; Page: 877; Family History Library Film: 803048, Post Office: Galley Creek; Dwelling Number: 1177, Family Number: 1164.

Household Members:

Name Age

John M Kindrick 42 [1818] TN white male

Mary Kindrick 85 [1775] NC white female

Susanna Kindrick 50 [1810] TN white female

Ancestry.com. 1860 United States Federal Census [database on-line]. Provo, UT, USA: Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2009. Images reproduced by FamilySearch.

1870: NOT FOUND. Mary had lived with daughter Susannah and son John W. since 1840. In 1870 they were living alone.