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Rev. Robert E. H. Peeples 8 Moon Shell Rd. Hilton Head, SC

RE: Dixon Genealogy

Dear Rev. Peeples.

I was referred to you by Mr. James Blain, who said you may be able to help me in my researching the Dixon family; he stated that you have more information than anyone he knows of concerning families in South Carolina.

I am interested in obtaining any kind of information concerning the parentage of Thomas C. Dixon, Jr., born 8-6-1816 at James Island, S. C.; married 1-29-1840 in St. John's Lutheran Church, Archdale St., Charleston, SC; died 1-21-1852; buried (I believe) on James Island, but do not know exactly where. Thomas' wife was Eliza Jane Erhard (Erhardt), born 2-4-1815, died 9-29-1892. Thomas and Eliza are my GGGrandparents.

Although I am interested in both of Thomas' parents, I am primarily interested in his mother's maiden name and her parents' names. We have plenty of information on other Thomas Dixons from James Island (including a copy of a will) who are probably the ancestors of my Thomas C. Dixon, but I cannot confirm the connection. Any sort of information you can render would be greatly appreciated.

Thank you for any help you may be able to give.

Yours very truly,

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