

~~Rev. C. Durr~~  
~~Branchville S.C. 29132~~  
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Dear Dr. Peeples,

My name is Lori Jane Rhoad and I am writing you for some information on my ancestors. I am a descendant of Johnnie Ellis Durr. I have talked to most of the people in this area and I recieved a copy of a letter that you wrote to my cousin, J.C. Smoak about two years ago. In the letter you were asking for information on the husband of Mrs. Durr (Daniel Byrd Rhoad), who is my great-grandfather. I would appreciate it greatly if you could share any information that you have on Daniel Rhoad.

The reason that I need this material is for a school project on my family history but the only information that I have gotten is that there were two family bibles and that both were burned in a house fire. So far I have gone back on the Durr side as far as your chart went which was to Michael Durr. I learned that the death of Johnnie Durr's parents was in an accident in a horse-buggy. Her and her brother's guardianship was passed from John Jacob Folk to Josiah I. Copeland. She then married Danial Rhoad and one of their childrens name was Joe Copeland Rhoad who later married Eunice Julia McCormick. They had four children one of which is Joe Henry Rhoad who is my father. If you have any other information going farther back than Michael Durr or Danial Byrd Rhoad, if you would be kind enough to send it I would appreciate it.

Bless you and your family, and I will remain

Faithfully,

*Lori Jane  
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