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Dear Cousins ~

Hope you all are well - know
you're busy. This is to let you know
that we're coming down to Hardenville
on Sat., the 12th!! - we're really splurging
but hope to see a lot of Savannah, Beau-
fort and Hilton Head - also want to see
Lady's Island where Martha Sarah Chap-
lin Baynard lived. I have some Inlan con-
sims in Savannah that I want to see and
visit the Historical Society as well as "visit
& see". They're planning to come down 321 (I
love the back roads!) and want to know
what all we can see en route. Plan to
cut off at Allendale for Thiley to see "Shawl
Hill" where my Grandfather was born and
my Gt. Grandfather built the house - is there
anything else in that vicinity to see? They
really appreciate it if you can drop us a note
telling us "what" and "where" en route. They
won't have the time coming back (plan to leave

following the luncheon on the 19th) Please give us a day with you all that week and I need to confer with you on some of my genealogy. Am still trying to get the straight of the Calder line - wish I could find a good skilled family lineage for I think it would help me to possibly get the straight of it. Am also desirous of more info. on my Meggett forebears. Really don't know anything except that Margdaline Meggett married William Fripp & her parents were James Meggett and Martha —, who married a Cheisholm after his death. My Jenkins genealogy doesn't show whose daughter Martha Jenkins (Thos Fripp's Mother) was. Lewis the genealogy section of the Beaufort library? Is it worth going there to search — don't want to subject Thelto that unless it's really worthwhile. Am also stumped by my Allison ancestree (Frances Allison was the 2nd wife of Stephen Coorrey and they were parents of Heaten Bestay who married Daniel Pove) Except for the Meggett - Jenkins + Allison lines that I have my Islar lines in this country straightened out fairly well. On Mom's, besides the Calders, am trying to look into the Thillingham - Thunningham situation. And is it not known who William Adams' wife was (the parents of Elizabeth Adams Grimball?) I found a Thellison married to an Elizabeth Fenlin - but couldn't determine if that was our William.

I can't find them in fact

Incidentally I really searched thru the Pumph book for any DeHitt family information for you, Cora, but couldn't find any. I also kept my eyes open as I

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looked into other things in Orangeburg and
will continue to do so for you whenever I'm in
O'bg. The Salley Archivist there are really helpful.
Oh - I know something I wanted to ask you. Is
there any connection between the Bowers and the
Meggetts??

Must close for now - am really ex-
cited about finally getting down to the Low
Country - "on sacred ground!" Leaps to
see you soon and really have a good visit
with you two dear Ones! So glad I'll get to
hear Tom's tale on Grandfather Pierre's
after all!! Don't forget - please try to
send me a list of where to stop and
what to see en route down! Thanks so
very much - God bless you all.

Love you all,
Cecille
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