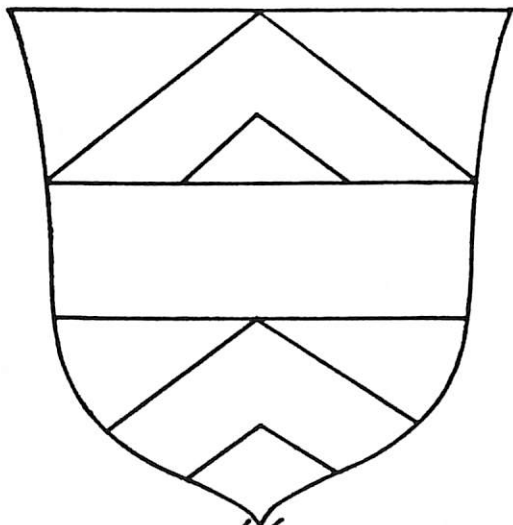


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- II. Benjamin Ludlow Edings mar. 1st Charlotte Porcher Chisolm — B. 10.25.1809 — D. 12.3.1834 — dau. of Dr. William Chisolm and Marianne Porcher, 2nd Susan Anthony.

Issue: (Which marriage?).

1. William Edings mar. Kate Leman.

Issue:

Julian Edings.

Maude Edings.

2. Julian Edings.

3. Mary Edings mar. A. Flint Parrott.

- III. William Edings — B. 3.18.1808 — D. 11.4.1858 AE 49 yrs mar. 1st 1.15.1832 Sarah Ann Mikell mar. 2nd 2.14.1844 Mrs. Hesse M. W. Mikell (Lee Record).

Issue:

1. Charlotte Porcher Edings mar. at Edisto Is. 1.30.1854 Ephraim G. Bailey (Lee Record).

2. Joseph Edings — D. 3...1895.

3. Juliette Edings.

4. William Seabrook Edings — D. 11.8.1848 (by 2nd mar.).

5. David Scott Edings.

- IV. Mary Edings mar. J. E. Pope.

- V. Emma Elizabeth Edings — B. 8.19.1793 (Tombstone) — D. 6.23.1856 mar. as his 2nd wife, William Seabrook — B. 1773 — D. 9.1.1836, son of John Seabrook of Edisto Is. (B. 1727 — D. 11.26.1783) and Sarah Lawton (D. 10.21.1798), dau. of Capt. William Lawton and Miss Clark. William Seabrook mar. 1st Mary Ann Mikell (1779 - 7.30.1818).

The Southern Agriculturist for Feb. 1737 contains a sketch of William Seabrook (S.C.H.S. 17). It states at 17 years he took charge of his own and his mother's estates and managed them so well they improved greatly. He was one of the first to cultivate successfully the sea-island or black-seed cotton said to have been introduced into Georgia in 1785 by Josiah Tatnall. He was among the first to test the use of salt-mud as a fertilizer for cotton. He established a steamboat line between Charleston and Savannah with stops in between, thereby bringing the plantations closer to the cities. He was an elder of the Presbyterian Church of Edisto Island and contributed liberally to educational and religious institutions. He left \$5000 for the establishment of a school in the Parish of St. John, Colleton County and the same amount to the Presbyterian Church on Edisto Island. He owned several large plantations: on Seabrook's Island (formerly Simmons), White Point on Slann's Island, lands on John's

Island, Wadmalaw Island, Edisto Island and on Hilton Head Island. He built several handsome houses, including his "Mansion House" mentioned in his will. He gave to his children handsome houses and large sums of money as they reached maturity. His estate was appraised at \$376,916.60 — a large sum at that time.

Issue of William Seabrook and Emma Elizabeth Edings:

1. Robert Chisolm Seabrook — B. 1821 — D. 1852 — no issue.
2. Joseph Edings Seabrook — Bap. 1.19.1825. He and his brother, Robert, were passengers on the ill-fated S.S. Pulaski when it was lost off the N. C. Coast June 4, 1838. Robert was saved.
3. Carolina LaFayette Seabrook — B. 2.22.1825 — D. 12.13.1879 — was baptized by the Rev. W. States Lee Mar. 17, 1825, the day General LaFayette was entertained lavishly by William Seabrook at his home on Edisto Is. The General was asked to name the child and he responded with "Carolina" after the state of her birth. Her father added "LaFayette" in honor of his famous visitor. Carolina LaFayette Seabrook mar. James Hopkinson and had issue:

Julia Hopkinson mar. Murray LaRoche.

4. Martha Washington Seabrook mar. Ferdinand Charles Leon, Count deLasteyrie du Saillant, a nephew of General LaFayette.
 5. Julia Georgianna Seabrook mar. John Berwick Legaré.
- VI. Martha Washington Edings mar. William Seabrook, Jr., son of William Seabrook above by his 1st wife, Mary Ann Mikell. Father and son married sisters.

Issue:

1. William Edings Seabrook mar. 2.28.1856 Esther Marion Mitchell, dau. of Dr. Edward Mitchell and Elizabeth Grimbald Baynard.

Issue listed in Baynard line. P. 200.

2. John Edward Seabrook mar. Elizabeth Whaley — with issue.
3. Josephine E. Seabrook mar. 11.30.1854 John Evans Edings, Jr. son of John Evans Edings and Mary Wilkinson Mathews. Issue listed Gen. VI. P. 143.

- D. Mary Elizabeth Edings — B. 1778 — D. 11...1848 bur. Pres. ChYd, Edisto Is. mar. 1st William Evans, bro. of Sarah Evans who mar. William Edings, bro. of this Mary Elizabeth Edings. She mar. 2nd Dr. Robert Trail Chisolm, son of Alexander and Christina (Chisolm) Chisolm. They lived on Edisto Is.

Issue:

- I. Susan Matilda Harriet Chisolm (only surviving child) — D. 10.18.1865 mar. on Edisto Is. 4.5.1828 Oliver Hering Middleton