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Robert-

Cousin Walter didn't date these notes, but just look at the information he had on CWL. Is there anything he didn't have?

Do you see anything in these notes that we need to re-check? I don't know all of these sources, so please advise. Yours-Paul

"The secret of life is to see things under the aspect of eternity"

Shirley

① Captain William Lawton

born

② died Edisto Island, Colleton County, S.C.

④ between Oct. 9 + 15, 1757

⑤ Planter - Estate valued £ 7,901 - 7-6

⑥ not including real estate

⑦ married 1st (probably Mary) Clarke daughter

⑧ of Jeremiah + Sarah Clarke = the children

⑨ of this union were Josiah, William, Sarah

⑩ + Jeremiah

⑪ Married 2nd a daughter of Thomas +

⑫ Winborn. children of this union

⑬ were son, Winborn + daughter, Mary

⑭ married 3rd after 1750-51 Mary, widow

⑮ of Paul Grimball. She was daughter of Susannah

⑯ Winborn probably by an earlier marriage

⑰ than that to Thomas Winborn [after William's

⑱ death Mary married Samuel Fickling]

⑲ William + Mary had one child, Joseph

⑳ William Lawton bought 200 acres of land

㉑ on Edisto Island from the Estate of William

㉒ Tilly May 14-15 1744 and 460 acres from

㉓ James Cothbert Jan 22-23, 1756

㉔ Executors of William's Estate wife Mary Lawton

㉕ son Josiah Lawton, brother [in law?] Isaac Rippon

㉖ friend William Maxwell

㉗ Mary Lawton + Isaac Rippon Qualified

㉘ Witnesses John McKell, John Fry, John Frack

㉙ Appraisers Joseph Seabrook, ~~David Townsend~~ David

Adams

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All references should be checked before being used for legal purposes

- ① Called "Captain" in Estate Inventory } Inventory 2008
Charleston SC
1756-58 page 289
- ② -
- ③ His will signed Oct 9 1757. His son Josiah
- ④ + ⑤ will dated Oct 15 1757 refers to land left by father. Record of Josiah's will, Charleston SC
- ⑥ Inventory Captain William Lawton see ① above
- ⑦ Will Jeremiah Clarke Vol 2 - 1722-31 page 41 + James Clarke Vol 6 p 369 - 1749 - 52
- ⑧ Mrs Brockman of Columbia, S.C. says she was "Mary" Clarke. - Have seen no documentary proof
- ⑨ S.C. Hist & Gen Magazine Vol 20 page 227 + Vol 17 page 61-62
- ⑩ -
- ⑪ Wills of Thomas Winborn Vol 7 - 1752-56
Susannah Winborn Vol 19 - 1780-88
- ⑫ ⑬
- ⑭ S.C. H. & Gen M. Vol 23 page 39-41 Release signed by Joseph Lawton 1773
- ⑮ "Our Family Circle" Anne Elizabeth Miller page 393 (Not authoritatively documented)
- ⑯ ⑰ ⑱
- ⑳ Memorial Book Historical Commission of S.C.
- ㉑ 7436 Recorded June 14, 1744 Colum. dist. SC
- ㉒ ㉓ Same Jan 22-23-1756 recorded March 2, 1757
- ㉔ Will William Lawton ㉕ ㉖ ㉗ ㉘
- ㉙ Inventory William Lawton

- ㉚ Wm Lawton shown as witness to the will of John Sealy of "all Hope" (P) Granville Co. Univ of S.C. Granville Co Vol #5 page 49 Charleston Vol 1740-47 page 49
- ㉛ Mortgage Bond of 300 - Security 5 negroes Fortune, Coff. Sarah Hannah & Judy - Benjamin Cowan to Calder (P) & Wm Lawton (of Edisto Island) Dated March 11 - 1753 - Mortg Book 1753 Page 696 Hist. Commission Columbia SC
- ㉜ Similar transaction The negroes March 11, 1753 - Mortgage Book p 696
- ㉝ James Clark names brother in law William Lawton as executor of his will and as one trustee of a fund of \$100 for Presby. train congregation in Edisto. He names as witnesses & exec Sarah Wm Josiah, Thomas Winborn. Will of James Clark 16 April 1750 Vol 6 page 369 - 1749-52