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Dear Bob,

Tanya and I certainly enjoyed being with you and Cora, and I am glad that John and Diane arrived in time for a brief visit.

I enclose Bill Stoney's 1967 material. He has a separate sheet picture of Rev. James Stoney, and might still have some extra copies.

I also enclose parts of the Cordes genealogy. A good beginning point, I suppose, is on page 210, with family of John Stoney and Elizabeth Gaillard. Am I correct in the following?

John Stoney of H.H. (m) Elizabeth Caulfield
(Apr. 1772-10 Feb. 1827) (1) James m. Eliz Mosse (3) George m. c. 1796 Eliz. Martin angele:
18 Jul 1780-6 Nov 1838 (2) John m. Eliz Gaillard. 3 daughters.
Were there any other children? Yes: (4) Mary b. 1784, d. ante 1790.

The ~~oldest~~ ^{Gaillard,} son of John and Eliz, John Safford Stoney, came here to Georgia with his brother Peter Gaillard (263) - my great grandfather, and I have some University records here of the literary society in which they belonged. John died on H.H. in his 25th year, in 1832 - and my grandfather John Safford (391) was born in 1832 and named for him.

Samuel David Stoney (265) is the proper line for Samuel Stoney. His line is as follows:

Samuel David Stoney m Harriet Porcher Gaillard
1822-1892 1829-1897

(1) Samuel Gaillard Stoney m. Louisa Cheves Smythe
1853-1926 1868-1939

Children of above:

1. Samuel Gaillard 1891-1968
2. Harriet Porcher m. Albert Simons
3. Louisa McCord m. William Popham
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This isn't complete, and I can't guarantee all the dates now from my handwritten copies.

Very cool here - fall in the air.

Sincerely,

John

We didn't come back by Bluffton - so hope to contact Russell Heywood some other time.

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November 28, 1972

Dear Robert,

It was good to get your letter with news of your activities and also with some more Stoney data. Someone certainly needs to do a complete Stoney genealogy.

I was sorry not to meet Hasell Heyward, but on our next trip to the coast we will certainly plan to see him. I am much puzzled too over placing Elizabeth Stoney. I enclose a page with the family of Peter Gaillard Stoney--these were not carried forward in the Cordes genealogy. As you can see the Pierre Gaillard(396) could fit by date, but his sister Elizabeth (my "Aunt Lizzie") married W.R. Darlington.

Returning to the family of John Stoney and Elizabeth Gaillard(128): Their daughter Elizabeth(262) married FitzSimons, so she is excluded. Then there is Edgar George(264) who married Anna Bryan, and "children" is given--but no names. They married in 1839--this date looks possible, but I am not familiar with any of the children.

Samuel Stoney(265) married Harriet Forcher Gaillard, and the Cordes genealogy gives their family, listing III Elizabeth Gaillard Stoney died unmarried--this is true and I have her dates as 1855-1879, as given me by Louisa Stoney Popham.

And I am equally puzzled about the Col. J.J. Stoney--I well remember a curiosity about this earlier, and I never pursued it. I will have to get in touch with Isabella Stoney of Charleston(396-A) as she is about the oldest living Stoney and might know somethingx of these early days.

Tanya and I were hoping to get to the Edisto tour, but coming on a Sunday afternoon little time was left for us to get back here for Monday duties. I hope you and Cora attended and that all went well.

Please tell Cora that we are dutifully attending to the marjoram, which is now comfortably settled indoors for the winter.

Ever,

