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Dear Cora & Robert-

First, Thank you for the interesting account of your activities during the past year. We are always glad to have that - Also Thank you for the calendar and for the "Map of Plantations on Hilton Head" which came in your letter received Friday. We arrived, Tuesday night and your letter was late in reaching us due to the Christmas rush.

No I did not know that Sarah Norton's sister Elizabeth had married the Rev. Graham. However I was looking for a "blood" (own) uncle and not for an "Uncle" by marriage.

You have probably received the follow-up letter from me (since writing yours of 11 Dec-) in which I

mentioned another little error that I neglected to call to your attention (or did I?) which I hope you will correct on your master copy before a reprint. That is -

you spoke of Squire Wm Pope's "2 half brothers: John Edward who inherited Fish Haul, and Joseph". - I do not have copy with me so cannot quote page number but you will know.

John Edward was Squire Wm Pope's own brother (not half-brother).

John Edward & William Pope were both the sons of William Pope Sr. & his 1st wife Sarah Green Tucker Pope.

Cousin Anna Stone wrote me from Atlanta calling this to my attention & hoping it would be corrected. She is a descendant of John Edward - & The Draytons - & the famous Habersham of Savannah.

yes, Robert I do think you could do a very fine job writing an article about the old plantations around Allendale. Thank you for changing your master copy to show that ~~that~~ ^{still} existing "Erwinton Plantation" was the home of Dr. William Robinson Erwin. (& not his brother The General).

My last letter - which apparently you had not received explained that General Jas. Daniel Erwin's home (across Augusta Road about 1/2 mile or so from his brother's) was indeed burned during the war - but that book, & other items, were "lifted" by Northern troops before the burning. You will see by reference to O. F. C.

where the brother lived was a whole name
community of relatives called "Erwinton"

That Gen. Jas. D. Erwin left that
plantation (which he also called
Erwinton ^{Plantation} in his will) To his
son Ulysses M. Erwin - Together
with the books & furnishings -

He had 2 other plantations which
he left to his other sons -

I may have already written
you all this - I so hastily wrote
a number of letters just before
I left - so hastily that I can't
recall all I wrote you.

Tom Lawton did not answer my
letter - he should not be offended
as Carrie Lee said she had told
him about the error ^{when copying Hania's book came out} & he never
corrected it so she thought she
& I should have it corrected -
& she also wrote The Editor.

Well, I'm not too much concerned about the Leamington error but Anna Stone & I would appreciate a correction about John Edward & Agnere William being "own" brothers & not half brothers, in the next reprint, to keep the records straight.

We're having a cold spell - for Miami - down in the 40's - Today is rainy and warmer, but we all hope for a cold Christmas. Key Biscayne is very beautiful, & peaceful & quiet - Tom & Ina have a lovely home in the Cape Florida section - across the road from a pretty waterway dotted with the yachts of the wealthy. Land is at a premium - so little of it

Just completed this year.

left & The big condominiums are
 sold before finished. One man
 from Canada is so eager to
 live on Key Biscayne he is
 offering to buy out anyone
 in the 17 story condo. (above the
 3^d floor) who will sell + a
 \$10,000 profit. But no takers!
 Many people want to get away
 from the traffic & noise of Miami.
 Milo & I are very thankful that
 we have our little cottage on
 Tybee Island - we love it there!
 Just as I know you love
 your beautiful & peaceful Nitton Head
 Island -

With our very best
 To you both - love from
 Eleanor & Milo.

Wm Pope sold the Broughton St home to Scarborough (African
nah's merchant prince) which Scarborough's handsome West Broad
St. home was being built.

P.S. Walter phoned me just before I left to tell me that another of Wm Pope Sr's Savannah homes is to be restored as it was in his day - Cor. ^{Lincoln} Price & Broughton - a large 2 story over basement. Walter said it was a very fine home & the 2 Price St. rooms, are just as they were - beautiful mantels etc - but the rest was cut up into small apartments & the lower (basement) floor cut up for small cheap businesses.

The home on St. Julian St. (also the town house of Wm Pope Sr.) was bought by the Lane Foundation & reconstructed & The P'dcocks now lease it - Judge Lawrence gave them a handsome plaque stating that it was the town house of Wm Pope, Planter of Hilton Head - (over)

James Pidock had me to lunch
with Judge Lawrence at the home.

He also owned a home at ^{Very} lovely!
one time on the corner of
Abercorn + Broughton where
Woolworth's store is now.

Excuse this scratch -
I can't write with pen,
without difficulty - (arthritis
in finger joints) & am
spoiled by the typewriter.

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I've talked to Wessie - We'll
have lunch together soon.