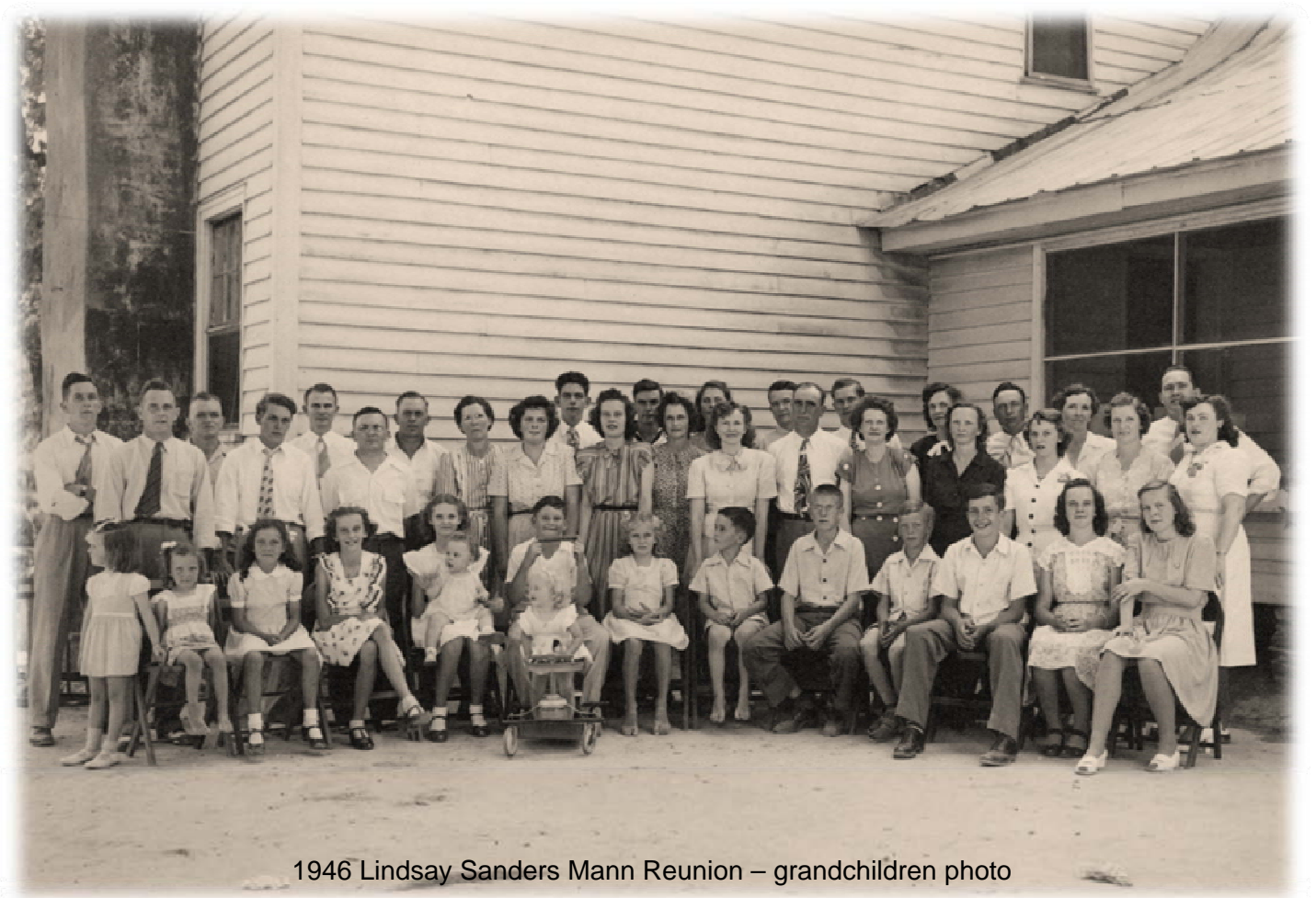


A Supplement to the 2008 Lindsay Sanders Mann Reunion



1946 Lindsay Sanders Mann Reunion – grandchildren photo



Raymond Harvey Mann



Sallie Ethel Mann Abernathy &
Roberta Lee Mann Senter

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Family Group Sheet

10 JUN 2008

Husband John T. O'CONNELL		
Birth	24 JUN 1833	Dublin, Ireland
Death	6 FEB 1888	Cape Fear Township, Chatham County, North Carolina
Burial		Cape Fear Township, Chatham County, North Carolina
Marriage	20 DEC 1866	Cape Fear Township, Chatham County, North Carolina
Father		
Mother		
Wife Martha Fluanna "Mattie" JOHNSTON		
Birth	16 MAY 1841	Chatham County, North Carolina
Death	15 JUN 1916	Cape Fear Township, Chatham County, North Carolina
Burial		Cape Fear Township, Chatham County, North Carolina
Father	Daniel JOHNSTON (1812-1859)	
Mother	Sarah C. "Sally" HARMON (1814-1863)	
Children		
1	M	Dennis J. O'CONNELL
	Birth	15 OCT 1867 Cape Fear District, Chatham County, North Carolina
	Death	23 JAN 1945 Buckhorn District, Harnett County, North Carolina
	Burial	Cokesbury, Harnett County, North Carolina
	Cemetery	Cokesbury Methodist Church Cemetery
2	M	John T. O'CONNELL
	Birth	9 AUG 1870 Cape Fear District, Chatham County, North Carolina
	Death	21 JUN 1944 Buckhorn District, Harnett County, North Carolina
	Burial	Cokesbury, Harnett County, North Carolina
	Cemetery	Cokesbury Methodist Church Cemetery
3	F	Mary Kate O'CONNELL
	Birth	21 FEB 1872 Cape Fear Township, Chatham County, North Carolina
	Death	6 NOV 1953 Oakland Township, Chatham County, North Carolina
	Burial	Oakland Township, Chatham County, North Carolina
	Cemetery	Asbury United Methodist Church Cemetery
4	M	Edward M. O'CONNELL
	Birth	FEB 1874 Cape Fear Township, Chatham County, North Carolina
	Death	14 DEC 1939 Jonesboro, Lee County, North Carolina
	Burial	Jonesboro, Lee County, North Carolina
	Cemetery	Jonesboro Cemetery
5	F	Mattie Irene O'CONNELL
	Birth	31 DEC 1874 Cape Fear Township, Chatham County, North Carolina
	Death	3 NOV 1929 from breast cancer; Cokesbury, Harnett County, North Carolina
	Burial	Cokesbury, Harnett County, North Carolina
	Cemetery	Cokesbury Methodist Church Cemetery
	Spouse	Lindsay Sanders MANN (1855-1936)
	Marriage	19 DEC 1900 Cokesbury, Harnett County, North Carolina
6	M	William Charles "Charlie" O'CONNELL
	Birth	13 OCT 1876 Cape Fear Township, Chatham County, North Carolina
	Death	20 AUG 1938 Jonesboro, Lee County, North Carolina
	Burial	Jonesboro, Lee County, North Carolina
	Cemetery	Jonesboro Cemetery
	Spouse	Henrietta TRUELOVE (1876-1956)
7	F	Anna F. "Annie" O'CONNELL
	Birth	17 MAY 1879 Cape Fear Township, Chatham County, North Carolina
	Death	27 OCT 1948 Durham County, North Carolina
	Burial	Jonesboro, Lee County, North Carolina
	Cemetery	Shallow Well Church of Christ Cemetery
8	M	Daniel A. O'CONNELL
	Birth	24 MAR 1881 Cape Fear Township, Chatham County, North Carolina
	Death	4 AUG 1917 Chatham County, North Carolina
	Burial	Cokesbury, Harnett County, North Carolina
	Cemetery	Cokesbury Methodist Church Cemetery
9	F	Ellen Lenora O'CONNELL
	Birth	12 SEP 1883 Cape Fear Township, Chatham County, North Carolina
	Death	11 NOV 1887 Cape Fear Township, Chatham County, North Carolina
	Burial	Cape Fear Township, Chatham County, North Carolina
10		
	Birth	
	Chr	
	Death	
	Burial	
	Marriage	
11		
	Birth	
	Chr	
	Death	
	Burial	
	Marriage	

Deposition of Anderson Holt

In answer to the first General interrogatory
the deponent says my name is Anderson
Holt. My age 52 years My residence
Near Cherry Bolls Chatham County Ga.
My occupation a Farmer

I am not related to the claimant Richard
C. Cotton; and I have no beneficial
interest in the claim

I have been acquainted with the claimant
ever since I was a boy and was
intimately acquainted with him throughout
the war lived one mile from him.
Saw him nearly every week before he
was conscripted off to the army.

Conversed often with him about the war,
I was an adherent to the Union cause
and was so regarded by the claimant,
he always talked against the war and
in favour of the Union. I believe
he sympathized with the cause and
Government of the United States,
throughout the war and wished its
success. I decline to form his con-
versations on the subject. I conversed
with him alone and in the presence
of others; he was publicly regarded as a
Union man and especially so by

by his loyal neighbors.

I never knew him to contribute any money or property to aid the union cause or its army, I never knew him to be molested or threatened with injury on account of his union sentiments I never knew him to contribute any thing in any way to aid the Confederate Government or its officers or soldiers or to own any confederate bonds, or do any thing to sustain the credit of the Confederate States I know of no act of his. but he was regarded as a union man I cannot say how he would have stood towards the confederacy had it been established

Anderson ^{by} Holt
JMK

Subscribed and sworn to before me at
Haywood N.C. on this 18 day of September 1873
John J. Minor
Special Commr.

Deposition Anderson Holt

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Answer to the first general interrogatory
 the deponent says my name is Anderson
 Holt my age 62 years. My residence
 near Cherry Oak, Chatham County North
 Carolina my occupation a Farmer
 I am not related to Richard C. Cotton
 and I have no confidential interest in
 the claim

1 I was not present, but passed by at the
 time some of ~~the~~ the property was
 taken

2 I saw some 2 or 3 sacks of Flour taken
 from Mr Cottons premises by United
 States soldiers. I was passing by Mr.
 Cottons Gate with a portion of Genl.
 Sherman's army when I saw the
 flour taken from his place I was with
 the army by request of Genl. Mitchell to
 show them the road. I did not
 see anything else taken. I was well
 acquainted with Mr Cottons premises and
 the order that the corn was taken from
 I believe moved to old ~~the~~ State
 Bunches of corn. Anderson ^{his} Holt
 Subscribed and sworn before me at ^{North} Heywood
 N.C. on this 18 day of September 1875.

John J. Minor, Spec. Comm.

Deposition [of] Anderson Holt

In answer to the first general interrogatory the deponent says my name is Anderson Holt. My age [is] 52 years. My residence [is] near Merry Oaks, Chatham County, North Carolina. My occupation [is] a farmer.

I am not related to Richard C. Cotton and I have no beneficial interest in the claim.

I was not present, but passed by at the time some of the property was taken.

I saw some 2 or 3 sacks of flour taken from Mr. Cotton's premises by United States soldiers. I was passing by Mr. Cotton's gate with a portion of General Sherman's army when I saw the flour taken from his place. I was with the army by request of General Mitchell to show them the road. I did not see anything else taken. I was well acquainted with Mr. Cotton's premises and the crib that the corn was taken from. I believe [it] would hold sixty barrels of corn.

Anderson ^{his} *X* Holt
mark

Subscribed and sworn before me at Haywood, N.C. on this 18th day of September 1873.

John J. Minor, Special Commissioner

Deposition [of] Anderson Holt

In answer to the first general interrogatory the deponent says my name is Anderson Holt. My age [is] 52 years. My residence [is] near Merry Oaks, Chatham County, North Carolina. My occupation [is] a farmer.

I am not related to the claimant Richard C. Cotton and I have no beneficial interest with [the] claim.

I have been acquainted with the claimant ever since I was a boy and was intimately acquainted with him throughout the war...lived one mile from him. See him nearly every week before he was carried off to the army.

[I] conversed often with him about the war. I was an adherent to the union cause and was so regarded by the claimant. He always talked against the war and in favor of the union. I believe his sympathies [were] with the cause and government of the United States throughout the war and wished its success. I believe so from his conversations on the subject. I conversed with him alone and in the presence of others. He was publicly regarded so as a union man and especially so by his loyal neighbors.

I never knew him to contribute any money or property to aid the union cause or its army. I never knew him to be molested or threatened with inquiry or account of his union sentiments. I never knew him to contribute anything in any way to aid the Confederate Government or its officers or soldiers or to own any Confederate bonds or do anything to sustain the credit of the Confederate States. I know of no acts of his but he was regarded as a union man. I cannot say how he would stand towards the Confederacy had it been established.

his
Anderson X Holt
mark

Subscribed and sworn before me at Haywood, N.C. on this 18th day of September 1873.

John J. Minor, Special Commissioner

DIRECTIONS.

- 1.—Insert number of the Claim.
- 2.—"Taken" or "Furnished."
- 3.—Describe the military organization by name as fully and particularly as possible.
- 4.—State, as well as can be done, the place to which the property was conveyed for the use of the Army.
- 5.—State, as fully and minutely as is possible, the particular persons or commands using the property, and to what particular use it was applied.
- 6.—The claimant's name should be signed here, either by himself or his attorney.

No. (1)

BEFORE THE COMMISSIONERS OF CLAIMS,

Under Act of Congress of March 3, 1871.

In the matter of the Claim of Richard, C. Cotton
vs. Perry Lakes in the County of Chatham
 and State of North Carolina

Comes now the claimant, before _____, Esq.,
 Special Commissioner for the State of _____, and
 represents that he has heretofore filed with the above-named Commissioners a
 Petition for the allowance of a claim for property ⁽²⁾ taken for the use of
 the army of the United States, which claim, as stated below, does not exceed the
 sum of five thousand dollars.

That the said claim, stated by items, and excluding therefrom all such items
 as refer to the Damage, Destruction, and Loss, and not the Use, of property; to
 unauthorized or unnecessary Depredations of troops and other persons upon the
 property, or to Rent or compensation for the occupation of buildings, grounds, or
 other real estate, is as follows:

No. of Item.	QUANTITIES AND ARTICLES.	VALUE.	
		Dolla.	Cts.
	1000 pounds of Bacon	250	
	40 Barrels of Corn	300	
	4 " " Flour	48	
	4800 pounds of Hodder	72	
	1 Bay horse about 20 years old	50	
	1 " " " 12 " "	100	
	1 Hog	5	
	1 Two horse waggon	40	
	1 Pair of Waggon gear	5	
	30 Chickens	6	
	40 Pounds of Lard	10	
	6 Bed quilts	12	
	3 New Jeans Bags	1	50
	100 Yards of Cloth	25	
	1 Man's Saddle	30	
	Total,	954	50

Before the Commissioners of Claims.

ACT OF CONGRESS, MARCH 3, 1871.

Case of Richard C. Cotton

No. 17027

It is hereby certified, that on the 18 day of September 1876, at Haywards, in the county of Chatham and State of North Carolina personally came before me the following persons, viz:

Richard C. Cotton Claimant,
B. J. Howze Counsel, or Attorney,
 and Anderson Holt Zachariah Mann
Tidnanson Holt Mary Ann Cotton
Zachariah Mann Claimant's Witnesses,
 for the purpose of a hearing in the above entitled cause.

Each and every deponent, previous to his or her examination, was properly and duly sworn or affirmed by me to tell the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth, concerning the matters under examination; and the testimony of each deponent was written out by me, or in my presence, and as given before me, and subsequently read over to said deponent, by whom it was also subscribed in my presence.

Witness my hand and seal this 18 day of September, 1876.



John J. Minor
 Special Commissioner of the Commissioners of Claims.

Deposition of Richard C. Cotton

In answer to the First General Interrogatory, the Deponent says:

My name is Richard C. Cotton, my age 42 years, my residence Marys Lake, Chatham Co., in the State of North Carolina, and my occupation a Farmer; I am ~~related to the claimant,~~ the claimant and have beneficial interest in the claim.

NOTE: The Claimant should always be examined when present, in which case the words "related to" as printed immediately above, should be stricken out.]

No. 17.097
The Claim of Richard C. Colton, of Chatham Co., in the State of North Carolina

No. of Item.	NATURE OF CLAIM.	AMOUNT CLAIMED.		AMOUNT ALLOWED.		AMOUNT DISALLOWED.	
		Dollars.	Cts.	Dollars.	Cts.	Dollars.	Cts.
1	1000 lbs of Bacon -	250.	00	—	—	250	00
2	40 barrels of Corn	300.	00	—	—	300	00
3	4 " flour	48.	00	—	—	48	00
4	4800 lbs of fodder	72.	00	—	—	72	00
5	1 Horse 20 years old	50.	00	—	—	50	00
6	1 " 12 "	100.	00	—	—	100	00
7	1 Hog	5.	00	—	—	5	00
8	1 Wagon	40.	00	—	—	40	00
9	1 pair of wagon gear	5.	00	—	—	5	00
10	30 Chickens	6.	00	—	—	6	00
11	40 lbs of Lard	10.	00	—	—	10	00
12	6 bed quilts	12.	00	—	—	12	00
13	3 bags	1.	50	—	—	1	50
14	100 yards of Cloth	25.	00	—	—	25	00
15	1 Saddle	30.	00	—	—	30	00
		\$ 954.	50	—	—	954.	50

a general way to loyal conversation & reputation - but not to any loyal Acts - or to Threats or molestation on account of Union sentiments.
Loyalty not proved.

A. J. Allen's }
W. H. Russell } Comrs
O. J. Smith } of
Claims.

REMARKS.

The claimant says "I was conscripted in the early part of the war & hired a substitute". He gives no date. We can not tell whether the conscript laws were then in force. He tells us nothing of what was done that he calls conscription. —

He says he was in the militia all through the war. —

In Oct. 1864 he says he was again "conscripted" but nothing of what was done so that we can judge whether he joined the Confederate Army of his own will or by force. He remained in the Army till the close of the war, & was paroled at the time of Lee's surrender.

There are the usual witnesses who testify in