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Subject:Whitlocks of Union Co., SC
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Dear Peter, I have suspected for some time that my William H. Whitlock was not the son of Harvey Duncan Whitlock. In the Greenville Co., SC, library I found some records concerning the estate of Harvey Duncan. There was mention of his son's association with the state of Texas, and his wife's name was not the same as my William's wife (wives). I believe that my William could be the one mentioned with William Whitlock in the 1850 and 1860 census. I have seen the 1850 Union Co. census, which lists a William as head of household (60 years old). The name listed under his is Jane, and her age appears to be 20?. Then there is Caroline (22), John (18), Mary (16), Alterissa?(14), Charles (12), William (11!), Sarah (9), and Amanda (8). The way the names are listed may indicate that Jane is a second wife. As you can see, there is some discrepancy with my William's age as compared with his date of birth on his tombstone. Perhaps that is not too unusual.

You may already have all the following information, but I'll share it with you anyway. William H. Whitlock was in the SC 6th Cavalry of the Confederate forces. I have some of those records. He married Mirella? (Marcella?) E. Ballard on Feb. 14, 1865, in Henderson Co., NC. She was born March 14, 1847 and died Oct. 8, 1877. She is buried at the Enon Baptist Church near Pisgah Forest, NC. I have visited her gravesite there. William's second wife was the sister of his first wife. Her name was Amanda J. Ballard, and they were married on Dec. 22, 1877, in Transylvania Co., NC. William and Amanda and family are found on the 1880 Transylvania Co., NC, census. William and Amanda later moved to Oconee Co., SC, and then to Anderson Co., SC, where they both died and are buried. Their graves are about 5 miles from my home. If you have any other information that might be useful to me, I would appreciate your help. Thank you, Philip McAlister

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