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Mrs. Dale V. Gaudier
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Dear Mrs. Gaudier.

Family Puzzler #867 arrived today
with your Per. War list of soldiers & widows.
Do you have access to "Hooper Genealogy"
A Southern Branch vol. 2. Sup.
Flora Hooper Collier - 1972? James
Hooper is covered in that book. If not -
I can send it to you later - when I
get to a copying machine.

In turn - I would like to know
about John Childress or Childers -
when you do hear about him. There
are 2 John Childress in DAR - Index - vol.
could be - he is one of them - I don't
know. I have been unable to find
the Childress-Childers family of
my ancestor David Childress - WSC,
to Tn. His gson # John David

Childress & in Miss. & in Texas.
He was in the Civil War from Miss.
The Childers-Childress origin
is from England to Virginia with
Abham or Abraham Childress
in Henrico Co. VA. 1600's

I have been unable to find who
went to S.C. & settled there. A
good many in 1790 S.C. Census.
They scattered from VA. to N.
& S.C., In & Ky, and then
moved out to other States - but
also to make that connection
before 1800 - eludes many of us.

Sincerely,

Harold Edmonson
Medford, Ok.

CHILDRESS
And
Allied Families

Item 1

One John Childers-(sic) and wife, Obedience, sold land on Tyger River, Greenville County, South Carolina to Jesse Saxon. (From Mr. Hollingsworth's files.) SC

Item 2

In the 1800 Census of Laurens County, South Carolina, the following appeared:

#256-	Jesse Childers-(sic)
#257	Richard "
#269	Thomas "
#289	John "
#1609	John "
#1677	John "

(Note: This is from Mr. Hollingsworth's files. He numbered the heads of households in this one for his convenience in working on the Hunter family and others. We have a copy of the heads of households with these numbers typed.)

Item 3

In the 1810 Census of Laurens County, South Carolina, the following appeared:

#387-	John Childers-(sic)
#423-	Jesse "
#483-	Richard "
#516-	Thomas "

Item 4

Duglis Childress was a Captain in the Newton County, Georgia Militia from April 15, 1822 to September 8, 1823
MILITARY RECORDS 1808-1829, page 82.
(Card File Index- Dept. of Archives and History, Atlanta, Ga.).

Item 5

John A. D. Childress was a Captain in the DeKalb County, Georgia Militia from March 6, 1829 to June 18, 1830.
MILITARY RECORDS 1808-1829, p. 210. (Same).

Item 6

In the 1830 Census of DeKalb County, Georgia, the following appear:

- (a) JOHN A. D. CHILDERS- page 39.
(with three households between them, Jesse Childers follows.)
- (b) JESSE CHILDERS page 39.

GA. GEN. SOC. QUARTERLY, June-July, 1966, page 98, Hollingsworth.

Item 7

On November 25, 1829 in DeKalb County, Georgia, Jesse Childers was named as one who marked out a road from the "Nine Mild" Poast-(sic) on the Sand Town Road to the Campbell Line, with William Baker, G. W. Baker, Merrel Embry. INFERIOR COURT MINUTES, 1823---, page 81, DeKalb County, Georgia.

(Note: Meril Embry married Viney Howard in Oglethorpe Co., Ga. in December 1804. Later in DeKalb County, a Howard was legal representative in suits concerning the Childress'. Merel Embry was in the 1820 Census of Clarke County, Georgia, age 26 to 45. Merrell Embry was in the 1840 Census of Campbell County, Georgia.)

Item 8

On Monday, July 9, 1832 in DeKalb County, Georgia, it was ordered by the Inferior Court that John A. D. Childers's on the Sand Town Road be a point in marking outta road from Hardy Pace's on Nance's Creek to said place, by Hardy Pace, Archibald Holland, Henry Wolf, Benjamin Plaster, and Charles Martin.

INFERIOR COURT MINUTES, 1823---, page 101, DeKalb County, Georgia. (On page 104 of same, road was ordered to be opened on July 23, 1832.)

Item 9

On November 12, 1832 in DeKalb County, Georgia, the Inferior Court ordered that a road be viewed and marked out to Cambleton-(sic) at Saml. Sewel's and that Green W. Baker, Merrill Embry, Lewis Peacock, William Gilbert, and Robert Wood Esqrs. mark out said road from John A. D. Childers' to intersect the Road to Cambleton-(sic). INFERIOR COURT MINUTES, 1823---, page 105, DeKalb County, Georgia.

Item 10

January 1833 in inferior Court, DeKalb County, Georgia, the following case appeared:

Israel Gilbert vs. John A. D. Childers- Debt.
Sum of \$106.25 was paid by Childers and cost of suit.

INFERIOR COURT MINUTES, 1823----, page 107, DeKalb County, Georgia.

Item 11

In January 1833 in inferior Court, DeKalb County, Georgia, the following case appeared:

Archibald Boggs vs. Charlotte McLeod, John A. D. Childers, and William Gilbert- assumpsit.

confessed judgement for \$55.56 and cost.
INFERIOR COURT MINUTES, 1823---, page 108, DeKalb County, Georgia.

Item 12

John A. D. Childers was security in a suit -appeal on January 18, 1833 in DeKalb County, Georgia for William Gilbert. SAME, page 112, DeKalb County, Georgia.

Item 13

On April 29, 1833 in DeKalb County, Georgia inferior Court, it was ordered that a copy of order on repairs of courthouse, etc. be printed in newspaper (not named here) and also that a copy be posted at Cross Roads, Cross Keys, and J. A. D. Childers's.

SAME, page 114, DeKalb County, Georgia.

Item 14

On January 13, 1834 in DeKalb County, Georgia, the following case appeared:

Adney Rowe vs. J.A.D. Childers- find for plaintiff- \$33.89 principal.

SAME, page 127, DeKalb County, Georgia.

Item 15

In July 1833 in DeKalb County, Georgia, the following case appeared in Inferior Court:

Jesse F. Cleveland vs. John A. D. Childress, William Gilbert, Jesse Childress and Anderson D. Arnold:

Cost paid by plaintiff by agreement- Clerk's cost \$10.75- considered by Court and defendant do recover from plaintiff sum of \$16.87 $\frac{1}{2}$ for their costs in their behalf, etc. ... SAME, page 378, DeKalb County, Georgia

Item 16

One William Childers was Captain in the Campbell County, Georgia Militia to March 15, 1836.
MILITARY RECORDS 1829-1841, page 73.
(Card File Index, Dept. of Archives and History, Atlanta, Ga.)

Item 17

In the 1840 Census of DeKalb County, Georgia, one William Reeve, age 84, is listed as a pensioner.

Item 18

In the 1840 Census of Hall County, Georgia, page 187, the following was found:

WILEY CHILDRES

1 male under age 5	1 female age 5 to 10
1 male age 20 to 30	1 female age 20 to 30
1 male age 70-to80	1 female age 70 to 80

(Note: In this household one Milliner Childers, age 77, is listed a Rev. Pensioner.)

Item 19

On November 24, 1842 in DeKalb County, Georgia, Jesse Childress and Jane L. Reeve obtained a marriage license and were married on the same date, in DeKalb County, Georgia by J. H. Reeve, Justice of the Peace.
MARRIAGE BOOK 1840-1848, page 44, DeKalb County, Georgia.

Item 20

Index on Childers- Childress- DeKalb County, Georgia, Estates
Index, A-L.

David Childers- Homestead- Bk. B, page 331.

James S: (#613)- Guardian apptd.- Returns 1853-1861,

Jesse (#614)- Adm.- D.b.n. apptd.- MIN. A, page 195,
Sale- INV. & APPR. SALES A, page 12,
BOND, BK. 2, page 37; RETURNS 1841-1858- in
RETURNS BOOK C, page 51- MINUTES A, page 360.

John A. D. (#613)- Grdn. apptd.- Bond- Grdn BONDS, BK 1,
page 77; RETURNS 1853-1859, RETURN BOOK C,
page 61.

(Note: I did not get to Deed Index.)