

November 17, 1990

Dear Gilbert:

Received your recent letter. Thank you for the kind words.

Wanted you to know that I am trying to work my material over - already re-written twice and still find things to add. I am really waiting on further check by Louise before finishing same. Wanted you to know that I did promise Pam that I would send the information. With all the green pencil markings I don't think anyone would be able to figure out. I am trying to leave more spacing between each listing for easier reading. That is one reason for re-writing.

The enclosed two sheets are self-explanatory. I wrote them in October but were pushed back. So, re-dated and sending on. I just don't go along with DAR sheets as a whole. Do have some information, or truth, on them, but too many errors where a person seemingly picks dates only to go by, and not surrounding evidence.

Just wished our trip hadn't been such a rush thing. Enjoyed meeting all again, especially to meet Bill and Lena-cousins- and Louise. Wanted to meet James Sorrells and Jean Shearin but they got away too fast that morning. Had hopes some pictures could have been made showing the four cousins - mine - as it would have been nice having one. Someone did take Louise and my picture but not sure of person. Think she was from Texas. You might ask in next quarterly if anyone has pictures to share. I am trying to remember, but have problems placing the person.

I didn't realize my husband made it so plain that he cared less for Alford GENEALOGY. I guess I didn't train him right. Of course, with a football game Saturday afternoon of OU and TEXAS there would be no way for him to be interested in genealogy. That was where he took off to in the afternoon, the TV. I enjoyed the banquet, and the ones at our table that visited with. If I ever invited to something again and they have "FINGER FOOD" I will run the other way. At least could have put out a plastic fork. As a rule I carry two in my purse but with eye medicines, etc, didn't think time. Try and pick up a slice of honeydew melon with fingers to eat. Tried to use the little pick-type and broke it, as I tried to make smaller piece of the slice. Yes, the good goes along with the bad, but that is par for the course. At least I didn't come back blanked out completely as I did last year, for which I have been thankful.

Beautiful weather we are having. Got husband to doctor last week, after trying for ages, and I think he might get straightened out on several problems. New doctor - in fact ours had all retired in the past and had none.

Get started writing and don't know when to stop. Bottom of page stops me.

Sincerely,

*Christie*

*Encl 2*

October 28, 1990  
November 17, 1990

MEMO: GILBERT ALFORD  
FROM: CHRISTIE BALDWIN

In reading through the DAR forms Lodwick has sent me recently, I have made the inclosed copy, which is self-explanatory. The KINCHEM ALFORD shown supposedly to be the son of JAMES ALFORD, SON OF LODWICK ALFORD.

A W. HAS BEEN ADDED TO THE NAME OF JAMES *on Baswell application*  
You show KINCHEM MARRIED TO ASENATH DEANY WOOTEN Jan. 18, 1806  
(James' son)

They show KINCHEM MARRIED TO ASENATH WILLIAMS 5-16-1789  
also called SINIA

The 1789 date is the date supposedly for KINCHEM ALFORD AND  
Lodwick's son born 1760's? LINNEY (LINDA?) WILLIAMS MARRIAGE. She being the  
daughter of SIMON WILLIAMS - Your #13, page 16.  
Your #19, page 11

Seems as though SINIA should not be applied to LINNEY, dau.  
of SIMON WILLIAMS.

BOTH KINCHEMS HAVE A SON BY THE NAME OF KINCHEM, with LODWICK'S SON AND GRANDSON  
BEING IN FRANKLIN CO? AND JAMES SON AND GRANDSON IN GEORGIA? What do you think?

1823  
When SIMON WILLIAMS died, the inventory showed KINCHEM owed his father-in-law  
1 note of \$11.37 $\frac{1}{2}$ , due Dec. 1821, and one for \$100.53 due Dec. 8, 1820.

KINCHEM SIGNS HIS WILL OF NOV. 1848, BUT THEN THE CODICIL IS SIGNED BY MARK.  
which is dated Feb. 5, 1851. have copy

WHAT HAPPENED TO SON OF THIS KINCHEM - FRANKLIN CO-?  
When were children born? Will indicates 4.

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You will notice under the GUNN Application, Rebecca Ferrell is listed as wife of  
Lodwick. It seems as though Jim (of Houston) bro ght up something last year about  
his aunt having found a Rebecca Ferrel in 1937, but since she had passed away  
he was unable to find same. Do you suppose this was where she had found informati n  
being 1937 date of application by Gunn? No references any place has to do with  
Rebecca. It does show LODWICK in Assembly 1778 from Wake Co, and also having died  
1789. ~~xxx~~ Does not show where.

The WOOTENS must have been Georgia Wootens and not Franklin Co.

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CHILDREN OF JAMES ALFORD - SON OF LODWICK ALFORD As taken from DAR #313302  
AGNES BOSWELL BOSWELL NOV. 1938

W.  
JAMES ALFORD: b. 5-17-1741  
md. Lurazer Boykin 12-14-1769  
d. 1813 Hancock Co. Ga. (correction indicates 1814, probated 3/7/1814)  
(Boswell refers to #300544 for verification.)

Children - only KINCHEN listed  
(SR) KINCHEN: B. 1770  
md. Sinia Williams 5-16-1789  
d. after 1874 ← ?

→ see # 20 page 12  
about Alfords  
# 28 - p 19

James' Children as listed with these papers.

COLLIN ALFORD md. Phereby Wooten 4-10-1801  
WILLIE ALFORD  
KINCHEN ALFORD, md. SINIA WILLIAMS 5-16-1789  
ALLEN ALFORD  
PATSY ALFORD md. Solomon Lockett  
WINNEY ALFORD md. John Bush 8-23-1787  
SARAH ALFORD md. Redman Thornton  
NANCY ALFORD md. Collen Wooten  
PHEREBY ALFORD md. Alexander

a: KINCHEN (JR) ←  
b. 5-9-1812  
md. 6-29-1832 Cynthia Avery  
d. 7-26-1891  
a-1 Mary Alford also called Mary Ann Alford  
b. 3-1-1840  
md. John Reid Boswell 13-10-1864  
d. 1-17-1901

son: William Benjamin Boswell, b. 12-22-1864 ? D. 10-15-1909  
md. Mamie Simpson (widow) 10-4-1899 Mullins  
daughter ANNES BOSWELL  
b. Greene Co. Ga.

----- ALFORD -----  
DAR RECORDS #300544 Georgia - MRS OLIVE GUNN Application for Membership, Mar. 1937

JAMES ALFORD. B. 5-17-1741  
md. Lurazer Boykin 12-14-1769  
d. 1813 Hancock Co. Ga.

Children - KINCHEN (SR) b. 1770  
md. Asenath (or Sinia) Williams 5-16-1789 (b. 1772)  
d. Jan. 1815 (a discrepancy here - see above ?) cb  
a: KINCHEN (JR) b. 5-9-1812  
md. 1st Cynthia Avery 6-28-1832 (d. 1843)  
2nd Nancy Haines 1844 ? (b. 1824, d. Oct. 1860-63)  
3rd Mary Bryant 4-9-1863

(eldest child of second marriage 1845)  
a-1 Robert Columbus Alford  
b. 3-12-1853  
md. 2-14-1874 Elizabeth Cornelia Butler b. 2-15-1851  
d. 11-23-1921

Child: OLIVE ALFORD  
b. \_\_\_\_\_  
md. Uly Samuel Gunn Ga.  
d. \_\_\_\_\_

shows a marriage bond to Robert H. Gunn Athens, Ga.

This application shows:  
Lodwick Alford & Rebecca Ferrell  
DAR Book 53 p. 73

CHILDREN OF REVOLUTIONARY ANCESTOR:  
JAMES ALFORD b. 1741, md. L.B.  
JULIUS ALFORD b. 1747 md. R.J. Jackson  
LODOVICK ALFORD b. 1747  
JACOB ALFORD b. 1745, md. M.P.  
GREEN ALFORD b. \_\_\_\_\_ md. Nancy Rose Liles  
(this one does not belong to Lodwick, Sr?) cb

This seems to be added -  
(a different ink and writing)  
(CP)