

DR. GEORGE MOSSE, ~~CAROLINA PATRIOT Physician, Surgeon and~~ Revolutionary Gentleman

Born 1741/2 Ireland

Graduate of the University of Dublin, Ireland, M.D.

Arrived S. C. ~~shortly before the Revolutionary War~~ by 1767.

Settled on St. Helena's Island, Beaufort, S. C. ~~after~~ 1769

1st wife: Miss Elizabeth Martin m. 30 Oct. 1767 St. Thomas + St. Denis Parish Register p. 36

m. c. 1771 2nd wife: Dorothy Phoebe Norton, b. 10 Nov. 1751, baptized St. Helena's Episcopal Church, Beaufort, S. C. 30 Mar. 1752 by Rev. Peasley, d. Black Swamp, S. C. seven weeks after her husband's death and buried beside him in a plantation cemetery there, ~~now~~ site no longer known.

Physician & Surgeon in the Continental Army, captured by British in May 1780 and placed aboard prison ship, "Torbay" in Charleston harbor, from which he made his escape. *McCordy: Hist. of S.C. in American Rev., Vol. IV p. 359*
Gibber: Documentary Hist. of American Rev. Vol. 3, p. 76

11 Apr. 1782 he delivered to the US forces in Beaufort 115 gal. rum and 300 lbs. muscovado Sugar, for which he submitted a bill 24 May 1783 in CharlesTown for £ Sterling 110:10

25 Oct. 1783 he instructed the Commissioners of the Treasury of the State of SC to deliver indents for wine he was supplying either in the name of William Graham (his brother-in-law) or his own name. *WM Eastwick Graham, licensed 11 June 1775 by the Bishop of London for Prince William's Parish, S.C.*

20 Dec. 1785 he delivered to the State 159 lbs. indigo for which he was reimbursed 17 June 1790. *bur. + Beaufort 2 Oct 1800 St. Helena's Sept 32 - 141 says + 4 Oct. 1800 6, 1748*

Children: (seven daughters, no sons) all born on St. Helena's Is.:

"Hetty" ^{Marie} ~~Esther~~ M., b. 18 May 1772 m. (1) as his 2nd wife, Capt. Patrick McKenzie, (2) Professor Terrence Hughes. Dau. Phoebe McKenzie (7 Feb. 1797-25 June 1854) m. 1 Oct. 1817 Rev. James Jehu Robert on 27 Feb. 1793 in St. H's Ch. (12 ch.)
2. Elizabeth, b. 30 May 1776, m. James Stoney; she was bap. aged 12 by Rev. Holcombe; had 15 children, reared only 2: ~~the Rev.~~ George Mosse Stoney, ~~an Episcopalian~~, and Martha Sarah, first wife of the Rev. ~~Joseph~~ Joseph A. Lawton of Hilton Head Is.; Martha Sarah's 1st husb. was Thos. Henry Barksdale, son of Geo. & Ann Agnes Bona Barksdale of Hilton Hd. Is.

B. MulGrovel 19 Aug.

3. Phoebe, b. 6 Dec. 1781 m. Joseph J. Lawton (1777-1859) 8 ch.; including Rev. Joseph A. Lawton who m. (1) his 1st cousin, Mrs. Martha Stoney b. 1807 Barksdale, and had a son, Samuel Lawton on Hilton Head Is.

4. Jane, b. 27 Dec. 1783, d. 1857, bur. Lawtonville Cem., m. ^{16 June} Benjamin Themistocles Lawton (b. Mulberry Grove Plantation 22 Dec. 1782, d. Albany, Ga. 1846), 11 ch., including Anna (1806-1 Feb. 1888) who m. 28 May 1825 her 1st cousin, Dr. William Henry Brisbane.

5. Mary A/ ⁿⁿ b. 11 May 1785, m. Adam Fowler Brisbane; their son, Rev. Dr. William Henry Brisbane, b. 12 Oct. 1806 Beaufort Dist., S. C., died 5 Apr. 1878 Arena, Wisconsin.

6. Martha, ^{d. July 1836} b. 5 Sept. 1789 m. Alexander J. (James ~~or~~ Josiah) Lawton, b. MulGrve 21 Nov. 1790, d. 8 Apr. 1876; m. 15 Nov. 1809

7. Sarah, b. 28 Feb. 1790, m. Robert Godfrey Norton, her 1st cousin.

→ 13 Dec. 1804 Eliza Jane, infant dau. of Joseph Lawton of SC DIED at home of Dr. George Mosse (Mortuary Records in City Hall, Sav.)

→ 25 Oct. 1805 Margaret, infant dau. of Adam Brisbane DIED at home of grandfather, Dr. George Mosse. (above) dau. of Mary Ann Mosse Brisbane.