

Excerpts from Mr. Parker's Book on a 2-Century Old Burying Ground, Old Scotch Graveyard:

38. Old Scotch Graveyard

Tradition states that the old Scotch graveyard was selected and laid out by Captain John Martin, the Tory leader of the Scotch. He buried his wife at this place and selected the spot for his own grave. But after the Revolutionary War he went to Nova Scotia, and there he died and was buried many miles from the spot he had chosen to be buried.

This graveyard (approximately three acres) was set aside by John Martin being part of the 100 acres Martin purchased from Thomas McClendon, January 12, 1775.

The early Scots brought their dead from far down the Cape Fear and even from Robeson County, Richmond County and Anson County for burial.

This cemetery is located in a grove of oaks South of county Highway #1261 approximately 3/4 of a mile from the junction of Highway #1264. This property was known as the Peter Bethune Place and, more recently, the Old Barrett Place.

Patrison, John Sept. 1777-d. 14th June, 1842
 Bethune, Sary Mar. 9, 1829
 McLean, Hector May 1, 1747-Oct. 12, 1833
 McReson, Malcom died 1827 age about 92 years
 Bath, Peter no dates legible
 Matheson, Norman died Aug. 1846 age 78
 Bethune, Christian Aug. 23, 1728-1827
 Tyson, Aaron Moore b. Sep. 1810-d. Jl. 19, 1822
 Tyson, Neill B. Mar. 1812-Aug. 22, 1829
 Person, Benjamin A. Dec. 1827 age 39 years
 Person, Thomas son of B and A Person died Jan. 27, 1829 age 5 months
 McIntosh, Janet consort of Duncan McIntosh b. Dec. 4, 1817
 Oct. 23, 1842



Peter Bethune, possibly the oldest grave in the cemetery.

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John Calvin Stutts April 25, 1858-August 4, 1911
 George A. Stutts November 30, 1868-August 6, 1909
 Maggie A. Stutts February 27, 1871-September 11, 1902
 Henry W. Stutts November 27, 1832-October 8, 1904
 Mary A.M. Stutts May 3, 1841-August 19, 1897
 Matheson, Norman died Aug. 1846 in the 78th year of his age
 Matheson, Neil d. 1811
 Murchison, Kenneth b. Oct. 10, 1745 d. Dec. 10, 1817 72 years
 McDonald, Mrs. Janet Sep. 24, 1834
 McLean, Allen Sep. 25, 1776-d. May 24, 1832
 McLeod, Norman Jl. 8, 1836 - age 72
 McLeod, Mary Oct. 27, 1859 age 85
 McLean, Christian b. Jan. --, 1780 d. Jl. 3, 1831
 McLean, Margaret Aug. 2, 1802 - Feb. 19, 1848
 McLeod, Neill, d. Aug. 25, 1845 age 85 years
 Beach, Elizabeth b. Mar. 3, 1853- d. Jl. 1855
 McIntosh, Lydia b. Jl. 4, 1849-Oct. 9, 1851
 McIntosh, Alexander b. 1773 d. Ap. 22, 1845
 McIntosh, Alexander b. Jan. 6, 1810-d. Mar. 28, 1840
 McIntosh, Neill b. Oct. 1816-d. Jan. 1817
 Duncan McIntosh
 McLeod, _____ died Mar. 12, 1808
 Bethune, Effie d. Sep. 22, 1835 age 62
 Morrison, Christian b. 1735- d. Sep. 29, 1821
 Morrison, Allan d. Sep. 22, 1823 age 60 years
 McDonald, Jane was born 1767 and died Oct. 1836
 McSwain, Margaret died the 29th March 1822 age 84
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 McCaskill, Alexander age about 70 years and died 18th of Mar. 1840
 McCaskill, Mary
 McCaskill, Nancy died Feb. 29, 1825 age 97
 McDonald, Margaret age about 80 years died Jan. 22, 1840
 McDonald, Effie died Ap. 1828
 McDonald, Donald died June 1827
 Bailey, Nancy 1st wife of Benjamin Bailey b. 1806-d. 1862
 McDonald, Margaret Nov. 5, 1827
 McIntosh, Nancy Caroline
 McIntosh, Neill was born Old Christmas 1772 d. June 29, 1846
 McIntosh, Mary relict of Neill McI. d. Aug. 26, 1782 age 72
 McIntosh, J. J. Dec. 11, 1802-Jl. 18, 1870
 Davis, Nancy wife of Matthew Davis
 McIntosh, Dr. Neill June 6, 1812-Jan. 5, 1856
 McLean, James died 1794
 McLeod, Neill died Aug. 25, 1845 age 85 years
 McLean, Ann died _____?
 Dickerson, Mary
 Davis, Robert