

Birmingham Ala
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Dear Winifred -

I spent 12 wonderful days in the Carolinas. The plyler reunion was great, and I did research in McClintonburg, Anson and Union Counties N.C., and Lancaster Co., S.C.

Stopped off on my way home for day and night in Greenville S.C., visited my Cousin Dr John Plyler who is president of Furman university there since 1939.

He carried me to see the pois who live in Greenville. But they are of the Edgar Allen Poe line. I visited the Widow of Harry T. Poe, whose letter is on file at our state archives dept in Montgomery. Harry died in 1948. I carried a copy of this letter with me. She

said she did not know anything about the letter, or the pois mentioned in the letter, that her husband wrote so many people before he ever found his line (Oh how I would love to know where he got this information, he mentioned in his letter) She is a wealthy lady. I spent 1 1/2 hrs in her home. She was so nice to me. I met her nice son when he came in from playing Golf. They gave me a copy of their family Group, which is done on a roll of paper. It does not give me any new information on the older pois -

I think I have written you about the Mrs. Carter of Washington D.C. that has done so much research on census records for me on different lines - especially the Plyler line. She and I have corresponded for about 3 yrs.

But had never met. she wrote me that she would like to meet me at the Plyler reunion, that she had done so much work on the Plyler line she felt like a Plyler. I wrote my Cousin in N.C. to invite her. She came down and spent 3 day with us. She is a sweet lady. The Plylers were all glad to have her. and so grateful to her for the work she has done.

I carried all the material I have on Maj. James Poe S.A.R. She took notes and said if they had any thing on him in Washington she would find it.

The first person to Congratulate me after giving the History of Shepherd Church, down in Fayette Ala. was Atty. Cecil Holliman from Birmingham. His ancestor also settled in Shepherd Church Community. He said I told things about his

ancestors. he didnt know. He is very interested in the work I'm doing. He says he is half retired. I invited him to our last Genealogical Society meeting, and he came. (We meet once a month at the Public Library.) I told him about you, he said he would like to correspond with you.

He also showed me a book on the Holliman Family at the Library, which I had never seen.

He said he bought 2 book and give the library a copy.

George A Holliman wrote the book he is deceased. But his widow lives at Rt. 5. Columbus Miss.

Cecil thinks this lady might still have some copies to sell.

They are \$5.00 each.

I just glanced through the book. But I noticed your

Holliman and Mollie Wallers
line are mentioned.

I'm enclosing a little Reynolds
Threat and Holliman data, that
I copied in the Carolines. My
poe data hasent been typed yet -

Have you been to Little Rock -
yet? We are so grateful for
any data on the poe - Hall or
Constructing lines, please write soon.

Sincerely -

Ruby Glynn Sullivan

P.S. John Cheek came by to
see us last Sat. Several other
members and I of the G. Society
met him at the library Sunday
afternoon, see he is an out of state
member of our Society.

He certainly had collected
a lot of material on his lines
on this trip -