

The entire Robert Dixon family has now been established, at least the male lines, with the location of Thomas Dixon in Elbert County, Georgia. The sons of Robert Dixon and Judith Burton were:

1. William Dixon, born 1801 in Elbert Co. Ga., married ca 1832 Ann Wilson of Abbeville, S. C. Their children were:
  - 1a. William, b 1833
  - 1b. John, b.1835
  - 1c. Martha, b. 1837
  - 1d. Elizabeth, b. 1838, m 26 Sep 1858 Peter Allgood
  - 1e. Caroline, b. 1840, m. 5 Sep 1861 G. H. L. Ivey
  - 1f. Sarah, b. 1843
  - 1g. Daniel, b. 1845
  - 1h. Samuel W., b. 1847, m. 14 Jan 1877 Mary Saxon
  - 1i. W. J., (F) b. 1857 \*
  - 1j. J. V., (F), b. 1859

Most of this information is from the 1850 U S census of Thomas Co. Ga, but some is from the 1860 U S census of Elbert Co. Ga., as well as marriage records, etc. The picture emerging is that William Dixon must have returned to Elbert Co. after having moved earlier to Thomas Co. with Daniel Dixon and German Burton. The reason for the move is not apparent, and it appears that the older children\_William, John, and Martha\_and the younger Daniel, did not make the move. There is substantial evidence to support the conclusion that William returned to Elbert Co. First, the area to which he returned, Anthony Shoals (sometimes known as Petersburg) is the location in which he originally lived. It is also known as the 192nd Militia district which includes Coody"s Creek and the home of Robert Dixon. Secondly. the marriages of Elizabeth, Caroline, and Samuel W. Dixon all fit in the proper time sequences (dates and ages fit). Thirdly, the families of William, Samuel, and Thomas are all proximal to each other, and finally, the existence of a present day descendent, Roscoe Dixon, in the same general area of Elbert Co. Actually, Roscoe is dead, but his widow states that Roscoe's grandfather was Sam Dixon, and his grandmother was Mary Saxon Dixon.

2. Blackman W. Dixon, b. 1803, Elbert County Ga. moved to Jasper Co. Ga. about 1829 where he married Priscilla Edmondson 25 Nov. 1832. They had one child, a daughter, Martha L., b. 1834. After moving to Troup Co. Ga., he married Martha Harrison on 1 July. 1845. Their children were:
  - 2a. Robert Washington, b. 29 Aug. 1846, m. Frances Hargett, 17 Oct 1869
  - 2b. Daniel William, b. 1847
  - 2c. Sarah R., b. 1850, m. Bill Thomason
  - 2d. Benjamin F.. b.28 April 1853, m. Ada Baird
  - 2e. James L.

3. John S. Dixon, b. 1805 in Elbert Co. Ga., m. 1830  
Martha Wilson, sister of Ann Wilson, of Abbeville, S.  
C. Their children were:

- 3a. Andrew Wilson Dixon, b. 1831, m. 1 July 1857.  
Lauretta B. Sayre  
3b. Julia Ann Dixon, b. 1834, m. 23 Dec 1877 James  
S. Bradford  
3c. Jane Y. Dixon, b. 1835, m. 7 Oct 1852 James C.  
Rodgers  
3d. Samuel J. Dixon, b. 1838

- Blood line* ← ✓ 4. ~~Andrew~~ Daniel Dixon, b. 1808 in Elbert Co. Ga., d. 4 Mar  
1867 Thomas Co. Ga., m. 22 Dec 1831 Elizabeth (Sarah Elizabeth)  
Wilson, sister of Martha Wilson of Abbeville, S. C.

5. Thomas Dixon, b. ca 1808, in Elbert Co. Ga., m. 1835  
Elizabeth Ellenburg of South Carolina. Their children

were:

- 5a. M. C. (F), b. 1836  
5b. M. (F), b. 1838  
5c. Abraham Dixon, b. 1840, m 21 June 1868 Laura  
A. M. Arnold  
5d. Judith Dixon, b. 1844  
5e. Phillip Dixon, b. 1844  
5f. Victoria Dixon, b. 1850  
5g. Jane Dixon, b. 1853

Even though Robert Dixon had at least two daughters,  
according to census records, they remain to be identified.  
And although there are many questions to be answered,  
e.g. when did Thomas die, and where is he buried, when did  
Martha Dixon die, etc, we now have a good picture of the  
entire Robert Dixon-Judith Burton family. The major work  
remaining seems to be the question of Robert's grandparents  
(William and John's father). Please note that Thomas Dixon  
corroborates Blackman Dixon's statement that his mother and  
father were born in Virginia via the 1880 U S census of  
Elbert Co. Perhaps we can locate the Dixon's in Virginia and  
then in England.

\* This is probably Mary J. Dixon who married Lafayette  
Roberson in Elbert Co. Also there is the possibility that R  
(A) is not Ann in that 1860 census, but Rebecca, who would be  
his (William's) new wife and mother of M. and M. J.. Notice

the census record family of Lafayette Roberson, that shows a Rebecca Dixon as mother-in-law. Thus, the catalyst sending William back to Elbert Co. may have been the death of Ann Wilson Dixon.