



The CCHS *Newsletter*

Carroll County Historical Society

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MAY 2017

Dr. LaShun Burr Danley to Speak to May 16th Meeting



Dr. LaShun Burr Danley earned her doctorate in organizational leadership, with a concentrated focus on community and economic development. She has over 20 years of experience formulating, implementing, monitoring and evaluating non-profit organizations, businesses, government agencies, human services, educational and economic development programs.

She has conducted organizational assessments, developed and implemented quality improvement programs, generated strategic plans to identify organizational priorities and tracking systems, conducted stakeholder and customer surveys and focus groups, and provided technical assistance in both individual and group settings. She has extensive experience providing technical assistance in areas of team building, process and change management, training, fund development, and in the diagnosis and resolution of operational, service delivery and programmatic challenges.

Modeling visionary leadership, Dr. Burr-Danley has worked with diverse audiences around the globe including entrepreneurs, government officials, faith and community based organizational staff and leadership, corporate executives, educators, quality and process managers, workforce, human and economic development professionals. She is a leadership strategist with significant experience and demonstrated expertise in grant writing and program development.

LaShun will present the strategic plan she and the CCHS Board have developed to help us reach our goals. She will detail the steps she sees as necessary to accomplish them in the most effective way. Members will be given an opportunity to ask questions and make suggestions.

May 16th Meeting 6:30 P.M. at the Stallings Community Center

*The Public is cordially invited.
Light refreshments will be served.*

Surveyors and Indians Encounter in 1827 in Carroll County

The party of Indians obtained written orders from Little Prince, head chief of the Creek Nation, demanding that the surveyors desist from stretching a chain west of Bright's Line. A few days later they broke up Kendrick's operation and seized his compass.⁴⁷ Little Prince also dispatched a letter to Troup protesting the actions of the surveyors, but Troup ignored the letter.⁴⁸ On January 7, 1827, seven or eight defiant Indians confronted Elijah Byne and his men, who were running the lines of the 13th District of Carroll County. They presented Byne with Little Prince's order and, when Byne refused to discontinue his work, took his compass. At the same time they disdainfully brandished before him the compass they had seized from Kendrick.⁴⁹

On January 21, 1827, James A. Rogers and his men had just marked a pine station thirty-one chains east of the southwest corner of Land Lot 167 of the 9th District of Carroll County when they collided with an angry party of Creek Indians.⁵⁰ Rogers sent the following urgent message to Governor Troup explaining the matter:

January 23, 1827 his Exelency Geo M Troup
 Sir Inclosed you will find a copy of an Instrument of writing that was handed to me by A parcel of Indians on the 21st Inst and after I red the letter they demanded of me my compass which I had to Surrender to them but after a few minutes they agreed to give me back my compas and would come with me over the New Treaty line which they did and Threatened me very Sovere if I Should be caught over Brights line again a Surveying. I have come on to McIntoshes old place and have Stopt my hands until I hear from you[.] if you Intend to give me assistance I hope you will take the Earliest measure to get it to me as provision is scarce and my hands uneasy to go home. as to the Number of Min it will take to guard me I am unable to Say[.] my Situation is

46. Letter from James Kendrick to George M. Troup (Dec. 29, 1826) (GSGD).

47. Letter from George R. Clayton to George M. Troup (Jan. 12, 1827) (GSGD).

48. Letter from Little Prince to George M. Troup (Jan. 1, 1827) (GDAH).

49. Letter from George R. Clayton to George M. Troup (Jan. 12, 1827) (GSGD).

50. Field notes of James A. Rogers, surveyor of the 9th District of Carroll County 52 (GSGD); J. Bonner, Georgia's Last Frontier: The Development of Carroll County 17-18 (1971).

From: Georgia Land Surveying History and Law
 By Farris W. Cadle

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Recipe of the Month- Zucchini Bread

Beat until foamy-

3 eggs 1 Cup salad oil
 2 Cups sugar 2 tsp vanilla

Stir in-

2 Cups coarsely grated zucchini
 1 8 1/2 can of crushed pineapple (drained)

Combine-

3 Cups A/P flour 1 1/2 tsp. cinnamon
 2 tsp. baking powder 1 tsp. salt
 2 tsp. baking soda 3/4 tsp. nutmeg
 1 Cup chopped nuts (pecans, walnuts, etc.)

Pour into 2 greased loaf pans

Bake 1 hr. at 350 degrees

Volunteers Welcome

CCHS is involved in many projects now that can use your help. Whatever your talent may be, your effort can contribute to the successful preservation of the Carroll County historical sites, stories, and memories of the people who have made the west Georgia area such a special place to live. We need *your* help! Thanks!

Recipe of the Month- Grape Salad

Mix All the Following Ingredients-

4 # Seedless Grapes
 1 8oz PKG. cream cheese softened
 1 8 oz container sour cream
 1/2 cup white sugar
 4 oz chopped pecans

Refrigerate until ready to eat.

MAY BIRTHDAYS

Barbara Story
Gene Duke

Sam Pyle
Phillip Wren

this[.] there is three Settlements of Indians in my district that have in them about tin min and in two miles on the Alabama Side there is a Large Town that I am told have from forty to fifty warriors in it which is to be placed on the New Treaty line as Spies and [to] prevent the Land from being surveyed & as for further Information I will refer you to Maj^r Parramore the bearur of this express and who was with me whin the Indians Stopt me

Your

James A. Rogers D.S

[enclosure]

To the Surveyors running the land west of the line of the late Creek Treaty
Creek Nation
January 12th 1827

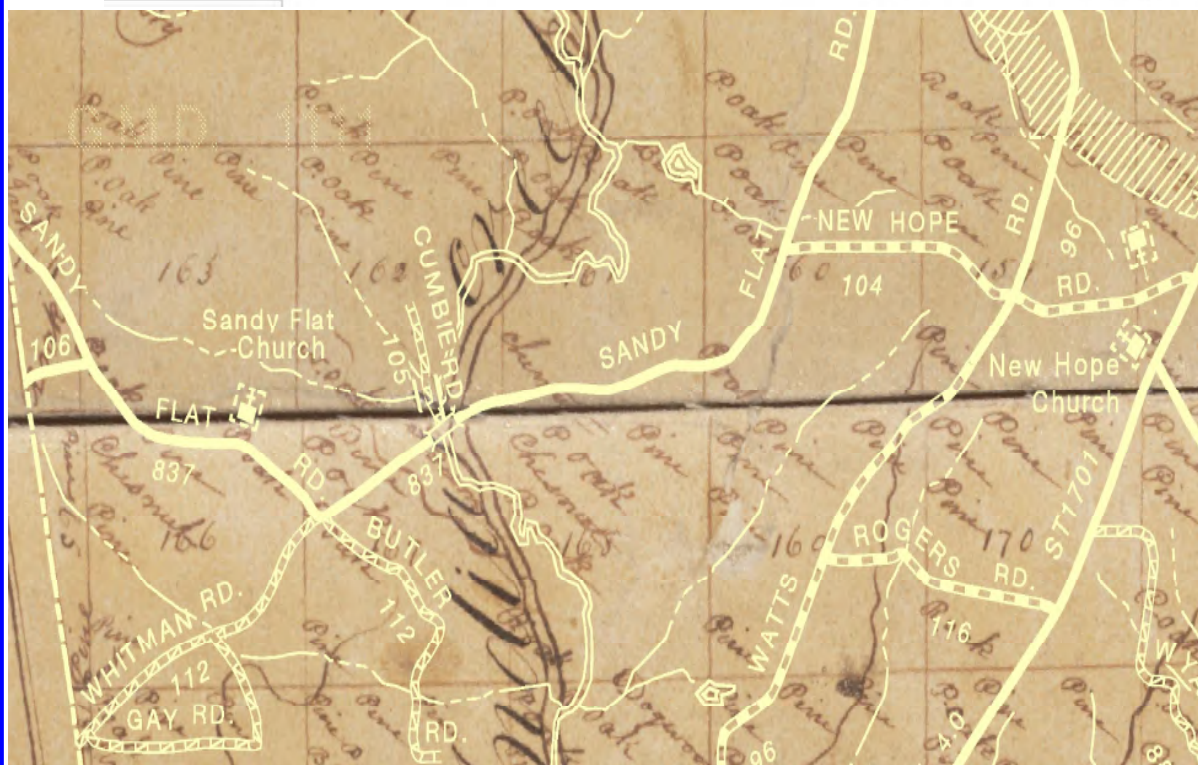
Gentlemen We the undersigned Chiefs and head men of the Creek Nation having learnt with great regrett that you are engaged in Surveying the lands West of the line of the late Treaty and which was not Ceded by that Treaty we have again to request and demand of you in the Most friendly terms that you will desist from Stretching a Chain over any of our lands not Ceded by the Said Treaty[.] we flattered our Selves and we had a right to believe the Stipulation of that Treaty would have been friendly observ^d by all parties concerned and that our former Differences with our Neighbours the Georgians would have been finally settl^d and that we would in future live in the Strictest friendship in all our Intercourse[.] We are determined on our part not to do an act that can be Calculated to give offence but we [have] right[s] and we hope they will be respected

We are your friends
his
Little X Prince
mark

Signed in
presence of
John Crowell
Agt. fo. I. A.

Oakfusky X Yoholo
Sparnee X Tustnugg Hargo
Eastichaeco X Chopco
Wicas X Hago
Coche X Hodgo
Carchus X Micue

James Istands Interpreter⁵¹



Left: Composite map showing the original 1827 survey map and the current roads and Big Indian Creek in the Sandy Flat Community southwest of Bowdon.

Composite Map by
Dr. Andrew Ivester

**THIS MEMORIAL DAY CARROLL COUNTY
WILL REMEMBER AMERICA'S ENTRY INTO WORLD WAR I**



This photograph from the Carroll County Historical Society Archives shows students from the Carrollton Public Schools helping lend their support for the god old red, white & blue and the U.S. involvement in World War I during the “2nd Liberty Loan Day”, Oct 24, 1917. The United State officially entered “The Great War” in Europe on April 6, 1917. Notice the people in this photo: besides the many school students in their folded newspaper hats, there were soldiers & sailors, young nurses in uniform, a young drummer boy, Uncle Sam and people in patriotic straw hats and local citizens all dressed in their Victorian finery. All Carroll County citizens taking time out of their lives to show their patriotic pride and raise some needed funds to support the American war effort. “

One of the banner reads “If You Can’t Go Across, COME ACROSS”

This photo was taken on NE Quadrant #1 of Adamson Sq.in Carrollton, most likely by J.G. Buyer’s who first had a studio on the second floor of two-story building on the far left which was later known as the Boykin Law Firm Bldg. and now home to Southwire Offices. Buyer’s later moved to the Beall Bldg. (now Gallery Row Coffee) as the first of 4 photographers on the second floor of that building. The Building from left to right. (Rome to Newnan Streets): John Baskin Clothing, a restaurant, Johnsons Drugstore, a print shop with The Gainesboro Telephone upstairs, ? Tyus (formerly U.S. Post Office), Moore & Cleins, G.J. Buyers, and Photography Studio upstairs.

Carroll County D.A.V. Chapter No. 19
BBQ and Club House Dedication in 1931



On Nov. 11, 1931, the Milton Edison Chapter No. 19, Disabled American Veterans officially dedicated its new clubhouse with a grand BBQ for its members. In 1931 was 10 years removed from being involved in World War I and 10 prior to being reentering war in Europe again in WWII. However the community of Carroll County was no less appreciative of the part its disabled veterans had played in helping to make American the great world power it had become. By the fall of 1931 the disabled veterans of Carroll County and Carrollton had a brand new clubhouse to call home. A place like this could not have been built by a small band of disabled veterans alone. It certainly took a nation of dreamers and a community volunteers who believed that the brave and courageous veterans in its midst deserve a good place to meet, gather, socialize and conduct business, so vital to those who had returned home to America from fighting in Europe. World War I was like no other war that had ever been fought up until that time. There was a new kind of enemy, new weapons of mass destruction and a totally new way of fighting that emerged from what was known then simply as "The Great War."

On Saturday, May 27, 2017 at 10:30 a.m. the Carroll County Veterans Park will host a speech by Gen. John J. Pershing, who led the American Expansionary Force or AEF during its two years of fighting in Europe. Gen. Pershing comes to us from Pennsylvania and will be leaving us to head to Washington DC to participate in National Memorial Day Parade on Monday, May 29th, 2017, which will be remembering American entry into World War I.

Message from President Scott Eldred

Carroll County has been doing some landscaping at Moore's bridge. The view of the bridge is very much improved. CCHS will be busy with site preparation for an archeology survey and discovery of an area where there were out buildings across from the house. We also need to know where the Union Soldiers were dug in for the battle of Moore's bridge.

CCHS is moving forward with the work of restoration to the house. We have encountered bees by the thousands. We will be spraying, removing nests and whatever it takes to get them removed. When completed Moore's Bridge Park will be a great addition to the list of great parks in Carroll County. Carroll County can very easily become a come-to destination, not a go-to destination. We will have an opportunity to host people traveling to Carroll county as well as traveling through this area.

The May/June West Georgia Living Magazine has a wonderful article about the battle of Moore's Bridge. Ken Denney has done a superb job with this article. I hope everybody has a copy of this; it is absolutely worth a re-read. This magazine always has great articles. Again Ken, thank you for great work.

The cover story of this issue of the WGL magazine is about an icon of the entertainment industry: Susan Hayward. Susan loved the relaxed lifestyle here, where she could be herself and make some life long friends and relationships. I have had the opportunity to talk with people who knew her on a personal level. *Scott*

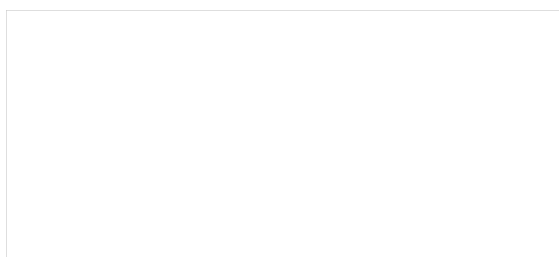
Planning Your Future?

If you are thinking about the legacy you want to leave, please consider the Carroll County Historical Society or one of its on-going projects as an option. Including the CCHS in your estate planning is an easy way to make a lasting impact for the preservation of local history and traditions you value. Visit Carroll County Historical Society's on-line gift planning to learn hoe to make CCHS a beneficiary of your will, trust, life insurance policy, or retirement plan. Any amount will be greatly appreciated and will enable the Society to preserve our heritage for future generations. Learn more details by calling 678-664- 0662 or by visiting www.carrollcountyhistory.org.

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\$50 per year

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