

## George Dye & Mary Lemley

George Dye was born in 1763 in Virginia. His father was John Dye b. ca. 1746 Virginia. His mother is the unknown wife of John Dye. He has one known brother, Henry Dye. His Father John Dye, later married Agnes Ferguson? Stone, He has siblings from that marriage include William Thomas Dye, Perry G Dye, Sarah Dye Collins and John Dye Jr. His Grandfather, Thomas Dye, brought the family to the Rockey Creek area of South Carolina about 1771. In 1779, George volunteered to serve in the Revolutionary War. He served under General Lincoln and as a private in Capt. Washington's Company. After he was discharged, he was drafted and served several months under Capt. Richard Minor. He was in the Battle of Eataw Springs. He purchased land on March 13, 1795, 80 acres adjacent Thomas Ederington, Richard Hill and John Dye in a section of Craven Co, SC ; now known as Fairfield, Co, SC. In June of 1802, George purchased 21 Acres of land which were original part of land purchased by Peter Lemley. John Dye was a witness to both land purchases. At the time of John's Death, George inherited land originally granted to John Dye in 1772. Children include:

**Sarah Dye married John Beam**, son of Albert Beam I and Sarah Halsey.

He died ca. 1825 in Chester Co, SC. Children: John Beam Jr., Jesse Beam, Ezekiel T Beam, Turner Beam b. 1817, Sarah Beam Dye, Ann Beam Widener , Margaret Beam Widener.

**Elijah Henry Dye** b. Jan 24, 1800 SC d. May 1, 1877 Cullman Co AL marrie Mary Magdalene Coogler b. Mar 10, 1804 SC about 1827 in GA. Children: Mary Jane Dye, George B Dye, Monroe Dye, John Jackson Dye, Daniel M Dye, Mary Elizabeth Dye, William Elija Dye.

**Jemima Dye married David Dawson (Dawes or Dorse)Hoopaugh** Children:

William Hoopaugh, Elizabeth Hoopaugh Weir, Julia Ann Hoopaugh Dye  
George Hoopaugh, Andrew Hoopaugh.

**George Lemley Dye married Betsey Roberts**

Children: William Dye b. 1837 Nancy E Dye, Mary Jemima Dye, Frances (James) L Dye, Thomas E Dye and Charles A Dye.

**Daniel L Dye married Katherine "Katy" Graham** about 1829 Children" Elijah Dye b. 1830, Martha Mattie Dye b. Feb 15, 1832, John L M Dye b ca 1833, Bayles Dye b. ca 1836 Savilla E (Catherine) Sara Dye Timms

**John Dye b. 2 Feb 1801 d. 20 Dec 1855 in Fairfield Co, SC married Tabitha Neaves** b. 1803 NC and died 1890s Fairfield Co, SC. No Children.

**Mary Dye** b. 1810

**Nancy Dye** b. 1812

**Elizabeth Dye married Abraham Widener**

George is listed as a America Revolutionary Patriot, his Pension is available (R 13919)  
Will Dated 1841 says he died Spring of 1846

Some information was gleaned from the following sources:

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