TO RESIDENTS OF COTTONBORO AND THOSE INTERESTED IN COTTONBORO HISTORY

Attached is a map of Cottonboro and a coded list of its houses, church, and shops, past and present with the names of occupants and the dates of their occupancy.

This information was assembled from many sources in preparation for a talk on the history of Cottonboro given before the Welfebero Historical Society on September 7, 1981, in the Cotton Mountain Community Church.

There are, inevitably, many gaps in the data and ne doubt a number of errors. However, it is quite possible that some of you may have knowledge of, or access to information that would serve to fill in some of the missing parts and correct the errors.

Therefore, it would be greatly appreciated if you would look over the attached sheets and let me know of any changes, additions, or deletions you consider appropriate. If possible, reference to documentary sources would be helpful.

It is planned to prepare a revised version of the list based on your contributions. When the revised list is completed a copy will go to you if you want it.

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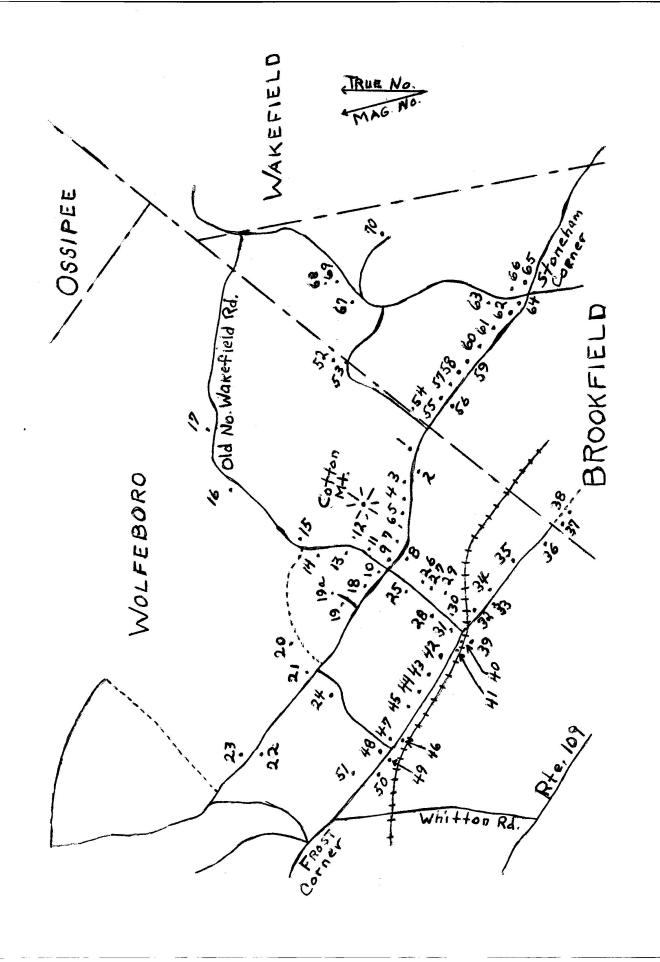
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COTTONBORO HOMES AND OCCUPANTS 1774 to 1981

- 1. COTTON MOUNTAIN CHURCH (BUILT IN 1852). EARLIER CHURCH (1801) ACROSS THE ROAD.
- 2. GARRISON HOUSEHOLDER (BUILT CA. 1977).
- 3. A. E. COTTON (SHOWN AS OCCUPANT ON 1861 MAP). ALPHEUS WEEKS (1872). HOUSE BURNED CA. 1887.
- 4. JOHN P. COTTON (2ND SON COL. WM.). JOHN P. COTTON, JR. (1861 MAP). J. COTTON, JR. (1892 MAP). ALONZO WEEKS (1908). A. PAGE WEEKS. STEVENSON. SHEPHERD. CAPT. JOHN HOOPER.
- 5. JEREMIAH COTTON. MOVED BY A. PAGE WEEKS TO NO. 4 ABOVE.
- 6. CLARK COTTON SHOP (LEATHER?). WALTER MAGOUN (1912). ELEANOR MAGOUN.
- 7. L. COTTON. ROBERT THOMAS. RONALD RIEMENSCHNEIDER.
- 8. CAPT. WM. STIMSON.
- 9. THOMAS COTTON (3RD SON COL. WM. BORN 1766, M. 1791, D. 1846). LOG CABIN UNTIL 1819. DANIEL COTTON (SON OF THOMAS). DANIEL J. COTTON (SON OF DANIEL).
 WM. VOSBURG. MR. AND MRS. ELY MERCHANT (WIDOW OF WM. VOSBURG). LEE VOSBURG DELANO (NIECE). THOMAS J. WALSH (1978).
- 10. SCHOOLHOUSE (1892). LADIES AID (1913). MRS. ROBT. MAUSER (1936). URBACHEK. EDWARD S. HATTON (1969).
- 11. MRS. ROSE LAUBHAM (CA. 1920? BUILT HOUSE FOR VIEW). MRS. FLORENCE ANDERSON (DAUGHTER OF MRS. LAUBHAM). JEFFREY LYNN.
- 12. SAMUEL COTTON (SEVENTH SON OF COL. WM.) (B. 1780. M. 1809 and 1831. D. 1852).

 BRACKETT F. COTTON (SON OF SAM). CLARENCE (GRANDSON OF BRACKETT) AND MINNIE

 COTTON. HOWARD C. TILTON (1936). A. THEIS (1952). GEORGE E. LUKAS (1973).
- 13. GEORGE E. LUKAS. (SOLAR HOUSE).
- 14. D. COTTON (PER 1861 MAP). WM. JOHNSON (1892 MAP). HOUSE GONE. MAY HAVE BEEN HOME OF ISAAC COTTON. FIFTH SON OF COL. WM.
- 15. (?) JENNESS(EARLY 1800'S). (ABBIE LANG SAYS SARAH JENNESS'S MOTHER WAS BORN HERE CA. 1816). JOSEPH JENNESS. DR. SARAH JENNESS, DAUGHTER OF JOSEPH. (DIED IN DEC. 1916 WHEN HOUSE BURNED DOWN).
- 16. J. KENDALL (PER 1892 MAP). HOUSE GONE.
- 17. CALVIN TIBBETTS (1861 MAP). BISHOP TIBBETTS? HAMILTONS. JOHN MATHEWS. HOUSE GONE.
- 18. SITE PART OF ORIGINAL GOV. WENTWORTH LOT. JOHN FURBER COTTON (GRANDSON OF COL. WM. THROUGH THOMAS). TIMOTHY COTTON. ISAIAH WIGGIN (SON IN LAW OF TIMOTHY).

 ARTHUR READ (COTTON VALLEY STOREKEEPER). ROBERT THURRELL (1925). ("COTTON MOUNTAIN FARM").

- 19. WM. TIBBETTS. BURNED CA. 1852. REBUILT BY THOMAS JEFFERSON TIBBETTS, SON OF WM. MORSE (1922). ROBT. THURRELL (1925). BURNED DOWN 1929 OR 1930.
- 19a. POULTRY FARM BUILDINGS, THURRELL.
- 20. JOSIAH WILLEY (REV. WAR SOLDIER, SETTLED HERE AFTER REV. WAR). 1861 MAP HAS A J. WILLEY. HOUSE GONE.
- 21. JESSE AND ANNE DREW (TO 1800). DEACON THOMAS VALENTINE WORMWOOD AND MOLLY DREW WORMWOOD (TO 1817). SAMUEL AND SALLY WYATT HUGGINS (TO 1880). (THEY HAD TEN CHILDREN, 3 OF WHOM WERE SUCCESSFUL N. Y. CITY HOTEL KEEPERS). JAMES AND MARY HUGGINS MARTIN LIVED HERE UNTIL THE DEATH OF HER PARENTS. JAMES WAS FIRST PRESIDENT OF WOLFE. NAT. BK. MARTIN AND HUGGINS FAMILIES WERE SUBSTANTIAL SUPPORTERS OF HOSPITAL AND COTTON MT. CHURCH. MARTINS MOVED TO WOLFEBORO IN 1887 TO WHAT IS NOW CATHOLIC CHURCH AND RECTORY). STEPHEN W. CLOW (1904). ARTHUR E. READ (1906). (DAIRY FARMER, STOREKEEPER). ERNEST HUEBNER (1915) (MUSICIAN WITH BOSTON AND DETROIT SYMPHONIES). LYDIA HUEBNER (1956) (DAUGHTER OF ERNEST. SHE MARRIED C. HARLAND RADDIN IN 196Q).
- 22. SITE PART OF ORIGINAL HENRY APTHORP LOT. LOT CAME INTO POSSESSION OF GEORGE MESERVE (SEE TEXT AND MAP OF PARKER'S HISTORY). THOMAS YOUNG? WALTER AVERY (1820) (MARRIED SALLY COTTON, GRANDDAUGHTER OF COL WM. THROUGH JOHN PICKERING COTTON). 1861 MAP SHOWS A W. AVERY. GIDEON GILMAN (1874). (GIDEON, ON FEB. 25, 1854, MARRIED MARY ANN AVERY. THEY WERE THE FIRST COUPLE TO BE MARRIED IN THE 1852 COTTON MT. CHURCH. GIDEON HAD HAULED TIMBERS TO BUILD THE CHURCH). WILBUR GILMAN. (SERVED AS SELECTMAN. BROTHER OF ELLA GILMAN). DR. GUSTAVUS ESSELIN (1936). CAPT. ERIC BROWN (1954). HENRY S. MAXFIELD (1981).
- 23. SITE PART OF ORIGINAL HENRY APTHORP LOT. THEN GEO. MESERVE. FIRST SETTLERS WERE MARK W. AND DORCAS (NUTE) AVERY. EVERETT AVERY. MORE AVERYS (1861 MAP SHOWS M. W. AVERY, 1892 MAP J. E. AVERY). ROBERT MAUSER. GEO. BAGGE (1936). MYRON L. AND ANNA TYLER (1952). RAYMOND C. AND ANNA (TYLER) TUTTLE.
- 24. SITE PART OF ORIGINAL DANIEL RINDGE LOT. CORNELIUS JENNESS (1791). JOHNSON JENNESS. CYRUS JENNESS (FIRST COUSIN OF DR. SARAH JENNESS). MRS. GEORGE DALLAS (1930). WILLIAM AND CATHERINE FOX. ROGER THURRELL. ROBERT AND DIANA HOPEWELL (1958).
- 25. PHILIP THURRELL. GRAY (1950). ALEXANDER DALTON. MARK AND CANDICE ST. MARTIN.
- 26. JAMES COTTON (FOURTH SON OF COL. WM.). JAMES COTTON (1856 SON OF JAMES).

 MORE COTTONS (IN 1901 OCCUPIED BY SEVERAL UNMARRIED CHILDREN OF ELIOT COTTON, SOM

 OF JOHN PICKERING COTTON, GRANDSON OF COL. WM.). JOHN WENTWORTH. PAUL BISSELL

 (1924). JOHN STOCK.
- 27. RENALD SISTERS (EARLY 1900'S). ALFRED DONOVAN (STOREKEEPER). AUSTIN FOGG (STOREKEEPER). CRUZAN. RONALD ADJUTANT (1972).

- 28. WILLIAM COTTON (FIRST SON OF COL. WM.). DUDLEY PAGE COTTON (GRANDSON OF COL. WM.). HENRY D. COTTON (BROTHER OF DANIEL). FORD SMITH (1950). LAIRDS. LEONARD S. PETERSON.
- 29. (). HOUSE BUILT IN 1981.
- 30. DENIS PLANTE.
- 31. VICTORIA NELSON (1924). WILLARD AND VICTORIA (NELSON) FOGG.
- 32. USED TO BE TAILOR SHOP HERE.
- 33. FREDERICK K. BIERWEILER (197).
- 34. GEORGE P. COTTON (GREAT GRANDSON OF COL. WM. THROUGH WM. AND GEO. OSBORNE).
 OREN COTTON. HARRY COTTON. WILLARD FOGG. E. F. LEONE, JR.
- 35. COL. WM. COTTON (1781). ORIGINALLY LOG COBIN. FRAME HOUSE BUILT CA. 1782 -1784. THOMAS COTTON (GRANDSON OF COL WM. THRU DEACON THOMAS). ALBERT W. COTTON (SON OF THOMAS). EVERETT A. COTTON. J. ARTHUR WHEELER (1938). DAVID WHEELER (SON OF J. ARTHUR).
- 36. BUILT SOMETIME AFTER 1794 BY NATHAN BROWN, SUPT. UNDER CABBOTS OF GOV. WENTWORTH FARM. MILES RENDALL (IN 1864 WIFE AND SIX CHILDREN DIED WITHIN THREE DAYS OF DIPHTHERIA). M. P. C. O. RANDALL. J. RANDALL. HOUSE BURNED IN 1919. REBUILT BY ARTHUR PERRY. VETO AND IRENE NELSON.
- 37. BUILT ABOUT 1790 BY (?) COTTLE WHO MARRIED A FERNALD DAUGHTER FROM THE NEARBY HOUSE. WM. COTTLE (ON 1861 MAP). WM. BIXBY (NEPHEW OF WM. COTTLE. BIXBY'S MOTHER RECEIVED WELL-KNOWN LETTER FROM LINCOLN). GEORGE FOGG. DR. C. WARREN BRODRICK ("TOOTHACRES").
- 38. SITE OF HOUSE BUILT BY GOV. WENTWORTH AND SOLD BY HIM TO HIS SECRETARY, (?)
 BERNALD, IN 1774 FOR FIVE SHILLINGS. ON SAME FOUNDATION, AFTER HOUSE WAS
 GONE, A BLACKSMITH SHOP WAS ERECTED. THE BUILDING STILL STANDS.
- 39. SAWMILL BUILT IN 1878 BY JOHN, STEPHEN, AND HENRY CLOW. BURNED IN 1920. REBUILT. SUBSEQUENTLY OPERATED BY ROSCOE CLOW UNTIL AFTER 1937-1938. NO LONGER THERE.
- 40. STORE BUILT IN 1914 BY ALFRED DONOVAN. ARTHUR READ. AUSTIN FOGG (1926 TO 19460. GEO. AND LIZ BOWMAN (1946 TO 1964). NOW OCCUPIED AS RESIDENCE BY BENJAMIN BEANS.
- 41. STORE BUILT IN 1872 BY PIKE COTTON FOR HIS SON, GEO. O. COTTON. GEO. NUTE (1875).
 HENRY D. COTTON (ALSO IN 1875). HENRY SERVED AS STOREKEEPER, POSTMASTER, AND
 RAILROAD AGENT. STEPHEN CLOW (1880). WM. DORR (1883). AFTER HIS DEATH, OPERATED
 BY HIS DAUGHTER, LULA. CLARENCE EVANS. JOHN PRINDALL. BURNED IN 1935.
- 42. S. DORE. CLARENCE EVANS (STOREKEEPER). ALFRED DONOVAN (STOREKEEPER). AVON MILINER. STEPHEN BUSH.
- 43. W. T. DORE. BURNED DOWN.
- 44. G. P. COTTON. L. A. WHITTIER. FORD SMITH (1913). PHILIP THURRELL (1950). CRUZAN. RICHARD D. ACKERMAN.

- 45. G. W. COTTON. MRS. H. B. MORGAN. HOUSE GONE.
- 46. WM. SIMPSON. HOUSE TORN DOWN CA. 1979. NEW HOUSE BUILT IN 1981 FOR BURNS.
- 47. LYLE GLIDDEN.
- 48. OWNED BY ROBERT HOPEWELL. OCCUPIED BY CARL GLIDDEN.
- 49. BRUCE MCBRIEN.
- 50. ERNEST L. HOOPER. WILLIAM R. EARLEY (CA. 1977).
- 51. ISAIAH ROLLINS. ELLA MORGAN ROLLINS (WIDOW OF ISAIAH). EARL ADJUTANT (SON OF MRS. ELLA M. ROLLINS ADJUTANT). VALERIE R. BATES (1963) (HOUSE MOVED UP HILL). MARSHALL K. AND VALERIE B. RAY (MARRIED IN 1968 IN COTTON MT. CHURCH).
- 52. SITE PART OF ORIGINAL DR. AMMI RUHAMAN CUTTER LOT. ROBERT NEWELL (CA. 1800).

 JOHN NEWELL, SON OF ROBERT (1835). LEWIS B. CANNEY (1840-41). JAMES CANNEY

 (BROTHER OF LEWIS) BOUGHT MINTEREST IN 1844. JOHN CANNEY (SON OF LEWIS)

 BOUGHT JAMES MINTEREST IN 1872. RUSSELL BURWELL (1922). DONALD WYATT (197).
- 53. ROBERT NEWELL (CA. 1800). JOHN, SON OF ROBERT (CA. 1832). JOHN ERECTED BUILDINGS AT THAT TIME. JOHN WOODBURY COTTON, 1850-51. (GREAT GRANDSON OF COL. WM.). JESSE AND JOHN COTTON (SONS OF JOHN WOODBURY). RUSSELL BURWELL (CA. 1955). DONALD WYATT (197).
- 54. HENRY SMITH. HOUSE GONE.
- 55. EDMUND TIBBETTS (BURIED IN CEMETERY NEXT TO COTTON MT. CHURCH). DAVID WENTWORTH.

 JOSEPH SMITH WENTWORTH (BROTHER OF DAVID). WILLIAM (SON OF JOSEPH SMITH) AND

 MYRTLE WENTWORTH. (HOUSE WAS WEDDING PRESENT. REGINALD WENTWORTH LIVED HERE

 AS A BOY). MR. AND MRS. ROBERT STEVENSON (AUSTIN FOGG'S SISTER). MRS. HENRY

 SCHNEIDER. MRS. BEATRICE HOUSE.
- 56. SAMUEL PLUMMER (SON OF REUBEN). OSCAR PLUMMER (GRANDSON OF SAMUEL). GEORGE MAUSER. WENDELL MAUSER. RICHARD GAGNE.
- 57. EDWARD J. MCCAULEY (TRAILER).
- 58. JOSIAH WILLEY. MARK REMICK. ROBERT MEE. JOHN COTTON (1914). INEZ COTTON CASWELL (DAUGHTER OF JOHN COTTON).
- 59. ORIGINALLY SITE OF HOME OF JESSE BODGE. HOUSE GONE. SECOND HOUSE BUILT ON SAME SITE BY NORRIS E. AND IRENE CATE (DAUGHTER OF JOHN COTTON) IN 1930. HOUSE BURNED IN 1934. RE-BUILT BY CATES.
- 60. CHARLES STANTON (1787). PIKE STANTON (LAST STANTON IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD. FROZE TO DEATH). CHARLES COTTON. REV. WM. DREW. RICHARD AND MAYBELLE MAGOUN.
- 61. STANTON. WILLIAM WEEKS. SCEGGEL (EMMA SCEGGEL WAS DAUGHTER OF WM. WEEKS). ROBERT C. BYRNE, JR.
- 62. STANTON. CLARK TIBBETTS. JOSEPH SMITH WENTWORTH (CA. 1872). WILLIAM R. WENTWORTH (SON OF JOSEPH SMITH). MYRTLE WENTWORTH (WIDOW OF WILLIAM R.).

- 63. SCHOOLHOUSE (DATE OF ORIGIN UNCERTAIN. JASPER PAIMER SAID IN 1946 THAT HIS GRANDPARENTS HAD GONE THERE). REGINALD WENTWORTH BOUGHT IN 1940 FOR \$500. CHARLES COTTON. HELEN SULLIVAN. ROBERT H. WHITE, JR. (STONEHAM PEWTERER). BUILDING WAS ORIGINALLY LOCATED OPPOSITE R. WENTWORTH'S BARN. MOVED A FEW RODS UP THE HILL AND EXPANDED BY ADDED CONSTRUCTION.
- 64. COMMERCIAL SITE. VARIOUSLY STORE, COBBLER SHOP, BLACKSMITH SHOP, BARBERSHOP. STRUCTURE MOVED ACROSS THE STREET (SOUTH) WHERE IT NOW (1981) STANDS.
- 65. STEPHEN WENTWORTH. HOUSE GONE.
- 66. WATSON (PROBABLY BUILDER). DAVID WENTWORTH. JOSEPH SMITH WENTWORTH (BROTHER OF DAVID). JOSEPH PITMAN. REV. FRANK HOOPER. ELI NUTE. REGINALD WENTWORTH (GRANDSON OF ELI NUTE AND OF J. S. WENTWORTH).
- 67. CAPT. JOHN TIBBETTS (GRANDSON OF SAMUEL). DANIEL AND WINGATE TIBBETTS (SONS OF JOHN). MRS. FRANK TIBBETTE (HOUSE BURNED CA. 1906, NEPHEW PLAYING WITH MATCHES, LOST LIFE). SITE PURCHASED BY MANTONS, NEW HOUSE BUILT (WILLIAM WENTWORTH BUILDER). KILEYS. MRS. CLIFFORD BREWER.
- 68. SAMUEL TIBBETTS (BORN 1739). HOUSE GONE.
- 69. WEST HALF OF HOUSE STARTED BY SAMUEL TIBBETTS (1) IN 1809. FINISHED BY SAMUEL TIBBETTS (2) IN 1811 (WRITTEN ON CHIMNEY). EAST HALF BUILT BY HENRY TIBBETTS ABOUT TEN YEARS LATER (GRANDSON OF SAMUEL (1)). JAMES TIBBETTS. EVERETT TIBBETTS. GEORGE JEWETT (1931 33). BARON WM. VONBLOMBERG (1960). VAN HERTEL (1973). CHARLES BUCKLAND (1977).
- 70. WILLIAM BLAKE (CA. 1826). LUTHER SANBORN (MARRIED INTO BLAKE FAMILY). DIMICK (CA. 1906). MISS ESTHER DIMICK. LOUIS B. DAILEY (1946).

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This compilation converts the house listing of the Marshall K. Ray Cottonboro Report of November 10, 1981 to present street numbers, wherever possible.

Report No.		Notes				
1	173 Stoneham Road	Cotton Mountain Church				
2	192 " "	New (1977)				
3	Gone " "	Burned 1887				
4	227 " "	See No. 5				
5	Moved " "	Orig. house moved to No. 4				
6	313 " "					
7	323 " "					
8	603 " "	New (1977)				
9	343 " "	,				
10	4 North Wakefield Rd.	Schoolhouse				
11	31 " " "					
12	55 " " "					
13	60 " " "	New (1978)				
14	Gone " " "	,				
15	Gone " " "	Burned 1916				
16	Gone " " "					
17	Gone " "					
. 18	375 Stoneham Road	Cotton Mountain Farm				
19	Gone " "	Burned 1852, then c.1929				
19a	415 " '	Farm buildings for #19 still exist				
20	Gone " "					
21	515 " "					
22	592 " "					
23	603 " "					
24	70 Jenness Farm Road					
25	96 Cotton Mt. Road					
26	89 " " "					
27	83 " " "					
28	56 " " "					
29	43	New (1981)				
30	19 " " "	New (1980?)				
31	20 " " "					
32	Gone " "					
33	423 Cotton Valley Rd.	New (1975)				
34	324 " " "	-				
35	412 " " "	Cotton Tavern Farm				
36	457 " " "					

Report No.	Street Address				Notes
37, 38	Now part of Brookfield			ield	110003
39	Gone (Gone Cotton Valley Rd.			
40	289	46	"	"	
41	309	"	46	46	Burned 1935. New bldg c. 1980/s
42	280	66	"	"	2 miles 1933. New blug C. 1960/8
43	Gone	"	"	"	
44	248	44	66	66	
45	Gone	66	66	"	
46	157	44	66	"	
47	146	46	44	"	
48	132	"	66	44	
49	119	"	"	66	
50	7 9	"	"	"	Old building removed 2013
51	104	"	66	66	ora canding removed 2013
52	93 Burwell Road				Fossum Farm
53	91 "		44		Fossum Farm
54 thru 70	Now part of Brookfield				