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Very interesting. Will compare to my notes and see if anything ties. The last item looks promising.

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Logan, found some old notes on my desk and didn't know if I had sent of if it will help but found the following:

A William Cheek was also found in Warren Co., NC in 1790 - 2 WM of 16 & up, 2 WF and 18 slaves (1790 NC Census) (no Wm. Cheek for 1800 and 1810)

In Wilkes Co., NC Henderson Cheek & Juda Anne Bagley 29 Sept 1827 - Wilkes - Jonathan Osburn was bondsman

Wm. Cheek & Lucindey Woodruf - 17 May 1842 - Wilkes - Elmore Cheek bondsman

7 June 1799 NC Grant No. 1852 - Wm. Cheek - 140 ac on Elkin Crk...Dividing Ridge... (Wilkes Co. Deed Book D)

All I found this trip to our research room. Wilma Hiatt

Subj: **William Cheek**
Date: 10/10/00 9:34:55 PM Eastern Daylight Time
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Logan M. Cheek

You may have already received this little information about William Cheek and other Cheek families that I found but decided to go ahead and send it to you. I hope it helps you in some way. To answer your questions in the query in the SCGA journal, you should send to the NC Archives for a copy of the original will of William Cheek (3:54a). Write the Department of Cultural Resources, Archives and Records Section, 109 E. Jones Street, Raleigh, NC 27601-2807. They will advise you of the cost of the copy. I looked in the early (beginning 1771) Surry County land records and did not find any transactions for William Cheek. Church records are almost non existant in Surry Co. unless they are Quaker or Moravian (see below). Someone dying in the early 1800s is probably in an unmarked family cemetery someplace. NC did not keep birth or death records until 1913. William Cheek was not found in Surry Census records. Other info is listed below.

I don't know if this was your William Cheek or not (probably not from your info that he sold land in 1794 in VA) but a William Cheek was found in Warren County, NC in the 1784-1787 census records. Listed in the household were 2 WM under 21 & above 60, 2 WF all ages and 18 blacks. (Also in Warren Co. during this period were Randolph and John Cheek.) William Cheek was not found in the 1790, 1800 or 1810 census records of Surry Co. (These years need to be checked in the NC index to see where William is listed.)

A Willis Cheak was found on the Hughes historical Surry Co. map on Archer's Creek in 1795. Willis Cheak was received by request into the New Garden Monthly Meeting in Guilford Co., NC on 27 Nov 1784. William Cheek was disowned for marrying out of unity on 18 Feb 1792 in the Westfield Monthly Meeting in Surry Co., NC. (This info is listed in the NC Quaker Genealogy Encyclopedia. Many times they will give birth and marriage info on the family but this one entry was all that was found on William. Since he was disowned, I don't know if he would have been buried in the old Quaker cemetery in Westfield or not. There is an old cemetery there and a church.) Do you suppose Willis could be the father of William Cheek? This William Cheek may be the same person for which the will is found in Surry Co.

In the abstract of the will of William Cheak dated 24 Mar 1802 (3:54a) in Surry Co. son John and youngest son Pleasant Cheek were named. Witnesses were Nicholas and John Cheek. (Court minutes place William Cheek on Archer's Creek in 1794 and a Dauson Sheek was serving on a Surry Co. jury at that time.)

During 1812-1820 in Surry County, the Tax Lists show John Cheak, Charlot Cheek, Richard Cheek, Willis Cheek, Charity Cheek, Charlotte Cheek, Pleasant Cheek, and Samuel Cheek. (Charlot, Charity and Charlotte Cheek are probably all the same. Could she be the wife of the William that died ca. 1802?)

We hope this might shed some light on your research. Also need to look at Wilkes Co. Will see what we have the next time I go to the library in Surry Co. Good luck with your research. Wilma Hiatt, SCGA Research Committee

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1790 NC census Index

Wm Cheek - Warren Co., NC - 2 WM of 16 & up, 2 WF
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1800 NC census Index - no Wm Cheek listed

1810

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