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Sonny Hambright		Greenville, S.C.
Mrs. H.V. Herndon		Kings Mountain N.C.
Mrs. M.A. Ross		
Herbert Rhyne		Shelby,
Mrs. Pearl Wolfe		Shelby
Russell Wylie		Washington, N.C.

The audience stood in silence in memory of those named above.

3. That we express to Eugene R. Roberts, president, officers and committees for their efforts and leadership in making possible this meeting today.
4. That we express our appreciation to Mrs. Flora Sims for her faithful service as Treasurer for many years, who has resigned because of illness in her family.
5. That we express our appreciation to Shiloh Presbyterian Church for the use of their facilities here to day.
6. That we give thanks to our Heavenly Father for making it possible for us to meet again.

The report of the Nominating Committee was made by J.C. Hambright, and upon motion made, seconded, and carried was adopted as follows:

Eugene R. Roberts,	President
Clyde C. Dickson,	Vice President
W.A. Hambright,	Secretary
Tracy Ferguson,	Treasurer

Upon motion made, seconded and carried, it was voted to authorize the officers to select the date and place for the next meeting.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned.

Clyde C. Dickson, Chr.

W.A. Hambright, Secretary





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Aug. 2, 1961

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Grover, N. C.

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*Handwritten notes:*  
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**OFFICERS**

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- William A. Hambright,  
Secretary . . . . . Blacksburg, S C.
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**COMMITTEES**

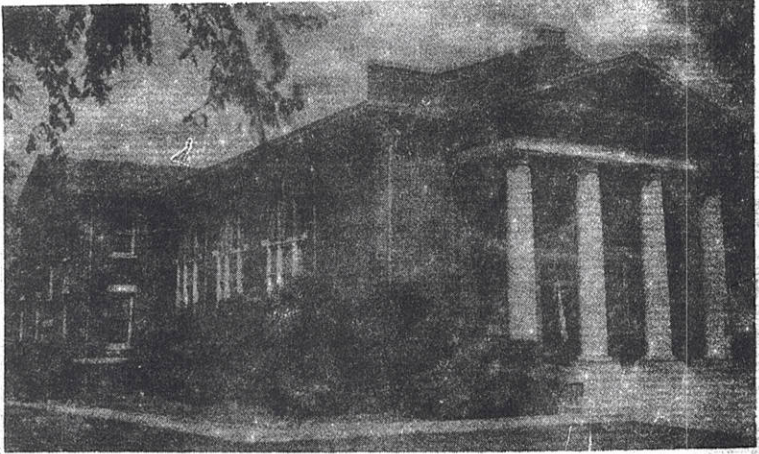
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  - Fain Hambright . . . . . Grover, N. C.
- Cemetery*
  - Bob E. Hambright . . . . . Grover, N. C.
  - W. Ross Hambright . . . Kings Creek, S. C.
  - Jakie D. Hambright . . . . Grover, N. C.
- Nominating*
  - J. C. Hambright . . . . . Rock Hill, S. C.
  - Aline H. Cantrell . . . . . Davidson, N. C.
  - Gertrude G. Austell . . . . . Earl, N. C.
- Resolutions*
  - Ollie Harris . . . . . Kings Mountain, N. C.
  - Tracy Ferguson . . . . . York, S. C.
  - P. G. Dickson . . . . . Grover, N. C.

**FIFTEENTH  
ANNUAL MEETING**

of

THE DESCENDANTS OF

*Colonel Frederick Hambright*



**SHILOH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
(1780 )

Grover, N. C.  
**October 8, 1961**  
1:00 p.m.

*Meets each second Sunday in October.*







RUSH S. DICKSON

Born July 13, 1895, at Whitakers, S. C. on the State line, later became Grover, N. C. Educated in public schools, and Kings Business College, Charlotte, N. C.

His first job was with the Gem Yarn Mills and Cornelius Furniture Co. of Cornelius, N. C. at \$55 per month as bookkeeper and accountant in 1913. In 1914 he accepted a combination job at Clover, S. C. with Clover Cotton Mfg. Co. and the Bank of Clover in order to earn \$100 per month. In January 1917 he was hired by Erwin Cotton Mills at \$300 per month. Entered the army in 1918. After the Armistice was signed he left Camp Jackson, S. C. for the position of Asst. Treas. with Cherokee Falls Mfg. Co. Six months later this mill was sold and he took his money which he had invested in the common stock of this mill and established R. S. Dickson & Co., which company is now over forty years old and has ten offices in various parts of the country.

He is now: Chairman of the Board of R. S. Dickson & Co., Inc.; Chairman of the Board of Rud-dick Corp., owned by R. S. Dickson & Co.; Chairman of the Executive Committee, Palmetto State Life Ins. Co., Columbia, S. C.; Chairman of the Board and President, American & Efird Mills; Chairman of the Board, Pyramid Life Insurance Co.

*Program*

Sunday, October 8, 1961

Eugene R. Roberts, *Presiding*

12:00 - 1:00 p.m.

Registration and Visitation

1:00 p.m Lunch

2:00 p.m — Call to order by President

Song

Invocation — J. Richard Hobson,  
Pastor Shiloh Presbyterian  
Church

Welcome — *Paul R. Hambright*

Address — Rush S. Dickson

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Committee Reports *Secretary*

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July 31, 1961

Mr. E. R. Roberts,  
Kings Mountain, N. C.

Dear Eugene:

I have talked with uncle Rush ( R. S. Dickson ) in regards to making a short talk at the Hambright Reunion, October 8th 1961, and he has agreed to, providing his health permits at that time.

With kind regards and best wishes, I am

Sincerely,

*C. C. Dickson*

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CCD/s

CC to William A. Hambright  
Blacksburg, S. C.

William: I have been unable to locate a mat of Uncle Rush, but will mail you one of his pictures in a day or so.

Clyde

**Cemetery Committee**

J. C. Hambright ..... Rock Hill, S. C.  
W. R. Hambright ..... Kings Creek, S. C.  
Bob E. Hambright ..... Grover, N. C.

**Registration Committee**

Paul R. Hambright ..... Grover, N. C.  
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Bess Alice Phifer .... Kings Mountain, N. C.

**Lunch Committee**

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**THE DESCENDANTS OF**

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**Frederick Hambright**

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Mrs. Mary H. Wise,  
Asst. Historian.....Rock Hill, S. C.

*Pres. Report. 157.68*

November 30, 1961

Dear Friend:

Pursuant to a resolution adopted at our last Reunion, the Shiloh Presbyterian Church has authorized the establishment of a Cemetery Fund expressly for the purpose of procuring a new marker for the grave of Lt. Col. Frederick Hambright and for improvements in the general condition of the cemetery.

We earnestly solicit your generous support to this most worthwhile endeavor, and ask that your gifts be made payable to the Shiloh Presbyterian Church Cemetery Fund, forwarding them at the earliest possible time to our secretary, William A. Hambright, Blacksburg, S. C.

It is our hope and expectation that sufficient funds will be in hand so as to start definite action on this project immediately after January 1, 1962. If you will have your contribution reach us on or before that time, it will really be helpful and appreciated. As information and guidance, gifts to this Fund are tax deductible.

Trusting to hear from you promptly, and at the same time, we welcome any suggestions you may have relative to this undertaking.

Sincerely yours,

J. C. Hambright (Rock Hill, S. C.)

W. R. Hambright (Kings Creek, S. C.)

Bob E. Hambright (Grover, N. C.)



November 5, 1961

Dear Carl:

The Shiloh Presbyterian Church has authorized the establishment of a Cemetary Fund for the purpose of procuring a new marker for the grave of Colonel Frederick Hambright, and any other improvements the Committee may deem necessary.

You and W.R. Hambright were named on the Cemetary Committee, and the two of you were to name the third person on the committee. My father suggests for your consideration, that Bob Hambright be named the third member of the committee, because of his past interest, and his contact with people,

Will you please frame a form letter to be mailed to those whose names are on our roster. I shall have the letter printed over the names of the committee. Why couldn't we get this letter out as soon as possible, and so state in the letter that gifts to this Cemetary fund are tax deductable items, and request that such be sent in by Jan. 1, 1962, or soon thereafter.

It is suggested that checks or payments be made payable to Shiloh Presbyterian Church Cemetary Fund.

Your comments relative to the above will be appreciated.

With best wishes, I am,

Sincerely yours,

W.A. Hambright

Mr. J.C. Hambright  
P.O. Drawer 749  
Rock Hill, S.C.