

## NEW BOOKS

A HISTORY OF COLUMBIA COUNTY, FLORIDA is a new county history available from the Columbia County Historical Society, P. O. Box 2061, Lake City, Florida 32055. The price of the book is \$13.00 (which includes sales tax) plus \$1.50 mailing fee. In this work historian Edward F. Keuchel traces the county's history from early Indian cultures to the present. In addition to the printed text, it contains some 100 pictures, copy of census for 1830 and for 1860, list of past public officials, military units, and some old land transactions. It contains 267 pages including an index.

EARLY LANTANA, HER NEIGHBORS AND MORE is a new book by Mary Collar Linehan, 139 Prospect Road, Lantana, Florida 33462. This is a limited edition of 700 copies and contains 128 pages (170 photos including maps) filled with never before published pictures and a detailed history of Lantana and a capsule history of her neighbors. "Neighbors" are Hypoluxo, Manalapan, Lake Worth, Atlantis and Boynton Beach. "And More" is a history of canals and waterways along the east coast, Celestial Railway, Barefoot Mailmen & Houses of Refuge. The price is \$14.95 including sales tax plus \$1.00 for postage and handling and can be ordered from Mrs. Linehan.

1850 CENSUS OF CLARKE COUNTY, GEORGIA is a new publication by the Jacksonville Genealogical Society, Inc., 4589 Amherst Street, Jacksonville, Florida 32205. It was compiled by Grace H. Jarvis, C.G. Clarke County was created in 1801, partly from Jackson County and partly from Greene County. Athens is the present county seat of Clarke County. This publication contains 175 pages including an index. The name, age, sex, race, occupation/trade, real estate value & place of birth is given for each person as listed on the original census. This is an excellent publication and is recommended for anyone having ancestors in that area. It can be ordered from the Society for \$10.00 plus \$1.00 postage and handling.

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### QUERIES

1. Need any information on Stephen SPARKMAN, born 1782, NC, married KEIGHTLEY. Lived in Camden Co., Ga. 1800-1824. Five children born there: Simeon Louis (first settlers of Hichipuchsassa near Plant City; married Laura); Harriett, Ann, Nathaniel and Elijah Byrd SPARKMAN. Moved to Columbia Co., Fl. 1824. Need middle initial or name, parents, origin in NC, anything on his wife or him. Mrs. Robert L. KENNEDY, 798 W. Lake Otis Drive, Winter Haven, Fl. 33880
2. I am working on the KINZEY and PRIEST families of north Georgia. Also the GOSS family of Georgia. Mildred K. SCOTT, 6743 Drayton St., Jacksonville, Fl. 32208
3. Would like death dates and burial places of Madison WEEKS and wife, Nancy Mary Ann. They left the Myakka-Wauchula-Fort Winder areas in the 1870's and settled along the coast at Everglades City & Naples. Clyde S. STEPHENS, CBCR, Golfito, Costa Rica, Central America