

well defined branches of the Emory family from 1730 to  
The probabilities seem to point to Charles Emory, the Elder  
son of John Emory, as the father of John Register Emory,  
but family traditions assert that his name was also John. The  
point remains to be cleared up.

This incident in memoranda in my possession that  
John Register Emory was more nearly related to the children  
of John Emory, Surveyor, than to any of the other Emorys  
except perhaps the children of Gideon Emory of Woodridge,  
through their mother Mary, assuming that she was a daughter  
of John Register Emory was the ancestor,

1. Of the Robert Emory family of "Conquest," Spaniard's  
Point, Green County, N.C. by his first wife,  
Juliana Jacob, daughter of Robert Jacob, whom he  
married in 1758. John Register Emory's son, Robert,  
married Frances Thomas, daughter of Tristram and Ann  
Thomas of Wise Neck, and was the father of John Emory,  
a layward bishop of the Methodist Episcopal Church. Con-  
quest is now owned by Francis A. Emory, grandson of  
Robert, and son of Bishop Emory's brother, William.  
Another son of William, Robert S. Emory, well known  
as a fruit grower of Kent County, owns the adjoining  
farm "Centre" or "Spaniard's Point" on the South.

2. Of the Thomas Emory family of "Brampton" formerly  
"Brampton" and joining "Conquest" and the home, united  
about 1760, of Prussell Martin's, from whom both  
"Conquest" and "Brampton" passed into possession of John  
Register Emory. The latter's son, Thomas Emory,