

Thomas Farr was the son of John Farr (will proved November 23, 1733) who married January 30, 1728-9, Constance Reynolds.

*John Farr was the son of Thomas Farr (will dated 21 October, 1729, proved 31 March, 1731) and Elizabeth Emperor, who died November 15, 1725.

(b) Elizabeth Holmes was the daughter of Francis Holmes, who married (20 March, 1739-40) Elizabeth Branford, daughter of William Branford. She subsequently (May 8, 1757) married Thomas Smith. Her will is dated May 8, 1773, and probated January 12, 1781.

Francis Holmes was the third of the name, being the son of Francis (will proved 1726) and Elizabeth Simmons (died 20 May, 1771, aged 76 years), daughter of John Simmons. They were married 8th March, 1721.

The last named Francis Holmes was the son of Francis, whose will was dated May 4, 1726, and proved June 9, 1726.

surprising feature of this heirloom is its size, and no doubt the half dozen were all uniform. The cloth measures five and one-half yards in length, and is over three yards wide. The whole fabric is in beautiful preservation, though one hundred and twenty years old. It belonged to the Misses Ann and Charlotte Cripps, sisters of Mrs Caroline (Daniel) Ravenel, who gave it to their nephew, Henry Edmund Ravenel, father of the present owner, on the occasion of his marriage, in June, 1849. The name "Cripps" is worked into the cloth. Whether any more of the set are preserved I do not know.

*John Farr must have been a member of the Assembly of the province about 1687, for we find that Governor James Colleton, having called the Assembly together at that time to make changes in the fundamental constitutions, appointed him on a committee which framed a new Code to be known as "*Standing Laws*." This Code, however, was rejected by the proprietors in England.—*Oldmixon's History of South Carolina. Carroll's Collections, vol. 1, p. 92. McCrady's Prop-Hist., p. 225.*

In 1685 he was a Deputy of the Lords Proprietors.—*Ibid. p. 210.*