Beverly Allen—

"I paid Georgis another visit, which I trusted was not in vain in the Lord. Near Washington we had a pleasantly meeting where about one thousand and five hundred people attended. With some difficulty I prevailed on them to be quiet and restrain their passion until I preached to them. Great power attended the word. I persuaded that near one thousand of my hearers were in tears, and some testified that they had found peace with God. The Lord hath done great things in the State of Georgia... I saw the pleasure of the Lord proceed in my unworthy hands."
The Conference of 1786 appointed Beverly Allen to "Georgia" when 78 members were reported. The next year there were two charges, Georgia, and "Broad River," with 872 members reported. Thomas Humphries and John Major, preaching appointed, the Bethlehem Church, was on the Broad River circuit.

We have the account of the Quarterly Conference out of which this circuit came, written by Beverly Allen in a report to John Wesley: