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N. Henry Moore  
 Clerk Superior Court  
 Beaufort County  
 Washington, N. C.  
 October 1, 1941

Miss Martha Lou Houston,  
 514 - 19<sup>th</sup> Street N. W.,  
 Washington, D. C.

My dear Miss Houston:

I give you a record which is a list of transfer of property of record in Register of Deeds office, this county.

<u>Grantor</u>	<u>Grantee</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Instrument</u>
Harding, Thos.	Chas. Eden	May 7, 1706	Deed
" " Thos.	Thomas Cary	April 1710	Agreement
"	Christopher Gale	Jan. 1716	Deed
"	Maurice Moore	July 1716	Deed
"	George Moye	Jan. 1717	Deed
"	George Moye	Jan. 1717	Deed
" Atty.	Edward Moseley	July 1717	Deed
"	James Leigh et al	July 1717	Power of Atty.
"	Maurice Moore	Oct. 1718	Deed
"	Mathew Rowan	1720	Deed
" Atty.	John Wallis	1721	Deed
"	John Baptist Ashe	1721	Deed
"	Robt. Turner	1724	Deed
"	Robt. Turner	1725	Deed
" Jonathing	John Sneed	1745	Deed
" Israel	Benjamin Harding	1799	Deed
" Stephen	Stephen Harding Jr	1800	Deed
" Stephen and Mary	William B. Hardin	Apr. 5, 1832	Deed
" Stephen	Nathaniel Harding	July 31 1833	Deed

I have copied the transfers from 1706 to 1832. The men to whom the Hardings sold their land were very outstanding in this section. Most of them of fame and recorded in North Carolina history.

1790 Census list Stephen Harding of Beaufort County. I do not find in Colonial Records any Stephen Harding except as to being in the Census. Lot of Hardings listed in index of Colonial Records.

Very respectfully,  
 N. Henry Moore