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Plantation name: Big Landing

Horry County, South Carolina

Location – Little River area, All Saints Parish, Horry County, SC.

Origin of name – There was a landing located there that was on Little River, near Little River Inlet.

Other names –

Current status – A portion of this plantation is now Vereen Memorial Gardens.

Comments – This property is a portion of a tract of 490 acres granted to Josias Allston (1731-1776), who was a resident of Little River and served on its “Committee of Safety” at the start of the Revolutionary War. The property was inherited by his daughter, Ann, who conveyed it to her son, Francis G. Delieseline. On Jan. 1, 1797 Delieseline conveyed 400 acres to Jeremiah Vereen, Jr. The Vereen house stood on a small island on this tract. This plantation included the land that is now Vereen Memorial Gardens. An old Vereen family cemetery is on the property and a portion of the original “Kings Highway” runs through the property.

Number of acres – 490

Primary crop/crops –

Owners – Josias Allston, Ann Allston Delieseline, Francis G. Delieseline, Jeremiah Vereen, Jr.

Slaves –

Buildings –

References –

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Vereen Cemetery at Big Landing Plantation (Vereen Memorial Gardens)