

Notes from Wayne Boone and Allison Fender

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March 12, 2019 Wayne Boone 828-776-0929/ 865-804-9006

Wayne grew up at Maude Boone farm, Fisher Branch off Grapevine.

The house and barn were likely built in the 1880's, built by Bascomb Silvers

Sold to a Ray, then Pete Shelton, to Clish Boone, then to Lewis and Maude Boone

Had sleeping porch, Wayne slept there as a child

Metal roof added around 1940, added roof extension after WWII

Can house built 1960s

Had a worm fence, bottom rail laid off on new moon

Local carpenters: Bob Hylton, Dolph Coates at head of Grapevine

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Wayne's current farm: bo't upper part in the 1940s, Glen Slagle built barn, was Mad Co's most productive farm in the 1960s, a demonstration tobacco crop.