



The Gullah Geechee Corridor: Through the Lens of Holistic Health

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Introduction



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History in Plain Sight

GENTRIFICATION AND THE LASTING EFFECTS OF COLONIALISM IN CHARLESTON

Historical foundations of inequality
Modern costs of tourism

42 CHURCH STREET
THE
BRAILSFORD & SUSAN JENKINS
HOUSE

circa 1905

This substantial house was built by J. Brailsford Jenkins and his wife Susan Dawson Jenkins, soon after they purchased the site in 1905. The lot previously had been part of the extensive grounds of present-day 38 Church Street, where Dr. Vincent LeSeigneur had a famous garden in the nineteenth century.

J. Brailsford Jenkins, a prosperous salesman, and his wife, the former Susan Lining Dawson, were members of aristocratic Lowcountry families. The home they built is of late Victorian design, combining the Queen Anne and Colonial Revival styles. It is notable for its simple lines, fanciful sawn and turned wood details, spacious interconnecting rooms and gracious staircase. The house was rehabilitated by successive owners in the 1980s and '90s.

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THE PRESERVATION SOCIETY OF CHARLESTON
1998

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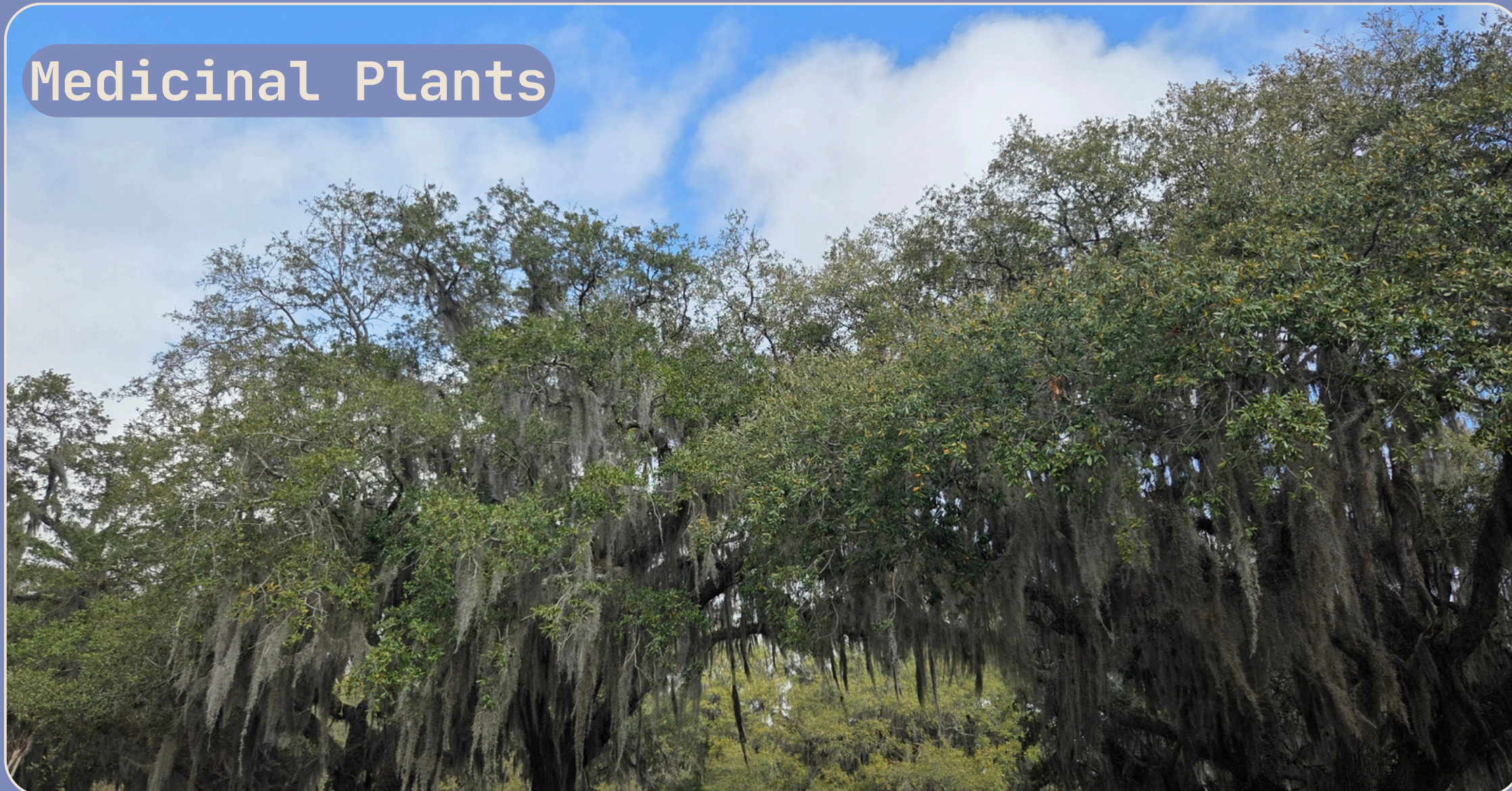
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Untouched Land

Medicinal Plants



Spanish Moss taken by Kathy Hernandez

Reconnecting with Nature



Eldest Tree taken by Erica Veal

Colonialism permanently changed the land

Beidler Forest Lake
taken by Calisto Duce



After

Abandoned Rice Fields taken by Kathy Hernandez



Before

Connecting Across Culture

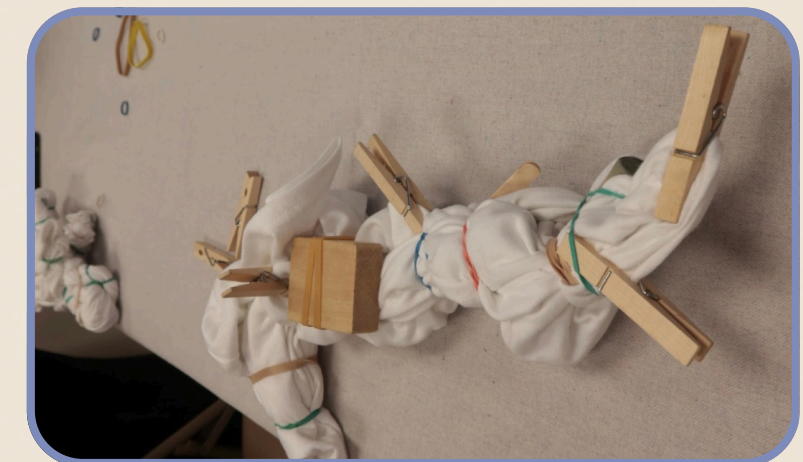


Benezet House Taken by Lili Rogers

Connecting Across Culture



Connection promotes social,
emotional, spiritual, and
intellectual wellness



Preserving Culture & Promoting Health



Bee Collective, Simone Lee



Low Country Action Committee,
James Johnson



Gullah Grub, Bill and Sará Green



1,3,4 taken by Dr. Bradley
2 taken by Calisto Duce
5 taken by Kathy Hernandez

Will you be a
tourist or an
informed &
ethical
traveler?



Top: Beidler Forest, Bottom Left: Avery Center,
Bottom Right: IAAM All photos taken by Lili Rogers



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