

DATA.039 THE ANDREA COLLECTION ON THE HILL FAMILY
(updated with additional notes resulting from later
investigations)

NOTE OF EXPLANATION: Leonardo Andrea was a popular genealogist in Columbia S.C., and did extensive genealogical works on several families, including the Hill Family.

After his death, his sister Connie Andrea, made his works available to the public for a small fee and gave rights to copy etc... The complete ANDREA COLLECTION can be found in the South Carolinian Library, in Columbia, S.C., at the UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH CAROLINA. This is a copy of what is referred to as Hill No 1 and Hill No. 3. (Number 2 was not obtained).

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HILL

This data on the HILL Family has been compiled from the South Carolina State Archives in Columbia, S.C. and is to be supplemented by other work in the various county seats. Due to the fact that many papers of mine fall into the hands of professional genealogist, I have not added the books nor pages from where this data was obtained. The client will be furnished free these books and pages on any of the names which are in her direct line. The names is sometimes spelled as HILLS as well as HILL.

1. MOSES HILL, the ancestor of Mrs. Nicholson, was born in 1758. He died in Fairfield County (S.C.) 7-1-1821...His wife was SAVILLA RODEN, who was born in 1759 and died in Alabama, 23 July 1844...Their children :

Thomas Hill b. 1780 m. Jemima Woodward
James Hill b. 1782 m. Susannah Glenn
Sarah Hill m. Rev. John Pearson
Moses Berry Hill m. Mary Glenn
George Washington Hill m. a Miss Moore
Harriet Hill m. Edward P. Mobley
Rebecca C. Hill m. Trezevant De Graffenreid

NOTE BY ROBERT R. HILL: Later research shows the following additional data for the above children:

a. Thomas Hill b. 1780, m. ca 1805 to Jemima Woodward, and died between January and May of 1824 in Fairfield Co., S.C. (my 3rd great grandfather).

b. James Hill b. 21 Nov 1782, m. 10th June 1806 to Susannah Glenn, d. 27 October 1854 in Union Co., S.C.

c. Sarah Hill, b. ca. 1785. m. Rev. John Pearson, they moved to Green Co., Ala ca. Apr. or May 1831. She d. ca. 1831-1835.

d. Littleton Hill, born ca. 1788-1790, never married, said to have died in late teens (after 1810?) He is named in remains of Moses Hill's bible. Buried by his father in Fairfield Co., S.C. (near Buckhead in Old Yongue Cemetery in unmarker grave).

f. Elizabeth Harrison Hill, b. 29th January 1793, m. Stephen Terry on 4th July 1809, they moved to DeKalb Co., Ga., she died there 3rd December 1838.

g. Moses Berry Hill, b. 1795, m. Mary Bowles Glenn, d. 14th October 1824 in Chester Co., S.C. (Buried at Carlisle S.C. in Union Co.)

h. Harriet W. Hill, b. 5th March 1802, m. ca. 1818-1819 to Edward Picket Mobley, (lived life entirely in Fairfield Co.), d. on 30th April 1857.

i. George Washington Hill, b. in September 1803, m. Sarah A. Moore, moved to Green Co., Ala with widowed mother and sister Rebecca, d. there on 8th September 1857.

j. Rebecca Carlisle Hill, b. 20th December 1807. m. Dr. John Trezevant DeGraffenreid on 25th March 1828, They moved to Green Co., Ala, along with her widowed mother and brother George ca. 1831, she d. there on 11th August 1842.

This ends notes by Robert R. Hill and the data was a result of years of investigation by Mrs. Jeannette B. Christopher, of Carlisle, S.C. (descendent of James Hill) and myself (descendent of Thomas Hill).

2. South Carolina had four colonial counties, Craven, Berkley, Colleton and Granville. These counties extended from the coast up to the N.C. line. At the end of the Revolution, these counties disappeared and new counties were formed in their place, along with the districts of NINETY-SIX, CAMDEN, CHERAW, GEORGETOWN or WINYAH, CHARLESTON, BEAUFORT and ORANGEBURG which came into being about 1765.

3. Up to 1745 land was allotted not by the number in the family. From 1745 to 1775 the land grants were allotted by the size of the family (Save for a few years when each person got 50 acres and an additional 50 acres for each member) the

land was allotted 100 acres for a single man or woman over the age of 16 or 15 if nearer to age 16. Then 50 acres additional was allotted for a wife and 50 acres more for each child under the age of 16. No married women, unless widows, were allowed land during this time. Often a man took a grant and when his family increased in size, more land was allotted. Often a man had several grants in payment for surveying.

After the Revolution, the land was not limited as between 1745-1775

4. Arrived from Ireland on the snow "Gregg" and dated 23rd Feb. 1768. 1. Thomas Hill age 50 and allotted 200 a of land
 2. Margaret Hill age 50, wife and no land
 3. William Hill age 7 and no land
 4. Samuel Hill, single son allotted 100 a, age 25
 5. Susannah Hill, age 16, single dau., allotted 100 a.

5. 6th January 1773, arrived on the "Pennsylvania Farmer," JAMES HILL, a single man and allotted 100 a of land.

END OF HILL IMMIGRANTS

7. (6 no listed, and probably typing mistake) HILL LAND GRANTS BEFORE THE REVOLUTION

Abel, 100a in Craven Co., 2 April 1773.

Ambrose, 300a & 260a on Bohicket Creek in Berkley, 1 Feb. 1706.

Charles, 500a on Wasso Creek in Craven, 16 Mar. 1732.

Charles, 440a in Craven Co., 24th May 1743.

Charles, 450a on Broad River in Craven, 13 Mar. 1752
(Fairfield).

Charles, 100a on Wateree River in Camden, 28th Nov. 1771.

Charles, 100a on Wateree River in Craven, 23 June 1774.

Dorcas, 203a on Bear Creek in Craven, (Fairfield) 26 July 1774.

James, 200a on Jeffery Creek in Cheraw Dist. of Craven, 23rd Jan. 1759.

John, 3 grants of 640a each on Ashepoo River in Berkley, 28th June 1711.

John, 500a on the Ashepoo River 25 Feb. 1714/15.

John, 100a on Beaver Creek in Craven 25 June 1771.

John, 50a in Amelia Township of Berkley (Orangeburg) 12th July 1757.

John, 150a on lands between Stephens & Mt. Creek in Colleton 23 June 1774.

John, 350a in Granville Co., 12 May 1772.

Jonathan, 200a on Lynch Creek in Craven 4 June 1759
(Cheraw Dist.)

Jonathan, 100a on Lynches River in Craven 7 May 1767.

Jonathan, 250a on Wateree River in Craven 4 Oct. 1768
(Likely Fairfield).

Joseph, 100a in Craven Co., 8th Feb. 1763.
 Issac, 2 grants of 100a each between Congaree & Wateree, 2
 May & 13 July 1770.
 Mary, 600a in Craven County 6 Aug. 1735.
 Mary, 200a on Stephens Creek in Colleton 23 June 1774.
 Nathan, 250a on Wateree River in Craven 8 Aug. 1753.
 Nicholas, 200a on Raburn Creek in Berkley, 25 Aug. 1769
 (Laurens Co.)
 Nicholas, 250a on Rayburn Creek in Berkley 3 Apr. 1772.
 Richard, 2 grants of 700a each on Black River in Craven,
 13 July 1737.
 Richard, 250a in Berkley, 11 May 1699.
 Richard, 100a on the Stono River 20 Apr. 1678.
 Richard, 100a on the Broad River in Craven, 18 Jan. 1765.
 Robert, 200a on the Wateree River in Craven, 21 June 1765.
 Robert, 200a in Forks of Wateree & Congaree in Craven, 15
 Mar. 1771.
 Robert, 210a " " " " " " " 26
 Sept. 1772.
 Robert, 150a in Craven Co., 2 Apr. 1773.
 Samuel, 100a at McGinnis Old Field, 15th July 1768.
 (See # 4).
 Susannah, 100a at Indian Fields Swamp in Berkley, 16 June
 1768, (See # 4).
 Theophilus, 400a Forks of Congaree & Wateree,
 14 Aug. 1770.
 Theophilus 400a (same as above) on 26 Sept. 1772.
 Thomas, 200a at the Head of Wahoo Bay in Craven,
 22 Mar. 1769.
 Thomas, 200a at the Four Holes (Swamp) in Orangeburg
 District of Berkley, 16 June 1768, (See # 4).
 Thomas, 200a on Enoree River in Berkley, 24 Dec. 1772.
 Thomas, 150a on Cedar Creek in Fairfield of Craven,
 18 May 1771.
 Thomas, 150a (increase in family) Cedar Creek in Craven,
 9 Sept. 1774.
 William, 3 grants at Bone Hill of 100a each, 30th
 Aug. 1762, 12th Apr. 1764 & 25 June 1771.
 William, 350a on Abbott Creek, 19th Aug. 1774.
 William, 331a on Edisto River in Orange of Colleton,
 17th Mar. 1775.
 William, 50a on Bear Creek of Broad River in Fairfield
 Co., 10th Feb. 1775.
 William, 250a on Pleasant Meadow Swamp, 2 May 1770.
 William, 1000a in Colleton County, 11 Feb. 1773.

8. MEMORIAL TAX RETURNS.....The Crown levied a tax on all
 lands granted. The present owner of the grant had to make the
 return in Charleston. Often a neighbor going to Charleston,
 made the tax return...A woman, if she had wed since her
 grant, made the return in her new name...The following Hill
 returns were made and how many follows after the name as 6.
 (meaning 6 returns?)

Charles 3 James

Charles from Thomas Boone John 2 from Lords Proprietors
 Charles to Daniel Welshington John 4
 Darcus Jonathan 3
 Issac 2 Joseph
 Mary 2 Nicholas 2
 Richard 3 Robert 4
 Samuel Susannah
 Theophilus 2 Thomas 6
 Thomas from Richard Wilson William 10

9. Thomas Hall of Iredell County, N.C. wed Elizabeth Sloan and they had a daughter Margaret Hall, b. 1776 and married JAMES HILL.

HILL LANDS

10. Memorial tax return made 7 January & 17 January 1732 by MARY HILL, widow of JOHN HILL of the Parish of St. George in Berkley County for 100 a of land sold by James Cantey with dower by his wife, Elizabeth Cantey of the 100a grtd. to James Cantey, who sold to John Hill, who by his will, gave same to his widow, Mary Hill and said land being along the town limit of Dorchester and also for 26a of land given to Mary Hill by Daniel Stewart and his wife, Hannah Stewart in a deed settlement. These two tracts returned by Mrs. Mary Hill in Charleston 7 & 17 Jan. 1732.

11. HILL LAND GRANTS AFTER THE REVOLUTION FROM INDEX II.

Abraham, 48a on Turkey Creek in Edgefield, 7 Dec. 1812.
 Alexander, 536a on Bullock Creek in York, 1 Apr. 1793.
 Alexander, 290a in York, 6 July 1812.
 Amos, 910a in Darlington Co., 5 Oct. 1818.
 Andrew, 829a in York, 2 May 1814.
 Ann, 62a in Newberry, 7 Aug. 1797.
 Benjamin, 66a and 323a at Long Canes in Abbeville, on the 7 & 18 Dec. 1807
 Elijah Sr., 600a on Long Branch in Darlington, 5 Dec. 1814.
 Elijah, 614a on Sparrow Swamp in Darlington, 5 Oct. 1818.
 Ephiram, 319a in 96 District, 5 Apr. 1790.
 Henry, 365a in Pendleton Dist., 2 Dec. 1799.
 Henry, 554a on Keowee River in Pendleton, 1 Feb. 1802.
 James, 141/2a on Cane Creek in Union Co., 1 Feb. 1819.
 Jesse, 22a on Stephens Creek in Edgefield, 2 Dec. 1805.
 John O., 270a on Enoree River, 7 Apr. 1794.
 John, 122a and 50a in Edgefield, 6 Feb. 1791.
 John, 81/2a in Edgefield on Turkey Creek, 2 May 1803.
 John, 86a in Newberry County on Saluda River, 6 June 1803.
 John, 263a in Orangeburg on Edisto River, 1 Apr. 1805.
 John, 327a on Carpenter Creek in Pendleton Dist., 2 Dec. 1816
 John Sr., 300a in Edgefield, 5 Sept. 1790.
 John Jr., a 14a island called Pearson in Broad River, 1 Apr. 1805.
 Jonas, 498a in Pendleton Dist., 2 Dec. 1799.
 Joshua, 117 in Abbeville, 3 Apr. 1797.
 Lazarus, 34a in Laurens Co., 5 Dec. 1803.
 Michael, 500a in Cheraw Dist., 6 July 1795.

Nathaniel, 198a & 310a in Cheraw Dist., 5 July 1790.
 Robert, 182a in York Co., 4 May 1807.
 Samuel, 202a on Stevens Creek in Edgefield, 7 Mar. 1791.
 Samuel, 493a on Steven Creek in Edgefield, 4 Mar. 1810.
 Samuel, 18a on Savannah River, 4 Mar. 1810.
 Samuel B., 25a on Rayburn Creek in Laurens or Greenville,
 5th June 1820.
 Solomon, 330a & 55a on edge of Spartenburg-Union, 4 June 1790
 Solomon with James Burns & George Galbreath, 194a in
 Spartenburg, 4 June 17??
 Solomon, 820a & 992a in York Co. on Allison Creek, 2 May 1814
 Solomon with James Burns & Wm. Hopkins, 1000a in Spartenburg
 on 4 June 1802.
 Thomas, 490a in Abbeville on Saluda River, 2 June 1817.
 Thomas, 472a " " " " 6 Apr. 1818.
 Thomas P., 160a in Chester Co., 2 July 1821.
 Uel, 120a in Abbeville, 4 Feb. 1793 & 470 at Long Canes on
 4 Sept. 1797.
 William, 476a at Long Canes in Abbeville, 3 July 1809.
 William, 200a in Edgefield, 3 Dec. 1792 & 500 a in Edgefield,
 1 Dec. 1800
 William, 35a, 75a & 83a in Camden Dist, 1791-92-97.
 William, 123a & 260a in Orangeburg, 6 Feb. 1792 & 2 Sept.
 1793.
 William Jr., 500a in Spartenburg, 6 May 1799.

12. HILL LAND GRANTS AFTER REVOLUTION IN INDEX III.

Ann, 100a in Orangeburg, 3 Dec. 1787.
 Asaph, 114a in Camden Dist., 20 Jan. 1789.
 Ephiram, 250a on Dutchman Creek in 96 Dist., 21 Jan. 1785.
 Ezekiel, 500a in Georgetown Dist., 24 Feb. 1800.
 Henry, 100a on Enoree River in 96 Dist., 3 Apr. 1786.
 Issac, 50a on Shaw Creek in Edgefield of 96 Dist., 2 Oct.
 1786.
 Issac, 100a in Georgetown Dist., 1 July 1793.
 John, 200a in Beaufort Dist., 21 Jan. 1785.
 John, 196a on Turkey Creek, a Revolutionary Bounty, 4th July
 1785.
 John, 640a on the Edisto River in Orangeburg, 5 June 1786.
 John, 2 grants of 1000a each between Mountain & Rockey Creek,
 5 May 1788 and 1 Jan. 1787.
 Jonathan, 172a in Colleton Co., 1 July 1800.
 Joshua, 2 grants in Edgefield on Stevens Creek, 542a 6 Nov.
 1786 & 210 a.
 Josiah, 520a & 12.7a on Fishing Creek in Camden Dist. 6 Feb &
 6 Nov. 1786.
 LEONARD, 82a on Little River in Camden Dist., 5 June 1786.
 MARY, 315a on Little River in Camden Dist., 6 June 1786.
 MOSES, 315a on Little River (in Camden Dist.) 6 June 1786.
 Richard, 31a, 990a & 954a in Colleton Co., 1837 & 1840.
 Robert, 200a on Colonels Creek in Camden Dist., 3 Apr. 1786.
 Robert, 400a on Colt Creek in Camden Dist., 5 June 1786 (see
 MOSES 6 June-).

Thomas, 710a in Richland Co. of Camden, 1 June 1787.
 Thomas, 150a on Eden Creek in Camden Dist., 21 Jan. 1785.
 Thomas, 100a in Camden Dist., 2 June 1788.
 Uel, 133a on Bold Branch in 96 Dist., 3 Dec. 1787.
 William, 640a on Clark River in 96 Dist., 5 Sept. 1785.
 William, 200a at Penn Fork in 96 Dist., 3 Apr. 1786.
 William, 251a at the Long Canes in 96 Dist., 3 July 1786.
 William, 200a & 421a in Orangeburg Dist., 5 June 1786.
 William, 362a, 252a, 80a, 639a & 1000a in Orangeburg Dist, 1
 Jan. 1787
 William, 107a on Saluda River in 96 Dist., 2 Oct. 1786.
 William, 225a " " " " 1 Dec. 1788.
 William, 2 grants of 205a each on Saluda River in 96 Dist.,
 2 Mar. 1789.
 William, 257a in Charleston Dist., 6 Nov. 1797.
 William, 536a in Marion Co., 6 May 1805.
 William, in Colleton Co., 592a, 2 Apr. 1810 & 685a on
 13 Feb. 1819.

13. HILL LAND PLATS AFTER THE REVOLUTION ON FILE IN S.C.
 HISTORICAL COMMISSION. THE 3 AFTER EACH NAME INDICATES HOW
 MANY PLATS.

Abraham	Adam	Alexander 2	Amos 3
Andrew	Ann 2	Asaph	Benjamin 2
Elijah 2	Ephiram 2	Henry 4	Henry H. 3
Issac	James 6	Jesse	Jesse M.
Jonas	John 13	John O.	Joseph
Josiah 2	Joshua 3	Leonard	Lewis ET.AL.
Mary	Michael	Moses	Nathaniel 2
Robert 3	Samuel 3	Samuel B.	Solomon 5
Theophilus	Thomas 6	Thomas O.	Uel
William 23	William Jr.	William R.	Zachariah

14. MARY HILL, a plat surveyed 20 Aug. 1784 by Alexander Johnston upon an order from John Winn, dated 9 Aug. 1784 for 100a in Camden Dist., on branch waters of the Wateree River and (bounded) by lands of Abraham Gibson, Meredith Taylor, Jasper Rogers & Joseph Helms (The plat for additional 215a is not on file...granted to Mary Hill 6 June 1786.

15. LEONARD HILL, a plat surveyed by James Winn 23 Feb. 1785 upon an order from John Winn 29 Dec. 1784 for 82a of land in Camden District (Fairfield) on the Little River and by lands of William McClintock, vacant lands and lands of Leonard Hill.* (Shows Leonard Hill already owned lands adjoining this grant made 6 June 1786.

16. MOSES HILL (See #1) a plat surveyed 16 Nov. 1785 by James Dougherty upon an order by John Winn for 315a of land on Little River in Camden Dist. (Fairfield) and by lands of George Evans, John Lee, Mr. Shaw & Sealy DeLashmith.

(NOTE BY ANDREA) It seems to me that perhaps Leonard Hill and

Moses Hill may be brothers and that Mary Hill is of some relationship and perhaps their widowed mother.

17. Some years ago in the Public Library in Jacksonville, Fla., I saw & read some pages and chapters on the S.C. Families of the HILLS OF NEW ENGLAND and perhaps published before 1900. The book has more than 700 pages. I took some notes from this book for Miss Fay Hill, The Inn, Ware Shoals, S.C. This book had the complete lineage of Miss Hill back into England. In the book, in the S.C. Chapters, was mentioned both MOSES & LEONARD HILL. Perhaps in your library, in Memphis, you may obtain a copy of this book and check to see if your MOSES HILL has his line traced. If you write to Miss Fay Hill, she may have some data and the notes I made for her several years ago.

18. The Index of names connected with the Revolution in the S.C. Historical Commission....many of these names are for several distinct persons by same name and as for William Hill, I noted at least ten by that name. Often the names are for supplies furnished or as witnesses to claims and not for service to the Revolution...HILL NAMES INDEXED.

Abraham	Aaron	Adam	Burrell
Charles	Daniel	David	Dorcas
Edward	Ewell (Uel)	George	Hannah
Issac	James	John	Joseph
Josiah	Lodowick	Leonard	Mary
Mel (Uel)	Mrs. Milley	MOSES	Phillip
Robert	Samuel	Theophilus	Thomas
Therresa	William	Jeremiah	Hills

19. SAMUEL HILL was listed on the Tory List of Col. Robert Anderson.

20. Mrs. Dorcas Hill was listed in the file of a William Hill and likely as his widow. There was so much in the file and so many different William Hills that I did not attempt to find the data on Dorcas.

21. MARY HILL and listed as MRS. MARY HILL, File # 3607 and for 2 cows furnished for the troops of Gen. Thomas Sumpter...enclosed was a receipt for these cows and signed by Capt. Samuel Watson in Camden District on 8th Sept. 1780. The other papers in this file are missing.

22. MOSES HILL (See #1) File 3609 for 120 days service with the Militia and duty at the Congarees and at the Four Holes (Swamp)...sworn to by Moses Hill on 12 March 1784 before Thomas Baker, J.P....Richard Winn of Winnsboro, Camden District and Fairfield County, certifies as to this service...5 Mar. 1784. Moses Hill sold this indent claim to Richard Winn, who on 5th July 1785 sold the indent claim to W.J.S.S. Cooke and witnessed by John Poplewell of Darlington

District and by James Falone.

23. LEONARD HILL for service at the siege of Augusta and also service at the Four Holes in Orange burg and also for service under Gen. Andrew Pickens, who with Richard Winn certifies this service of Leonard Hill...Sworn to 12 Mar. 1784 before Thomas Baker, J.P....Leonard Hill sold this indent claim to Richard Winn and sale certified by John Winn, J.P.

24. HILL MEN WHO DREW REVOLUTIONARY PENSIONS AS RESIDENTS OF S.C. OR FROM S.C.

Abraham Hill # S 7 015

John Hill (wife Savery Hill) # R 5 012

Joshua Hill # R 5 003 and from N.C.

Thomas Hill # S 31 131

End of Revolutionary Pensions

25. Miss Eliza Hill 12 Dec. 1838 married to Issac McWhorter and both of Pickens County...from files of the Pendleton Messenger.

26. HILL ITEMS FROM FILES OF THE CAMDEN CHRONICLE

Miss Margaret Ann Hill, the daughter of Green Hill, was recently married in Raleigh N.C., to William T. Bain of Pittsburg.. Issue 21 Sept. 1833.

The Rev. Issac Smith died 20 July 1834 at the age of 76, at the home of his son in law, the Rev. W.C. Hill in Monroe Co., Ga. The Rev. Issac Smith served in the Revolution under Gen. Washington and had for more than 30 years been a resident of Camden District, S.C. He was a Methodist minister.

27. Sumter Co., S.C. Will of John W. Faris signed 1806 mentions a sister as Mrs. Sarah Hill.

28. S.C. MARRIAGES BY SALLEY

Elizabeth, widow of Charles Hill. m. 27 Apr. 1747 to Rev.

Samuel Quincy

Charles Hill m. 10 Mar. 1746 to Sarah Smith

Mary Hill m. 22 Nov. 1742 to John Beswick

The Rev. Thomas Hill m. 7 July 1785 to Jane Wells

Mrs. Sarah Hill, widow of Francis Hill m. 15 Aug. 1785 to William Semple.

29. HILL ITEMS FROM HISTORY OF ORANGEBURG CO. DATA FROM EPISCOPAL CHURCH REGISTER OF THE CHURCH OF REDEEMER.

- a. Miss Ann Hill wed Henry Young of the Forks of the Edisto on 9th Apr. 1754.
- b. Miss Sarah Hill m. 14 Mar. 1754 to Daniel Lindar (Linder) and wit by John Burdell, James Tilly & Alexander McCord.

29a. OTHER ITEMS FROM SAME HISTORY

- a. William Hill & Henry Felder were named Tax Collectors for Saxe-Gotha District of Orangeburg 9 Sept. 1779.
- b. William Hill, Donald Bruce & Samuel Rowe were named as members of the S.C. General Assembly from Orangeburg District in December 1779.

SHERMAN DESTROYED ALL RECORDS OF ORANGEBURG AND HENCE NO WILLS

30. HILL ITEMS FROM HISTORY OF ANDERSON CO., S.C. (PENDLETON)

- a. Joshua Hill with Joseph Woodall or Wadall, William Hammond, James Martin & Samuel Taylor were the first settlers on 6 & 20 Creek.
- b. Elizabeth Hill wed William Halbert and they had a daughter, Susannah H. Halbert, who wed in Virginia in 1786 to Peter Acker & came then to reside in old Pendleton District.

NOTE: The two above, a. & b., were children of William Hill of Surry County Virginia.

- c. Eunice Hill with Emily Divver, Anna Humpherys & Mamie Andrews were the flower girls in 1850 when the cornerstone of the Masonic Temple was laid. Dr. R.T. Divver was in charge of the ceremonies (where?)

HILL COLONIAL WILLS OF CHARLESTON

31. John Hill, of St George Parish, Dorchester, Berkley Co., (see#10) a will signed 26 Sept. 1729 and no probate date. "All to my wife, Mary Hill." No children named. lands by Daniel Stewart, Gilson Clapp & Thomas Sabur....brother Michael Hill. /wit. Thomas Waring, Thomas Way, John Garton & Daniel Stewart. (NOTE: This John Hill came down from New England with Dorchester Colony).

32. Richard Hill will signed 2 June 1746, probated 3 April 1747...wife deceased. "Grace Farmer Hill who was Grace Farmer & she had an annuity of 30 Pounds yearly from estate and named in our marriage settlement at Bear Forest, otherwise called Carriange, Shonienbegg, Mallow Parish in Cork Ireland and said lands she owned which I bought of Robert Farmer and his wife, Grace." This estate of his wife is entailed to their children:

- my eldest son Charles Hill
- my 2nd son Robert F. Hill
- my youngest son William Hovell Hill, not yet aged 21.

IF my sons die without heirs this estate of my late wife will revert back to Grace, wife of Robert Farmer in Ireland. (Did not state relationship)

- my nephew & namesake, Richard Guerrard not yet 21, son of John Guerrard
- my kinsman, Jacob Motte.

Exs: My son, Charles Hill & brother in law, John Guerrard & my kinsman Jacob Motte. Gives each a diamond ring, valuable silver plate and lands in S.C. by Wm. Cattell....also my hand painted Coat of Arms given to me by my dear father (not named). /Wit. David Hext, John Dart & John Mckinzie.

32a. Likely sons of Richard Hill...Taken from Register Book of St. Phillips Episcopal Church in Charleston.

Buried today, 27 Nov. 1729/30, Farmer Hill & John Hill, twin children.

33. Charles Hill (Perhaps son of #32) will signed 18 Nov 1750, probated 22 Nov. 1751, wife Sarah Hill, Ex., and to her heirs (none named). "Bury me in our family vault at Hillsborough." Executors: Charles Faucherand & Richard Gough. Parts of the will are missing. Signed by Andrea. /wit. Jane Stanyarne, B. Stanyarne & Ann Smith. (see #28 Sarah Smith).

34. John Hill of Padget Creek (Union Co. S.C.) Merchant. Will signed 6 May 1754, probated 23 July 1754...Has a large estate. Wife, Sarah Hill Ex. with her **Capt. Roger Padget & he to collect my debts. ALL my children (none named) to share equal and but a new rifle gun for eldest son (not named). He speaks of the indenture & my wife will teach the apprentice the trade. /wit. John Martin, Samuel Wilson & Conrad Burton. **Likely he meant her father or her brother.

35. Francis Hill of Charleston, a will signed 15 May 1783, probated 8 Sept. 1783, wife Sarah Hill & see #28. No mention of children. EX: Wm. Fair. /wit. James Lynah, L. Sobgar & Joseph Lloyd.

36. Duncan Hill of Charleston, a will signed 5 Dec. 1797, probated 3 May 1799, wife Elizabeth Hill Ex...1 child a minor son. Henry Duncan Hill & if my son die before reaching age 21 to: 1/5 to Ann Hill of Grenocl, 1/5 to Thomas Hill of Bristol, 1/5 to Jennet & Wm. Reid of Genrock, children of my sister. 1/5 to stepson, Samuel Butler, 1/5 to step daughter Mary Ann Kerr. EXS: with wife, James Hamilton & Charles P. Butler. /wit. John Manson, Hester Armstrong & Thomas Hunter.

CHARLESTON WILLS

37. Mrs. Elizabeth Hill of Charleston, will signed 15 Jan. 1802, probated 7 May 1802, (widow of #36). 1/2 to my son Samuel G. Butler; 1/2 to my grandchildren, Elizabeth Kerr, Mary Ann Kerr, & Margaret Kerr. EXS: Charles P. Butler & Thomas Bass. /wit. Joshua Leavitt, Elizabeth Buckles & Elizabeth Courtney. (NOTE: She does not list her son, Henry Duncan Hill).

38. Henry Duncan Hill (son of #36 & 37) will signed 22 Jan. 1808, probated 29 March 1820. "Bury me in the Baptist Church Yard beside my dear wife, who was Mary Blanford."...No children. "What my father left to me was entailed and will go as his will directed. My estate in three parts and one part

each to: Mary Butler, dau. of Charles P. Butler; Wm. Henry Inglesby; Henrietta Kerr, dau. of Andrew Kerr. My friend, Capt. Ebenezer McIntosh, I give my double barreled shot gun. All my clothing and \$ 80.00 each to my faithful slaves, Samuel, Samuel (JR.) son of Samuel; Adam & Sue. EXS: Charles Paxton Butler & Wm. Henry Inglesby. /wit. J.L. Snowden, Wm. M. Scott & Henry Inglesby.

39. Asa Hill of Orangeburg, will signed 18 July 1807, probated 10 Nov. 1809. Wife Jane Hill Ex. "When my wife dies, then my estate in equal shares to my brothers & sisters (none named) Wit. A. Burckmeyer, A. Newton & Martyn Alken.

40. MARY HILL (I could not determine whether single or widow) will signed 20 June 1833, probated 24 Dec. 1842 (She was a very wealthy woman) Estate to and no relationship stated for any. ????? Susan Harstead and her minor daughter, Caroline Elizabeth Service but if she dies, to Sarah & Margaret Dew, daughters Edward Dew Sr.

Dr. Edward Dew Jr., M.D. of London and to have what his father, Edward Dew Sr. holds in trust for me in London.

Sarah & Dew daughters of Edward Dew Sr. and they to have all the residue of my estate after the legacies paid, and MARY DEW.

Sarah Margaret Dew, dau. of Dyer Dew of London.

Thomas Hill Adams of London.

Amelia Bullin of Charleston.

Emma wife of Robert Stanley of Alabama.

Mary S. O'Neal, dau. of James O'Neal of Charleston.

Elizabeth, Mary & Jane Williamson of State of S.C.

Raymond la de Vege of August, Ga.

Paul Gareschi of N.Y. City.

Several thousand dollars are willed to each and then the residue to Mary & Sarah Dew, daus. of Edward Dew Sr., of London.

EXS: Wm. A. Caldwell & John Phillips

Wit. Andrew Moffitt, Wm. Calder & Stephen Thomas Jr.

41. John Hill of Charleston, a will signed 17 Sept. 1856, probated 6 Oct. 1856, wife Maria Louisa Hill Ex. with Charles F. Westerlund...1 child, Anna Elizabeth Hill. Mentions plantation near Charleston, lands at Meseph at Winfield at Flushing, N.Y. /wit. Wm. Ham, Wm. Hislop & James Loffin.

End of Charleston wills

42. I have not found MOSES HILL nor his parents in the Charleston files. Of course I worked only one day. I am hoping to find him upon my return.

43. ABBEVILLE COUNTY S.C. WILLS (HILLS)
John Hill will signed 15 Oct 1812 probated 16 Apr. 1813...Ex. Thomas Wilson with wife Susannah Hill...children and no surnames, some minors.

Samuel	William	John Jr.
Joseph	Bluford	Betsey *

Nancy Sally Susannah Jr.
Fanny Rebecca Polly
/wit Dudley Mabry, Samuel Rosamond & Samuel Hill

* Betsey was evidently wed for her portion entailed to heir heirs.

44. Samuel Hill (likely the wit to #43) will signed 5 Aug. 1821, probated 14 Nov. 1823...My dear wife (not named) to have slave Dinah and her issue but entailed to her children...If my wife wishes to follow her friends to live in the western country, then she can sell Dinah & have the money. Children and no surnames.

William & his children Thomas
Willis James *

Elizabeth Pollard. my daughter died without issue, I will 5 shillings to Martea (likely Marshall) Pollard, her husband.
EXS: Archey Mayson & Samuel Hensley. /wit. Nathan Chaney, Thomas H. Carson & Beaufort Chiles.

* James "My son James, I do not know whether he is dead or alive since he removed to the western country, but if he is alive, for love for him, I will him 5 shillings with what I gave him when he departed to the west.

45. Bluford Hill (Son of #43) will signed 2 Aug. 1824, probated 3 Jan 1825. Mother, Susannah Hill and rest equal to following brothers & sisters.

Samuel Hill John Hill & he to pay my bill to Dr.
Joseph Hill Nash & what I owe at Smith's Store
Rebecca Hodges /wit. James Wilson & Samuel Hill.

46. John Hill (Son of #43) will signed 3 Aug. 1824, probated 27 Aug. 1825. Mother Susanna Hill & brothers & sister.
Samuel Hill Bluford Hill Joseph Hill
Rebecca Hodges EXS: Reuben Hodges & Samuel Hill & Wm. Barmore
/wit. Richard Hodges, Wm. Hodges & Wm. Barmore.

47. James Hill, will signed 6 Nov. 1829, probated 7 Dec. 1829..wife Katherine Hill Ex.....Children:

Jacob Hill John Hill Samuel Hill
Thomas Hill James Hill Jr. Caroline Hill
Daniel Hill Henry H. Hill Margaret Hill

I lived some years as a man & wife with Margaret Darroh until she left me to take up with another man, as she did with me.

I had five children by her and to keep them from breaking my will, I give each \$ 1.00

Jesse Hill Eleanor Hill Susie Hill

Manos Hill Malinda Hill

/wit. James A. Black, A.W.Lynch & Pickard Ashley or Richard Ashley

48. Joseph Hill will signed 13 June 1825, probated 20 Nov.

1825...wife is simply referred to as "My dear wife."...children.

Wm. Hill Wiley Hill Helen w of Issac Bunting

Issac Mitchell Hill Milton Hill Joseph Hill, a minor

Mentions lands by Simeon Chaney and the Mitchell lands..EXS.

with my sons to be son in law, Isaac Bunting, James Gillam.

/wit. Peter Cheatman, Wm. Fooshe & Wiley Caley.

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