

GA.011 GENEALOGICAL INFORMATION ON THE HILL FAMILY OF
GREENE COUNTY, GEORGIA.

Entered in January of 1990 by Robert R. Hill Sr. of Brandon,
Florida. Updated in November of 1993.

Source of Information: Data provided by Ralph H. Willis;
Information from various sources in my own research; data
from Mrs. Wilson Hamlett & Georgia Court Records.

Comments: The following information is related to the William
Hill that was the second husband of the widow, Lydia White
Jones. widow of Hugh L. Jones. LYDIA WHITE JONES HILL later
re-married a third time to Isaac Hill Sr, who had no
connection to the William Hill, her 2nd husband. Isaac Hill
was originally of Maryland and then Edgecombe County, N.C.,
later moving to Tennessee (via way of Georgia). He was a son
of a Abraham Hill of Maryland.

JONES FAMILY OF GREEN COUNTY, GEORGIA

Hugh Jones married Lydia White, her first of 3 marriages

The Will of Hugh Jones, Will Book 2, dated 1799 in Green
County, Georgia.

In the name of God Amen, I Hugh Jones of the state of Georgia
and county of Green, being sick & seal in body but of perfect
mind & memory, Thanks be to Almighty God for the same &
calling to mind the uncertainty of this life causes me to
make & ordain this to be my last Will & Testament, in manner
and form following...(???) I lent unto my beloved wife LYDIA
JONES during the time she may live a widow the tract of land
& plantation whereon I now live & four Negroes (to wit) Jane,
Dinah, Sucky, & Ned & all the stock of horses, cattle, hogs &
sheep & all the household & catching furniture & all
plantation tools.

My desire is that the six hundred dollars due to me should be
lent out to Interest until my youngest child shall arrive to
lawful age & then the money & all my estate both real &
personal.

Its my will and desire shall be equally divided between all
my children (to wit) Fanny Jones, Margaret Jones, Coessillor
(sic) (Consellor?) Jones, Jas. W. Jones, LYDIA JONES, Betsey
Jones, Polly Jones, & the one that my wife is now big with,
to them their heirs and assigns forever.

I do hereby constitute & appoint my said wife & John Long,
William Richard & John White my joint Executors of this my
last Will & Testament & I do hereby utterly disallow revoke &
disannull all & every other former Wills & legacies by me

heretofore made & I do hereby constitute this my last will & testament. IN WITNESS I have hereunto set my hand & seal this Twenty eight of July 1797 (28th July 1797).

Enterline before signed signed/ Hugh Jones (LS)

Frederick Ashfield

Jas. White (See page 11)???

Enter lined before signed

END_OF_WILL

Abbreviated version of Will:

HUGH JONES, wife Lydia Jones; "my children Fanny Jones, Margaret Jones, James W. Jones, Avenillor Jones, Lydia Jones, Betsey Jones, Polly Jones," Exrs. Wife, John Long, William Richard & John White. July 28th, 1797. Will proved March 7, 1798.

Test.

Frederick Ashfield

James White

We the appraisers James Knowles, Elijah Cooper, & William Hill Esquire after being duly sworn, have met agreeable to appointment, have received and proceeded to appraise the estate of Hugh Jones of Greene County, deceased, this June 28th, 1798.

Note by Robert Hill of Brandon, FL: William Hill SR 4/ & wife Charity Lewis were still in Chathan County, NC at this time, another piece of evidence to show he was not the one that married the widow, Lydia White Jones.

Final Appraisement of Estate made June 30th, 1798.

Total amount of Estate \$2611.87, land excepted.

One Tract of land, 161 acres.

One Tract of land, 131 acres.

Hugh Jones 1/ m. Lydia White. Their children were:

Fanny Jones 2/

Margaret Jones 2/

James W. Jones 2/

Averillor Jones 2/

Lydia Jones 2/

Betsy Jones 2/

Polly Jones 2/

The wife Lydia White Jones m. 2nd a William Hill; 3rd to Isaac Hill Sr, who was not related to her second husband, William Hill. Isaac Hill Sr originally of Maryland, then N.C., then Georgia and finally Tennessee.

Note by Robert Hill of Brandon: Notice William Hill was one

of the appraisers of Hugh Jones' estate. William Hill WAS NOT the same man that earlier researchers claim him to be (they say he was William Clanton Hill 4/, son of Robert Hill 3/ of Halifax County, N.C., first married to Elizabeth Clanton then Lydia White Jones). That William Hill 4/ married Charity Lewis and they did have a son, William Clanton Hill 5/, I have never seen the father sign his name with Clanton in it. The William Hill that married Lydia White Jones is thought to have been from South Carolina.

Source of above: Will of Hugh Jones in Green County, Georgia, dated 28th July 1797. Executors: John Long, William Richard, John White. WILL PROVED 7th MAY 1798.

We the appraisers James Knowles, Elijah Cooper and WILLIAM HILL ESQUIRE (ESQUIRES?) after being duly sworn, have met agreeable to appointment (and) have received and proceeded to appraise the estate of Hugh Jones (deceased) of Green County, Georgia this June 28, 1798.

Total amount of estate \$ 2, 611.87, land excepted.

One tract of land, 161 acres.

one tract of land, 131 acres.

HILL MARRIAGES IN GREENSBORO, GEORGIA (GREENE COUNTY)

James Hill m. Christian Lasseter	Sept. 15, 1806
Jane Hill m. William Blanks (no voucher?)	Sept. 25, 1799
William Hill m. Lydia W. Jones	no date listed
Syntha Hill m. John Cambell (no voucher?)	July 18, 1807
Betsy Hill, daughter of William Hill, married Benjamin Lassiter	April 22, 1801
Sally Hill m. Thomas Riley	Jan. 10, 1808
Robert Hill m. Eloina Bledsoe	Oct. 2, 1825
Polly Hill m. Thomas Wood	March 17, 1810
William Hill m. Lucy G. Perdue (Not the one that m. Lydia Jones)	June 14, 1820
James Hill m. Elizabeth Smith	March 14, 1825
Robert A. Jones m. Harriet Hill Macon	October 26, 1825

OTHER HILL MARRIAGES IN GREENE COUNTY, GEORGIA.

(From Marriage Records of Greene County)

Jas. Campbell and Scintha Hill	July 18, 1807
Polly Hill and Thomas Wood	March 17, 1810
William Hill and Lucy G. Pardue	June 14, 1820
James Hill and Elizabeth Smith	March 14, 1825
Robert Hill and E. Bledsoe	October 1, 1825
Robert A. Jones and Harriett Hill Macon	October 26, 1825
James Hill and Christian Lassiter Voucher, B. Lassiter	Sept. 15, 1806
Jane Hill and William Blanks	Sept. 25, 1799
Betsy Hill and Benjamin Lassiter	Apr. 22, 1801

Betsy was daughter of William Hill, & born in SC This is why I say Wm. Hill came from SC.

Sally Hill and Thomas Riley January 10, 1808

FROM COURT RECORDS OF GREENE, CO., GEORGIA

A DEED OF GIFT:

A DEED OF GIFT FROM MARY ANN HILL for the love and good will I bear unto my beloved son, JAMES P. HILL, minor, and for divers good causes hereunto moving; do give unto my beloved son aforesaid, although a minor, the sum of \$ 6,000, to be paid him when he arrives at mature age etc.....

(signed by) Mary Ann Hill

January 10, 1818 in presence of Lucy Hill, Cynthia Campbell, Elijah Robins & Thomas Riley.

MISCELLANEOUS COURT RECORDS OF GREENE COUNTY, GEORGIA.

98-1805?? Dr. Jas. Alford guardian for Elizabeth M. Hill.,

10th Nov 1804 Elizabeth Tally applied for letters of Dismission on the estate of James Hill, deceased.

November 1806: William Hill appraiser for estate of Nathaniel Howel, deceased. (must be different William Hill than the one below).

14th May 1806 John Hill & E. Park applied for letters of administration on the Estate of William Hill, deceased.

Note by Robert Hill: It is my speculation that this William Hill was from South Carolina and was the father of Elizabeth Hill that married Benjamin Lassiter and to the John Hill, who applied to administer William's estate on 14th May 1806. I think he was the same William Hill that married the widow, Lydia White Jones.

July 1808, William Hill, deceased, Inventory & Appraisal of estate, recorded October 1808. One of the buyer was a M. Hill who purchased a pistol and holster for \$ 5.00. The Estate was valued at the sum of \$ 305.12. Inventory signed by Jno. (John) Hill.

Dec. 1808 William Hill, deceased, Sale (of estate) John Hill, Administrator. (suspect John was son of this William Hill).

Nov. 1808 Francis Hill, deceased, Inventory of estate (recorded Jan. 1809).

Jan. 1809 William Hill, deceased, Administrator (for William

Hill estate) paid himself & taxes.

Comments: This last entry is confusing.. It says that William Hill DECEASED, paid "Himself & Taxes." How could this be if he were dead? I wonder if there was a son named William Hill?

According to the Georgia Rosters of American Revolutionary Soldiers, William Hill, James Hill & Joshua Hill served under Col. Elijah Clarke.

From 1785 to 1790 according to the deed books of Greene County, Ga., we find the names of John Hill, Thomas Hill, George Hill, William Hill, Robert Hill, Joshua Hill & James Hill.

In 1799 in Greene County, Ga., a Miss Jane Hill married William Blanks. (Believe her to be a daughter of John Hill, who appears to have been the son of William Hill (by a prior marriage), who died prior to 1809.

Montgomery-Adams-Hill Connection

Mary Montgomery married James Adams in South Carolina. He served in the American Revolution from Camden District, Craven County, South Carolina, the Waxhaws, February-March 1781 under Major Thompson in Sumter's Brigade of Horse.

James & Mary Adams went to Georgia after the Revolution and were first in Greene County, then moved to Hancock County, where James Adams died ca. 1829 and left a will which mentioned:

Wife Mary (Montgomery) Hill

sons: David Adams; Jonathan Adams; William Adams; James Adams & Robert Adams.

daughters: Polly Adams; Jean or Jane Adams; and Nancy Adams

Grandchildren: Molsey Montgomery Hill; Thomas A. Hill; and Elizabeth Moore Hill, all children of deceased daughter Rebecca (Adams) Hill, the wife of Robert Hill.

Note: I believe that Robert Hill & wife Rebecca Adams were from South Carolina.

GREENE COUNTY, GEORGIA DEEDS INVOLVING MEMBERS OF THE HILL FAMILY.

DEED BETWEEN JAMES HILL & ROBERT MIDDLETON DATED 20TH MARCH 1786 (GREENE COUNTY DEED BOOK 1, PAGE 307).

STATE OF GEORGIA)

GREENE COUNTY) THIS INDENTURE made on the 20th day of March in the year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and Eighty Six and in the 10th year of the Independence of the United States of America between JAMES HILL of the County of Wilkes and state aforesaid of the one part and ROBERT MIDDLETON of the county and state aforesaid (Greene County) of the other part WITNESSETH that the said JAMES HILL for in consideration of the sum of One Hundred pounds lawful money of the said state, to him in hand well & truly paid by the said ROBERT MIDDLETON at or before the sealing and delivery of these presents, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, hath granted, bargained, sold, released & confirmed and by these presents do grant, bargained, sold, released & confirm unto the said ROBERT MIDDLETON his heirs and assigns all that tract or parcel of land situate and lying and being in the county of Wilkes (NO GREEN) sic on the waters of South Agechee (Ogechee?) containing Five Hundred acres (500 acres) bounded on all sides by vacant land, having such form marks and shape as appears by a plat of the same annexed by a grant to the said JAMES HILL, signed by his Honor the Governor Council (on) the 22nd of October 1794 will (be) more fully and at large appear together with all and singular the rights, members, appurtenances thereof whatsoever to the said tract of land being belonging or in any wise appertaining and the remainders, revisions, rents, issues and profits thereof and of every part thereof TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the said tract of land and all and singular the premises, appurtenances thereunto belonging as aforesaid and every part thereof unto the said ROBERT MIDDLETON his heirs and assigns to the only proper use benefit and behoof of the said ROBERT MIDDLETON his heirs and assigns forever and the said JAMES HILL and his heirs the said tract of land & premises aforesaid and every part thereof unto the said ROBERT MIDDLETON his heirs and assigns against him the said JAMES HILL and his heirs and all and every other person or persons whatsoever shall and will warrant and forever defend by these presents IN WITNESS whereof the said JAMES HILL have hereunto set his hand and seal the day and year first above written. (20th March 1786).

Signed by/ JAMES (x) HILL (LS)

his mark

Sealed & delivered in presence to
of Robert Middleton (Deed
Sanders Walker (500 acres
Nancy Walker (Greene Co.
Stephen Heard S.A. ??

GEORGIA) Received the day and year first within written of and from the within named Robert Middleton the sum of One Hundred Pounds being the consideration money within mentioned to be paid by him to me.

Signed/ JAMES (x) HILL

his mark

Witness

Sanders Walker
Recorded 20th October 1789.
William Daniels (Clerk)

DEED BETWEEN GEORGE HILL & JOHN JOHNSON DATED 11TH OF JANUARY
1793 (GREENE COUNTY DEED BOOK 1, PAGES 673-674).

THE INDENTURE made the 11th day of January in the year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred & Ninety Three between GEORGE HILL of the county of Greene and state of Georgia of the one part & JOHN JOHNSON of the county and state aforesaid of the other part WITNESSETH that the said GEORGE HILL for and in consideration of the sum of Fifty Pounds, to him in hand paid by the said JOHN JOHNSON at and before ensealing and delivery of these presents, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged and every part & parcel thereof doth acquit & discharge, hath bargained and sold & by these presents doth give, grant, bargain, sell, convey unto the said JOHN JOHNSON and his heirs one certain tract or parcel of land situate & lying & being in the county aforesaid on the waters of Ogechee, containing One Hundred Acres (100 acres) more or less and bounded as follows (VIZ) Beginning at a White Oak (tree) on Alford's line, thence along said Alford's line to a Black Oak corner, thence along said Alford's line to Jackson's corner, thence along Jackson's line to Isaac Parker's line, thence along Parker's line to the beginning with all and singular the rights and privileges, hereditements and appurtenances to the same belonging, also all rights, titles, claims, demands, interests, profits, or advantages to the tract of land and premises belonging or in any wise appertaining TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the said tract of land and premises and every part and parcel thereof to the said JOHN JOHNSON and his heirs forever and the said GEORGE HILL himself and his heirs doth covenant and agree with the said JOHN JOHNSON & his heirs that he will warrant & forever defend the legal right and title in and to the said tract or parcel of land to the said JOHN JOHNSON and his heirs against the lawful claim of all manner of person whatsoever.. WITNESSETH whereof the said GEORGE HILL hath hereunto set his hand & seal the day and year first above written. (11th January 1793).

Signed by/ GEORGE HILL (LS)

Signed, sealed & delivered in the presence of
Samuel Parker
Thomas Criddle

Thomas Criddle came before me and made oath that he saw the within deed signed, sealed and acknowledged in his presence... Sworn before me on March 22? 1793

George --not legible J.P.

Registered the 20th day of March 1793

DEED BETWEEN JOHN HILL & JOHN PATRICK DATED 5TH MAT 1795
(GREENE COUNTY DEED BOOK 2, PAGE 208).

THIS INDENTURE made on Fifth day of May in the year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and Ninety Five (5 May 1795) and in the Nineteenth year of the Independence of the United States of America Between JOHN HILL of the county of Greene and state aforesaid of the one part and JOHN PATRICK of the county of Greene and the state aforesaid planter of the other WITNESSETH that the said JOHN HILL for the consideration of Twenty Two pounds Ten Shillings lawful money of the said state, to him in hand paid by the said JOHN PATRICK have granted bargained sold to the said JOHN PATRICK his heirs and assigns forever a parcel of land containing Forty Five Acres (45 acres) joining said PATRICK'S land beginning at a Post Oak 3 X (sic) thence South Forty Five (degrees?) WEST to a Pine Station thence Ninety Five chains to a Black Gum (tree) thence South Forty Five East nineteen chains to a Post Oak 3x (sic) corner; thence North Forty Five (degrees) East to a Hickory (tree) Thirty five chains thence North Forty Five West to the beginning, bounding on the South West other lands of JOHN HILL formerly situate lying and being in the county of Washington, and having such shape form & marks as appears by a plat of the aforementioned parcel of land, and all and singular the premises and appurtenances, to the only use & behoove of the said JOHN PATRICK his heirs and assigns forever.. and the said JOHN HILL for himself and his heirs and assigns shall & will warrant and defend against all & every person whatsoever. IN WITNESS whereof the said JOHN HILL has set his hand and seal the day and year first above written (5th May 1795).

Signed by JOHN HILL (LS)

Signed, sealed & delivered in the presence of
Andrew Burnell
Robert Patrick

Registered 14th July 1796
signed E. Lark (Clerk)

Comment by Robert Hill: This John Hill is thought to have been the son of a William Hill, who applied to be the administrator for William's estate on 14th May 1806.

GREENE COUNTY DEED BOOK 4, PAGE 90

LAND DEED BETWEEN GEORGE SMITH AND THOMAS HILL DATED 12TH NOVEMBER 1795. (GREENE CO DEED BOOK 4, PAGE 95 & 96).

This Indenture made and entered this twelfth day of November (in) the year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred & Ninety

Five (12 November 1795) between George Smith of the County of Warren and state of Georgia of the one part and THOMAS HILL of the county of Oglethorpe and state aforesaid of the other part WITNESSETH that the said George Smith for and in consideration of the sum of Thirty pounds sterling to him in hand paid by the said THOMAS HILL of the county of Oglethorpe the receipt whereof he doth hereby acknowledge, hath granted bargained and (ula?) and by these presents doth grant bargain and confirm unto him the said THOMAS HILL and his heirs assigns a certain tract or parcel of land lying on HARRIS CREEK in GREEN COUNTY containing One Hundred Seventy Acres more or less, it being part of a tract of land granted to the said George Smith in the year of our Lord One Thousand (Seven Hundred?) and Eighty Six (1786) by his Honor Edward Pelfair Esq. the land is bounded as follows: Beginning at a marked white oak tree on Fielder's Road running along said road to where a meeting house formerly stood and where the Greeneborough road crosses said road thence along the Greenborough Road to a dogwood station thence South 20 (degrees) West to a White Oak corner thence North of West Seventeenth (sic) to a Post Oak corner thence to the beginning marked White Oak, TO HAVE AND TO HOLD to the said tract or parcel of land with all and singular, its appurtenances to the same or any part thereof belonging or any wise appertaining there unto and the said George Smith for himself his heirs doth convey promise to warrant and forever defend the same to him the said THOMAS HILL and his heirs and assigns forever against the claim or claims of him the said George Smith and his heirs or any other person or persons claiming by from under him or either of them or any other person or persons whatsoever. IN WITNESS whereof he the said George Smith hath hereunto set his hand and affixes his seal in the year above written.

Signed by George Smith (LS)

Signed sealed and acknowledged in the presence of us
David Merwether
Charles Smith

STATE OF GEORGIA) In person came before me Charles Smith and CLARK COUNTY) made oath that he saw George Smith execute the within deed also that he saw David Merweather subscribe his name as a witness. Sworn to this 21st day of November 1804.

Signed James Turner J.P.

Registered 22nd November 1804

J. L. (?) Fannin for
Thomas Carleton Clerk

DEED BETWEEN ROBERT HILL & JOHN ALFORD DATED 1ST SEPTEMBER 1796 (DEED BOOK 2, PAGE 646 & 647).

STATE OF GEORGIA) THIS INDENTURE made the first day of September in the year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred & Ninety Six in the Twentieth year of the Independence of the United States of America BETWEEN ROBERT HILL of the county of Hancock and state aforesaid, Planter of the one part, and JOHN ALFORD of the county (Greene) and state (Georgia) aforesaid of the other part WITNESSETH the said ROBERT HILL and his wife REBACKAH for and in consideration of the sum of One Hundred Pounds apiece?, to them in hand well and truly paid by the said JOHN ALFORD, the receipt whereof, is hereby acknowledged, have granted, bargained, sold, released and confirm to the said JOHN ALFORD and to his heirs and assigns all that tract of land, containing by estimation Two Hundred Eighty Seven and a half acres (287 and 1/2 acres) be the same more or less, situate lying and being in the said county of Greene on Beverdam Fork of Richland Creek in Greene County butting and bounding Southeastwardly by John White's land and on all other sides by vacant land at the time of surveying (to wit) beginning on a Nash running South 30 Degrees West 53 and 61 chains to a Red Oak thence North 10 degrees East 53 and 61 chains to the beginning and also all lands trees woods commons, profits, commodities, advantages, ways, virtue and appurtenances whatever to the said premises above mentioned and also the remainders, revisions, rents, dues, services of the premises and every part thereof TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the said premises and all the estate right, title, claim and interest and demands of him the said ROBERT HILL in the said premises and every part thereof TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the said message or tract of land containing Two Hundred and Eighty Seven and One Half acres and all and singular the said premises above mentioned and every part thereof to the said JOHN ALFORD his heirs and assigns and to the only uses thereof forever and the said ROBERT HILL shall and will forever warrant and defend the said premises against him the said ROBERT HILL his heirs and every other person or persons lawfully claims or to claim any right, title, claim, or interest in the said premises IN WITNESS whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affirm my seal the day and year above written (1st September 1796)..

Signed/ ROBERT HILL

Signed sealed and delivered in the presence of
Hugh Montgomery
J. Basley J.P.

Registered the 14th of September 1801
P. Clark (Clerk)

Comments by Robert Hill: We know William Hill Sr 4/ & wife had moved into Hancock County, Ga. He was son of Robert Hill 3/ & wife Tabitha of Halifax Co., NC. When considering how clanish families were in thgose days, I suspect thid Robert Hill was part of the Robert Hill 3/ line, via way of a son,m Abner Hill 4/. He was not son of Wm. Hill 4/.

DEED BETWEEN JOHN DAVIS & GEORGE HILL DATED 7TH JANUARY 1803.
(GREENE COUNTY DEED BOOK 4, PAGE 74 & 75).

THIS INDENTURE made the seventh day of January in the year of our Lord, One Thousand Eight Hundred & Three Between JOHN DAVIS of the State of Georgia & the county of Greene of the one part & GEORGE HILL of the same State & County of the other part WITNESSETH that the said John David for and in consideration of the sum of Four Hundred & Forty Dollars, to him in hand paid, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, hath bargained & sold & by these presents doth give grant bargain & sell convey & confirm to the said GEORGE GILL his heirs & assigns one certain part or parcel of land containing Two Hundred & Twenty Acres (220 acres) situate in the county of GREENE aforesaid on the waters of Richland Creek, bounded Eastwardly by John W. Michaels (land), Southwardly by Ousleys (land), Westwardly by Robertson (land) & Northwardly by Hammond (land), beginning at a Pine (tree) running South 50 (chains?), East 50 chains to a Pine (Tree) thence North 70 degrees West 44 chains to a pine tree, thence North 15 degrees East 45 chains to a Pine (tree) North 75 (degrees) West 20 chains to a Dogwood (tree) thence North 20 (degrees) East 31 chains to a Hickory (tree) to the beginning, being a tract of land conveyed to the said John Davis by William Ousley & that whereon the said Davis now lives with all & singular the rights members & appurtenances to the same belonging or in any wise appertaining TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the said land & premises to the said GEORGE HILL his heirs & assigns forever as a clear & indefensible estate in fee simple absolutely to all intents & purposes & I the said Davis for myself & heirs do agree to & with the said HILL that I will warrant & forever defend the legal rights & titles to the said land to the said GEORGE HILL against the lawful claim & claims of all manner of person IN TESTIMONY whereof I the said DAVIS have hereunto set my hand & seal the date above written (7th January 1803).

Signed by JOHN DAVIS (LS)

Signed & delivered in presence of
William Baldwin
Robert Ousley

Registered this 3rd of September 1804
J. L.(?) Fannin for Thomas Carleton CLERK

DEED BETWEEN GEORGE HILL & JOHN BUSH DATED 4TH JULY 1803
(GREEN COUNTY DEED BOOK 3, PAGES 651-652).

STATE OF GEORGIA)

GREENE COUNTY) THIS INDENTURE made the 4th of July 1803
between GEORGE HILL of the county & state aforesaid of the

one part & JOHN BUSH of the county & state aforesaid of the other part WITNESSETH that the said GEORGE HILL for and in consideration of the sum of Five Hundred Dollars, to him in hand, paid by the said JOHN BUSH at and before the sealing and delivery of these presents, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged and every part and parcel thereof, doth acquit discharge hath bargained and by these presents doth give, grant, bargain, sell, convey & confirm unto the said BUSH and his heirs one certain tract or parcel of land, situate & being in the county of Greene aforesaid state and on Richland Creek, containing Seventy Two Acres (72 acres) of land and bounded as (VIZ) beginning on a Dogwood (tree) on Talbert's corner and running South 55 West to a Black Oak Corner 15 chains, thence South 34 Degrees East 48 chain (to) Parker's line, to a Popular (tree) corner thence 55 degrees East to a Hickory (tree) 15 chains thence North 34 degrees West (to) Talbert's line to the beginning with all and singular the rights & privileges, hereditaments and appurtenances to said land belonging or in any wise appertaining TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the said land and premises with every part or parcel thereof to the said JOHN BUSH and his heirs a clear defeasable (sic) estate in fee simple absolute to all intent and purposes as can be held, possessed or enjoined and the said GEORGE HILL for himself, his heirs do covenant and agree to and with the said JOHN BUSH and his heirs that he will warrant & forever defend the legal right and title in and to the said land and premises to the said JOHN BUSH and his heirs against the lawful claim of all and all manner of persons whatsoever IN WITNESS hereof the said GEORGE HILL hath hereunto set his hand and seal the day & year first written. (4th July 1803).

Signed by/ GEORGE HILL (LS)
MARY (x) HILL (LS)

Test.
Bartlett Walker
Robert Ously J.P.

Registered the 8th September 1803
Thomas Carleton (Clerk)

DEED BETWEEN JAMES CLARK & GEORGE HILL DATED 31ST OCTOBER 1805 (GREENE COUNTY, GA. DEED BOOK 4, PAGES 334 & 335).

STATE OF GEORGIA

THIS INDENTURE made (on) Thirty First day (of) October in the year of our Lord One Thousand & Five and in the Twenty Ninth year of the Independence of the United State of America between JAMES CLARK of the county of Greene and state aforesaid of the one part and GEORGE HILL of the aforesaid state of the other part WITNESSETH that the said GEORGE HILL and MARY his wife for and in consideration of the sum of Six Hundred Dollars (\$ 600.00) to them in hand paid by the said JAMES CLARK at or before the sealing and delivery of these

presents, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, have granted, bargained, sold, released and confirmed and by these presents do grant, bargain, sell, release and confirm unto the said JAMES CLARK his heirs and assigns a certain tract or parcel of land lying and being in Greene County and aforesaid state, containing Two Hundred & Thirty and Three Fourth Acres (230 & 3/4 acres) more or less, granted to Samuel Sesaney beginning at a Dogwood (tree) running it 20 (degrees) East 31 chains to a hickory (tree) thence South 70? (degrees) East 41 chains 50 links to a Pine (tree), thence South 5 (degrees) East 30 chains to a Pine (tree) thence North 70 (degrees) West 44 chains to a Pine (Tree), thence North 15 (degrees) East 15? chains to a Pine (tree), thence North 70 (degrees) West 20 chains to a Dogwood (tree) at the beginning together with all and singular, the rights members, appurtenances thereof whatsoever to the said tract of land being (or) belonging or in anywise appertaining and the remainder, revisions, rents, fees?, and profits thereof and any part thereof TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the said tract of land, and all and singular the premises and appurtenances thereto belonging as aforesaid and every part thereof unto the said JAMES CLARK his heirs and assigns to the only proper use benefit and behoof of him the said JAMES CLARK his heirs and assigns forever and the said GEORGE HILL and MARY his wife, and every other person or persons found will warrant and forever defend by these presents. IN WITNESS whereof the said GEORGE HILL & MARY, his wife have hereunto set their hands & seals the day & year first above written (31 October 1805).

Signed by/ George Hill (LS)

Mary Hill (LS)

Signed, sealed & delivered in presence of
William Oeasly?
John W. Michael

Acknowledged before me this 6th day of November 1805
M.W. Johnson J.P.

Recorded 17th March 1806
Thomas Cunningham for Thomas Carleton (Clerk)

GREENE COUNTY DEED BOOK 5, PAGE 370, DATED 11th JULY 1808.

A LAND DEED BETWEEN A JOHN HILL & THOMAS RILEY

This Indenture made the Eleventh day of July in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred & Eight (11 July 1808) between JOHN HILL of the county of Greene and the state of Georgia of the one part and Thomas Riley of the same county and state aforesaid of the other part WITNESSETH that the said JOHN HILL for and consideration of the sum of Two Hundred Dollars to him in hand paid by the said Thomas Riley the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged hath given granted

bargained and sold and by these presents doth give grant bargain and sell unto the aforesaid Thomas Riley all that tract or parcel of land lying and being in the same county and state aforesaid containing two hundred acres (200 acres) more or less adjoining James Park, John Freman and others TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the said tract or lot of land together with all and singular the rights members and appurtenances thereof WHATSOEVER unto the said Thomas Riley his heirs and assigns to (two words not legible) only proper use and benefits and behoof--(word not legible) forever in (word not legible) In witnesseth hereof the said JOHN HILL hath hereunto set his hand and seal the day & year first above written (11 July 1808).

signed/ JOHN HILL (LS)

Witnesses:

Ja. Crumbell

James Cunningham

Robert Rea (J.P.)

Recorded 22 February 1810

Note: This John Hill is thought to have been the son of a William Hill, who died just prior to 14th May 1806, when John Hill applied to administer his estate.

DEED BETWEEN JOSEPH HILL & JOHN ANDERSON DATED 11TH JANUARY 1809 (GREEN COUNTY DEED BOOK 5, PAGES 106 & 107).

THIS INDENTURE made the eleventh day of January in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred & Nine between JOSEPH HILL of the county of Baldwin & state aforesaid of the one part & JOHN ANDERSON of the county of Greene & state aforesaid WITNESSETH that the said JOSEPH HILL for and in consideration of the sum of Three Hundred & Twenty Dollars (\$320.00) to him in hand, paid the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, hath granted bargained sold and released and by these presents doth grant bargain sell release & confirm unto the said JOHN ANDERSON one certain tract or parcel of land containing One Hundred & Twenty Seven Acres (127 acres) situate (and) being in the county & state aforesaid one Peachtree Creek bounded northward by Wood's land Southward by George's land, Eastward by Hemphills' land and Westwardly by Carson's land at the time of survey, having such shape form & marks as appears by a plat annexed to the original grant, together with all & singular the rights members hereditaments & appurtenances there unto belonging or in anywise appertaining (to) have and to hold the same and every part thereof unto the land JOHN ANDERSON his heirs & assigns forever from the said JOSEPH HILL his heirs executors administrators & assigns & the said JOSEPH HILL doth hereby binds himself his heirs executors administrators & assigns, to warrant and forever defend the aforesaid tract of land and appurtenances unto the said JOHN ANDERSON his heirs & assigns

forever in fee simple WITNESSETH whereof the said JOSEPH HILL hath hereunto set his hand and seal the day & years first above written (11th January 1809).

Signed by/ JOSEPH T. HILL (LS)

Signed sealed & delivered in presence of
Robins J.P.
Jas. Robins
Wm. Hemphill

Recorded the 3rd January 1809
Thomas Carleton CLERK

DEED BETWEEN THOMAS HILL & PETER KIMBRO DATED 18TH DECEMBER 1804. (GREENE COUNTY DEED BOOK 4, PAGE 681).

THIS INDENTURE made the Eighteenth day of December in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred & Four between THOMAS HILL of the county of Greene and state of Georgia of the one part & PETER KIMBRO of the county & state aforesaid of the other part, WITNESSETH that the said THOMAS HILL have (sic) bargained & sold unto the said PETER KIMBRO a tract of land on the East side of Heolly (sic) Creek bounded as following viz. Beginning on said Creek where the Greensboro Road crosses (the creek) continuing (along) said Creek to a dedoowd?? (deadwood?) Lrutain ??? (two words not legible) thence Twenty Degrees West to a White Oak corner, thence North Twenty West to the aforesaid Creek, thence up the meandering of said Creek to the beginning, containing (Seventy?) acres, be the same more or less TO HAVE AND TO HOLD said tract of land with the appurtenances thereunto belonging (to) the said THOMAS HILL, do forever warrant and defend unto the said PETER KIMBRO his heirs and assigns forever from himself, his heirs and every person or persons whatsoever IN WITNESS whereof the said THOMAS HILL have hereunto set his hand and acknowledge his seal in presents of
Signed/ THOMAS HILL (LS)

Received One Hundred Dollars of Peter Kimbro on the)
consideration of the above land September this 3rd 1816 the
above deed proven agreeable to law.

Thomas Armoas J.P.

Robert Royston
Winkfield (x) Shropshire
his mark
Isham (p) Dukes
his mark

Recorded 23rd February 1808.

Comments: This seems to have been the Thomas Hill that married Catherine Shropshire.

DEED BETWEEN NOAH HILL AND WIFE NANCY HILL TO WILLIAM JENKINS, GREENE COUNTY, GEORGIA, DATED 22ND FEBRUARY 1797, RECORDED IN DEED BOOK 3, PAGE 323.

THIS INDENTURE made the Twenty Second day of February in the year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and Ninety Seven between NOAH HILL AND NANCY HILL, HIS WIFE of the county of Oglethorpe and the state of Georgia of the one part and William Jenkins of the county of Buckingham and the state of Virginia of the other part, WITNESSETH that the said Noah Hill and Nancy for and in consideration of the sum of Seven Hundred Dollars to them well and truly paid by the said William Jenkins before the sealing of these presents, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged hath granted bargained sold and by these presents doth grant bargain sell release and confirm unto the said William Jenkins his heirs and assigns forever all that track (sic) or parcel of land situated lying and being in the County of Greene and state of Georgia on the Appalatchee (river) originally granted to ABRAHAM HILL containing by estimation Four Hundred and Sixty acres, be the same more or less and is bounded as follows: Beginning at a Sweet Gum (tree) on the Appalatchee running North 75 (Degrees) East 123 chains to a Pine (tree) South 15 degrees East 25 chains to a Dogwood (tree) thence South 75 (degrees) West 12 chains (to a) Hickory (tree) thence North 115 (degrees) West 10 chains to a Pine (tree) thence South 45 (degrees) 96 chains to a Read (sic) (Red?) Oak (tree) on the Appalatcha (sic) thence up the same to West (to the) beginning, Together with all and singular the rights members appurtenances (sic) whatsoever thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining and the said NOAH HILL & NANCY, his wife, doth for themselves their heirs and assigns and from every other person or persons whatsoever warrant and forever defend the aforesaid land and premises unto the aforesaid William Jenkins his heirs administrators and assigns forever, IN WITNESS the said NOAH HILL & NANCY, his wife, hath hereunto set their hands and affixed their seal the day and date above.

NOAH HILL (LS)
NANCY HILL (LS)

Signed Sealed and Delivered in the presents of
David Gresham (J.P.)

Registered the 10th day of May 1798 by Park (Clerk of Court).

Notation: Noah Hill is thought to have been the son of Abraham Hill, probably of N.C. and who originally obtained the land grant for the above land.

APPRAISEMENT & RETURNS OF ESTATES BETWEEN 1798-1806.

Note: This document is not too clear. The figures after the end of the entry is thought to be the value of the estate but explanation was listed.

William Hill Estate, letters of administration & appraisal for 98. (pounds?).

James Hill Estate, (Executor ase? (Case?) 114 letters Dismissed granted 292. (pounds?)

Elijah M. Hill, guardian, 357 (pounds).

14th May 1806
John Hill & E. Park applied for letters of administration on the estate & effects of William Hill, deceased.

(Comment by R. Hill: I suspect John Hill was a son of this William Hill).

CREEK INDIAN AGENCY PASSPORTS.

Executive Department
Monday 27th April 1801

On a recommendation from David Adams Esquire of Hancock County

ORDERED

That passports be prepared (for) William Wiggins, William Hill, and Richard Hull to go and return through the creek nation to and from the settlements on Bigby (river?). This located today in vicinity of today's Green Co., AL.

23rd May 1801 William Hill Esquire, of Greene County, in Georgia, desirous of traveling into the Mississippi Territory. Certified of good character, by Andrew Baxter, Brice Gaither, Adjutant General Fauchee, Colonel Melton and several other respectable characters.

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24th May 1801 Robert Hide of Green County, certified to be a young man of good report, by E. Parks, Joseph Phillips, William Hill and W. Wiggins, to pass to Tombigbee.

Benjamin Hawkins...151

Note: Tombigbee located in today's Green Co., AL.:

24 May 1801 (Pass issued to) Micajah Wall of Green County,

Georgia, Certificate that he has supported a reputable character; desirous to travel to the settlement on Tombigbee, Certified by E. Parks, J. Phillips, L. Sowall, W. Wiggins, William Hill.

Benjamin Hawkins...152

Note: Tombigbee in today's Green Co., AL.

Executive Department
Monday 7th December 1801
ORDERED

that passports through the creek nation to the Mississippi Territory be prepared for the following persons and their families Hezikah & Cadar Carter, Vines Howell, Henry Slaughter, William Hill, William Wiggins, Jesse Ross. (Note: This assumed to be Greene County, Georgia records).

GEORGIA)
WARREN COUNTY)

To His Excellency, The Governor of said State, Green Hill is a young man that was born and raised in this settlement of an honest family and hath lived a regular life heatherto (sic) and wishes to move with the LANDRUM family to dunbige (sic) threw (sic) the Creek nation unmolested and pray your Excellency's sanction therefor

November 22nd day 1803

John Bayn J.P.

Jas. Carter J.P.

Recommendation for a passport (for) GREEN HILL acted on the 25th November 1803.

Green Hill's Passport 165

Executive Department
Friday 25th November 1803
ORDERED

That passports through the Creek nation be prepared for Edward & Richard Story, Edmund Hays, GREEN HILL, Joseph Smith, Elijah Granade, John Landrum Jr. Peter & Ephiram Dismuke, which were presented and signed (166).

END OF DATA