

2.24.97

Dear Bob,

Hope all is well?

a few days ago, I received from
BYRON HILL, some new data (Feb. 19 97)
He indicates you also received this
data.

anyway I am sending 3 pages
of this data I want you to look
at.

I have never saw this before
Haltfax Co, N.C. Deed BK. 20

But it should be a valuable clue
for what we were just working
ON! Here again is this

RICHARD / FRANCES HILL

QUESTION # 1 ? , IS THIS THOMAS
HILL, dec'd, the Thomas Hill #4,
brother to my Wm. CLANTON HILL #4 ?

QUESTION # 2 ? By RICHARD HILL
the elder, does this mean that

#4 THOMAS HILL SON # 5 RICHARD

and he had a RICHARD JR, # 6 ?

From another source I know that the JOHN HILL / of Lew Hill, Texas, had a sister named Polly Hill, who either married a Welch, or a Bray, have not yet looked it up. So here is Polly Hill a sister to John HILL.

Now even though it says HEIRS, I believe most if not all of these named are children of Richard and Frances Hill, we know that Polly was as well as John, even though here he is not referred to as a natural son of Frances! The reason that Richard's will was not in N.C. is because he was in GA. along with many, many more of our Hill line!

I remember HENRY HIGHT and FIELDING HILL, but do not know the connection here?

This 100 % has to be the
JOHN HILL / Lew HILL, Texas line!

It's not there ARE NOW COW'S in
Texas, and there are NO

Feathers in "old Bob Crow"

now that's big talk coming
from "LITTLE Turkey", so let

me know what you came up
with, I know there were

two or more FRANCIS / Hills, but

this one wife of Richard is

different!

Take care -
many thanks

P.S. -
ALSO -

a little new data

ON - LEWIS HILL

children -

he also had a son named JOHN, HENRY,
GREEN etc. |

690-(207) MARY HYDE of Brunswick Co. VA to RICHARD PUTNEY SR. of Northampton Co. 15 May 1805. 65 pounds 8 shillings VA. 52 acres which was part of 156 acres that had belonged to DAVID HYDE dec'd, on Roanoke River below William A. Eaton's Ferry, joining Roanoke River, WILLIAM ALLEN, SAMUEL TUNNELL, THOMAS EATON, Morrisses Spring Branch. Wit: JOHN HARRISON JR., THOMAS WILLIAMS, JAMES PUTNEY. Feb Ct 1804. CC: L. Long

691-(209) DAVIS JOLLEY & his wife AVERILLA(x) of Northampton Co. to RICHD. PUTNEY SR. of same. 19 Jun 1804. 50 pounds VA. 150 acres which had belonged to DAVID HYDE dec'd, on Roanoke River, joining MORRIS, THOMAS EATON, SAMUEL TUNNELL, WILLIAM ALLEN. Wit: JAMES PUTNEY, ROBERT FOLKS. Feb Ct 1806. CC: L. Long

692-(210) HOWELL ALSOBROOK to ROBERT SOREY. 1 Feb 1806. 83 silver dollars. 20 acres, joining Deep Creek, HOWELL ALSOBROOK. Wit: WILLIS POWELL, JOHN PITMAN JR. Feb Ct 1806. CC: L. Long

693-(212) LEWIS(x)ROAN of Halifax Co. to Majr. THOMAS EATON of Northampton Co. 13 Feb 1806. 96 pounds 6 shillings VA. 214 acres, joining ROBERT SHAW, MRS. HAMILL, CANLEY, PEPPER, POWELL, LYALL, WILLIAM PARSON. Wit: JAMES DANCY, LEWIS WILLIS. Feb Ct 1806. CC: L. Long. [Note: Marginal note designates grantee as THOMAS EATON JR.]

694-(213) HENRY EDWARDS & his wife SUSANNAH(x) of Halifax Co. to BENJAMIN POPE of same. 18 Feb 1806. 400 pounds. 355 1/2 acres which JESSE DIXON conveyed to JAMES PARKER, joining Wolfpit Branch, Beaverdam Swamp, THOMAS DAVIS, SAMUEL COUPLAND; also 36 acres which SARAH PARKER purchased at a sheriff's sale & which descended from her to sd SUSANNA & ELIZABETH the wife of THOMAS SMITH, called Coupland's Land. Both tracts were undivided moieties. Wit: JAMES BARNES, WM. WHITEHEAD. Feb Ct 1806. Femme consented. CC: L. Long

695-(215) WILLIE WATSON & his wife ELIZABETH(x) to BENJAMIN POPE. 19 Feb 1806. 250 pounds NC. 75 acres had been sd ELIZABETH's dower from her dec'd husband JOHN POPE, & which was devised to sd JOHN POPE by his father WILLIAM POPE. Sale was for Elizabeth's lifetime. Wit: JO. BRYANT, THOMAS BURGESS. Feb Ct 1806. Femme consented. CC: L. Long

696-(218) RICHARD HILL, WILLIE DANIELL, JAMES LONG post bond to JAMES JUDGE for 1250 pounds. The condition is that JAMES JUDGE as administrator of RICHARD HILL the elder dec'd of Georgia of the executors of THOMAS HILL dec'd has paid 625 pounds to RICHARD HILL for the purpose of paying this over to the heirs of RICHARD HILL dec'd (FRANCES HILL) must sign the receipt. She was guardian of ROBT. HILL. Other heirs: JOSEPH HILL, BENJAMIN HILL, JOHN HILL, NANCY HILL, POLLY HILL, HENRY HIGHT guardian of FIELDING HILL son of TOM HILL dec'd. Each must sign a receipt. Feb Ct 1806. CC: L. Long. [Note: Wording unclear in early section of this document.]

697-(221) JAMES EVANS of Halifax Co. to WILLIAM BURT of Harson(?) Co. NC. 25 Jan 1805. 30 pounds. 100 acres on Hawtree, joining, BURT, NELMS, ISHAM, JAMES ARRINGTON. Wit: JOS. J. WILLIAMS [JR.], JM. MATTHEWS. Feb Ct 1806. CC: L. Long

698-(223) ELIZABETH ASHE, administratrix of JOHN B. ASHE dec'd, to JOSHUA COLE of Halifax Co. 3 Jan 1806. \$250. Negro girl Clary. Wit: THOMAS BURGESS. Feb Ct 1806. CC: L. Long

699-(224) HENRY DAWSON to LARKIN DAWSON of Halifax Co. 13 Mar 1790. 120 pounds. 200 acres, joining Middle Swamp, DAVID HARDY. Wit: JACOB COLEMAN, HENRY DAWSON, JOHN DAWSON. Feb Ct 1806. CC: L. Long

700-(225) DUNCAN CAMERON & his wife REBECCA(late REBECCA BENNEHAN) of Orange Co. to JESSE RHYMES of Town of Halifax. 9 Apr 1805. \$1000. Lot No. (blank) in Town of Halifax. Proved in Hillsborough

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of

HILL

ABOUT

THIS

POLLY

HILL

I THINK IT WAS A SISTER TO

HIS JOHN HILL ? by

DATA FROM ANOTHER SOURCE

- 515-(429) JESSE HOPKINS, the only heir of of PARKER HOPKINS, of Edgefield District SC, to HENRY BULL of Halifax Co. 30 Mar 1804. \$275. 136 acres, joining road leading from Brinkleys Bridge to Halifax, ISHAM DAVIS, JOSIAH BRINKLEY, THOMAS HARVEY SR., Smith's Branch. Wit: SALLY BULL, GEO. WALLOUS. Aug Ct 1804. CC: L. Long
- 516-(430) ELIZABETH ASHE, administratrix of JOHN B. ASHE dec'd, to HENRY AARON. (no day, no month) 1804. \$120. Negro girl Sukey. Wit: MOSES MATTHEWS. Nov Ct 1804. CC: L. Long
- 517-(431) JOHN PEARCE of Halifax Co. to ISAAC RICKS of same. 21 May 1803. \$416. Boy slaves Henry about age 14 or 15, & Billy about age 10 or 11. Wit: RD. HUSON, L. WHITAKER. Aug Ct 1804. CC: L. Long
- ✓ 518-(431) ANN LONG of Halifax Co. grants power of attorney to her son JAMES LONG of same. 16 Jun 1804. To receive from HENRY HILL executor of ROBT. HILL dec'd, who was executor of my father THOMAS HILL, all the legacies due me in sd will. Wit: FRANCIS TATE, THOS. CHRISTIE. Aug Ct 1804. CC: L. Long
- 519-(432) JESSE RHYMES of Halifax Co. to WILLIAM SULLIVANT of same. 7 Feb 1803. \$200. 137 1/4 acres on Rocky Branch, joining WILLIAM HARVEY, Hart's Meadow, Meadow Branch. Wit: JAMES JONES, EDWD. TURNER. Aug Ct 1804. CC: L. Long
- 520-(433) ROBT. JOSEY of Halifax Co. to ALLEN WHITEHEAD of same. 20 Apr 1804. 225 pounds. Negro man Frank. Wit: WILLIAM WHITEHEAD SR., SALLY WHITEHEAD. Nov Ct 1804. CC: L. Long
- 521-(434) ELISTH. ASHE, administratrix of JOHN B. ASHE, to MOSES MATTHEWS. (no day, no month) 1803. 97 pounds. Negro man Tim. Wit: HENRY AARON. Nov Ct 1804. CC: L. Long
- 522-(434) NICHOLAS BRANCH of Halifax Co. to WILLIAM BAILEY of Northampton Co. 29 Aug 1804. 500 pounds. 400 acres, joining Jacket Swamp, (blank) DANIEL, DRURY HARRINGTON, HERCULES MORRIS, JOHN B. ASHE, Hills Road. Wit: JOS. GEE, V. BAILEY, RICHD. BAILEY. Feb Ct 1805. CC: L. Long
- 523-(435) JOSHUA COLE & his wife SUSANNAH petition to apportion the land they hold in common with the heirs of JOAB COTTON; sd land was 300 acres, joining the road nead Foreman's Old Mill on Kehuckee Swamp, JOHN BOMBAY, JOHN BELL, THOMAS DREW, the road from Norfleet's Ferry to Foreman's Old Mill. Sd SUSANNAH was entitled to 1/2 by her marriage, as by deed 4 Nov 1763. WILLM. DREW for petitioners. Commissioners: BLOUNT JOINER, WILLIAM ADKINS, WILLIAM BOYAKIN, PEYTON R. TUNSTALL, WILLIAM R. TUNSTALL.
Plat shown. Plat indicates 2 lots containing 114 acres, & belonging to the heirs of WM. HOBDY, on north side of Kehukee Swamp, surveyed 14 Aug 1804.
To JOSHUA COLE in right of his wife SUSANNAH - 57 acres, joining Kehukee Swamp, Barnes' Road.
To JOAB COTTEN in lieu [wording unclear] SARAH HARDING - 57 acres, joining Kehukce Swamp, Barnes' Road. Feb Ct 1805. CC: L. Long
- 524-(437) WILLIAM GOODWIN of Halifax Co. petitions to apportion land. He stated that his father JOSIAH GOODWIN died in 1790. He owned 500 acres on Conconary Swamp, joining PATRICK DWYER, ELIAS FOORT & others; also 100 acres, joining LOVATT BURGESS, PETER MORGAN & others. Sd JOSIAH GOODWIN left 2 sons: WILLIAM, & GEORGE GOODWIN, a minor.
Commissioners: LOVATT BURGESS, ISAAC RICKS, BURRELL SHELTON, EDWARD CROWELL, RANDOLPH WEST.
Lot 1 to WILLIAM GOODWIN - 200 acres on Conocanary Swamp, joining ELIAS FORT, POPE (& the land h e purchased from PRIOR, GENL. CARNEY).
Lot 2 to GEORGE GOODWIN - 280 acres, joining Conocanary Swamp, PATRICK DWYER, ELIAS FOORT.
Plat shown.
To EDWARD KING - 40 acres, who had purchased the undivided part from the sd WILLIAM GOODWIN, joining

Sussex Co Va

Deed Book G

Fisher, sd John Parham (lately Thomas Hill's), Curtis Winfield, George Booth. Wit: Joseph M. Bacon, John Nolley, Wm. Gilliam, Stith Parham. 7 Apr 1791. M. Bailey Clerk

796-(586) FRANCIS JACKSON, REUBEN JACKSON, & their wives MOLLEY(x) & HANNAH, of Sussex Co. to WILLIAM JACKSON of same. 7 Apr 1791. 200£. 200 acres, joining Gally Swamp, Thick Swamp. Wit: Reaps Mitchell, Henry Wilkerson, Wood(x)Heath. 7 Apr 1791. M. Bailey Clerk

797-(588) JOEL ECKLES & POLLEY ECKLES of Sussex Co. to REUBEN JACKSON of same. 6 Apr 1790. 150£. 200 acres, joining James Hall, the county line, James Robertson, Reuben Jackson, Cabin Pond Road. Wit: Reaps Mitchell, Henry Wilkerson, Wood(x)Heath. 7 Apr 1791. M. Bailey

798-(588) THOMAS(x) WALLER of Albemarle Parish Sussex Co. to BALAAM HAY of same. 20 Nov 1785. For the use of sd Balaam Hay land during his & his wife's life. Thus to sd Hay 20 acres where Waller now lives, joining sd Hay. Wit: Wm. Grizzard, Richard Hay, John Avent, Thos.(x)Samons, John Leycetter. 7 Apr 1791. M. Bailey Clerk. A note indicates: "Original delivered Seth Hay."

799-(590) WILLIAM MASON & his wife MARY of Sussex Co. to CARRIL GRIGG of Greenville Co. 7 Apr 1791. 28£ VA. 30 acres which had been a patent to John Sands 4 Nov 1788 & assigned to sd William Mason, on both sides of the Petersburg Road. (witnesses omitted) 7 Apr 1791. M. Bailey Clerk

800-(591) WILLIAM HAMLIN of Sussex Co. to JOHN HAMLIN of same. 7 Apr 1791. 100£. 189½ acres & was a part as by an agreement between sd William & Charles Hamlin, where sd William now lives, joining Blys Branch, James Briggs, Benjamin Evans, John Mitchell. (witnesses omitted) 7 Apr 1791. M. Bailey Clerk. A note indicates: "Original delivd Jno. Hamlin 28 Jan 1807."

801-(592) Stephen Hamlin dec'd in his will dated 8 Jan 1773 gave ½ his land to his son William Hamlin & the other ½ to his son Charles Hamlin, & sons William & Charles pay to my son John 25£ each when sd John comes of age. The will did not describe how to divide the land, thus as following. 400 acres, joining Clements Hix, the road that leads from Seacorries to Musuck Swamp, John Chappell; & sd Charles to have 200 acres of it called Old Town. 29 Nov 1790. Wit: Benj. B. Rosser, Jesse Hargrave. 7 Apr 1791. M. Bailey Clerk

802-(594) WILLIAM MAGET of Sussex Co., grandson of William Gray decd' of Georgia, grants power of attorney to William Nicholson Jr. & Charles Nicholson, both of Sussex Co., to deal with the estate of the sd dec'd, including land in Georgia. 7 Apr 1791. Wit: Wm. Lamb, Benj. B. Rosser. M. Bailey Clerk

803-(595) THOMAS HILL of Sussex Co. to WILLIAM MASON of same. 10 Mar 1791. 48£ VA. 162 acres on south side of Southwest Swamp; 102 acres of it as by patent to Richard Hill dec'd 10 Sep 1755(?); 60 acres as by deed from John Winfield to sd Richard Hill the father of sd Thomas Hill who willed it to sd Thomas Hill. Wit: John Smith, William Gilliam, Gilliam Jackson, Jno. Parham. 7 Apr 1791. M. Bailey Clerk

804-(596) HENRY COOK & his wife BETTY of North Carolina to BAZEL MIDDLETON of Sussex Co. 14 Mar 1791. 512£12s VA. 683½ acres on south side of Black Water Swamp, joining Spring Branch, Warwick Swamp, Harbert Hill, James B. Jones, John Jones. Wit: Jno. Watkins Sr., Saml. Blunt, Richard Blunt, Leml. Cocke. 7 Apr 1791. M. Bailey Clerk

805-(598) THOMAS NEWSOM & his wife SARAH of Sussex Co. to JOHN JARRATT of same. 7 Apr 1791. 25£ VA. 50 acres in the fork of Poplar Swamp, joining Richard Rawlings, Smith, sd Thomas Newsom, Felts, William Richardson, sd John Jarrott. (witnesses omitted) M. Bailey Clerk. A note indicates: "Original delivered Jno. Jarrod May 21 1796."

Will Book A Franklin County, N.C., 1785-1797
Wills, Estates Records, Guardian Accounts
abstracted by Dr. Stephen E. Bradley, Jr.

p. 36 - (will book A)
will of Bennett Hill - He sell a tract of land lying
in Tennessee county west of mountains. To sons all
his land in Franklin County & a tract in Northampton County
adjoining Block. wife Martha to keep estate real & personal
intact for raising, clothing & schooling my children.
Equal share of personal estate with children should
she remain. As each child marries or comes of age,
then each shall receive equal share of personal estate.
Executors: friends Jordan Hill, John Thomas, wife Martha.
Dec. 6, 1791 signed

p. 4 - (will book A)
will of William Hill. wife Polly. all land to
be equally divided among four sons: Wm Bennett
Hill, Samuel Sugar Hill, James Jones Hill, Charles
Applewhite Hill. Estate to remain intact during
wife's widowhood or until one of the sons arrives at
a lawful age, whichever comes first. Brother Henry
Hill, Samuel Jones, Jordan Hill to be executors
& trustees for children in providing their education.
signed June 12, 1784

p. 39 (will book A)
Guardian account of for Hinckey Hill, Green Hill, Guilford
Hill, John Hill, Henry Hill, Milleg Hill, orphans of Lewis
Hill, dec'd. by Richard Hill guardian. not dated

p. 36 (will book A)
Dec. 6, 1794 - distribution of estate of John Watkins dec'd.
widow Lydia Watkins, Betsy Watkins wife of Vinson,
Milly Watkins wife of Solomon Harris, John Watkins, Jr.,
Lydia Watkins wife of Richd. Hill, Rebecca Watkins
wife of Lewis Hill. H. Watkins, orphans &

Widow of Miles Watkins, dec'd.

Will Book B Franklin Co., N.C. 1794-1804
Wills, Estates Records, Guardian Accounts
abstracted by Dr. Stephen E. Bradley, Jr.
p. 30

Will book B p. 118 Division of estate of Bennett Hill.
Martha Hill executrix, division per son Matthias Hill
Sept. 24, 1801

Will book B p. 120 p. 31.
Marriage agreement between Henry Hill &
Catharine Newby. Dec. 20, 1800. also mentioned was David
Hampton of Rowan Co who was involved in the protecting of
her estate