

VA.015 A CHART THAT SHOWS THE CONNECTIONS OF THE THREE
LEONARD HILL FAMILIES OF ESSEX COUNTY VIRGINIA TO EACH OTHER
AS WELL AS TO OTHER MEMBERS OF THE HILL FAMILIES IN AND
AROUND ESSEX COUNTY.

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Ann_Sanders__LEONARD_HILL__John_Hill__Richard_Hill__Mary_Hill
(Half sister) : (suspected brothers & sister)
:b. ca. 1649 (England) (see below)
:d. 1728-29. Will proved Jan. 1729.
: m. to Widow Bryant (KNOWN AS LEONARD HILL
: THE FIRST)
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Ann__Betty__LEONARD_HILL__Catherine__Thomas_Hill
:(m. Richard :KNOWN AS LEONARD HILL THE 2ND
:Tunstall) :m. Mary Micou :
:He d. ca. Mar. 1734 :m. Price
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Thomas_Hill__LEONARD_HILL__Mary_Hill
(He moved to m. Sarah Thacker (under 21)
Cumberland Co. on 4 Oct. 1752.
Va. He d. ca. Oct. 1756.
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Leonard Hill's will wrote 29 Mar. 1756,
Proved 19 Oct. 1756.
(KNOWN AS LEONARD HILL THE 3RD).
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Mary_Hill__Elizabeth_Hill

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FAMILY OF JOHN HILL (BROTHER OF LEONARD & RICHARD HILL).

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John Hill died ca. January-February 1777 in South Farnham
Parish in Essex County, Virginia. He married 26th January
1740/41 to Barbara Watkins, daughter of John Watkins. The
will of John Hill was wrote 3rd August 1776 and proved 17th
February 1777.

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JOHN_HILL_m._Barbara_Watkins_on_26_Jan._1740/41

b. ca. 1720 :

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Richard_Hill___Leonard_Hill___Jesse_Hill___Lucy_Hill

this is the wife Sarah

nephew named Leonard d. ca. Sept. 1784 (known as Leonard
in will of his 1 : Hill the 4th)

uncle Richard Hill :

proven 20 Aug. 1764 :

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William_Hill__Suca_Hill__Thomas_Hill___Molly_Hill

d. ca. Mar-Apr. 1804

in Essex Co.

(wife was Clarissa)

Will Wrote 23 Feb. 1804

Proved 16 Apr. 1804. Mentions two daughters, & brother
Thomas Hill. (WILL BOOK 16, Pages 274-276).

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Suckey_Hill___Clarissa_Hill

(The 2 daughters of William Hill).

Note: The name of Leonard Hill applies to four known individuals. Three were of the same line, father, son and grandson. These are known as Leonard 1st, 2nd and 3rd. The Leonard Hill (known as the 4th) was of the same family BUT a nephew to Leonard Hill (the 1st) and a cousin to Leonard Hill (the 2nd) and also of the 2nd generation. It is important NOT to become confused with the figure showing what generation that Leonard Hill (the 4th) belonged. He was of the 2nd generation (son of John Hill 1/), but the 4TH PERSON that had the given name of Leonard Hill.

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FAMILY OF RICHARD HILL (BROTHER OF LEONARD HILL & JOHN HILL)

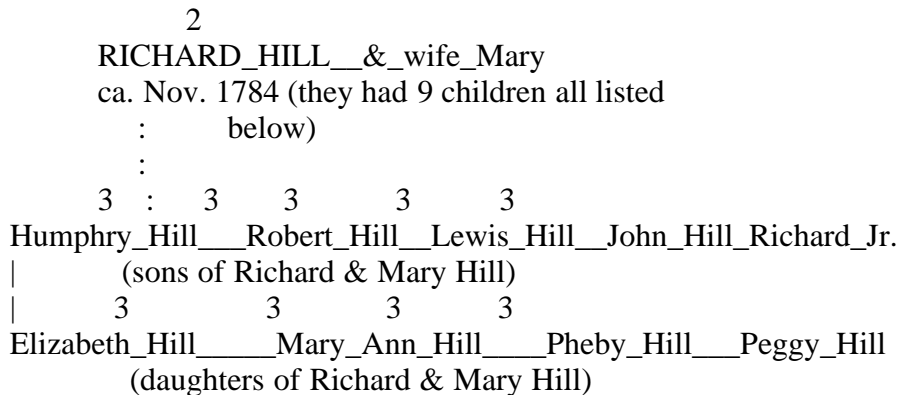
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Reference to Richard Hill...His will was wrote on 29th July 1764 and proved 20th August 1764. No wife mentioned but following named in will...Half Sister Ann Sanders, sister Mary Patterson, nephew Richard Hill, son of Brother John Hill. Brother Leonard Hill to be Executor. The fact that a Leonard Hill was named as Executor in the will (dated 1764) shows that this particular Leonard Hill was still living.

This presents a problem as his brother Leonard Hill (the 1st) had died ca. 1728-29. His nephew Leonard Hill (the 2nd) had died in 1734. Leonard Hill (the 3rd & grandson of Richard's brother Leonard Hill (the 1st) had died in 1756.

The only explanation left for this is that the word "brother" mentioned in the will of this Richard Hill, applies to the

other nephew LEONARD HILL (the 4th) who was a brother of the nephew Richard Hill named in will). Thus it appears that it was Leonard Hill (the 4th) that was the Executor named in this Richard Hill's will.



Note: This chart should be used as an aid when reviewing the different wills of Essex County and adjacent areas. Again the reader is reminded that Leonard Hill (the 4th) was the brother to this Richard Hill 2/, both being sons of John Hill

(of the 1st generation). Thus Richard Hill 2/ & Leonard Hill 2/ (known as Leonard Hill the 4th) were nephews to Leonard Hill 1/, cousins to Leonard Hill 2/ and 2nd cousins to Leonard Hill 3/.

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