

VA.060 GENEALOGICAL INFORMATION ON THE JENNINGS/HILL  
CONNECTION IN VIRGINIA.

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JENNINGS FAMILY

Peter Jennings 1/ (of Silsden, Yorkshire), Gentleman, died  
1st September 1651, leaving a Will signed on 15th July 1651:  
children:

1. Peter Jennings 2/, died 9th July 1623
2. Edmund Jennings 2/, died 4th March 1624
3. Jonathan Jennings 2/, (of Ripon) died 24 August 1649.

JONATHAN JENNINGS 2/.

Jonathan Jennings 2/ (of Ripon) married Elizabeth J. Parker,  
daughter & co-heiress of Giles Parker of Newby, York County,  
England.

children:

1. Sir Edmund Jenings 3/, of Ripon, died ca. 1687, married  
Margaret Barkman.
2. Sir Jonathan Jenings 3/, Knight of Ripon 1686/90;  
married Ann Barkman.

SIR EDMUND JENINGS (JENNINGS) 3/.

Sir Edmund Jennings 3/ of Ripon died ca. 1687, and was  
married to Margaret Barkman, daughter of Sir Edward Barkman,  
Lord Mayor of London (1621-22). She was the sister to her  
husbands wife, Ann Barkman.

Sir Edmund Jennings 3/ was a member of Parliament (1660-61;  
1678-80), for Ripon in the Reign of Charles II and James II,  
as was his brother Sir Jonathan Jennings 3/, who was knighted  
the very next day after the visitation. Other members of the  
family were Sir Robert Jenings (Jennings) of Ripon and his  
brother Sir William Jenings (Jennings), a distinguished Naval  
Officer, who followed James II, into exile, and later entered  
the French service.

Sir Edward Jennings 3/ was buried at St. Clements Church,  
Temple Bar, London (Obituary).

Following: Reference to Dugsdale's Visitations of Yorkshire,  
1665, page 202; Va. Mag. 12-308-309).

children listed in visitation:

1. Jonathan Jennings 4/, aged 10 (on) 15 August 1665 (born ca. 1655).
2. William Jennings 4/, aged 7 Anno 1665 (born ca. 1658).
3. Edmund Jennings 4/, aged 6 Anno 1665 (born ca. 1659....TWIN??)
4. Anne Jennings 4/, aged 6. (born ca. 1659..TWIN?)
5. Peter Jennings 4/, aged 1 (born ca. 1664).
6. Elizabeth Jennings 4/, (m. Sir Roger Bechwith & had Sir Marmaduke Beckwith, Bart of Virginia).
7. Mary Jennings 4/ died as infant.

A family descendent (Edmund Jennings Lee) states that many members of the Jennings family are buried in the Cathedral of Ripon, Yorkshire, England but the eldest tombstones were destroyed.

#### WILLIAM JENNINGS 4/ (OF LONDON)

From the following data it appears to confirm that this William Jennings was of the 4th generation and was a son of Sir Jonathan Jennings 3/ and his wife Ann Barkman. Sir Jonathan Jennings 3/ was a brother to Sir Edmund Jennings 3/ (father to Gov. Edmund Jennings 4/). The wife of Sir Edmund Jennings 3/ was Margaret Barkman, sister to his brother's wife, Ann Barkman.

This in turn confirms the fact that the Honorable Edmund Jennings 4/ (of Virginia) was a cousin to this particular William Jennings 4/ (of London) and who was the author of the following will. However, this does not explain just what the family connection was of this William Jennings 4/ and Colonel Peter Jennings, who had died some 29 years ago and who's estate was inherited by the above William Jennings 4/.

#### Will of William Jennings 4/.

William Jenings (Jennings) St. Giles, in the Fields, Middlesex, late of Swartha in the Parish of Kildwicke, County of York, (England), Gentleman, signed his will on 21st August 1710 and this will was proved on 29th August 1711.

In that will he mentions his wife Elizabeth and leaves the following legacy to her..."To have for life, if she so long keep (i.e. remains) my wife, all reall (real) estate at Swartha mortgaged and unmortgaged; also all of the Estate which of right appertains and belongs to me or anywise lying in the Colony of Virginia as heirs-at-law to Colonel Peter Jenings (Jennings), years ago deceased, which I empower my cousin, Edmund Jennings, Gentleman, and son of Sir Edmund, Knight of Ripon, deceased, by letter of Attorney to receive for me which I am informed he hath."

Daughters: Agnes & Jane, minors "In case my daughters die after my wife's decease, then I leave my estate to my brother."

Sister: Mary 5 L (pounds) "to my poor sister."

Brother Edmund Jenings (Jennings).. This was Sir Edmund Jennings Sr. 3/ (knight of Ripon) & the father to Governor Edmund Jennings 4/.

Executrix: wife Elizabeth Jenings (Jennings).

Comments: For Edmund Jennings 4/ to be called cousin by this William Jennings indicates that William Jennings was also of the 4th generation and his father was a brother to Sir Edmund Jennings 3/, who was Sir Jonathan Jennings 3/. Both of these brothers married sisters.

Note that Colonel Peter Jennings had been dead about 29 years prior to this will being wrote by William Jennings 4/. Also note that Sir Edmund Jennings Sr. 3/ (uncle to this William 4/) had died ca. 1687. Thus just what the relationship of Colonel Peter Jennings was to the other members of the Jennings family is not clear.

It is certain that Peter Jennings was a member of the older generation, probably the 2nd generation, since it was said that he was "Loyal" to King Charles Ist, King from 1625-1649.

### COLONEL PETER JENNINGS

Peter Jennings is spoken of as "one who faithfully served" King Charles I. Let's review a little history.

King Charles I (1600-1649) was king of England and Ireland from 1625 till 1649 and it was his reign that saw the outbreak of the English Civil War. Over the years between 1625 and 1649, several clashes with parliament occurred and finally on the 20th January 1649 Charles was tried for "high crimes against the realm of England" and on the morning of Tuesday, January 30th, 1649 he was executed. He was buried at Windsor.

Now for Peter Jennings to have served Charles I, it would appear that he would have had to have performed his service as an adult sometime between 1625 and 1649. At the death of king Charles I, he probably fled England (as did others loyal to King Charles I) and came to Virginia very shortly after 1649.

After his arrival in Virginia, Captain Peter Jennings had settled in Gloucester County, Virginia. As stated before, he was a member of the House of Burgess in March 1659-60 and

little else prior to these dates is known of him.

Colonel Peter Jennings was a member of the Burgess again in 1663 and 1666. He was a member of the Council on 20th June 1670 and on the 15th of September 1670, he was commissioned Attorney General of Virginia by King Charles II, and reappointed to the Council.

He had several land grants in the Colony of Virginia:

650 acres (on) Potomack freshes opposite Pascotoway Creek, adjacent to Captain Brent or his sons or sister; 16th October 1660, being an original grant to Henry Vincent for transportation of 3 persons, 16 September 1657.

1000 acres in Lancaster County, Virginia, 10th September 1663, original grant to Enoch Hawker (or Hawkers?) & by him deserted and since granted to Peter Jennings & Mathew Kemp by order of the Quarter Court, 25th March 1661, also for transportation of 20 persons into the colony.

100 acres to Peter Jennings & Mathew Kemp on N.W. branch of Corotman River on the mouth of the E side. This dated 10th September 1663.t

Peter Jennings married Catherine Lunsford, daughter of Thomas Lunsford. Peter Jennings died ca. 1671 or early 1672 as the Grant of Administration was made on 23rd March 1672 and the Appraisal of the Estate was made on the 7th April 1672.

After his death, his widow Catherine (Lunsford) Jennings married Ralph Wormeley Esq., of Middlesex County, Virginia

Catherine (Lundsford-Jennings) Wormeley died on the 17th May 1685 and was buried in the Chancell of the Great Church (sic).

Ralph Wormeley was a first cousin to Frances Corbin, the first wife to Virginia Governor Edmund Jennings 4/. Ralph Wormeley left a will dated 22nd February 1700 and proved 7th April 1701 in which he request his "friend & relative, Hon. Edmund Jenings Esq. to aid in the management of his Estate."

It certainly appears that Peter Jennings was a kinsman of some sort to William Jennings 4/, of London, who apparently inherited his estate. On 21 August 1710, William Jennings 4/ (of London) signed his will, which was proved on 29th August 1711.

In that will, William Jennings 4/ states he was sole heir of the Virginia estate of Colonel Peter Jennings, "years ago deceased" and he also "empowered" his cousin Edmund Jennings 4/, Gentleman, to act as attorney for him to receive what

ever he had inherited from Peter Jennings. That family connection between Peter Jennings and William Jennings 4/ (and others) is not clear. It does seem that since Edmund Jennings 4/ was called "cousin" by William Jennings 4/ (of London) that Peter Jennings was also a kinsman to Governor Edmund Jennings 4/

#### HONORABLE EDMUND JENNINGS 4/.

Edmund Jennings 4/, was born in 1659 in England and died on the 2nd of June 1727 in Virginia. He was the son of Sir Edmund Jennings 3/ and Margaret (Burkham) Jennings of Ripon, York County, England. He came to Virginia when about 21 years old, and was a member of the Bruton Parish Church near Williamsburg, Virginia.

He lived at Ripon Hall, an estate of 2000 acres in York County, Virginia, located on the York River, near Williamsburg. It was made of brick and was named after his native home "Ripon" of Yorkshire, England.

This was part of a 1750 acres tract called "Popular Neck" patented at the close of the 17th century to Major Joseph Croshaw (Crenshaw).

He took an active part in affairs of both church and state, was a liberal supporter of the Established Church; served as Attorney General from 1680 till 1692, of the King's Council from 1701 till 1727; Secretary of State 1704 till 1706 and Acting Governor from June of 1706 till August 23, 1710, again Secretary of State 1720-1722 and later again would become Acting Governor but this was set aside due to his poor health.

Governor Edmund Jennings 4/ died in 1727 and was buried beneath the Bruton Parish Church, Williamsburg, Virginia. A grave was found marked "E. J. Ju-1727." When the church was restored in 1905, a marble slab was placed near this spot and is located in the aisle of the church, in front of the altar. The inscription reads "The Hon. Edmund Jennings, Esq., son of Sir Edmund Jennings of Ripon in Yorkshire, England, was born 1659 and died in 1727."

Edmund Jennings 4/ married first to Frances Corbin, daughter of Henry Corbin, of Buckingham House, Middlesex County, Virginia. She died in London on 22nd November 1713 and is buried at St. Clements Church.

Based upon their births, it appears these were the children of Edmund Jennings 4/ and his first wife, Frances Corbin:

1. Ann Jennings 5/, died 1691.
2. Frances Jennings 5/, married Hon. Charles Grymes of Morattico, Richmond County, Virginia.

3. Elizabeth Jennings 5/, b. 1694, d. 20th January 1754, married Hon. Robert Porteus.
4. Edmund Jennings Jr. 5/, (1700-1756), married Ariana Van Der Heyden-Frisby-Bordley, a widow.
5. Priscilla Jennings 5/, married ca. 1712 WILLIAM HILL, a British Naval Officer and the 2nd son of of Marquis of Landsdowne. They had a daughter MARY HILL who in 1730 married Colonel Clement Read (1707-1763) of Bushy Forrest, Lunenburg County, Virginia.
6. Margaret Jennings 5/, married ISAAC HILL on 28th July 1708 at Christ Church. Middlesex County, Virginia. (Church Register Page 81). They had a son named William Hill, who married Priscilla Embry. Their descendents moved into Lunenburg County, Brunswick County, Virginia and then into Dulpin County, N.C.

Edmund Jennings 4/ married a 2nd time to Sarah-?. Records of the Bruton Parish Church shows that Mrs Sarah, widow of Colonel Edward (?) Jennings, Pr's't; died 1728." (Ref: Bruton Parish Register, page 141; Boddie: "Southside Virginia Families, page 281).

#### GENEALOGY OF THE ROBERT HILL 1/ FAMILY OF CULPEPER COUNTY VIRGINIA.

SOURCE: Researched by Prof. Claude Moore of Mt. Olive College.

ROBERT HILL 1/ came to Culpeper County, Virginia in 1635 and was married to -----? The only known child was Captain Isaac Hill 2/.

CAPTAIN ISAAC HILL 2/, born 1680 & died 1734. In 1704, he resided in St. Stephens Parish in King & Queen County, Virginia.

Isaac Hill 2/ married Margaret Jennings, the daughter of Colonial Governor Edmund Jennings on the 28th July 1708 at Christ Church, Middlesex County, Virginia. (See Church Register, page 81).

After his death, Margaret (Jennings) Hill, widow of Isaac Hill 2/, remarried a second time to Josias Randle and they lived in Spotsylvania County, Virginia. He (Randle) died in 1748 and she was the Admstrx of his estate (WB Book A, Page 471).

Isaac Hill 2/ was said to have been a Justice in 1714 and was a Captain in the Militia. On the 4th of May 1721, Isaac Hill, Gentleman, purchased 400 acres of land on the south branches of Polecat Creek from a Joseph Hall in King William County, Virginia (Deed Book K2, 1721-22, Page 29).

Isaac Hill 2/ later sold this same land back to Joseph Hall in King William County, said land having been held by him since 1704 (Deed Book K2, Page 17). He had made a profit of 3000 pounds of tobacco more than he originally had paid Hall for the land.

Isaac Hill 2/ died ca. 1734 because on the 13th June 1734, Clement Read, Administrator of Isaac Hill's estate brought suit against William Dillion and Margaret Hulett in Caroline County, Va. Clement Read was the son in law to Captain Isaac Hill 2/, having married his daughter, Mary Hill 3/.

Clement Read was Clerk of Court, Lunenburg County, Virginia and found among the records of that office was the following note dated October 1749 and addressed to William Hill 3/: "Dear Son, Please pay to Clement Read four pounds and you will oblige your affectionate mother. (signed) Margaret Randle." (mother of William Hill 3/ & Mary Hill 3/, wife of Clement Read, who had re-married a Randle).

Isaac Hill 2/ had a son, WILLIAM HILL 3/.

WILLIAM HILL 3/. was born 1713 and died 1799 in Virginia. He was first married to Catherine Read, the sister of Colonel Clement Read. They first settled a plantation in Brunswick, Virginia, later known as Lunenburg County Virginia. In 1765 they moved from Virginia, purchased and settled a plantation on Cedar Point N.C. Some of the business records refer to this place as being in Onslow County N.C. while others mention Cedar Point, Carteret County N.C. In 1769 William Hill 3/ obtained two more plantations in Duplin County N.C.  
children:

1. Elizabeth Hill 4/ married Burwell Lanier and had 10 children.
2. Major Hill 4/ died in 1772 unmarried.
3. John Hill 4/ married 1772 to Jane Kenan. He died 1807.
4. Isaac Hill 4/ married Elizabeth Hatch and had 9 children. He died in 1815.
5. Thomas Hill 4/ born ca. 1758, his mother died very shortly after his birth. Thomas Hill 4/ died in 1833. He was married twice, 1st to Elizabeth Allen in 1777. 2nd marriage was in 1781 to Frances Smith of Maryland and said to be quite wealthy.

WILLIAM HILL 3/ remarried a 2nd time to a widow MRS. PRISCILLA (WILKINSON) EMBRY.

Listed are their children:

1. Joseph Hill 4/ born 1760 died 1810 married Margaret Wallace, who was the niece of Col. John Starky, Treasure of North Carolina Province.
2. Priscilla Hill 4/ born 1762/3 married Miles Williams and had 8 children.

William Hill 3/ moved back to Brunswick County, Virginia,

where his second wife died. After the death of his 2nd wife,

WILLIAM HILL 3/ deed gifted his son Isaac Hill 4/ the Cedar Point Plantation and sons John & Thomas Hill 4/ received the lands in Duplin County N.C.

WILLIAM HILL 3/ then returned to Virginia, where in 1790 he married a 3rd time to SARAH LANIER, but he had no children by this 3rd marriage. After William Hill died, his 3rd wife, Sarah Lanier Hill, married Thomas Trice and they lived in Orange County, N.C. where she died in 1811.

Information on children of William Hill 3/.

1. ELIZABETH HILL 4/ and her husband Burwell Lanier settled in Anson County N.C..

    Their children were:

    William Lanier 5/, Clement Lanier 5/, Isaac Lanier 5/, Thomas Lanier 5/, Fanny Lanier 5/, Martha Lanier 5/, Elizabeth Lanier 5/, Sarah Lanier 5/, Nancy Lanier 5/ & Catherine Lanier 5/.

2. JOHN HILL 4/ & Jane Kenan, daughter of Honorable Felix Kenan of Duplin County N.C. had the following children:

    Felix Kenan Hill 5/, Catherine Hill 5/, Sarah Hill 5/, John Hill Jr. 5/, James Kenan Hill 5/, Ann Elizabeth Hill 5/, Edward Blackmore Hill 5/ and William Kenan Hill 5/.

3. ISAAC HILL 4/ and wife Elizabeth Hatch of Cedar Point

    N.C. children were: John Hatch Hill 5/ Buckner Hill 5/, Ivy Hill 5/, William Hill 5/, Hatch Hill 5/, Edward Hill 5/, Mary Hill 5/, Didama Hill 5/ and Permilla Hill 5/.  
    These were the Hills of Newport N.C.

4. JOSEPH HILL 4/ and Margaret Wallace had these children:

    William Starky Hill 5/, Thomas Holt Hill 5/ Elizabeth Ann Hill 5/ and Margaret Hill 5/.

5. PRISCILLA HILL 4/ and her husband Miles Williams had

    these children: William Williams 5/, Henry Williams 5/, Miles Williams 5/, Mary Williams 5/, Joseph Williams 5/, John Williams 5/, Sarah Williams 5/ and Elizabeth Ann Williams 5/.

6. THOMAS HILL 4/ and his wives lived in Duplin County N.C.

    It appears that his children were by his 2nd wife, Francis Smith, a daughter of Cuthbert & Elizabeth Smith. Thomas Hill 4/ was a prosperous planter (farmer) and slave holder. He owned 2,099 acres of land and 46 slaves. The children were: Elizabeth Chamberlayne Hill 5/, born 1782, William Lanier Hill 5/, Catherine Hill 5/, Thomas Hill Jr. 5/, who died 1861, John Smith Hill 5/, and Buckner L. Hill 5/.

Elizabeth Chamberlayne Hill 5/ was born 1782, married 1798 to David Wright of Duplin County N.C. She died 1841. children were: Thomas Wright 6/, John Wright 6/, March Wright 6/, Rebecca Wright 6/, Martha Wright 6/, David Wright 6/, Isaac Wright 6/, Elizabeth Wright 6/ and Catherine Ann Wright 6/, died 1828. She married in 1805 to Lewis Dickson and they had 2 daughters, Martha Dickson 7/ and Elizabeth Dickson 7/..

Thomas Hill Jr. 5/ was a doctor and married Frances Jernigan and they lived on their plantation near Scott's Store in Duplin County N.C. Children were: Spaight Hill 6/, Dr. Calhoun Hill 6/, Warburton Hill 6/, Antoninette Hill 6/ and Buckner L. Hill 6/.

GENERAL William Lanier Hill 6/ was born 1785, married 1809 to Ann Dudley, daughter of Colonel Christopher Dudley & wife Margaret Snead. She was sister to Governor Edward Dudley of North Carolina. William & wife Ann settled on a plantation on New River called "Cedar Point." This was in Onslow County N.C.

In 1814 William Lanier Hill 6/ was Commissioned as a Major in the N.C. Militia and continued to be promoted until he was a Brigadier General in 1822. In 1823 he sold his holdings in Onslow County and returned to Duplin County N.C., where he inherited land, he also purchased more land. Not only was he a very successful planter but was also a producer of Naval Stores. William Hill 6/ died in 1860.

children:

1. Robert Dudley Hill 7/ b. 1809=d. 1817.
2. Christopher Dudley Hill 7/, b. 1811-d. 1816.
3. Col. Edward Dudley Hill 7/, b. 1813 d. 1838.  
He attended University of N.C.
4. Christopher Dudley Hill 7/, b. 1817 d.1874. His older brother Christopher died young and another was named after his.

Colonel Christopher Dudley Hill 9/ he inherited his grandfather's plantation. He was a lawyer, banker and mayor of Warsaw, N.C. He was commissioned as Colonel in the Confederate Home Guard in 1865 when General A.H. Terry and the Union Army were in the vicinity of Faison, N.C. and they made their headquarters at his home. This genealogy is somewhat confused in it's original state but it appears that Col. Hill 9/ was married 3 times. His 1st wife seems to have been a Mary Hicks and it appears that they had following children:

- A. James Hicks Hill 10/ (1859-1897). He m. Josephine Carney and was a lawyer and judge of Marion County Fla.

son:

Captain James Hick Hill 11/, b. 1897 d. 1957.

B. Mary Faison Hill 10/, (1861-1896) married Henry McDonald? Robinson, a lawyer of Fayetteville, N.C. They had 2 daughter:

A. Mrs. Katherine McDonald?? Everett, a lawyer of Durham, N.C.

B. Mrs. Elizabeth H. Fort, of Raleigh, N.C. both living in 1969.

After the death of his first wife, Colonel Christopher Dudley Hill 9/ remarried the second time to the sister of his deceased wife. Her name was Elizabeth Williams Hicks.

Elizabeth gave birth to two sons....

John Van Sickel Hill 10/, who died young.

Robert Dudley Hill 10/, b. 1869-d. 1939.

His 3rd wife appears to have been Mary Lou Brown. They were married in 1855??. They had two sons.

Dudley Brown Hill 10/

John Bright Hill 10/.

5. Thomas H. Hill 7/ b. 1818 d. 1820.

6. Margaret Dudley Hill 7/ b. 1821 d. 1867. She married in 1841 to Wentworth W. Peirce. He was one of the engineers who helped build the Wilmington & Weldon Railroad (later called Seaboard Railroad & still later merged into the Seaboard Coast Line).

children:

a. Ann Elizabeth Peirce 8/ b. 1842- d. 1920 m. Mr. Taylor.e

b. William Edward Peirce 8/ b.1844 d. 1891

c. Wentworth W. Peirce 8/ b. 1845 d. 1851

d. Thomas Buckner Peirce 8/ b. 1847 d. 1912

m. Sallie E. Faison. Thomas Buckner Peirce & Sallie his wife, lived on their plantation called "Peirceville" located 2 miles west of Warsaw, N.C. and the home was still standing in 1969. Children:

i. Margaret 9/ m. Mr. Orme.

ii. Thomas Buckner Peirce Jr. 9/.

iii. James Peirce 9/.

iv. Christopher Dudley Peirce 9/.  
(retired Col U.S. Army).

v. Isham Peirce 9/.

vi. Martha Winfred Peirce 9/ m. Mr. Best.

vii. Christopher Hill Peirce 8/, b. 1848 and he d. in 1893.d.

In 1969 some members of the above group (Mrs. Sallie Faison, Mrs Ann Hines Shewbrooks Stafford and Mr. John Miller were

living in Washington D.C.

7. Robert Dudley Hill 7/ (2nd son with this name)  
born 1823 d. 1824.
8. Frances Catherine Hill 7/ b. 1826 d. 1826.
9. William Edward Hill 7/ b. 1829 d. 1900.
10. John Smith Hill 7/ b. 1837 d. 1856.

William Edward Hill 7/ was the son of General William Lanier Hill 6/. William Edward Hill 7/ graduated from the University of North Carolina in 1849 where he studied law and was admitted to the bar in 1851. He represented Duplin County in the Legislature of 1851-1852. He was a Trustee of the University in 1868-1899. He was a planter and merchant. He owned 1,600 acres of land in 1860 (600 acres improved) and 55 slaves. (Ref: 1860 Census). In 1853 he married Francis Diana Faison (1831-1916). She was daughter of Isham & Sallie (Thomson) Faison.

Frances attended school at Warrenton Academy. They first settled on a plantation 2 miles east of Faison and later moved to Faison, N.C.

children:

1. Emily Howard Hill 8/ (1855-1925) unmarried.
2. Edward John Hill 8/ (1857-1927) Graduated in 1878 from the University of N.C. and was Counsel at Montivideo, Urguary 1837-1890. He married Beatrice Raynor.

children:

- a. Dr. Christopher Dudley Hill 9/.
- b. Virginia Faison Hill 9/, died unmarried.
- c. Sallie Faison Hill 9/.
- d. John Smith Hill 9/, died young.
- e. John Sprunt Hill 9/, was dead in 1969.

Dr. Christopher Dudley Hill 9/ son of Edward John Hill 8/, was born in 1861, attended the University of N.C. in 1881 and in 1888 received his M.D. Degree from the University of Virginia. He married Robena Rector and they lived in Jersey City N.J.

children:

- i. William Frances Hill 10/.
- ii. Majorie Martin Hill 10, m. Reynolds.

John Sprunt Hill 9/ son of Edward John Hill 8/, was born in 1869, graduated from University of N.C. in 1889, was principal of Faison High School 1890-1891. Studies law at the University of N.C. & Columbia University, He was a lawyer in N.Y. 1894-1903. He was also a banker, member of the N.C. Highway Commission, a State Senator 1935?-1937, and served in the U.S. Army. He married in 1899 to Annie Louise Watts, daughter of George Watts. They removed from N.Y. in 1903 back to N.C.

children:

i. George Watts Hill 10/.

ii. Mrs. Laura Valinda Hill 10/, m. Dubose.

iii. Dr. Frances Faison Hill 10/, m. Fox \*\*

\*\* Note\*\* Watts Hospital of Durham, N.C. was founded by this family.

Buckner L. Hill 6/ was born 1800 and died 1860. He married Ann Maria (Rhodes) Ward, daughter of General James Rhodes & widow of Edward Ward. Buckner Hill 6/ was a wealthy planter and a physician. His wife Maria is buried in the Old Wayneboro Cemetery near Goldsboro, N.C. He built his first home west of Mount Olive (said to be very nice) and later built a handsome house southeast of Faison, N.C. near his father's home. Both were still standing in 1969.

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