

Essex Co., VA Whitlock

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I'm looking for information on a Mary Whitlock. I have two records for her: she witnessed a deed of gift to Hannah Davis from Hannah's mother, Jane Munday on May 3, 1784. The second is a court record re the estate of her brother. This record states that Mary was a Munday before marriage--so I'm assuming her marriage to a Whitlock was her first and only marriage. It also states her daughter was Ann Jones and I believe that Ann's husband was James W. Jones. I'm awaiting a record for Ann and James dated July, 1827 in Essex Co. Does anyone have any information on this line? Any help appreciated.

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Thanks so much! This will answer some questions and bring up more. Good thing I just got more ink for the printer-LOL!

I didn't think there were any descendants from the Old Rappa Whitlocks-as you mention; they just seem to die out.

I was also going to mention that I have information on a Thomas Whitlock in Surry Co., NC who married Margaret Bryson. To give you a little info on this, Margaret Bryson was the daughter of John Bryson Jr and his wife, Margaret. Here birthdate is reported to have been May 11, 1765. John Bryson Jr. (and many people have it incorrect-and don't listen when you try to tell them) was the son of John Bryson of Orange Co., VA. Previously, this John Bryson had been living in Essex Co. This should prove that relationship:

In the name of God Amen, I John Bryson of the Parish of St. Thomas in Orange County being in health and sound memory, praise be to Almighty God for the same but calling to mind the uncertainty of human life do make and appoint this my Last Will & Testament in writing as followeth to wit I give and bequeath my sould to God that gave it in hopes to receive the same again at ressurection of the great day and my body to the earth to be buryed in a Decent Manner at the discretion of my executors hereafter named. Item I give and bequeath to my son John Bryson all the estate worldly estate which I am possessed with paying my daughter Mary Hackett five pounds current money of Virginia on demand after my decease. Item my will is that my estate after my decease shall remain in my son John Bryson's hands there to remain without being sold or disposed of in any shape, paying my lawful debts. Item I do hereby appoint my beloved wife Ann Bryson and my son John Bryson to be my joint executors in this my last will and Testament and I do hereby disanul and make void all other former wills and legacies whatsoever this 15th day of November 1755. (Mark)

Wit: W. Bell, Alexander Steward, Matthew Davis

At a court held for Orange County on Thursday the 25th day of October 1770 this last will and Testament of John Bryson deced. was produced into court by John Bryson executor therein named and proved by the oath of Wm. Bell and Matthew Davis two of the witnesses thereunto and ordered to be recorded and on the motion of the said executor who made oath according to law therefore is granted him for obtaining of Probate thereof in due form he giving bond and security whereupon he with William Bell & Matthew Davis his securities \_\_\_ and acknowledge their bond for the same in the sum of L100.

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Know all men that I John Bryson of Surry County and State of North Carolina Planter for good causes made and appointed my trusty friend Henry Oston of Albermarle County Commonwealth of Virginia gentleman, my true and lawful attorney to sell in open market all that site of land in the County of Orange and State of Virginia on the Waters of Linches River as if I the sd John Bryson Senr. was present follow such legal courses for receiving debts due me by Bonds Notes of hands or open Accompts and in my name all things necessary touching and concerning the premises..this 15thd day of Novr 1791.Wit:Thomas Davis, James Early, Nathan Mallory  
Deed Abstracts of Orange County, VA Apr 25, 1791-Dec 28, 1795, Ruth and Sam Sparacio  
(Antient Press)

Abst: John Bryson Sept 8, 1804, Surrey Co., NC Dau Ann Bryson to have home plantation, mare Fanny. Daughter Sarah Bryson to have L50 Virginia Currency, horse Buck. Daughter Margaret Whitlock to have L20 Virginia currency. Dau. Elizabeth Word to have L25 Virginia Currency. children of my daughter Mary Cox. Sons: not named

Will Executors were Thomas Whitlock, James Bryson, & Capt John Bryson

John Bryson Sr. m Ann Meador (Moss) in Essex County. She was the widow of Richard Meador. She had been named executor of Richard's estate and following the court records, it shows that John Bryson became administrator which he could not have done unless he married Ann. There are other court records in which one of Richard and Ann's sons brings suit against John and Ann for part of the estate-mostly, just in the court order books but enough to verify this marriage.

I don't have any information on this Thomas Whitlock in Surry Co. unless there is something in the information you sent.

To respond to your comment re the fact that you were surprised that the children were referred to as "orphans". Children in the older records were always referred to as "orphans" whether their mother was living or not--as long as they were under the age of 21.

I'm quit sure I can add a little bit for you-maybe not directly re the Whitlocks but with some side info that might help. Let me go through the information you sent and check my database and see if I can come up with anything. I'll get back to you as soon as I can.

Thank you so much for the information. It is GREATLY appreciated.

Jean

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Part of the family contested Micajah Munday's will. I can do a lot more explaining re the Mundays if you wish but this is the part that will concern you the most:

In a Court of Quarterly Session continued and held for Essex County at the Courthouse in Tappahannock on the 22nd day of May 1832. This writing purposing to be the last will and Testament of Micajah Munday decd was this day produced in Court by Francis Munday, Thomas Munday, Richard Motley and Benjamin H. Munday and Sally his wife in order to be proved and Ann Jones daughter of Mary Whitlock who before marriage was Mary Munday a sister of the said Micajah Munday, Molley Allen who was Molley Munday a niece of said Micajah Munday, Thomas Allen, Lucy Allen who before her marriage was Lucy Munday, Lewis Munday and Thomas Allen Jr nieces and nephews of the said Micajah Munday decd appeared and opposed the proof the said will whereupon divers witnesses were sworn and examined and the parties aforesaid by their Counsel fully record..on consideration whereof it is the opinion of the Court that the said Micajah Munda at the time of making and executing the writing aforesaid dated the 14th day of November 1831 was of sound and disposing mind and memory and that he was under no undue influence....."

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