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ID: I335948

Name: Hugh White

Sex: M

Birth: ABT 1671 in Ireland

Death: 1741 in Neshaminy, Chester, PA

Note:

"Old Hugh" White

"Hugh White, apparently a prisoner captured at the Jacobite Rebellion at Preston in Lancashire in 1715 was sent as an indentured servant on the ship "Good Speed" out of Liverpoole, England to the Maryland Colony, arriving at Annapolis on October 18, 1716. He was indentured to serve for seven years. His service was purchased by a Daniel Bryant. This is very likely the reason that his brother, Moses White, waited until 1722 to re-unite the family in Pennsylvania. Most, but not all, Jacobites were Catholic rebels who were trying to restore King James to the throne. "

"The new-comers from Ireland have been received on letters of attestation and have been chosen as elders...Haw Wite (Hugh White) and his wife, Moses Wite (Moses White) by profession, 1722, the second day of September." (Dutch Reformed Church of Neshaminy, Bucks County, Pennsylvania, Pennsylvania Vital Records, Vol. 1-3: p. 119-120) "

In 1725, Hugh and his wife Isabella were living in Donegal Township, Chester Co., Pennsylvania (later Dauphin Co.). In 1726, Hugh moved to Mount Joy

and settled on Little Chickaslunga Creek in the Susquehanna River Valley. He received a land grant of 300 acres on 20 Dec 1738 in Lancaster Co., Pennsylvania, and probably died shortly after the purchase. (Email Address: rrmcgc@aol.com)

" (now the Little Chickies Creek at the eastern border of Mt. Joy, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania) " His land was near the place where the old Lancaster-Harrisburg Pike crosses the Little Chigkies Creek.

"Early Settlers in the Donegal Region"

"The list is not complete ... Patrick Campbell, James Cunningham, Joseph Cloud, James Couch, Daniel Clark, Widow Dunning, John and Thomas Mitchell, Ephraim Moore, James Smith, and Joseph Work in 1720; John Taylor in 1721; Robert, James and John Allison, Gordon Howard, Thomas Howard, Alexander Hutchison, William Maybee, Richard McFarland, Robert Monday, John Maris, James Kyle, and Hugh White, in 1722; "

"Hugh White resided along Little Chiques creek, near the Paxtang road. He left sons Hugh, John Henry, and Moses. One of his sons was Col. Hugh White, of the West Branch valley, in the Revolutionary War."

"Ulsterites or Scotch-Irish passing beyond the Quaker and German settlements to the region later constituted as Donegal township, and to the southern townships, commonly described as the "Lower End", between the years 1715 and 1720; and the Welch settling in Caernarvon township from about 1718."

"These and other causes led the citizens of this neighborhood in the winter of 1728-29 to take the first steps to form a new county. They began work by circulating a petition throughout the neighborhood, setting forth that, by reason of their great distance from the county town, where the Courts are held, offices kept and annual elections made, they are under great inconvenience, being obliged to travel 100 miles to recover debts,--" Alex White, Moses White, Jno. White, Hugh White, Pat Campbell, Thos. Edwards, David Jones, Charles Jones, Henry Jones, Francis Jones, Saml. Jones, Morgan Jones, and Jacob Lawson were among those that signed the petition. (H. M. J. Klein, Ph.D., "Lancaster County, Pennsylvania -- A

History ", Lewis Historical Publishing Co., Inc. 1924;
Vol. I, p. 16-19,103, 109.)

* The Patrick Campbell above may have been related to Mary Campbell, wife of Moses White, and Jane Campbell, wife of Isaac White, both sons of 'Old' Hugh White.

** Was Jacob Lawson above related to Sarah Lawson, who also was married to Isaac White, son of Moses White and grandson of 'Old' Hugh White?

*** Was Thos. Edwards above related to the Edwards that married Jane White, daughter of 'Old' Moses White, or the Eleanor Lawson that married "Old" Moses White?

**** Were the Jones above related to the Hugh Jones that married Lydia White in North Carolina?

Senator John McCain descends from this family.

Father: Adam White b: ABT 1627 in Inveraray, on Loch Fyne, Argyll, Scotland

Marriage 1 Jane <Unknown> b: in Ireland

- *Married:* ABT 1698 in Ireland

Children

1. Hugh White , Jr. b: ABT 1698 in Ireland
2. Moses White b: AFT 1698 in Ireland
3. Henry White b: ABT 1703 in Ireland
4. Isaac White b: ABT 1706 in Ireland
5. John White b: ABT 1706 in Ireland

Marriage 2 Isabella <Unknown> b: in Ireland

- *Married:* BEF 1725 in Ireland

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