

Descendants of Andrew Hampton

Generation No. 1

1. ANDREW¹ HAMPTON was born Abt. 1716 in Orange County, Virginia, and died Aft. 1775 in St. George's Parish, Georgia. He married SARAH in Buncombe County, North Carolina.

Notes for ANDREW HAMPTON:

Andrew is most likely descended from the Hamptons of New Jersey and more specifically of the Scottish immigrant, John Hampton (born 1645) and immigrated to Freehold, NJ in 1683 on the ship Exchange. It seems very likely that Andrew may be the son of John Hampton (d. 1748 in VA). The truth is, that we haven't yet been able to conclusively document the father of Andrew. Andrew is likely a brother to the John Hampton (d. 1751, VA). - the proof is not conclusive that John, Jr., and Andrew were the sons of John Hampton, Sr (2).

"OCTOBER, 1734: The earliest valid record date found relating to Andrew Hampton shows on Virginia land records for October 3, 1734, as a joint patentee with Benjamin Borden and David Griffith for a grant of 1122 acres west of the Sherrando (Shenandoah) River, in the area to become part of Orange County. The land patented to the three parties was theirs "to hold or co-hold, yielding and paying rents as provided." The tract was adjacent to the land of Edward Maloy, was on the south side of Bullskin Run and Bullskin Marsh, (would show today to the north of Berryville, Virginia) north of Winchester near Summit Point, West Virginia.... Benjamin Borden, an early land speculator in the Valley was probably the senior partner to this patent.

1734 - Orange County formed from Spotsylvania.

In 1746 and 1747, John Hampton Sr. sold most of what he still owned and deeded the rest to his sons George and Thomas, reportedly in order to protect those holdings against lawsuit. After that he disappeared from the records. Since he was into his upper sixties by then, it is believed he died about 1748.

Andrew's reported children were: Ezekeil (named in deed book D page 42), Ephraim (named in deed book D page 43), John (named with Andrew on the 1764 Tax List also identified as Ephraim's brother by Menucan Hunt, NC Secretary of State, NC Archives Micro film #Z.5.147N), a Daughter married to Joseph King (Joseph King was listed on the 1765 tax list with Andrew), Zacharia (proven to be Ephraim's brother by NC land entries for title), David - no documentation found and Joseph (found in family of GA descendants).

Thursday, March 27, 1737, Orange County, Virginia Court Order Book shows that Andrew Hampton was made Constable at Opeckon in the room of Thomas Low. Opeckon at the time was about where Winchester, Virginia is today. Orange County included the area at that date.

Ezekiel (son of Andrew) sold a tract of land August 4, 1760. Lee Albright and Helen F. M. Leary point out in the first chapter of "North Carolina Research," a man could own land in colonial N.C. before he was twenty-one, but he couldn't sell it until he came of age. From the early tax lists and Ezekiel's first land sale it is logical to conclude Ephraim was born about 1737 and Ezekiel about 1739.

On July 27, 1738 George Thurston appointed Constable in the room of Andrew Hampton, Orange County Court Order Book. Thus there was a one-year term for the appointment of Andrew Hampton as Constable. 1738, Orange County Court Orders cite Andrew Hampton and some sixty other settlers in a suit brought by one William William, an early dissenting minister in the area.

1743, Andrew Hampton, "of Brunswick County" deeds 200 acres in Frederick County, Virginia to Benjamin Borden of Frederick.

Augusta and Frederick Counties were formed in 1738 from Orange County.

Andrew left Frederick County at about the time Noah moved his mill westward to the Cacapon River. On the deed selling his last Frederick lands, he is described as being of Brunswick County.

By 1740, Andrew shows on land records in Brunswick County, Virginia south of the Roanoke River. In 1743, Andrew Hampton of Brunswick sells land in Frederick County, formerly Orange County. By 1746, Brunswick County had been divided to form the new County of Lunenburg. Lunenburg Deed Book shows

for March 3, 1746, Andrew Hampton and his wife Sarah selling for 40 pounds Virginia money to Field Jefferson, tract of 150 acres next to Ephraim Parham land. This tract is the same as bought from George King in 1740 by Andrew Hampton, the tract then in Brunswick.

In 1741, Andrew bought land in Brunswick County from George and Susannah King. The King family was much involved with the Hamptons, but the extent is not yet known. A John Hampton sold Northern VA land to Robert King in 1717. Joseph King operated a mill on Andrew Hampton's NC land about 1750. Joseph King is listed as Andrew Hampton's son (son-in-law) on Granville County tax lists. Joseph King and Andrew Hampton later (1765) migrated together to Georgia.

JANUARY 17, 1743: 200 acres to Borden was to be divided from land David Griffith had bought from John Hampton "Juner"; and marked as the division between Andrew Hampton and David Griffith; along Worthington line to Borden line. The possession of 500 acres by Borden is, "by virtue of a bargain to him thereof made by the said Andrew Hampton for one whole year of indenture," quitrents payable to the King. This John Hampton, Jr. would be the same as with the 1751 will which named wife Lydia, brother Thomas and sons John, David, Andrew and William (a minor).

Research done by Dr. J.L. Miller also notes the relationship of this Andrew to John and Thomas.There lived in Brunswick County prior to 1750 three brothers named Andrew, John and Thomas Hampton, as is shown by the records of Frederick County.. January 16, 1743, Andrew Hampton, of Brunswick County, sold to Benjamin Borden 200 acres of land in Frederick County. Deed mentions brother John Hampton, who owned adjoining land. John Hampton mentioned as brother of Andrew, was living in Frederick, May 6, 1747, when he sold cattle to Ralph Humphries. SOURCE: Hampton Family of Virginia, North & South Carolina & Kentucky by Dr. J.L. Miller - 1916.

The land Andrew bought from the Kings was on the Roanoke River where the Great Occaneechee Trading Path crossed the river. It is possible he operated a ferry, because the next owner, Thomas Jefferson's uncle, had a ferry on the property. The land was in the part of Brunswick, which later became Lunenburg, then Mecklenburg. Andrew sold the Roanoke River property to Field Jefferson (Thomas's uncle) in 1746.

Andrew's first land in Granville Co, NC was near where the Trading path crossed the Tar River. In total, Andrew bought about two thousand acres of Granville land, mostly for speculation. He gave property each to his sons Ephraim and Ezekiel, but sold most of the rest. There was a mill on the land he kept for his home. He operated a tavern, and seems to have supplied other tavern keepers. At one point he had enough food on hand to feed 146 Indians for a week, not an insignificant amount.

The 1761 tax list includes son Ephraim as a head of household, son Ezekiel as a head of household. plus Andrew Hampton and son John in a separate household with two tithables. Apparently the Hampton boys became heads of household when they turned twenty-one. Ezekiel was also Constable, responsible for a part of the 1761 list. John is shown as head of household for the first time on the 1766 tax list. It seems safe to assume John was born about 1745.

MARCH 3, 1746: Andrew Hampton and wife Sarah show in Lunenburg County, Virginia Deed Book as transferring land by sale to Field Jefferson, land next to Ephraim Parham. Lunenburg formed in 1746 from Brunswick County, Virginia. The Lunenburg Court ordered two Justices to go to Sarah Hampton to get her acknowledgement to the sale because, "Sarah the wife of said Andrew Hampton, cannot conveniently travel to our county court of Lunenburg to make acknowledgement of the said conveyance."

It should be noted that one Joseph Hampton was born about 1746. Perhaps the reason Sarah could not come to court? [Joseph Hampton (Andrew 1) was born 1746, and died about 1803 in Jefferson County, Georgia.

He is reported as moving to Georgia about 1769, and later appears in the 1801 Tax Digest of Jefferson County, Georgia with one slave, and 200 acres, according to Hines-Hampton and Allied Families of Georgia and Florida, Frances Hines Kolner, 1997, Anundsen Publishing Co., Decorah, Iowa, p. 51.]

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The Andrew Hampton home place in Granville was along the old Trading Path (by then a road) about a mile and a half west of where the Trading Path crossed the Tarr River a short distance upstream from the present crossing of Interstate 85. A short time before the Revolution the area became part of the Oxford District of Granville County. Andrew bought the property, 400 acres on both sides of Indian Fields Creek, from John Addcock 4 March 1752.

The Granville Militia Regiment under Colonel William Eaton in 1754 shows eight companies, with Captain Hampton commanding Company #8, with 60 men. John Adcock shows as the Lieutenant in the company, with Ephraim Hampton as Ensign. Ephraim was a son of the Captain Andrew Hampton. A map of the area for this period shows Hampton Creek and Adcock's Creek, at the head of the Tar River.

In 1756 a license was granted to Andrew Hampton to keep an "ordinary on his plantation bought from John Addock.... wherein Andrew promised, "to provide good, wholesome and cleanly lodging & diet for travelers"...In 1764 when he moved to Ledge of Rocks he again was granted a license for an "ordinary"....

Reverend McAden, a Baptist minister traveling across Granville, wrote in his diary that, "he had spent the night of 21 April 1756 at Captain Hampton's."

...Andrew lived on the original track until almost 1764. A bond he gave in 1764 refers to his plantation, which had formerly belonged to John Addcock. In 1764 he move to land he bought a short distance farther out the Trading Path at Ledge of Rocks....

.....Tax Lists for Granville give good clues about the ages of Andrew's children. According to N.C. law white males 16 years of age or over, and black males and females 12 old or older were subject to an annual head tax. Andrew's name first appears on the 1753 list, written separately at the side of the page, perhaps as if he had been a latecomer to Granville, arriving after the list was made but before the books were closed. The 1753 tax list does offer some indication that none of Andrew's male children were 16 or over in 1753, since only Andrew, one tithable, was listed in that year. The next year, 1754, "Hampton Andrew and son Ephraim" are named, two tithables. In 1758, the next surviving list with Hamptons on it, Ephraim is listed as head of a separate household, one tithable, next to Andrew Hampton and Ezekiel Hampton in the same household, two tithables.The 1761 tax list includes Ephraim as a head of household, Ezekiel as a head of household, plus Andrew Hampton and son John in a separate household with two tithables. Joseph King, Andrew's son-in-law, is a part of Andrew's household on the 1762, 1764 and 1765 lists. From the fairly regular schedule of births in the family, one might guess Andrew's daughter, Mrs. Joseph King, was born after Ezekiel and before John. After 1765, neither Andrew Hampton nor Joseph King show up by name on the Granville lists. Taxables for Granville Co, NC. Provide by Roberta Rose & James Foster.

It should be noted that the term "son-in-law" is ambiguous during these times - It could mean a stepson also, as in a second family for Andrew. While no record has been found for the death of Sarah, many have speculated that she died around 1746-1748. Thus Andrew could have taken a new bride and she may have had children and/or they may have had additional children. As noted in Andrew's 1769 application for a land grant in GA, "he had been living in GA for 4 years with his wife and 2 minor children."

In 1758 this Andrew was selected, along with Robert Harris, as one of twelve vestrymen for the new Parish of Granville, which included all of the present Granville and Vance counties. Before the Revolution, when the Church of England was the state church, vestrymen were the authority for many of what today are considered civil matters, such as marriage, disputes and divorce.

MARCH 1760: Andrew Hampton got 1119 acres in two grants located on Tarr River and Mill Creek, Oxford vicinity of Granville County, North Carolina.

In a 1760 Granville County gift deed, "For and in consideration of the natural love and affection which he beareth unto his son Ezekiel Hampton and for the better support and maintenance of him," Andrew Hampton gave Ezekiel 200 acres of land. The land was part of a larger tract on the north side of Indian Field Creek that had been granted to John Adcock on April 29, 1754. On the same date and by the same style gift deed, the son Ephraim got 400 acres, on the south side of the Tarr River, at the Griggs corner, part of a larger tract granted to Andrew Hampton March 11, 1760. The necessary consideration in the deed to Ephraim was the same as that for Ezekiel except the word "support" was missing. Zachariah Hampton (c.1745 - 9/8/1781) was another son of Andrew Hampton, brother to Ezekiel and Ephraim. These dates from the DAR Patriot Index, show him deceased just before the surrender at Yorktown by the British on October 19, 1781. Descendants of Zachariah show him married to Mary Knowland, daughter of Edward Knowland, who left his will in Granville County on September 22, 1794.

The Granville will of Minus Griggs (October 1760) bears the signatures and witnesses of Andw Hampton-Jurat; Ephraim Hampton and William Berry-Jurat. Note the style signature for And(w) Hampton on the Griggs will. The same style shows on the deeds to Ezekiel and Ephraim and in numerous later documents, including the 1805 will in Rutherford. Earlier Orange County Virginia records show the presence there of Minus and John Griggs around 1741. A son of Ezekiel and grandson of Andrew Hampton, by name of Andrew Hampton (1765-1861), came to the New River area of Virginia around 1785; the area became

Grayson County, Virginia in 1793. This younger Andrew had married Sarah Griggs, the widow of John Grigs, who was one of the sons mentioned in the 1760 Griggs will.....

Andrew Hampton and 36 other settlers from Granville, with 19 settlers from Edgecomb, petition for the repeal of the tax on free Negroes in 1763.

Andrew had been a militia Captain at least since 1754, which is the date of the earliest militia muster roll showing his name, but he had resigned his commission before the 1763 muster roll was drawn up. If Andrew were born as early as 1710, he would have been 53 years old.

JANUARY 10, 1767: This is the latest date for a land entry found in Granville for Andrew Hampton, he deeded 200 acres to son Ezekiel having obtained the same land on the same date by deed from Henry McCulloch, Esq.

On the deed of sale for his last Granville land, Andrew is noted as "being in the Province of Georgia." Other deeds indicate that Joseph King, Andrew's son-in-law and Ezekiel went to Georgia at the same time (1765), although Ezekiel returned shortly thereafter. Granville, NC Deeds H-279 and H-476 (1765) show both Andrew Hampton and Joseph King "in the Province of GA."

In 1769, Andrew Hampton applied for a land grant in Georgia along the Altamaha River, stating he had lived in Georgia for four years along with his wife and two minor children (Georgia Headright Grants Book F.5, pages 470, 473) Source: JW Foster.

One of these minors could have been Zachariah. The other one could well have been the son Joseph mention, born about 1746. An Andrew Hampton owned land along the Altamaha around 1810. That Andrew Hampton was the son of Joseph Hampton (most likely the son of this Andrew). It is probable that Andrew died in Georgia, but no record of his death has been located. The connection between NC - Andrew Hampton and the GA - Andrew Hampton has not conclusively been proven and further research is needed.

LOCATION: English Crown Grants in the Parishes St David, St Patrick, St Thomas and St Mary in Georgia 1755-1775 - - - - Williams, William -- 300 acres, St. David Parish, Granted July 2, 1771 - Grant Book I, page 376. Bounded on the southwest by Andrew Hampton, southeast by a marsh.

English Crown Grants in the Parishes St David, St Patrick, St Thomas and St Mary in Georgia 1755-1775 - - - - Hampton, Andrew -- 300 acres, St. David Parish, Granted April 2, 1771 - Grant Book I, page 284. Bounded on the southeast by salt marsh. This is the last known record for Andrew at the moment.

A part of St. George's parish became Jefferson County, GA. Andrew Hampton of Granville NC moved to St. George's Parish, GA as noted above in about 1765-69. ".....For the next three generations, his descendants pushed up the Altamahaw River. When Laurens County, GA was established about 1830, Andrew Hampton (son of Andrew Y. Hampton) was already running a mill on a tributary of the Altamahaw."

Children of ANDREW HAMPTON and SARAH are:

2.
 - i. EPHRIAM H. HAMPTON² SR., b. Abt. 1737, North Carolina; d. January 18, 1813, Rowan County, North Carolina.
 - ii. EZEKIEL HAMPTON, b. Abt. 1739, Orange County, Va; d. 1811, Jacks Creek, North Carolina; m. JANE (JENNY) SARAH GRIGGS, Abt. 1755, Old Grandville County, North Carolina.

Notes for EZEKIEL HAMPTON:

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Ezekiel and Jane probably moved to the forks of the Yadkin River north of Salisbury just before the Revolution started in the northern colonies. Ezekiel and Jane sold their last property in Granville 22 February 1773. He is listed on the 1778 tax list in Rowan County, N.C.

- iii. FEMALE HAMPTON, b. Abt. 1740; m. JOSEPH KING.

Notes for FEMALE HAMPTON:

No indication of Andrew's daughters name has been located.

Notes for JOSEPH KING:

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- iv. JOHN HAMPTON, b. Abt. 1745; m. KITURAH.

Notes for JOHN HAMPTON:

John Hampton was constable for the 1767 tax listing. He is on the 1778 Rowan County tax list along with Ezekiel. His signature last shows up on the Granville records on a road petition filed in 1777, but several months could have elapsed between signing and filing that petition. He and his wife, Kiturah ("Cattie", probably pronounced "Katie") sold their last Granville property 27 July 1776, to Robert Reid, an official of the Granville County Court. John and Kiturah are shown in the deed as being "of Rowan county." The deed was not brought to the County Court until February 1780.

In 1771 John's name was the first on the list of signers of a petition protesting taxes on top of taxes, the final straw being a tax to build more churches in Granville County. About 1771 he and Sherwood Harris filed a record of processioning all the "patented and deeded land" between Oxford and the ford where the Old Trading Path crossed the Tar River.

John is last on the Granville tax list of 1772, along with Ephraim and Ezekiel. On the next list, 1774, John is gone but Zachariah appears by name for the first time, as head of household, along with Ephraim and Ezekiel. It is Ezekiel's last appearance on the Granville list.

Andrew's son, John, was a singular man. He was a Loyalist Lt. Col. during the Revolution who trained the only southern Loyalist regiment accepted by the British as part of the regular British army. After his capture, the patriotic citizens of Granville wrote a letter telling what an outstanding young man John was, even if he was in the wrong army. The Governor of NC wrote that John was a truly honorable man and delegated an American Major to be personally responsible for John's safety in case "some of the more intemperate citizens of Salisbury should seek to do him harm".

- v. ZACHARIAH HAMPTON, b. Abt. 1745, Orange County, North Carolina; d. September 08, 1781, Eutawville, South Carolina; m. MARY KNOWLAND, Abt. 1769.

Notes for ZACHARIAH HAMPTON:

Zachariah took the Oath of Allegiance to the State of North Carolina on May 30, 1778. He was a PVT. in the Granville Co., N.C. Lytle's Company of 10th Regiment. Serving 84 months. His heirs received 640 acres by warrant #870. He died in the "Battle of Eutawville" in South Carolina, just before the surrender at Yorktown by the British on October 19, 1781.

Descendants of Zachariah show him married to Mary Knowland, daughter of Edward Knowland, who left his will in Granville County on September 22, 1794.

- vi. DAVID HAMPTON, b. Abt. 1746, Virginia; d. Abt. 1842, Kentucky; m. MARY HANNAH BRYAN, August 18, 1786, Rowan County, North Carolina.
vii. JOSEPH HAMPTON, b. Abt. 1746, Luenburg County, Virginia; d. 1803, Jefferson County, Georgia; m. ELIZABETH.

Notes for JOSEPH HAMPTON:

Joseph is reported as moving to Georgia about 1769, and later appears in the 1801 Tax Digest of Jefferson County, Georgia with one slave, and 200 acres, according to Hines-Hampton and Allied Families of Georgia and Florida, Frances Hines Kolner, 1997, Anundsen Publishing Co., Decorah, Iowa, p. 51.]

Generation No. 2

2. EPHRAIM H. HAMPTON² SR. (*ANDREW¹ HAMPTON*) was born Abt. 1737 in North Carolina, and died January 18, 1813 in Rowan County, North Carolina. He married LEMENDER HARRIS Abt. 1763 in

Granville County, North Carolina.

Notes for EPHRIAM H. HAMPTON SR.:

Ephraim Hampton went into the mill business with a neighbor named Addcock in the mid 1750's. The Granville Militia Regiment under Colonel William Eaton in 1754 shows eight companies, with Captain Hampton commanding Company #8, with 60 men. John Adcock shows as the Lieutenant in the company, with Ephraim Hampton as Ensign. A map of the area for this period shows Hampton Creek and Adcock's Creek, at the head of the Tar River.

Joseph King (Andrew's son-in-law) signed a deed selling his Granville land at Nap of Reeds (near the present Durham County line north of Butner) to Ephraim, the deed reading "Joseph King of the parish of St. George in the province of Georgia." A part of St. George's parish became Jefferson County. NC, Granville Deed book H 416, Nov 17, 1767.

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Children of EPHRIAM SR. and LEMENDER HARRIS are:

3.
 - i. EPHRAIM H. HAMPTON³ JR., b. May 22, 1774, Granville County, North Carolina; d. December 26, 1821, Jefferson County, Kentucky. Buried in Oldham Co., Ky..
 - ii. OLIVER HAMPTON, b. February 04, 1776, Rowan County, North Carolina; d. July 28, 1868, Harrison County, Mo.; m. ELIZABETH BRYAN, Abt. 1796, Rowan County, North Carolina.
 - iii. DAVID HAMPTON, b. May 13, 1776, Rowan County, North Carolina; d. January 10, 1826, Jefferson County, Kentucky; m. SARAH, Abt. 1796, Rowan County, North Carolina.
 - iv. FRANCES FANNY HAMPTON, b. Abt. 1780, Rowan County, North Carolina; d. April 12, 1843, Rowan County, North Carolina; m. ADAMSON TANNYHILL SHAW, Abt. 1798, Rowan County, North Carolina.
 - v. LEMENDER HAMPTON, b. Abt. 1784, Rowan County, North Carolina; m. RICHARD HILL, March 28, 1811, Rowan County, North Carolina.
 - vi. ROBERT HAMPTON, b. Abt. 1784, Rowan County, North Carolina; m. POLLY MARSHALL, July 18, 1808, Rowan County, North Carolina.
 - vii. HENRIETTA RITTER HAMPTON, b. Abt. 1785, Rowan County, North Carolina; m. JAMES C. BROWN, March 25, 1812, Rowan County, North Carolina.
 - viii. SARAH PATSY HAMPTON, b. Abt. 1785; m. ISAAC SMITH.
 - ix. THOMAS HAMPTON, b. Abt. 1790, Rowan County, North Carolina.

Generation No. 3

3. EPHRAIM H. HAMPTON³ JR. (*EPHRIAM H. HAMPTON² SR., ANDREW¹ HAMPTON*) was born May 22, 1774 in Granville County, North Carolina, and died December 26, 1821 in Jefferson County, Kentucky. Buried in Oldham Co., Ky.. He married ELIZABETH ENOCHS March 28, 1794 in Rowan County, North Carolina, daughter of ISAAC ENOCHS and LUCRETIA JONES.

Children of EPHRAIM JR. and ELIZABETH ENOCHS are:

4.
 - i. ROWLAND HAMPTON⁴ SR., b. September 27, 1794, Granville County, North Carolina; d. October 14, 1877, Neodesha, Wilson County, Kansas.
 - ii. EPHRAIM HAMPTON, b. Abt. 1800, North Carolina; m. UNKNOWN, Abt. 1825, Oldham County, Kentucky.

Notes for EPHRAIM HAMPTON:

1830 Oldham County, Kentucky lists Ephraim as married with 1 son under 5 years of age and 1 Female slave under 10 years of age.

- iii. ELIZABETH HAMPTON, b. Abt. 1804; m. MILTON NORTON, September 25, 1824, Oldham County,

- Kentucky.
5. iv. THOMAS HAMPTON, b. Abt. 1806, North Carolina; d. April 10, 1891, Moultrie County, Illinois.
 - v. JOHN HAMPTON, b. August 25, 1809, Kentucky.
 6. vi. JONES HAMPTON, b. August 25, 1809, Kentucky; d. February 05, 1888, Moultrie County, Illinois.
 - vii. PERLINA HAMPTON, b. Abt. 1815, Kentucky; d. Abt. 1903, Moultrie County, Illinois; m. RICHARD WESTON PAYNE, August 24, 1833, Oldham County, Kentucky.
 - viii. ELIJAH HAMPTON, b. July 04, 1815, Jefferson County, Kentucky; d. May 13, 1899, Oldham County, Kentucky; m. SARAH STIPE, May 13, 1839, Oldham County, Kentucky.

Generation No. 4

4. ROWLAND HAMPTON⁴ SR. (EPHRAIM H. HAMPTON³ JR., EPHRIAM H. HAMPTON² SR., ANDREW¹ HAMPTON) was born September 27, 1794 in Granville County, North Carolina, and died October 14, 1877 in Neodesha, Wilson County, Kansas. He married SARAH SPARKS November 17, 1816 in Jefferson County, Kentucky, daughter of WILLIAM SPARKS and MORNING.

Notes for ROWLAND HAMPTON SR.:

THE EARLY HISTORY OF SULLIVAN TOWNSHIP (PUBLISHED ABOUT 1880)

Jones and Roland (Rowland) Hampton, Kentuckians, settled at an early date in Sullivan Township on section 29. The former, Jones Hampton, now lives at Hampton's station, from whom it received its name. Edward Minor, James Hudson, Jefferson Hudson, James M. De Jernett, T.O. Brown, R.W. Payne, Ezekiel Sharp, and a few others, arrived here before 1835.

THE CITY OF SULLIVAN

At a meeting of the county commissioners, R.B. Ewing, A.H. Kellar and Andrew Scott, held in March, 1845, at the residence of Dr. William Kellar, it was agreed that the capital of the county of Moultrie should be called Sullivan, thereby connecting the two names which bear historical relations to each other. (Fort Moultrie was a fortification constructed by Col. William Moultrie, {afterwards a major-general} on Sullivan's Island, at the mouth of Charleston harbor, where a victory was gained, June 28th, 1776, by the South Carolina troops under Col. Moultrie over a British fleet commanded by Sir Peter Parker. The city was named from this Island).

Owen Scarny, R.T. Hampton, Thomas Randall and Andrew Scott erected dwellings and settled here late in the summer and fall of 1845.

The 1840 census lists Three Hampton families living in what was then Shelby County, later to become Sullivan Township, Moultrie County.

The Thomas Hampton household listed 2 males under 5, 1 between 5 & 10, 1 between 30 & 40, 1 female between 10 & 15 and 1 between 30 & 40.

The Rolan (Rowland) Hampton household listed 2 males between 10 & 15, 1 between 15 & 20, 1 between 40 & 50, 1 female between 5 & 10, 1 between 10 & 15, 1 between 15 & 20 and 1 between 40 & 50.

The Jones Hampton household listed 2 males under 5, 2 between 5 & 10, 1 between 20 & 30, 1 female under 5 and 1 between 20 & 30.

The three Brothers families are listed on the same page.

Rowland served as a County Commissioner from 1840 to 1848, and was elected Associate County Judge 1853 to 1857 to replace Amos Waggoner who had died in office.

Rowland moved to Kentucky With his parents in about 1816. He lived there 18 years before moving to Illinois in 1834 with his brothers Jones and Thomas and sister Elizabeth (Richard) Payne.

The 1830 Oldham County, Kentucky census shows that Rowland and Sarah had five other children, 1 male, 4 females between 1817 and 1825 in Kentucky whose names are not known. After 34 years in Illinois Rowland, Sarah and several sons moved to Neoedsha, Wilson County, Kansas.

Children of ROWLAND SR. and SARAH SPARKS are:

7. i. ROWLAND THOMAS (TINK)⁵ HAMPTON, b. Abt. 1825, Kentucky; d. October 14, 1890, Bartlesville Indian Territory, Ok. Burial Washington County, Ok..
8. ii. WILLIAM ALFORD HAMPTON, b. Abt. 1829, Kentucky.
9. iii. ELIZABETH J HAMPTON, b. Abt. 1831, Kentucky; d. Aft. 1880, Moultrie County, Illinois.
- iv. SARAH MORNING HAMPTON, b. Abt. 1834, Moultrie County, Illinois; m. GEORGE MICHELL,

November 18, 1850, Moultrie County, Illinois.

5. THOMAS⁴ HAMPTON (*EPHRAIM H. HAMPTON³ JR., EPHRIAM H. HAMPTON² SR., ANDREW¹ HAMPTON*) was born Abt. 1806 in North Carolina, and died April 10, 1891 in Moultrie County, Illinois. He married MARIAH CAMPBELL October 20, 1827 in Oldham County, Kentucky.

Notes for THOMAS HAMPTON:

The 1880 census lists Thomas as 74 year old widower living with his son James.

Children of THOMAS HAMPTON and MARIAH CAMPBELL are:

- i. ELIZA J.⁵ HAMPTON, b. Abt. 1829, Kentucky; m. WILLIAM HARRIS, July 04, 1850, Moultrie County, Illinois.
- ii. ROLAND HAMPTON, b. Abt. 1835, Kentucky; m. DIDAMA STORY, July 30, 1856, Moultrie County, Illinois.
- iii. JACKSON HAMPTON, b. Abt. 1838, Moultrie County, Illinois.
- iv. JAMES AUSTIN HAMPTON, b. Abt. 1841, Moultrie County, Illinois; m. (1) LIZZIE KEPLER, October 02, 1862, Moultrie County, Illinois; m. (2) MAHALA RAY, November 30, 1871, Moultrie County, Illinois.
- v. SARAH E. HAMPTON, b. Abt. 1844, Moultrie County, Illinois; d. September 25, 1872, Moultrie County, Illinois; m. JOHN COOK, Moultrie County, Illinois.
- vi. JOHN O. HAMPTON, b. Abt. 1847, Moultrie County, Illinois.
- vii. ALBERT HAMPTON, b. May 09, 1849, Moultrie County, Illinois; m. (1) PERLITHA HILL, March 12, 1871, Moultrie County, Illinois; m. (2) MARY UTTERBACK, November 22, 1883, Moultrie County, Illinois.

6. JONES⁴ HAMPTON (*EPHRAIM H. HAMPTON³ JR., EPHRIAM H. HAMPTON² SR., ANDREW¹ HAMPTON*) was born August 25, 1809 in Kentucky, and died February 05, 1888 in Moultrie County, Illinois. He married MARY POLLY JOHNSTON February 06, 1831 in Oldham County, Kentucky.

Notes for JONES HAMPTON:

THE EARLY HISTORY OF SULLIVAN TOWNSHIP (WRITTEN ABOUT 1880)

Jones and Roland (Rowland) Hampton, Kentuckians, settled at an early date in Sullivan Township on section 29. The former, Jones Hampton, now lives at Hampton's station, from whom it received its name. Edward Minor, James Hudson, Jefferson Hudson, James M. De Jernett, T.O. Brown, R.W. Payne, Ezekiel Sharp, and a few others, arrived here before 1835.

Hampton Station, is situated on the line of the P.D. & E.R.R., on Section thirty of 14-5. H.E. Hampton conducts a general store, and is post-master of Dunn Post-office, located at this point.

The 1850 census list property value of \$1,000, the 1870 census lists him as a Farmer/Merchant, property value \$19800, annual income \$400. He could not read or write.

Children of JONES HAMPTON and MARY JOHNSTON are:

- i. THEODORE⁵ HAMPTON, b. Abt. 1834, Jefferson County, Kentucky.
- ii. CAROLINE HAMPTON, b. Abt. 1838, Moultrie County, Illinois; m. SEYMOUR BRIGHTMAN, October 16, 1853, Moultrie County, Illinois.
- iii. GEORGE C. HAMPTON, b. Abt. 1841, Moultrie County, Illinois; m. (1) NANNIE SHIEL, April 13, 1871, Moultrie County, Illinois; m. (2) LIZZIE ELDER, April 20, 1887, Moultrie County, Illinois.
10. iv. HENRY E. HAMPTON, b. Abt. 1843, Moultrie County, Illinois.
11. v. EJILAH HAMPTON, b. Abt. 1844, Moultrie County, Illinois.
- vi. CATHARINE HAMPTON, b. Abt. 1847, Moultrie County, Illinois.
- vii. JOHN WESLEY HAMPTON, b. Abt. 1849, Moultrie County, Illinois; m. MARY ANN TAYLOR, September 04, 1873, Moultrie County, Illinois.

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7. ROWLAND THOMAS (TINK)⁵ HAMPTON (*ROWLAND HAMPTON⁴ SR., EPHRAIM H. HAMPTON³ JR., EPHRIAM H. HAMPTON² SR., ANDREW¹ HAMPTON*) was born Abt. 1825 in Kentucky, and died October 14, 1890 in

Bartlesville Indian Territory, Ok. Burial Washington County, Ok.. He married RUHMA HOWE February 16, 1844 in Moultrie County, Illinois.

Notes for ROWLAND THOMAS (TINK) HAMPTON:

R.T. Hampton's family were among the first to settle in the area of Sullivan, Moultrie County, Illinois. Later Rowland T. (Tink) became one of the early settlers of Neodesha, Kansas. He left there in 1874 or 1875 settling in Indian Territory (Oklahoma) near Bartlesville. He was described as a typical Pioneer who could only be contented on the frontier.

His sons James H., William W., Harrison M., Dennis and Milton moved with the family to Kansas.

Children of ROWLAND HAMPTON and RUHMA HOWE are:

- i. JAMES H.⁶ HAMPTON, b. December 07, 1845, Moultrie County, Illinois.

Notes for JAMES H. HAMPTON:

1870 Kansas census lists him as a store clerk

- ii. WILLIAM WILSON (WILSE) HAMPTON, b. January 11, 1849, Moultrie County, Illinois.
- iii. HARRISON N. HAMPTON, b. Abt. 1855, Moultrie County, Illinois.
- iv. DENNIS CAGLA HAMPTON, b. April 30, 1858, Moultrie County, Illinois.
- v. MILTON D. HAMPTON, b. January 01, 1864, Moultrie County, Illinois.
- vi. MARY E. HAMPTON, b. Abt. 1871.

8. WILLIAM ALFORD⁵ HAMPTON (ROWLAND HAMPTON⁴ SR., EPHRAIM H. HAMPTON³ JR., EPHRIAM H. HAMPTON² SR., ANDREW¹ HAMPTON) was born Abt. 1829 in Kentucky. He married RALE ELECTRA October 14, 1856 in Moultrie County, Illinois.

Notes for WILLIAM ALFORD HAMPTON:

The 1870 Kansas census lists William as a Carpenter. He was a City Official in Neodesa, Wilson County, Kansas in 1871 and was an early settler there.

Children of WILLIAM HAMPTON and RALE ELECTRA are:

- i. ELESIE⁶ HAMPTON, b. 1858, Moultrie County, Illinois.
- ii. ELENORA HAMPTON, b. 1860, Moultrie County, Illinois.
- iii. LOUISA A. HAMPTON, b. 1862, Moultrie County, Illinois; m. LOGAN LANSDEN, August 25, 1881, Moultrie County, Illinois.
- iv. D. HAMPTON, b. 1865, Moultrie County, Illinois.

9. ELIZABETH J⁵ HAMPTON (ROWLAND HAMPTON⁴ SR., EPHRAIM H. HAMPTON³ JR., EPHRIAM H. HAMPTON² SR., ANDREW¹ HAMPTON) was born Abt. 1831 in Kentucky, and died Aft. 1880 in Moultrie County, Illinois. She married THOMPSON O. BROWN September 16, 1847 in Moultrie County, Illinois.

Notes for ELIZABETH J HAMPTON:

1880 census lists her as a widow, age 51. Her son Henry, age 19 is running the farm.

Notes for THOMPSON O. BROWN:

The Family of Thompson O. Brown settled at an early date in Sullivan Township on section 29, arriving before 1835. They brought several young trees with them that were planted in front of their new home. Thompson was Elected to the Office of Sheriff of Moultrie County, Illinois and sworn in on November 30, 1850. He served one two year term.

1850 Census (taken Sept. 26th) listed him as a Wheel Wright, age 25 with a property value of \$1,000. The following people were all listed as living in the same residence, Elizabeth, wife age 19, Ky.

Wm. Hampton, Black Smith, age 23, Ky., income \$600. William may be Elizabeth's brother.

Mariah Hampton, age 32, Mississippi

Wm. Hampton age 5, Illinois

Mary J. Hampton, age 3, Illinois

Josephus Hampton, age 5 months

1870 Census listed Thompson as a Farmer, Carpenter with a property value of \$1600 an annual income of \$800.

1875 Moultrie County Plat listing

Brown, T.O. estate 40 acres Marrowbone: 14N, 4E, Section 36

Brown, T.O. 40 acres Sullivan: 14N, 5E, Section 29

Children of ELIZABETH HAMPTON and THOMPSON BROWN are:

- i. ANN M.⁶ BROWN, b. 1855, Sullivan, Moultrie County, Illinois.
12. ii. HENRY P. BROWN, b. February 17, 1861, Sullivan, Moultrie County, Illinois; d. July 08, 1942, Near Bethany, Moultrie County, Illinois.
- iii. JAMES T. BROWN, b. 1865, Sullivan, Moultrie County, Illinois.

Notes for JAMES T. BROWN:

1880 Census lists his name as Thomas and as being deaf. Family story is that he married a deaf women and they had four normal children.

- iv. OWEN A. BROWN, b. 1867, Sullivan, Moultrie County, Illinois.
13. v. DELLA MAY BROWN, b. October 26, 1869, Sullivan, Illinois; d. February 19, 1963, Mercy Hospital, Toledo, Ohio.

10. HENRY E.⁵ HAMPTON (*JONES⁴, EPHRAIM H. HAMPTON³ JR., EPHRIAM H. HAMPTON² SR., ANDREW¹ HAMPTON*) was born Abt. 1843 in Moultrie County, Illinois. He married (1) MARY M. in Moultrie County, Illinois. He married (2) LYDIA MCMAHN April 06, 1873 in Moultrie County, Illinois. He married (3) MARGARET F. KLOER October 13, 1886 in Moultrie County, Illinois.

Notes for HENRY E. HAMPTON:

1870 Census list him as a Dry Goods Merchant, annual income \$800. He also had a 20 year old domestic servant named Mary Ward.

Children of HENRY HAMPTON and MARY M. are:

- i. LEVI⁶ HAMPTON, b. Abt. 1863, Moultrie County, Illinois.
- ii. FRANCES HAMPTON, b. Abt. 1864, Moultrie County, Illinois.
- iii. MARY HAMPTON, b. Abt. 1867.

11. EJILAH⁵ HAMPTON (*JONES⁴, EPHRAIM H. HAMPTON³ JR., EPHRIAM H. HAMPTON² SR., ANDREW¹ HAMPTON*) was born Abt. 1844 in Moultrie County, Illinois. He married ANNA E. in Moultrie County, Illinois.

Notes for EJILAH HAMPTON:

1870 census lists him as a farmer with \$700 yearly income.

Child of EJILAH HAMPTON and ANNA E. is:

- i. ELLEN⁶ HAMPTON, b. 1866, Moultrie County, Illinois.

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12. HENRY P.⁶ BROWN (*ELIZABETH J⁵ HAMPTON, ROWLAND HAMPTON⁴ SR., EPHRAIM H. HAMPTON³ JR., EPHRIAM H. HAMPTON² SR., ANDREW¹ HAMPTON*) was born February 17, 1861 in Sullivan, Moultrie County, Illinois, and died July 08, 1942 in Near Bethany, Moultrie County, Illinois. He married MATTIE MARLOW December 27, 1888 in Near Bethany, Moultrie County, Illinois.

Notes for HENRY P. BROWN:

After losing his father at age 13, Henry took over care of the family farm. His mother passed away sometime after 1880 leaving him to care for his younger brother and sister. In about 1881 he moved to a farm three miles southeast of Bethany, living there the remainder of his life.

Henry was a respected farmer and carpenter, spending several years in the contracting business building homes with Millard Livesey. He was known as a hard worker who fought the river lowlands. A quiet man,

he was always there with a helping hand. He was a trustee in the Oak Grove Baptist Church for fifty years. His wife Mattie served as treasurer. She was a cheerful, Pleasant person who shared her view of the bright side of life with those around her.

Henry died of a heart attack on his own farm while doing evening choirs shortly after visiting his gravely ill wife at the hospital in Tuscola. She passed away several days later.

The Moultrie County Prairie Farmer's Reliable Directory of Farmers and Breeders (1917)

Listing: Head of House Brown, H. P. (Sprouce) Mattie Marlow (children) Flossie, Coy, Venus (Location) Bethany R3 Marrowbone Sec36 O155a

Children of HENRY BROWN and MATTIE MARLOW are:

- i. COY⁷ BROWN, b. April 1893.
- ii. FLOSSIE M BROWN, b. October 1890, Near Bethany, Moultrie County, Illinois; m. H.B MORGAN.
- iii. VENUS BROWN, b. Abt. 1901, Near Bethany, Moultrie County, Illinois; m. HOWARD HOGG.

13. DELLA MAY⁶ BROWN (*ELIZABETH J⁵ HAMPTON, ROWLAND HAMPTON⁴ SR., EPHRAIM H. HAMPTON³ JR., EPHRIAM H. HAMPTON² SR., ANDREW¹ HAMPTON*) was born October 26, 1869 in Sullivan, Illinois, and died February 19, 1963 in Mercy Hospital, Toledo, Ohio. She married ABRAHAM LINCOLN BRAGG October 07, 1884 in Moultrie County, Illinois, son of JOHN BRAGG and LUCINDA MCKINNEY.

Notes for DELLA MAY BROWN:

1870 census lists her as Dora.

1880 census lists her as Delly.

Fountain Grove Cemetery, Bryan, Ohio, Crypt #149.

Notes for ABRAHAM LINCOLN BRAGG:

Abraham had red hair. Orphaned at age of four, he was reared by the family of Joseph Michaels in Moultrie County and graduated from Lovington High School.

Abraham moved his family to Bryan, Ohio in about 1915.

The 1920 census lists Abraham and Della living with their son Raymond, in Bryan with no listed occupation.

Children of DELLA BROWN and ABRAHAM BRAGG are:

- i. MAUDE⁷ BRAGG, b. March 1886; m. MARSHALL YARNELL, November 11, 1903, Moultrie County, Illinois.
- ii. GRACE BRAGG, b. January 1889, Moultrie County, Illinois; d. San Bernadino, California; m. UNKNOWN JAMIESON.
14. iii. CLARA ANN BRAGG, b. January 07, 1890, Moultrie County, Illinois; d. July 27, 1987, St. Charles Hospital, Toledo, Ohio.
15. iv. RAYMOND L. BRAGG, b. May 02, 1892, Moultrie County, Illinois; d. March 21, 1977, St. Mary's Hospital, Illinois.
- v. FRED A BRAGG, b. July 1898, Moultrie County, Illinois; d. San Bernadino, California; m. KENNETH MCTAGGART.

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14. CLARA ANN⁷ BRAGG (*DELLA MAY⁶ BROWN, ELIZABETH J⁵ HAMPTON, ROWLAND HAMPTON⁴ SR., EPHRAIM H. HAMPTON³ JR., EPHRIAM H. HAMPTON² SR., ANDREW¹ HAMPTON*) was born January 07, 1890 in Moultrie County, Illinois, and died July 27, 1987 in St. Charles Hospital, Toledo, Ohio. She married EARL LILLY CHIPPS October 06, 1915 in Sullivan, Moultrie County, Illinois, son of ABIA CHIPPS and AMERICA LILLY.

Notes for CLARA ANN BRAGG:

Clara told her family about walking with her sisters behind their father's team and plow, using hoes and sticks to kill snakes turned up in in Prairie fields new to farm implements.

After the death of Earl, Clara went to work for Doctors Detielm, Bottle, Myer and Ross as a File clerk. She worked there for about thirty years. Retiring in her Nineties. The Doctors sent a cab for her when she could

no longer walk to the bus.

Family plot is at Toledo, Memorial Park, section 22, block 3, lot 22.

Notes for EARL LILLY CHIPPS:

Earl's middle name was Lilly, a common practice using the mothers maiden name. However he thought that it made his name sound too feminine and listed a "C" as a middle initial most of his life.

Earl graduated from The University of Illinois (probable Agriculture).

Earl played minor league baseball in the Central Illinois area for several years and was offered a pro contract to play baseball for the St. Louis Browns.

In 1915 Earl traveled to Bryan, Ohio to visit Clara Bragg and asked to marry her. The couple moved their family to Bryan in about 1923 to be with Clara's parents. Then relocated to Toledo in 1926.

The Moultrie County Prairie Farmer's Reliable Directory of Farmers and Breeders (1917)

Listing: Head of House Chipps, E. C. (Sprouce) Clara Bragg (child) Betty (Location) Sullivan R6 Jonathan Creek Sec30 T160a (Land owned by A. Chipps)

Children of CLARA BRAGG and EARL CHIPPS are:

16. i. BETTY⁸ CHIPPS, b. 1917, Sullivan, Moultrie County, Illinois; d. June 19, 1982, Toledo, Ohio.
17. ii. JEAN ARLENE CHIPPS, b. 1919, Sullivan, Moultrie County, Illinois.
18. iii. RICHARD EARL CHIPPS, b. November 06, 1921, Sullivan, Moultrie County, Illinois; d. November 20, 1996, Toledo, Ohio at The Toledo Hospital.
19. iv. DONALD ABIA CHIPPS, b. June 05, 1930, Toledo, Ohio; d. April 06, 2004, Toledo, Ohio.

15. RAYMOND L.⁷ BRAGG (*DELLA MAY⁶ BROWN, ELIZABETH J⁵ HAMPTON, ROWLAND HAMPTON⁴ SR., EPHRAIM H. HAMPTON³ JR., EPHRIAM H. HAMPTON² SR., ANDREW¹ HAMPTON*) was born May 02, 1892 in Moultrie County, Illinois, and died March 21, 1977 in St. Mary's Hospital, Illinois. He married LUCILLE BYROM 1919 in Ohio.

Notes for RAYMOND L. BRAGG:

Enlisted in the Army on August 26, 1918. Served with the 159 Depot Brigade to September 27, 1918, Battery F 68 Field Artillery. Honorable discharge as a Private December 20, 1918. Serial Number 3903127.

Listed in 1920 census as a Dry cleaner.

Children of RAYMOND BRAGG and LUCILLE BYROM are:

- i. ROBERT A.⁸ BRAGG.
- ii. JENNIE L. BRAGG, m. UNKNOWN TAYLOR.

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16. BETTY⁸ CHIPPS (*CLARA ANN⁷ BRAGG, DELLA MAY⁶ BROWN, ELIZABETH J⁵ HAMPTON, ROWLAND HAMPTON⁴ SR., EPHRAIM H. HAMPTON³ JR., EPHRIAM H. HAMPTON² SR., ANDREW¹ HAMPTON*) was born 1917 in Sullivan, Moultrie County, Illinois, and died June 19, 1982 in Toledo, Ohio. She married UNKNOWN JENKINS.

Child of BETTY CHIPPS and UNKNOWN JENKINS is:

- i. SHARON⁹ JENKINS, m. GEORGE TRACHT.

17. JEAN ARLENE⁸ CHIPPS (*CLARA ANN⁷ BRAGG, DELLA MAY⁶ BROWN, ELIZABETH J⁵ HAMPTON, ROWLAND HAMPTON⁴ SR., EPHRAIM H. HAMPTON³ JR., EPHRIAM H. HAMPTON² SR., ANDREW¹ HAMPTON*) was born 1919 in Sullivan, Moultrie County, Illinois. She married (1) LAWRENCE JONES. She married (2) AL HASSENZAHN 1974.

Children of JEAN CHIPPS and LAWRENCE JONES are:

- i. JUDITH ANN⁹ JONES, m. (1) KARL E. RITCHEY; m. (2) DAVID GRANT.
- ii. LAWRENCE JONES, m. JAN, December 1970, Toledo, Ohio.

Notes for LAWRENCE JONES:

Larry Graduated from Defiance College with a degree in Education. He played High School and College Football. Larry taught Science in the Sylvania School system and coached sports. He worked as Athletic Director at North View H.S. for twenty years and was named into the Ohio Athletic Directors Hall of Fame in 2004.

18. RICHARD EARL⁸ CHIPPS (*CLARA ANN⁷ BRAGG, DELLA MAY⁶ BROWN, ELIZABETH J⁵ HAMPTON, ROWLAND HAMPTON⁴ SR., EPHRAIM H. HAMPTON³ JR., EPHRAIM H. HAMPTON² SR., ANDREW¹ HAMPTON*) was born November 06, 1921 in Sullivan, Moultrie County, Illinois, and died November 20, 1996 in Toledo, Ohio at The Toledo Hospital. He married MARIAN RUTH BUSER February 08, 1947 in Toledo, Ohio Washington Congragational Church, daughter of JACOB BUSER and ESTELLA MCINTOSH.

Notes for RICHARD EARL CHIPPS:

Richard (Dick) served in WWII, in the 83rd Infantry Division, 331st Reg, "L" Company as a First Sergeant. He spent 288 days on the front line, receiving two Purple Hearts, a Bronze and a Silver Star for gallantry in action. Dick said that the war had little to do with who he was. However I believe it had a profound impact on how he chose to live his life.

Dick used his V.A. Loan for his parents to buy a home on Putman.

Dick worked for Ohio Bell after the war as an estimate assigner. He always answered his phone "7442 Chipps". The site of the big 20 foot diameter revolving wheel with the department binders and records near Dads desk, and the small wooden cube with family photos labeled Chipps off the old block remains vivid. At one time in the late 60's he was department head. However he gave that position up rather than purposely under rate employees on annual evaluation forms as management had requested. He retired in 1984.

Dick broke his leg in a fall on ice in January 1983, spending 16 weeks in the Hospital. It was June before he could walk with the assistance of a walker. However the first week of July found him dancing to Big Band Music with Midge, walker and all. Before the year was over, he had remodeled the basement, including installation of a drop ceiling, all before he could walk unaided.

Dick was the kind of man others came to when troubled about an up coming election.

Notes for MARIAN RUTH BUSER:

Most people know her as Midge. She worked at Ohio Bell, Toledo Edison, First Federal and as a Real Estate Agent.

Midge and Dick arranged to meet at the Lucas County Court House to get their Marriage Licence at lunch time. It was during an ice storm, with many power lines and tree branches down. The department official commented, "You must really want to get married coming out in this weather".

Midge's father Jacob was a quiet man, not inclined to show his emotions. But during her wedding service as he gave her hand, Jacob turned and said, "Take care of her Dick, she's a good girl". Midge was almost speechless.

Children of RICHARD CHIPPS and MARIAN BUSER are:

- i. RICHARD EARL⁹ CHIPPS, b. January 31, 1950, Toledo, Ohio; m. MARGIE HOLTFRETER, September 21, 1971, Pilgrim United Church Of Christ, Toledo, Ohio.

Notes for RICHARD EARL CHIPPS:

Rick works as receiving clerk at Erie Steel Treating. He was Union Safety Steward before the company forced the union out in 2004.

Rick and Margie were divorced in July of 1978.

- ii. GREGORY NEIL CHIPPS, b. December 09, 1951, Toledo, Ohio; m. MARY LOU KNOTT, June 29, 1974, Pilgrim United Church Of Christ, Toledo, Ohio.
- iii. THOMAS WAYNE CHIPPS, b. December 05, 1956, Toledo, Ohio; m. ROBIN RILEY, August 24, 1985, Pilgrim United Church Of Christ, Toledo, Ohio.
- iv. BETH ANN CHIPPS, b. August 19, 1961, Flower Hospital, Toledo, Ohio; m. JAMES BRYWCZYNSKI, October 22, 1983, Pilgrim United Church Of Christ, Toledo, Ohio.

19. DONALD ABIA⁸ CHIPPS (*CLARA ANN⁷ BRAGG, DELLA MAY⁶ BROWN, ELIZABETH J⁵ HAMPTON, ROWLAND HAMPTON⁴ SR., EPHRAIM H. HAMPTON³ JR., EPHRAIM H. HAMPTON² SR., ANDREW¹ HAMPTON*) was born June 05, 1930 in Toledo, Ohio, and died April 06, 2004 in Toledo, Ohio. He married ANN WEGMAN September 24, 1955 in Toledo, Ohio.

Notes for DONALD ABIA CHIPPS:

After graduating from Scott High School Donald enlisted in the Navy, serving during the Korean conflict. He was discharged in 1952.

Donald worked for Ohio Bell for 38 years as a PBX specialist.

Notes for ANN WEGMAN:

One of eleven children, Ann worked for General Mills and Toledo Edison. Volunteered at Medical College of Ohio, Read for Literacy and St. Petri Lutheran Church.

Children of DONALD CHIPPS and ANN WEGMAN are:

- i. CONNIE⁹ CHIPPS, m. DAVID ERIC WOFFORD.
- ii. JON CHIPPS, m. LORI.
- iii. JEFF CHIPPS, m. REBECCA.