

of Rocky Mount, Nash Co. N.C. ^{age 22} Leroy J. Hampton, reporter
on the "Winston-Salem Journal", now at home with me, Miss
Winnie Davis Hampton age 20, with me, and Parks G. Hampton
age 16, with me, The 3^d son of the said Dr John B.H. was Wade D.
Hampton, who died in 1857 while mending mules, The 4th and
last son of the said Dr John B.H. was Dr Leroy Hampton who
married Miss Matilda Madison, and who died 1888, leaving the
the following children viz, Ada Hendrix wife of W.A. Hendrix of
Ronda, N.C. Mrs. Viola Limbry wife of Thomas Limbry of
Chestnut Ridge, N.C. and Wade N. Hampton of the State of Indiana
merchants. These are the children and Grand children of the said
Dr John B. Hampton, who was the son of Henry and Sally Beavers
Hampton, the founder of Hamptonville, N.C., now to myself, I am 78
years old, served ^{through} the civil war of 1861-65, was Lt. Col. of the 68
Bat. of N.C. State troops at the close of the war, Lawyer by profession
State Solicitor and Senator in our Legislature, and clerk of the
Court, I have thus given you a true statement of Dr John
Beavers Hampton and family in a plain frank homely way, and
hope you will fully understand it, I am quite feeble and nervous
and fully realize that I am nearing the close of this life,
Will say, that Cousin Rosa Adda Allen, ^{age 82} Dr E. B. Hampton age 88
of Elkin, N.C. and other Cousin, and myself are the only living Grand
children of the said Henry Hampton in this Country.
Are you related to P.A. and Victoria Miller? They are my kinfolks
and school mates in our happy days of long ago.

Yrs. Very Truly
John A. Hampton

HILTON S. HAMPTON
ATTORNEY AT LAW
HAMPTON BLOCK
TAMPA, FLA.

December 12, 1914.

Dr. Joseph L. Miller,

Thomas, W. Va.

Dear Sir:-

Your favor of the 8th of August, addressed to my sister Mrs. Georgia E. Brown, of Pensacola, has been referred to me by her, as I am very much interested in the subject matter of your letter. I had taken up this matter of lineage several years ago with my aunt, Mrs. Sarah Stirewalt, and I herewith enclose you copy of a letter which she wrote me about 1909 or 1910.

This letter will give you the name of my father's grandfather, who was Henry Hampton and of my father's father, whose name was Thomas Hampton.

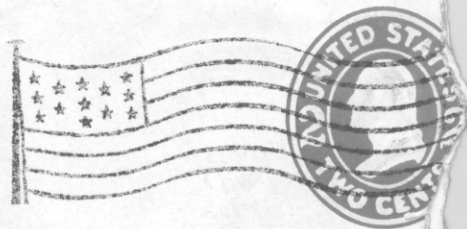
If there is any further information you desire me to obtain, advise me and I will cheerfully endeavor to furnish it. Please also advise me at your convenience if Mrs. Sarah Paxsley, a first cousin of mine to whom your letter was referred by Mrs. Brown, answered the same, and if she gave you the information you desire. If she did not furnish it, advise and I will take it up with her.

When you get this history compiled, I will appreciate it if you will put me in possession of information so I can obtain one.

Yours very truly,



After 5 days, return to
HILTON S. HAMPTON,
P. O. Box 519,
TAMPA, FLA.



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Dr. Joseph L. Miller,
Thomas,
W. Va.

Whitman College

Walla Walla, Washington

April 13, 1915.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

Mr. Gus H. Hampton,

Catlettsburg, Ky.

Dear Sir,

At the suggestion of Mayor Sanford of your city, I write you for information regarding my ancestors. I am informed by Mayor Sanford that your grandfather was Levi Hampton. My mother's father was William Henry Hampton, and he was born a few miles up the Big Sandy above Catlettsburg in what is now West Virginia. His father was a country doctor, whose name was also William Henry Hampton. I understand from an uncle that my grandfather had one brother, Frank, and several sisters; one of his sisters married Col. Zeigler of the Union Army. The information I am particularly trying to trace out is the name of my great-great-grandfather, Dr. William Henry Hampton's father, and the place and date of his birth. You are evidently of a different branch of the Hampton family, but I thought that perhaps you may be able to shed some light on the situation or put me on the right track.

I shall be very grateful to you for any information you may be able to give me.

Very truly yours,

Elizabeth Gantley
Secretary to the
President
Whitman College

*Dr. Anthony
G. Hampton*

Pittsylvania Co
Dead Books General Index 1767 to 1914

Contain the following names

Wynne

William Sr & Jr; Wm Jr & grandmother Franc
Shoe; Mary; Robt; Peter; John; John Jr; Chas;
Matthew; Stith 28 July 1769 to 26 Nov 1809

Hampton

Thos; Eleanor; John; Henry; Preston & wife Eliza
(of Co of Pendelton of state of Ky 14 July 1806 - Book &
15 p 153); Sarah; James & wife Hannah
6 Nov 1779 to 24 Nov 1809

Records go back to 1767
Pittsylvania Co Va

Will of Thos Hampton dated 28 July 1790 Probated 20 Feb 1799
names wife Sarah; son Henry (tract of land in Surry Co
N.C. where he now lives); son James; son John; son Preston
son Preston's wife Elizabeth; son-in-law and daughter James and
Margret J. Colquitt; daughter Nancy Young and her son Thomas
H. Young; son Henry's eldest son Thomas, a next eldest son,
a third daughter Hannah; sons of daughter Nancy Young; son
of daughter Nancy Young named Thomas Hampton Young

Will of John Hampton, Sr. dated 18 Apr 1850 Probated 19 Aug 1850
names wife Elizabeth; daughter Eliza Price; son Thomas' widow
now Nancy Blair (one dollar); grandson Tiler Hampton; grandsons
John A. Hampton and Mathew Hampton - is sons of Samuel;
three children of son Samuel (maybe the 3d was a daughter);
sons Wade and John (Jr); mentions that his son Samuel
is dead; four surviving children Emmerson, Wade, John,
Eliza Price

Will of John A. Hampton, Sr dated Dec __, 1864 Probated 21 Dec 1864
names: eldest son Victor; "either of my daughters"; "I wish
my sons".

Will of Emmerson Hampton dated 21 Jan 1870 Probated 18 July 1870
names: nephew John H. Price; mentions his wife's grave; his
brother Jack's grave; sister Sallie M. Price and James M Price;
sister Mary A. E. Price; Miss Sally M. Price; brother Wade
Hampton; Miss Sally M Price (again); brother-in-law
John P. Price

Evidently was an unusually kind hearted man.

LHS

some Hamptons still live in S.W. part
of county for instance.

V. N. Hampton

P.O. Cascade

N.C.

Whitman College

Walla Walla, Washington

May 20, 1915.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

Dr. Joseph L. Miller,

Thomas, West Virginia.

Dear Sir,

I was very glad to get your letter and the information contained therein concerning the Hampton family. I have written to my relatives in Pittsburgh, and have been waiting to hear from them before I answered your letter. I hope to hear from them within a few days. I can however tell you that my grandfather, William Henry Hampton, married Elizabeth Weaver, who was born in Pittsburgh about the year 1828. They had seven children. I cannot give you the exact dates of their births until I hear from the East. Elizabeth Weaver's father was Benjamin Weaver; he was proprietor of the largest hotel in Pittsburgh at the time, called the Mansion House, and was sheriff of Allegheny County. My grandfather, William Henry Hampton, enlisted in the Civil War with the Nine-Months Men (Northern). He died in Lexington about 1880, but my mother, who is in Tacoma, Wash., does not know what caused his death, and has written East to her brother.

Hoping to hear from you again soon, and hoping to be able to give you more information, I am,

Very sincerely yours,

Elizabeth Gantley

HILTON S. HAMPTON
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January 8, 1915.

Dr. J. L. Miller,

Thomas, W. Va.

Dear Sir:-

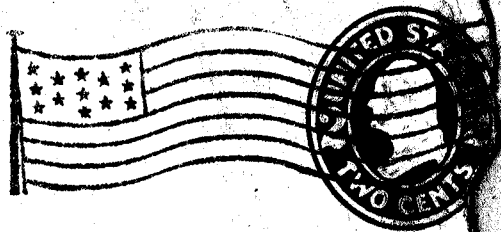
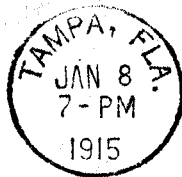
Your favor of the 2nd inst. received with enclosure of information, for which please accept my thanks. I will at once obtain the information for you and send it as quickly as it can be obtained from my brothers and sisters.

In the meantime, I have a curiosity to know why you have been induced to undertake the preparation of this data; if you are connected with me by blood, I would like to know it, and hope that I may at some time have the pleasure of forming your personal acquaintance.

Yours very truly,

H S Hampton

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Dr. J. L. Miller,

Thomas,

W. Va.

1. Name of Father; Ans; Peter Bruce Turner.
" " Mother; " Elizebeth Jane *Hampton*
Father's birth; " Dec. 25th, 1848 ; Date of his death; July 30-1910
Mothers " ; " ~~Oct. 30th~~ 1846. ; Still living.
2. Major G.M. Hampton who died in 1905 was 87 years of age.
Grandmother " " " " 1900 " 79 " " "
3. Mother's sister name was Mary Alice Myers.
" Brothers " were; William Thomas and ~~James~~ Ephraim Hampton.
4. Grandfather Hampton was given the Honorary Title of "Major" while in
Member of the Legislature at Frankfort, Ky.
5. Grandfather Hampton's brother was ; Couldn't find this out at present
" " sister " ; Olivia Hampton.

The above is as near the information you asked for in your letter of the
Feb. 22nd as I could obtain.