

HUGH CANNADY

of Stafford County, Virginia

This information comes from a book by Elizabeth Tissot (1988) titled, Cannady and Allied Families. She still has copies available for those who are following this family.

These families were English and were in the Church of England and then were Baptists. This rules them out as part of my Irish-Quaker line.

This family moved into North Carolina and many descendants are still in the area of Wake County, North Carolina.

The spelling of the name and the Virginia origins may tie this family in with other families out of the Virginia area. Who knows?

HUGH CANNADY SR.

In May of 1706, a Hugh Canada was transported to Virginia under a headright of John Kimbrough. Hugh received land in King William County, Virginia. Later descendants of both families took out grants in Wake County, North Carolina on the same day.

This is what I think was his family.

Hugh Cannady

Hugh Cannady born about 1715 as he married Mildred Wagstaff Hutchinson in adjacent Stafford County, Virginia on November 6, 1735.

The Parish Register of St. Paul's Parish in King George County shows Mildred had married George Hutchinson on September 27, 1727. He died and she married Hugh Cannady in 1735.

I think these are the children of Hugh and Mildred:

MILDRED CANNADY born May 22, 1736

HUGH CANNADY born about 1740. He had two daughters married in Sussex County, Virginia in the late 1790s.

WAGSTAFF CANNADY. Wagstaff was a son of Hugh Cannady and Mildred Wagstaff. He was born in Stafford County, Virginia in the 1740s. The boundary between King William County and Stafford County changed and both areas were served by St. Paul's Parish. In fact, the original land in King William County and the lands in Stafford County may have well been the same lands. He married and his wife's name was Betheliam (Behethland), last name

unknown, but may well be Ramsey. They appear on tax lists in Granville County, North Carolina in 1768 and 1769. By 1773 they lived in the *Jersey Settlement* of Rowan County, now a part of Davie County, North Carolina.

By 1779 this family was in Wake County, North Carolina. Wagstaff remained here until his death in 1812. Behethland moved to Weakley County, Tennessee with her daughter Dosha and died in Weakley County. The children were:

Hugh Cannady born about 1770. He married December 31, 1788 in Wake County.

Susannah Cannady born about 1772. She married a Mangum (?).

William Cannady married a Dosha on November 5, 1793 and then married Rebecca Cannaday, the widow of Elijah Brassfield, on January 19, 1799.

John Cannady born in 1775 and married Elizabeth Mangum on January 8, 1795 in Wake County.

Andrew Cannady born 1781 married Mary Nipper in Granville County, North Carolina on November 24, 1801. From another source, I find that he moved to Bibb County, Georgia.

Nancy Cannady born about 1783 and married a Carrington.

Wyatt Cannady born in 1784, died April 30, 1855. He married Mary Elizabeth Hockaday in 1808.

Stephen Cannady born about 1787. He married Jane Reed.

Elijah Cannady born about 1789.

Dorris Cannady a son born in 1790. He married Nancy Jenkins on March 7, 1815.

Dosha Cannady was born April 26, 1792. She married Isaac Glasgow on September 7, 1812 in Wake County. They moved to Weakley County, Tennessee.

Linea Cannady born in 1794. She married Dennis Dial on December 1, 1812 in Wake County.

FRANCIS CANNADY. Francis was born about 1750. He took land in Granville County in 1768 along with his brother Wagstaff. He also had land in Wake County, but the land was only a few miles away as in both cases they were on the border between the two counties. Francis died in 1785 leaving a wife named Relendor (Eleanor?) and four children:

Peter Cannady born in 1778. He married Penny Pope on January 1, 1811 and they remained in Wake County through the 1860 census about when he died.

Rebecca Cannady the eldest born in 1772. She married Elijah Brassfield in 1788. Elijah died in 1798 and Rebecca married William Cannady, a cousin, in 1799.

Mildred (Milla) Cannady born in 1774. She married John Lewis.

James Cannady born in 1776. He married Mary Reily and was in Granville County in the 1820 census.

Margaret Cannady

She was born about 1717 and died in 1734.

John Cannady

He was born about 1719. He married Rose Sudduth.

I gather their children were:

FRANCIS CANNADY born about 1751.

ANN CANNADY born in 1753.

William Cannady

William Cannady was born in the 1720s. He married Margaret Linee in Stafford County, Virginia on January 16, 1747.

They had these children:

ISAAC CANNADY born June 12, 1758 in Stafford County.

WILLIAM CANNADY possibly married to N. (Nancy?) Wilburn January 21, 1808, and then later to Elizabeth Moseley on January 21, 1820.

MILLIE CANNADY married John Lewis April 29, 1789.

ISABELLE CANNADY she married Robert Stephens October 30, 1794.

MARGARET (PATSY) CANNADY married Joseph Watts May 29, 1799.

NANCY CANNADY married John Butler September 15, 1787.

Mildred Cannady

She was born on May 22, 1736 as noted in the Saint Paul's Parish Register.

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