

Descendants of John Bomar, Sr.

Generation No. 1

1. JOHN¹ BOMAR, SR. was born Abt. 1728, and died Abt. 1799. He married BARBARA BUSH.

Child of JOHN BOMAR and BARBARA BUSH is:

2. i. SUSANNA² BOMAR, b. 1757; d. 1846.

Generation No. 2

2. SUSANNA² BOMAR (*JOHN*¹) was born 1757, and died 1846. She married THOMAS HODGES, son of EDMUND HODGES and NEPHANAH WALKER. He was born Abt. 1754 in Halifax Co. Virginia, and died 1808 in Halifax Co. Virginia.

Notes for THOMAS HODGES:

Will Book 8 p.5

Abstract of Thomas Hodges will naming his heirs as follows:

Wife Susanna, and his sons Fredrick, Miles, Feilding, Elija and a daughter Wilmerth (to these he gave 200 acres to be divided equally), and the balance of his estate divided equally among Fleming, John, Billy, Thomas, Bush, Elizabeth and "Hadiah" (Obadiah)...

Witness: Oliver Pringle, William Farmer, and Elijah Tucker

Sureties were Fielding Bomar, John Hodges and Fleming Hodges...

Question? is the above named "Billy" William?

Two Thomas Hodges' appear on the 1800 tax list for Goochland Co., both living in the district of Arch Pleasant. One was listed as "exempt" with no taxable males over 21, 1 horse and 2 slaves. If this was our Thomas, he must have been born before 1725 (becoming exempt when they became 65 years of age?)

The other Thomas Hodges is described as "Jr" but may mean that he was younger than other Thomas (above) rather than his son. He is shown with 1 male over 21 and 2 horses, but no slaves. (25 Virginia Genealogist 9)

Of the above two Thomas Hodges, there is a Thomas Hodges married to Sabra Horn from the Douglas Registrar, this I believe to be the 2nd Hodges listed in the 1800 Tax List. Not our Thomas! Thomas Hodges married Sabra Horn of the parish 27 May 1758.

Thomas Hodges:

We find the name Tucker and Bomar mentioned later in connection with Hodges family so it is evident that the family's are related in some way. (Edmund Hodges, Halifax Co., Va. manuscript: Hart Co. Historical Society, Forrest & Geraldine Hodges)

...Forrest Hodges, son of Henry Hodges, of the Hammondville community, and a great, great, grandson of Thomas Hodges, and the wife of Forrest is Geraldine, and a daughter of A. R. Hodges, who was a great, great, grand son of Edmund Hodges, whose descendants we are able to name down to the seventh generation...

"We are of the opinion that these ancestors Thomas, and Edmund, may be closely related, (possibly brothers) as they are found in Halifax Co. in the mid 1700's and years later we find descendants of both on them in Hart Co., and in contact with each other.

Edmund Hodges was a native of Ireland, according to information from the above mentioned Geraldine Hodges, and migrated to America, settling in Virginia..."

(Edmund Hodges manuscript Hart Co. Historical Society)

More About THOMAS HODGES:
Will: December 26, 1808, Halifax Co. Virginia

Children of SUSANNA BOMAR and THOMAS HODGES are:

- i. ELIZABETH³ HODGES, m. JAMES PRIDDY, June 25, 1798, Halifax Co. Virginia.

Notes for JAMES PRIDDY:
Son of George

More About JAMES PRIDDY and ELIZABETH HODGES:
Marriage: June 25, 1798, Halifax Co. Virginia
- ii. FLEMING HODGES, m. BETSY POWELL, May 17, 1798, Halifax Co. Virginia.

More About FLEMING HODGES and BETSY POWELL:
Marriage: May 17, 1798, Halifax Co. Virginia
- iii. JOHN HODGES, m. LUCY OVERBY, January 05, 1807, Halifax Co. Virginia.

More About JOHN HODGES and LUCY OVERBY:
Marriage: January 05, 1807, Halifax Co. Virginia
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 - iv. OBADIAH HODGES.
 - v. THOMAS HODGES, m. REZIAH HAWKINS, June 25, 1798, Halifax Co. Virginia.

Notes for REZIAH HAWKINS:
Daughter of Zachariah

More About THOMAS HODGES and REZIAH HAWKINS:
Marriage: June 25, 1798, Halifax Co. Virginia
 - vi. WILLIAM HODGES, m. MARY LAX, December 30, 1805, Halifax Co. Virginia.

More About WILLIAM HODGES and MARY LAX:
Marriage: December 30, 1805, Halifax Co. Virginia
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 - vii. BUSH HODGES, b. January 20, 1779; d. October 09, 1844, Hart Co. Kentucky.
 - viii. MILES HODGES, b. May 01, 1787; d. March 01, 1863, Hart County, Kentucky; m. NANCY HAWKINS, July 01, 1816, Halifax Co. Virginia; b. Abt. 1797.

Notes for MILES HODGES:
Where is Miles Hodges Cemetary?

More About MILES HODGES:
Burial: March 01, 1863, Miles Hodges Cem

More About MILES HODGES and NANCY HAWKINS:
Marriage: July 01, 1816, Halifax Co. Virginia
5.
 - ix. FREDERICK HODGES, b. Abt. 1790; d. December 02, 1846, Hart County, Kentucky.
 - x. ELIJAH HODGES, b. May 10, 1795; d. February 26, 1875, Hart County, Kentucky; m. FRANCES GRIFFIN; b. 1793; d. 1848.

Notes for ELIJAH HODGES:
Where is Clauson Farm in Hart Co. (burial)

More About ELIJAH HODGES:
Burial: February 26, 1875, Hodges Cem Clauson Farm Hart Co. Kentucky
 - xi. FIELDING HODGES, b. 1797¹; d. August 16, 1861, Hart County, Kentucky; m. (1) MARY JANE; m. (2) CATHERINE TUCKER, May 16, 1817; b. 1798.

More About FIELDING HODGES and CATHERINE TUCKER:
Marriage: May 16, 1817

6. xii. WILMOTH HODGES, b. Abt. 1798; d. Abt. 1866, La Rue Co. Kentucky.

Generation No. 3

3. OBADIAH³ HODGES (*SUSANNA² BOMAR, JOHN¹*) He married ELIZABETH HAWKINS December 29, 1804.

More About OBADIAH HODGES and ELIZABETH HAWKINS:
Marriage: December 29, 1804

Children of OBADIAH HODGES and ELIZABETH HAWKINS are:

- i. MILES⁴ HODGES.
- ii. SARAH HODGES (BENNETT ??).

4. BUSH³ HODGES (*SUSANNA² BOMAR, JOHN¹*) was born January 20, 1779, and died October 09, 1844 in Hart Co. Kentucky. He married SUSAN BOMAR February 04, 1813 in Halifax Co. Virginia, daughter of WILLIAM BOMAR and WILMOTH. She was born February 01, 1788 in Virginia, and died December 01, 1871 in Hart County, Kentucky.

Notes for BUSH HODGES:

Bush Hodges Cem

Directions to :

1/2 mile north of sr 728 on Wabash/Upton road
3 blks west into the brush.

Willbook A 1819-1850 p. 188

...John was possibly the John Hodges(1820-1910) buried in the old Hodges cemetery west of Hammonville...

...but of Bush (1779-1844) we find him in Hammonville Community, and evidently coming to Kentucky with the other old Hodges. He was evidently one of the older Hodges, if not the oldest of the Thomas Hodges children. He and his wife Susanna (1788-1871) are buried in the above named cemetery. Others buried in this cemetery - Obadiah (1816-1892), Meeky C. (1819-1887) wife of John Hodges, and Susan V. (1843-1863).

A Hart Co. tax list of 1837 leads us to believe that this Bush Hodges was the most prosperous of any of the Thomas Hodges heirs.

In this list we find that he had the following property;

400 A of land on Bacon Creek, valued at \$900.00

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111 A of land in Larue County, valued at \$222.00

9 slaves , valued at \$2550.00

Live stock , etc , valued at \$540.00

and one child

...this one child mentioned above was Obadiah (1816-1892), born in Virginia, and his wife Born in North Carolina in 1824, according to the Hart County Census in 1860.

They had two daughters, Frances, 15, and Martha 11, and five sons, Anderson 13, William 11, Ob Jr. 2, and Joseph 8 months. Apparently Martha, and William were twins. (We frequently find twins in Hodges families)

Of the sons we have information concerning only William, Anderson, and Miles. William married ___ Smith, and we know of their son Henry, who married Maggie T. Skaggs, of Hammodville, Ky. and they had a son Forrest, who married Geraldine Hodges, daughter of A.R. Hodges and they have a son Henry...

Next we have Anderson, born 1849 as shown by 1880 Census, and his wife Sarah born 1857, and in this Census they listed three children Elizabeth 5, Obadiah M. 2, Lillie L. 10 months.

Then we have Miles , born 1858, and we have no information concerning his wife, but we are advised by Forrest, son of Henry that Miles had 3 sons, Rex, Lee, and Victor, and five daughters,

Sylvia, who married Leslie Craddock, Millie who married Ben Durham, Rose who married ___ Pritchard, Verda who married Charles Johns, and Florence of whom we have no further information...

More About BUSH HODGES:

Burial: October 09, 1844, Bush Hodges Cem

Notes for SUSAN BOMAR:

Neice of mother-in-law

More About BUSH HODGES and SUSAN BOMAR:

Marriage: February 04, 1813, Halifax Co. Virginia

Children of BUSH HODGES and SUSAN BOMAR are:

- i. ANDERSON⁴ HODGES, b. Bef. 1811.
- ii. ELIZABETH HODGES, b. Bef. 1811.
- iii. WILLIAM T. HODGES, b. Abt. 1811.
- iv. MARY NEAL HODGES, b. December 12, 1813, Rowan Co. North Carolina; d. December 10, 1901, La Rue Co. Kentucky; m. PAUL TUCKER.

More About MARY NEAL HODGES:

Burial: December 10, 1901, Oak Hill Cem LaRue Co. Kentucky

Notes for PAUL TUCKER:

Lived in Stokes Co. North Carolina

- v. WILMOTH HODGES, b. April 04, 1815.
- vi. OBADIAH HODGES, b. 1816, Virginia²; d. 1892, Upton, Hart County, Kentucky; m. ELIZABETH TUCKER; b. 1824, North Carolina³.

Notes for OBADIAH HODGES:

1850 Census

Ob 33, Elizabeth 28, Frances A. 5, Anderson B. 3, Martha J. 2, William Z. P. 2.....

1860 Census

Ob 44y m farmer from Va, Elizabeth 36y f from N.C., Francis A 15y f from Ky., Anderson B. 13y m, William 11y m, Ob W. 2y m, Josiah Shaw 8y m.....

2000 dollars in real estate, and 600 dollars in personal cash value

mom listed William Z, Miles, and Sarah as the children but 1850 and 1860 census shows others!

Geraldine shows obie being born in Upton?

Notes for ELIZABETH TUCKER:

Mom shows Elizabeth being a "Tucker"

Geraldine shows "Lizzie Puckett"

we know she is Elizabeth due to the 1850 and 1860 census shows her name and birth state

- vii. JOHN HODGES, b. 1820.
- viii. REBECCA BUSH HODGES, b. 1823; m. (1) JOSEPH WELDON; m. (2) OBADIAH HODGES; b. 1842; d. June 20, 1856, Hart County, Kentucky.

Notes for REBECCA BUSH HODGES:

She married Obadiah Hodges shows him being 14 years old at marriage and death?

Hodges to Hodges marriage!

Question?

Who exactly was this second husband Obadiah Hodges?

Notes for OBADIAH HODGES:

Died of Typhoid 1856

14 years at death and marriage

Question ?

Who exactly was this Obadiah?

- ix. LACOLA HODGES, b. March 10, 1821, Halifax Co. Virginia; d. April 23, 1882, Hart County, Kentucky; m. THOMAS HODGES; b. December 20, 1817, Halifax Co. Virginia; d. July 26, 1893, Hart County, Kentucky.

Notes for LACOLA HODGES:

Hodges to Hodges marriage

More About LACOLA HODGES:

Burial: Hodges Cem Clauson Farm Hart Co. Kentucky

Notes for THOMAS HODGES:

Hodges to Hodges marriage

- x. SARAH BUSH HODGES, b. April 04, 1830.

5. FREDERICK³ HODGES (SUSANNA² BOMAR, JOHN¹) was born Abt. 1790, and died December 02, 1846 in Hart County, Kentucky. He married MARY HAWKINS, daughter of JOHN HAWKINS and FRANCES THARP. She was born Abt. 1797 in Virginia.

Notes for FREDERICK HODGES:

Frederick 1790-1848, who married Mary Hawkins born in Virginia in 1797.

...They had several children, according to the information from a g,g,g daughter of the above named Miles Hodges and wife Nancy Hawkins (Hodges), who is Mrs. M.L. Heady. Mrs. Heady named some of the sons; William, James, Samuel, Andrew and Washington, and these last two Andrew and Washington, we find were members of the old Bacon Creek Church, as we have had access to records of the church from the time the church was established in 1812. These two sons, together with a brother, Henry, and evidently a sister Fanny were named as members as found in the records of 1830 to 1840. (Edmund Hodges, Hart Co. Historical Society p. 2)

Notes for MARY HAWKINS:

... It is pretty well established Mary Hawkins and her sister Nancy, who we will later mention as the wife of Miles Hodges (1787-1863), brother of Frederick, were daughters of John Hawkins Sr. a Revolutionary soldier, and his wife Frances Tharpe, born in Scotland. They moved to the Bacon Creek area of Hammondville, Ky. somewhat prior to 1810. (Edmund Hodges manuscript, Hart Co. Historical Society, p.2)

Census of 1850 :

list her(Polly Hawkins) as head of house, meaning widow with the following children:

John 24 yrs born in Virginia

Wilda 16 yrs born in Virginia

Mary 16 yrs born in Virginia

David & Matha (twins) 12 yrs born in Kentucky

Elijah 27 yrs born in Virginia

Then /// Thomas, Jane and Susan /no dates/ apparently born in Virginia

(Edmund Hodges, Hart Co. Historical Society p. 2)

Children of FREDERICK HODGES and MARY HAWKINS are:

- i. THOMAS⁴ HODGES, b. December 20, 1817, Halifax Co. Virginia; d. July 26, 1893, Hart County, Kentucky; m. LACOLA HODGES; b. March 10, 1821, Halifax Co. Virginia; d. April 23, 1882, Hart County, Kentucky.

Notes for THOMAS HODGES:

Hodges to Hodges marriage

Notes for LACOLA HODGES:

Hodges to Hodges marriage

More About LACOLA HODGES:
Burial: Hodges Cem Clauson Farm Hart Co. Kentucky

- ii. JOHN HODGES, b. Abt. 1826; d. Abt. 1904; m. HELEN BOLTON; b. Abt. 1825; d. Abt. 1904.

Notes for JOHN HODGES:
Known as " Uncle Jack"

More About HELEN BOLTON:
Burial: Family Cemetary 2 miles south east of Bonnieville, Ky.

- iii. WILDA HODGES, b. Abt. 1832; d. Abt. 1883; m. CLARRISA HAWKINS; b. Abt. 1831; d. Abt. 1904.

Notes for WILDA HODGES:
"Uncle Wilda" and his wife are buried in the old Hodges Cemetary about 1/2 mile north of Rocky Hill Methodist Church, where several generations of Hodges are Buried.

Perhaps this is Called Camp Ground United Methodist Church now ?

Question?

Many of his children married into the "Kinney" family. What about this family? Obviously they were close and possibly more than that!

- iv. MARY HODGES, b. Abt. 1834.
- v. DAVID HODGES, b. Abt. 1838.
- vi. MARTHA HODGES, b. Abt. 1838.
- vii. ELIJAH HODGES, b. Abt. 1823.
- viii. JANE HODGES.
- ix. SUSAN HODGES.

6. WILMOTH³ HODGES (*SUSANNA*² *BOMAR*, *JOHN*¹) was born Abt. 1798, and died Abt. 1866 in La Rue Co. Kentucky. She married JOHN SMITH TUCKER. He was born 1798, and died November 01, 1872 in La Rue Co. Kentucky.

Notes for WILMOTH HODGES:
Possible name spelling Wilmerth

Notes for JOHN SMITH TUCKER:
Resided in Halifax Co. Va.
farmer and veteran of the War of 1812.

Child of WILMOTH HODGES and JOHN TUCKER is:

- i. SUSAN⁴ TUCKER.

Endnotes

1. 1850 Census, Shows that Feilding was 57 at the time of the 1850 Census.
2. 1860 Census, Born in Virginia.
3. 1860 Census, Born in North Carolina.