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The Womack Family History

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His

Ancestor's

# FAMILY GROUP

Womack  
SURNAME

NUMBER

HUSBAND'S FULL NAME

William Womack

OCCUPATION Immigrant

BIRTHDATE AND PLACE

Circa (1597-1603) in England

RELIGION Don't Know

FATHER'S FULL NAME

N/A

DEATH DATE AND PLACE

Circa (1677) Henrico Co, Va/

MARRIAGE DATE & PLACE

Married Circa (1625 - 1630) Presumably in England.

MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME

N/A

OTHER MARRIAGES

None

WIFE'S MAIDEN NAME

Mary Allen Womack

RELIGION N/A

BIRTHDATE AND PLACE

Circa (1605 - 1610) in England

DEATH DATE AND PLACE

Circa (1685 - 1690) Va.

FATHER'S FULL NAME

Allen

MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME

N/A

OTHER MARRIAGES

None

ARRANGE IN ORDER OF BIRTH CHILDREN

SEX	FULL NAME	BORN	PLACE	DIED	PLACE
M	William Womack Jr.	Circa 1637	England	Circa 1674	Henrico Co. Va
M	Abraham Womack	Circa 1644	England	Circa 1733	Henrico Co. Va.
M	Richard Womack	Circa 1655	Henrico Co. Va.	Oct 9, 1684	" " "
M	Thomas Womack	Circa 1664	Henrico Co. Va.	Will 1697	Henrico Co, Va.
M	John Womack	Circa 1653	Henrico Co, Va.	Will 1725	Prince George Va.
F	Mary Womack	Circa 1657	" " "	Circa 1735	Henrico Co, VA.
F	Annes S. WOMACK	ca. 1655	" " "		

DATE MARRIED

SPOUSE NAME

BORN

DIED

N/A 1st Marriage	Mary Womack 2nd Marriage	William Clarke	N/A	N/A
N/A	N/A		N/A	N/A
N/A	Mary Granger		N/A	N/A
N/A	Mary Puckett		N/A	N/A
Circa 1675 - 1680	Mary Akins		Circa (1660- 1665)	Circa (1740)
N/A	N/A		N/A	N/A
N/A	William Puckett III		ca 1654	May 1723

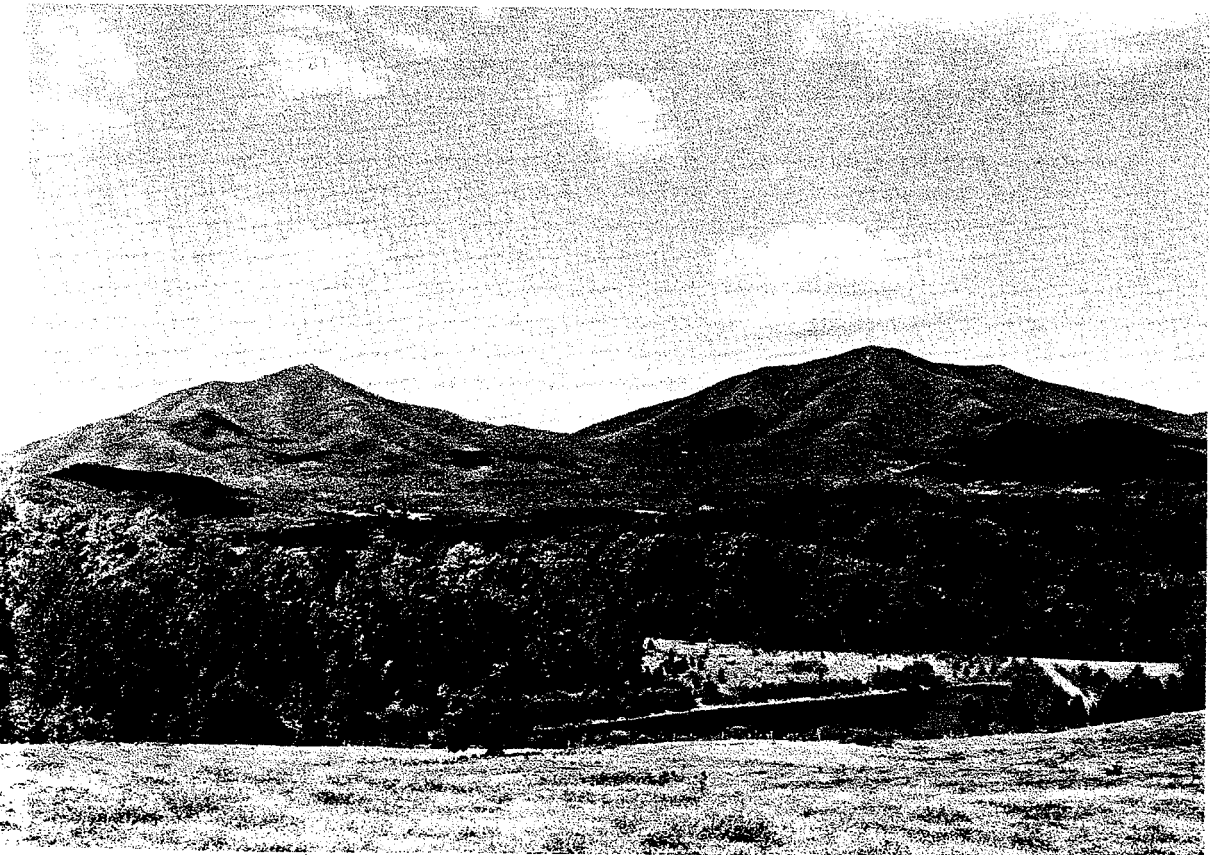




# The Womack Trail

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By Helen Ring Womack  
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(The following records are of interest to us because of the names which were so commonly used in our Womack family -- no known connection, however.)

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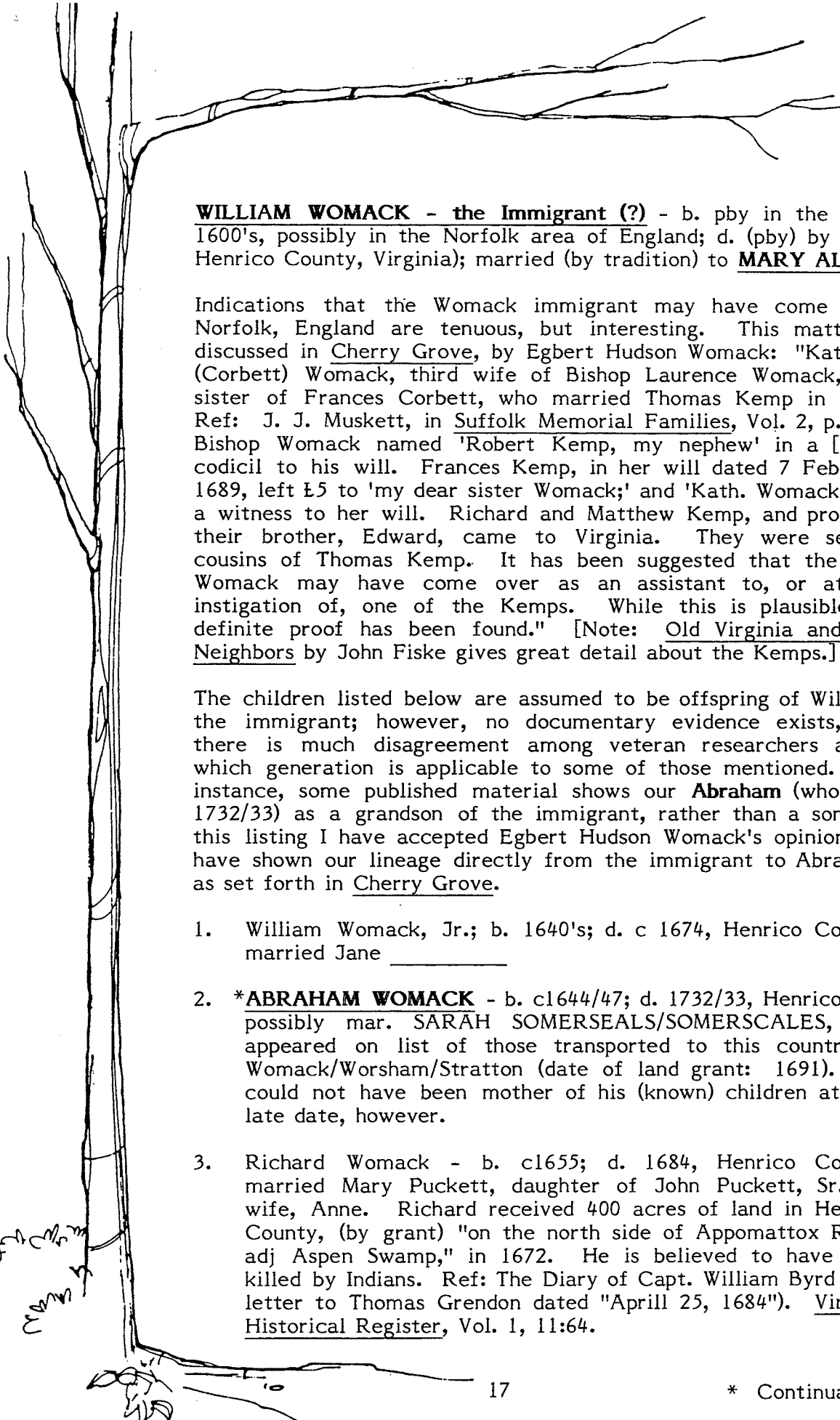
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The Womacks lived in Yorkshire prior to 1400. A poll tax assessment in 1378 was shown for Johannes Wombok and Emma his wife, and of Elena, his daughter, in West Riding - Yorkshire. See Cherry Grove, by E. H. Womack.

- 1619 Richardus Woomack et Marye Wynck matrimonie inibant decimo quarto die Decembris
- 1610 Jane filia Richardi Woomack bapt decimo tertio die Decembris
- 1626 Richard Woomacke - Church Warden for Parish of Wragbie
- 1626 Maria filia Richardi Woomacke et Maria vxoris ejus baptiz: XJ die June
- 1634 William filius Richard Womacke Baptiz 17 August 1634
- 1634 William filius Richard Womacke Baptized 17 August 1634
- 1643 Obit Marie Woomacke decimo tertio April 1643
- 1647 Nuptia Thomas Steele and Jane Womacke eodn die
- 1648 Obitus Richard Womacke 13 January
- 1649 Nuptia Thomas Womack and Susana Wright, April 22
- 1651 Richardus Fillius Thomas Womack baptiz Septe die April
- 1657 William the Sonne of Thomas Womacke borne November 17  
Baptized Dec. 3
- 1659 Illizabeth, dau. of Thomas Womack baptiz 15 March 1659
- 1665 Ann Fillie Thome Womake Baptized Vicessimo die March 20 1665
- 1672 Richard Womack and Izabell Emerson m Sept. 10 1672
- 1676 Elizabeth, daughter of Richard Womack baptized 14 Sept 1676
- 1677 Joseph, Son of Thomas Womack, Jr. baptized 16 April 1677
- 1678 Frances dau of Richard Womack - 2 March 1678
- 1698 William, Son of John Womack baptized April 7 1698

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**WILLIAM WOMACK - the Immigrant (?)** - b. pby in the early 1600's, possibly in the Norfolk area of England; d. (pby) by 1677, Henrico County, Virginia); married (by tradition) to **MARY ALLEN**

Indications that the Womack immigrant may have come from Norfolk, England are tenuous, but interesting. This matter is discussed in Cherry Grove, by Egbert Hudson Womack: "Kathrine (Corbett) Womack, third wife of Bishop Laurence Womack, was sister of Frances Corbett, who married Thomas Kemp in 1649. Ref: J. J. Muskett, in Suffolk Memorial Families, Vol. 2, p. 232. Bishop Womack named 'Robert Kemp, my nephew' in a [1685] codicil to his will. Frances Kemp, in her will dated 7 February 1689, left £5 to 'my dear sister Womack;' and 'Kath. Womack' was a witness to her will. Richard and Matthew Kemp, and probably their brother, Edward, came to Virginia. They were second cousins of Thomas Kemp. It has been suggested that the first Womack may have come over as an assistant to, or at the instigation of, one of the Kemps. While this is plausible, no definite proof has been found." [Note: Old Virginia and Her Neighbors by John Fiske gives great detail about the Kemps.]

The children listed below are assumed to be offspring of William, the immigrant; however, no documentary evidence exists, and there is much disagreement among veteran researchers as to which generation is applicable to some of those mentioned. For instance, some published material shows our **Abraham** (who died 1732/33) as a grandson of the immigrant, rather than a son. In this listing I have accepted Egbert Hudson Womack's opinion and have shown our lineage directly from the immigrant to Abraham, as set forth in Cherry Grove.

1. William Womack, Jr.; b. 1640's; d. c 1674, Henrico County; married Jane \_\_\_\_\_
2. \***ABRAHAM WOMACK** - b. c1644/47; d. 1732/33, Henrico Co.) possibly mar. SARAH SOMERSEALS/SOMERSCALES, who appeared on list of those transported to this country by Womack/Worsham/Stratton (date of land grant: 1691). She could not have been mother of his (known) children at that late date, however.
3. Richard Womack - b. c1655; d. 1684, Henrico County; married Mary Puckett, daughter of John Puckett, Sr. and wife, Anne. Richard received 400 acres of land in Henrico County, (by grant) "on the north side of Appomattox River, adj Aspen Swamp," in 1672. He is believed to have been killed by Indians. Ref: The Diary of Capt. William Byrd (see letter to Thomas Grendon dated "Aprill 25, 1684"). Virginia Historical Register, Vol. 1, 11:64.

Children of **William Womack - Immigrant**, cont'd.:

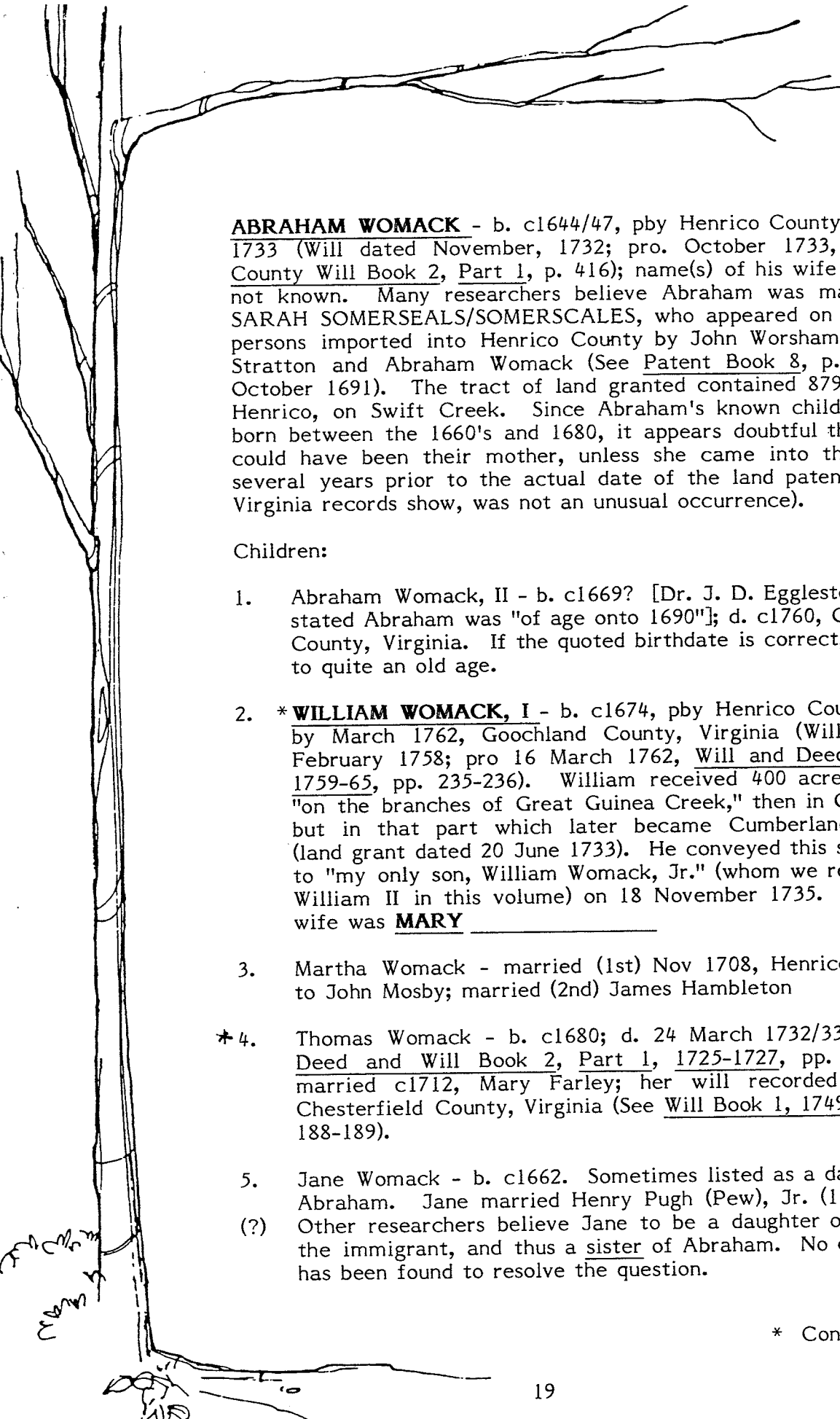
4. John Womack - b. c1653; d. Martins Brandon Parish, Prince George County, Virginia; will dated 18 October 1724; pro 8 February 1725); he is referred to as "John the wife beater," in family circles. Court data in The Valentine Papers, pp. 1771-1794 gives great detail regarding John's trials and tribulations. Many of his descendants were later found in various North Carolina counties.
5. Thomas Womack - b. c1647; d. 1697, Henrico County; will mentions neither wife nor children, and he is most often shown as unmarried. Others believe he was married to Ruth Puckett. Will of Thomas Womack mentioned "my brother, Thomas Puckett," -- assumed to mean brother-in-law. He also devised part of his estate to godchildren named Puckett, and one named Baugh. Others mentioned in his will included his brother Abraham, and John Granger (Granger's relationship to the testator not given). Thomas and William Puckett were named executors of Thomas Womack's will.
- \*6. Ann Womack - b. c1657; married William "Will" Puckett
- \*7. Mary Womack - b. c1659; d. c1694, Henrico County; married Thomas Puckett. See discussion above (and note below) regarding possible Puckett connections.

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Note: There is, of course a Puckett relationship to the family through marriage of Richard Womack (see above) and Mary Puckett. For family data on the Pucketts see Some Pucketts and their Kin, by Hester Elizabeth Garrett, [pub. Hartley Printing Company, Lansing, Michigan - 1960], and Roots and Some of the Branches of the Puckett Family Tree, by Christine South Gee, of Greenwood, S. C.; plus The Valentine Papers.

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- \*Egbert Hudson Womack did not identify Ann and Mary as daughters of William, the immigrant. He did, however, make reference to several court cases wherein Richard, William, Thomas and Abraham can be identified as brothers. (1) 8 April 1674: "It is ordered that the said Abra: Womack (brother of the said William) have two thirds of his Estate, both reall and personall and that the Widow have the other pt." This somehow related to the "difference" between Abraham Womack and William Clarke about the estate of William Womack, dec.d. (2) October, 1692, Henrico County: Abraham complained to the court that "the orphans of his brother Richard Womeck under ye tuition of John Granger do very much suffer for want of Necessary Educacon & apparrell. It is ordered that ye sd. John Granger be sumoned to ye next Court to answer to what shall be objected agst. him concerning the same." [Granger had married Richard's widow, Mary]. Henrico County Book 1, p. 492. (3) 1697: Henrico County: Abraham contested the will of his brother, Thomas, on the grounds of insanity; the jury found that Thomas was sane. [As mentioned above (child #5) Thomas named his brother, Abraham, in his will.]





**ABRAHAM WOMACK** - b. c1644/47, pby Henrico County; died by 1733 (Will dated November, 1732; pro. October 1733, Henrico County Will Book 2, Part 1, p. 416); name(s) of his wife or wives not known. Many researchers believe Abraham was married to SARAH SOMERSEALS/SOMERSCALES, who appeared on a list of persons imported into Henrico County by John Worsham, Edward Stratton and Abraham Womack (See Patent Book 8, p. 172, 20 October 1691). The tract of land granted contained 879 acres in Henrico, on Swift Creek. Since Abraham's known children were born between the 1660's and 1680, it appears doubtful that Sarah could have been their mother, unless she came into the colony several years prior to the actual date of the land patent (which, Virginia records show, was not an unusual occurrence).

Children:

1. Abraham Womack, II - b. c1669? [Dr. J. D. Eggleston's work stated Abraham was "of age onto 1690"]; d. c1760, Goochland County, Virginia. If the quoted birthdate is correct, he lived to quite an old age.
2. \* **WILLIAM WOMACK, I** - b. c1674, pby Henrico County; died by March 1762, Goochland County, Virginia (Will dated 6 February 1758; pro 16 March 1762, Will and Deed Book 8, 1759-65, pp. 235-236). William received 400 acres of land "on the branches of Great Guinea Creek," then in Goochland but in that part which later became Cumberland County (land grant dated 20 June 1733). He conveyed this same land to "my only son, William Womack, Jr." (whom we refer to as William II in this volume) on 18 November 1735. William's wife was **MARY** \_\_\_\_\_
3. Martha Womack - married (1st) Nov 1708, Henrico County, to John Mosby; married (2nd) James Hambleton
- \* 4. Thomas Womack - b. c1680; d. 24 March 1732/33 (Henrico Deed and Will Book 2, Part 1, 1725-1727, pp. 424-425); married c1712, Mary Farley; her will recorded in 1750, Chesterfield County, Virginia (See Will Book 1, 1749-1765, pp 188-189).
5. Jane Womack - b. c1662. Sometimes listed as a daughter of Abraham. Jane married Henry Pugh (Pew), Jr. (1665-1710).
- (?) Other researchers believe Jane to be a daughter of William, the immigrant, and thus a sister of Abraham. No court data has been found to resolve the question.

\* Continuation

**WILL OF ABRAHAM WOMACK** - Henrico County, Virginia - 1732/33  
(Henrico County Deeds and Wills, No. 2, Part 1, 1725-1737, page 416):

In the name of God \_\_\_\_\_ Womeck of the County and parish of Henrico being Sick and weak but of sound and Disposing m(ind?) \_\_\_\_\_ this my last Will and Testament in writeing as followeth Imprimis, I give and Devise To \_\_\_\_\_ my houshold goods which I left in his possession excepting a Suit of Curtains and ca (?) \_\_\_\_\_ also give my said Sons Wife my Gown Item I also give To my said Son my Ca \_\_\_\_\_ W(?) Womeck son of Wm Womeck what Money James Daniel owes me Item I give and Devise \_\_\_\_\_ eck my Two Negro Men Frank and York To him and his heirs forever I also give to my Said Son \_\_\_\_\_ ay Money which I have in Mr. Perrys hands Excepting Forty Shillings I also give To my said Son \_\_\_\_\_ Item I give and Devise To my Grandson William Womeck Son of Abraham Womeck my horse \_\_\_\_\_ I give To my Son Abraham Womeck Two brown Cows and a brown Steer Item I give and Devise To my \_\_\_\_\_ a Hambleton one Shilling Sterling and no more Item I give and Devise To my Son Thomas Womeck my \_\_\_\_\_ Matt To him and his heirs forever I also give To my said Son the forty Shillings which I Excepted To be sent for in g(y?) \_\_\_\_\_ I also give To my said Son Thomas my Bed and all the Furniture yt belongs to it; I also give to my said \_\_\_\_\_ Brass Kettle; I also give To my said Son one Trunk, and all my new goods I have by me I also give my said \_\_\_\_\_ I also give To my Son Thomas all my Wareing Apparriel both Linning and Wooling, I also give my (?) \_\_\_\_\_ (Spinning) Wheel Item I give and Devise To my Son Abraham Womeck all my money which he has \_\_\_\_\_ also give To my said Son all my houshold goods not Mentioned. My Desire is To be by(?) \_\_\_\_\_ Son Abrahams Discretion who I Constitute and appoint and appoint Whole and Sole Executor of \_\_\_\_\_ Will and Testement in Witness whereof I have I have hereunto Set my hand and Affixed my Seal \_\_\_\_\_ November 1732

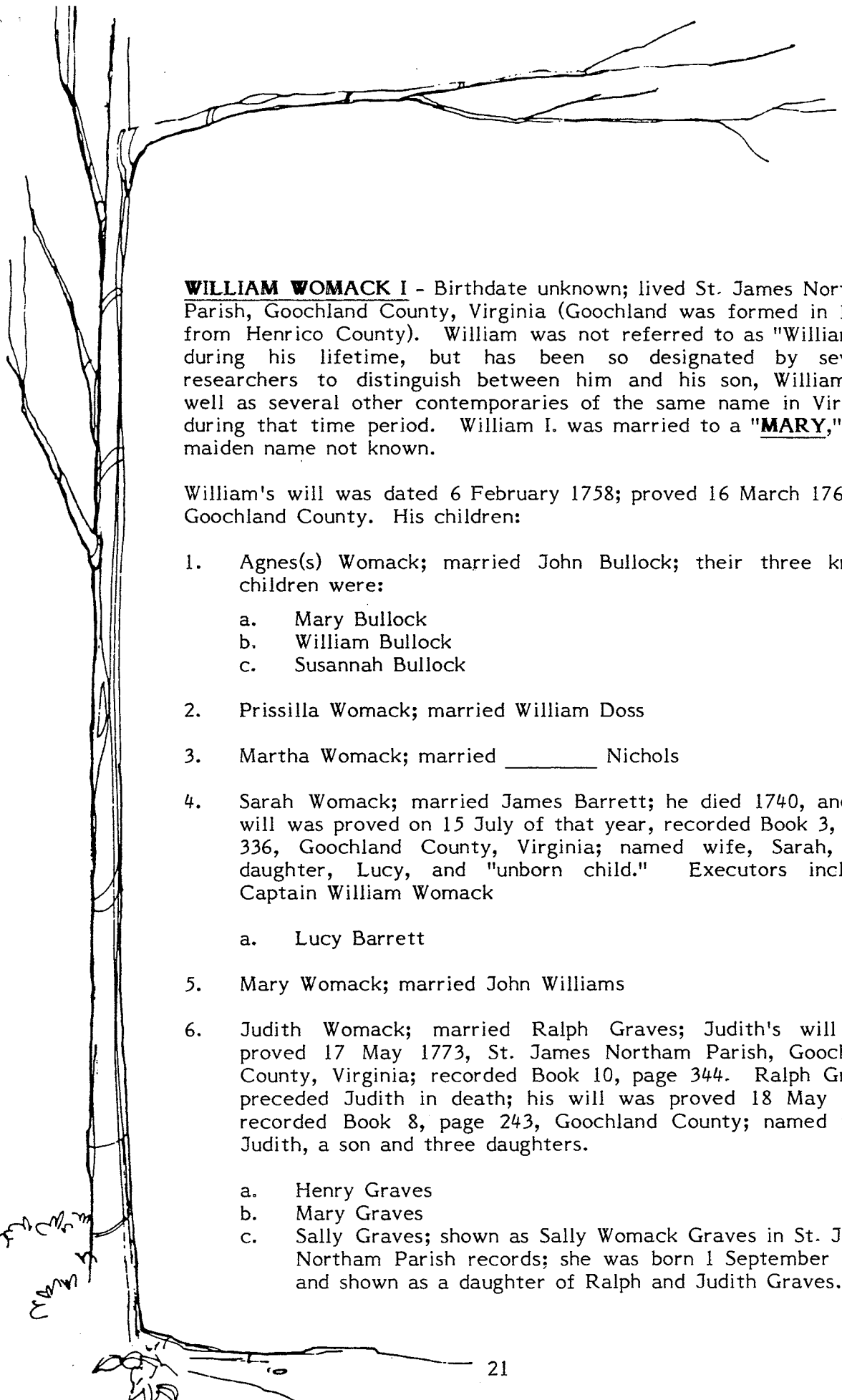
Signed, Sealed and published,  
and Dec \_\_\_\_\_ Abraham  
Womeck, as his last Will and  
\_\_\_\_\_ in presence of us,  
and this To take place before  
all oth(?) \_\_\_\_\_ ade by Me

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Abraham A.W. Womeck (Seal)  
mark

John Archer  
Robt. Graves  
Sarah her X mark Cook

At a \_\_\_\_\_ at Vorina for Henrico County the first Monday in October 1733 this \_\_\_\_\_ and Testement of Abraham Womeck Deceasd, was presented by Ab \_\_\_\_\_ meck Executor upon oath and the same being proved by the \_\_\_\_\_ Archer, and Sarah Cook, was there upon admitted To record

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**WILLIAM WOMACK I** - Birthdate unknown; lived St. James Northam Parish, Goochland County, Virginia (Goochland was formed in 1727, from Henrico County). William was not referred to as "William I." during his lifetime, but has been so designated by several researchers to distinguish between him and his son, William, as well as several other contemporaries of the same name in Virginia during that time period. William I. was married to a "MARY," her maiden name not known.

William's will was dated 6 February 1758; proved 16 March 1762, in Goochland County. His children:

1. Agnes(s) Womack; married John Bullock; their three known children were:
  - a. Mary Bullock
  - b. William Bullock
  - c. Susannah Bullock
2. Prissilla Womack; married William Doss
3. Martha Womack; married \_\_\_\_\_ Nichols
4. Sarah Womack; married James Barrett; he died 1740, and his will was proved on 15 July of that year, recorded Book 3, page 336, Goochland County, Virginia; named wife, Sarah, only daughter, Lucy, and "unborn child." Executors included Captain William Womack
  - a. Lucy Barrett
5. Mary Womack; married John Williams
6. Judith Womack; married Ralph Graves; Judith's will was proved 17 May 1773, St. James Northam Parish, Goochland County, Virginia; recorded Book 10, page 344. Ralph Graves preceded Judith in death; his will was proved 18 May 1762, recorded Book 8, page 243, Goochland County; named wife, Judith, a son and three daughters.
  - a. Henry Graves
  - b. Mary Graves
  - c. Sally Graves; shown as Sally Womack Graves in St. James Northam Parish records; she was born 1 September 1756, and shown as a daughter of Ralph and Judith Graves.