FBH 1 The family of LABAN HASSETT and FRANK "B" HASSETT, of Londonderry, Ireland and Wales, Massachusetts, USA

This family was first recorded here because the curious middle initial of Frank "B" Hassett (b.5.8.1872) suggested a possible Blennerhassett connection, but this is doubtful, no evidence found

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>|>>>> James Hassett >>>>>>>>>> >|>> John Hassett >>>>>>>>>>>>>> >|>> **Laban Hassett** >>>>>>>>>>>>> >|>> **Carey Laban Hassett** >>>>>>> >|>> Mary Hassett >>>>>>>>>>>>>>> >|>> Rose Widdifield d.

b.?.4.1758 (RC) Co.Londonderry, Ireland; d.4.12.1817 Wales, Massachusetts, USA
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emig. to of Oakham, Worcester County, Massachusetts; settled at Wales, Hampden Co., Massachusetts in 1792; (some sources have West Parish, Brimsfield, Hampden)
/
Farmer; His homestead at Wales, known as "the Hassett Place" was a farm on the North side of the Middle Rd to Monson, about one mile E. of Monson Lines; A good fertile farm in an attractive landscape
/
"...an industrious, steady, peaceable, kindly disposed man..."
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m.23.12.1783 Oakham, Massachusetts; Jane Harper b. Ireland; b.?.4.1766; d.2.4.1828
/
emig. to Massachusetts, USA; dau. of George Harper and Catherine Boyd

NOTE:
There are several references to this family in "Gardner's Book of Wales, Massachusetts" by Absolom Gardner

b.25.1.1786 Oakham, Worcester Co., Mass.; Moved with his parents to Wales, Hampden Co. Mass. 1792; **["Gardner's Book of Wales, Massachusetts" by Absolom Gardner]**
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Soon after their marriage left Wales for Attica, Genesee (now Wyoming) Co., in western New York; d.19.12.1861 Stockton, Chautauqua Co., New York
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"..of a mild, placid, unoffending temper & disposition.."
/
m.1st 21.9.1808 Elva Munger (issue); b.16.5.1788 Wales, Hampden Co.; d.5.8.1824 in childbirth, at Attica, Wyoming Co., New York; dau. of Cyrus Munger & Prudence Rogers

b.7.10.1811 Attica, Genesee (now Wyoming) Co. New York
/
Teacher; School Superintendant; Sunday School Teacher1857; Land Surveyor (& County Surveyor); Farmer; *"...a very good man, husband and father..."*
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Very active in church work; In 1836 a member of the "First Free Will Baptist Society of Varysburg" at Varysburg, Wyoming Co., NY; See: "A Village in the Valley" by Anita Ripstein (now Anita Ripstein Hayes), pub. in "Historical Wyoming" (Wasaw, New York) Vol.XXVI, No.2 Oct. 1979 & Jan. 1980)
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In 1856 he left NY with his family, going first to Illinois, then to Iowa where he started a farm
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d.24.1.1892 Howard Center (Cresco), Howard Co., Iowa; bur. Howard Center Cemetery;
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m.23.8.1840 New York; Lucy Rolfe; attended Free Will Baptist Church of Bethany, NY; b.c1816 Portageville, Wyoming Co., New York; d.7.7.1863 Howard Center, Howard Co. Iowa; bur. Howard Center Cemetery

>> Lorinda M. Hassett
b.5.6.1813 Attica; d.23.1.1886

>> <son> Hassett
b.1815 Attica d.1815 Attica

>> Elva Hassett
b.5.8.1824 Attica; d.5.12.1828

b.9.1.1843 (or 19.1.1843?) Portageville, Wyoming Co., New York; d.24.9.1914 (or 23.9.1914?) Cordele, Jackson Co., Texas; bur. Cordele Cemetery (cemetery now disused)
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moved to Howard Center, Howard Co., Iowa with his parents in 1856; later to Bozeman, Montana with his family, where he built a two-storey house on a large ranch; left Montana c1893 to go south with a load of horses, but never returned, going on to Louisiana, then Texas
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m.1st 26.2.1865 East Ashford, Cattaraugus, NY (Martha) Abi Remington *(Abi pronounced with long 'a' & long 'b')*
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b.22.11.1846 E. Ashford, Cattaraugus, New York; d.29.10.1934 Salem, Marion, Oregon; bur. Belfountain Cemetery, Polk Co., Oregon

b.14.7.1866 Cresco d.1.3.1951
/
m. Frank Widdifield

>> Bartlett Elmer Hassett; b.5.2.1868 Cresco; d.24.7.1883 unm.

Frank "B" Hassett >>>>>>>>> >|>> Virgil Merle Hassett
b.5.8.1872 Cresco, Howard, Iowa; Left Montana with mother & sister, went to Oregon; of 1824 Franklin St. Lebanon 1957; weather observer for US Government; d.6.10.1957 Lebanon, Linn County, Oregon; bur.10.10.1957 Independent Order of Odd Fellows (IOOF) Cemetery, Lebanon
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Frank was adamant that he had had no middle name, that the "B" stood on its own, not as initial for any middle name; he did use "Benjamin" as his middle name but one time only, on the birth certificate of his daughter Ruth, as was pressed to give a middle name, but that invented by him at the time
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It is possible that, if the middle initial 'B' was intended by his parents to represent any name, it may have been Burdett', after his uncle
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m.7.6.1919 Albany, Linn, Oregon; Manila Evaline (Manila Evelyn) McTimmonds; b.c1897/8 Oregon

>> Mertie Hassett >>>>>>>>>>>>>> >|>> Ida Trapp d.
b.15.1.1876 d.2.11.1970
/
m. Arthur Trapp
/
>> Gerald Trapp

>> Fannie Hassett b.10.8.1878 >>>> >|>> Giles Hassett d.
Alden, Freeborn, Minnisota USA; d.22.5.1968
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m.27.11.1901 Noah A. Palmer b.c1874

b.?.2.1914 Oregon; d.

>> George Raymond Hassett b.1920

>> Martha Evelyn Hassett b.1921

>> (Flora) Marie Hassett b.1922

>> Charles "Chuck" Tracy Hassett b.1924

>> (Edna) June Hassett b.1929

>> Ruth Ina Hassett b.1931; of Union, Oregon, USA; b.c1932; **FAMILY RESEARCHER** Ruth Murphy is writing her life story
/
m. <???> Murphy

>> Leta Eleanor Hassett b.1933

>> Arthur Widdifield d.

>> Harry Widdifield d.

>> Cora Widdifield d.

>> Beth Widdidfield d.

>> twin d.

>> twin d.

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>> Hettie Hassett d.

>> Bessie Hassett d.

>> Fern Hassett

>> Gilfred Hassett

|>: Charles "Charlie" Hassett >>>>> >|>> Clinton Hassett d.
b.23.9.1880 d.23.3.1924
|>: Lloyd E. Hassett >>>>>>>>>: >|>>
m. Sarah Stoutenberg
b.1908 Montana; d.
m. Margaret Long d.
|>: Anna Hassett d.
|>: Russell Hassett d.
|>: Wesley Hassett d.
|>: Helen Hassett d.
|>: Archie Hassett d.
|>: Marian Hassett d.

|>: Martha Hassett >>>>>>>>>>>>: >|>> Clara Cameron d.
b.21.4.1884 d.23.1.1962
|>: Luella Cameron d.
m. John Cameron
|>: Florence Cameron d.
|>: Elma Cameron d.
|>: Jack Cameron d.
|>: Carolyne Cameron d.
|>: Isabel Cameron d.
|>: Elazebeth Cameron d.

|>: Flora Hassett >>>>>>>>>>>>>>>: >|>> Floyd Waltz d.
b.21.5.1890 d.6.9.1980
|>: Merle Waltz d.
m. Raz Waltz
|>: Elsie Waltz d.

m.2nd 6.9.1897 Texas
Celestine Chapman >>>>>>>>>>: >|>> Rosie Lena Hassett
b.25.1.1869
(or b.28.6.1872?);
d.3.1.1868 El Campo, Texas
her 1st marriage...
|>: Clara Luch Hassett
b.29.6.1898 d.17.5.1994
b.14.10.1900 d.14.8.1987

she m.2nd 1922
Tiluse Fontenot
she m.3rd Ezeb Fontenot
|>: Fred West Hassett
b.19.7.1902 Church Point,
Arcadia; d.24.10.1983

|>: Dora Hassett; b.28.5.1904 d.?.2.1989

|>: Ruby Ruth Hassett >>>>>>>>>>: >|>> La Vonne Johnson
b.13.4.1906 d.21.10.1988
m. James Barrie Kyle
m.4.10.1924
Kensley Andrew Johnson

|>: Ray West Hassett
b.20.6.1908 d.28.2.1909

|>: Maggie Mae West
b.13.5.1911 d.17.1.1988

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| / | |>> Eugene Elvan Hassett; b.20.3.1845 NY;
| / | d.2.1.1864 in army, during the U.S. Civil War; bur. at St.Louis, Missouri
| / | /
| / | His name & military service record are inscribed on the back of his
| / | mother's gravestone at Howard Center Cemetery, Howard Co., Iowa;
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| / | |>> Celetia Adel Hassett; b.25.2.1848 NY; d.15.3.1848; of Howard Center
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| / | |>> Rollo Hassett; b.24.4.1850 NY; d.11.12.1850
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| / | |>> (Orlo) Burdett Hassett; b.11.2.1852 NY; d.18.4.1924; of Howard Center
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m.2nd 18.1.1825
Eliza Kidney >>>>>>>>>>>>>> >|>> Susan Hassett b.12.5.1826 (one of the two dau. living at New York 1912)
b.c1804/8 Ohio |
d.24.12.1840 |>> William Hassett b.28.9.1827; of New York 1912
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m.3rd ?.11.1843 |>> John E. Hassett >>>>>>>>>>>> >|>> Ella Betsyann Hassett >>>>>>> >|>> <???> >>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>: >|>> <???> >>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>: >|>>
Fanny Belden; b.c1790 | b.23.10.1829; d.1912 of Chautauqua Co., NY
| / /
| m. (in NY ?) Betsy Ann Goodrich m. <???>
| & went west to Chatsfield, MN 1856
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|>> Antoinette Hassett b.24.11.1831
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|>> Quincy A. Hassett >>>>>>>>>> >|>> <???> Hassett >>>>>>>>>>>>>: >|>> Alice Latchaw >>>>>>>>>>>>>> >|>> <???> >>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>: >|>>
b.10.2.1834 Ohio; d.20.5.1915 / /
of Union, Randolph Co., m. <???> m. <???>
Missouri in 1860
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m. <???>

|>> Jane Hassett; b.20.2.1788 Mass.; d.25.8.1842
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|>> James Hassett Jr; b.11.4.1790 d.1850;
"...a very unruly, undutiful boy..." often causing trouble for the family;
Left the area after stealing a colt from his father & and selling it
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|>> Lucinda Hassett; b.20.1.1794 Mass.; d.15.6.1864
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|>> Mary Hassett; b.3/5.1.1798 Mass.; d.?.12.1838
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|>> William Hassett; ...of a good nature..."; b.13.8.1802 (twin); d.14.12.1862
moved to western New York soon after their marriage; *"...a good simple man..."*
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m.?.3.1827 Aehsah Willington
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|>> Diana Hassett; b.13.8.1802 (twin); d.14.12.1862
|
|>> **Laban Hassett**; b.24.3.1804 Wales, Hampden, Massachusetts;
said to be like his brother James Hassett, *"...maliciousness, villainousness,*
meanness were prominent among his characteristics...";
NOTE: only 7 years older than his nephew Laban Hassett
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m. <???> ("...married a wife at some place distant...")
"...his wife was in unexpectness, by her neighbours, found dead, and that he (her husband)
was suspected as having caused it by strangulation. Cannot tell what finally became of him..."