IND 01 **DISCONNECTED Blennerhassett families in INDIA** No connection to any branch of the family yet found...

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A BLENNERHASSETT FAMILY FROM Co.KERRY, IRELAND WHO MOVED TO INDIA, UK AND AUSTRALIA

>|>>>>>> William John >>>>>>>>>>: >|>>> John Blennerhassett (alias Hassett) >>>: >|>>> Richard Anthony Hassett >>>>>>> >|>>> Margaret Hassett >>>>>>>>> >|>>>

Blennerhassett
b. Co.Kerry, Ireland
/
said to have moved
from Ireland to India
with his three sons
/
m. <???>

b. Co.Kerry, Ireland;
believed to have moved to India with his
father & brothers, but a different family
tradition says all three brothers went
to Australia, two moving on to India...
/
m. Alice Navin (Naven?)

perhaps(?) moved to England
/
m. <???>

/
m. Thomas Campbell

|>>> James Blennerhassett (alias Hassett) >>> >|>>> James "Jimsie" Hassett unm.

b.c1872 Co.Kerry, Ireland (or India?);
believed to have moved to India
with his father & brothers
/
"...dropped the Blenner from his
name because he didn't like it being
so long..."
/
"...rode a "penny-farthing" bicycle,
the only one in India I think, possibly
inherited from his father who might
have brought it out of Ireland..."
/
"...raised a sarus crane who looked
after him like a watch-dog and walked
around freely..."
The Sarus Crane (*Grus antigone*)
is a large non-migratory crane found
in parts of the Indian Subcontinent,
the tallest of the flying birds, standing
at a height of up to 1.8 m (5.9 ft)
/
d. early 1954
/
/
m.1885 Presidency of Bombay, India
Martha Pereira (born Williams)
Martha Williams had a sister Mary
Williams; their parents died of cholera;
during their illness they had left their
daughters alone in a closed room to
keep them isolated and uninfected;
the girls were subsequently adopted
by a neighbour named Pereira and
so took their surname Pereira
/
family tradition has it that Mary Pereira
(born Williams) married "the Earl of
Balfour" who was visiting India, then
went with him to live in England; she
returned to India with her husband to
visit, staying with James and Martha
(her sister) Hassett;
however, I have found no Pereira
connection with any of these families:
The Earl of Balfour
Lord Balfour of Burleigh
Baronet Balfour of Albury Lodge

|>>> Bertha Hassett

|>>> Percy Hassett >>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>: >|>>> Jim Hassett
/
m. Gwendoline Payne

b. India d.1980s UK

|>>> Gwendoline Hassett

|>>> (Ernest Hector) Peter Hassett : >>|>>>
b.25.3.1932 Bilaspur, India;
moved to England c1952; d. UK
/
m. 1st cousin
Jean Celine Norris
b.21.2.1932 Juppulpore
(renamed Jabalpur),
Madhya Pradesh, India;
moved to England c1948

|>>> David Hassett >>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>> >|>>> Elaine Hassett
/
m. Edith <???>

|>>> Leonard Hassett

|>>> Hubert Earl Hassett >>>>>>>>>>>> >|>>> Norman Hector Hassett >>>>: >|>>>
b.1898 d.1961
a great cricketer; in one match
he set a record by bowling six
maiden overs, a commemoration
of this hangs in the Bombay
Sports centre
NOTE: "...sports ran through this
Hassett family, boxing, cricket,
hockey, football and tennis..."
/
m.22.12.1923 or 19.12.1924 (RC)
Church of St Peter and St Paul,
Jubbulpore (now RC Cathedral);
Kathleen Bernadette Fowler
b.1908 d.1978
/
dau. of Arthur Girdsom Fowler
(b. Probably Co.Cork, Ireland
but perhaps Co.Limerick, Ireland)
and his wife Kathleen Cotter
he went to India;
of Jubbulpore, Central Provinces
(now Jabalpur, Madyah Pradesh)
where he resided
"for quite some time"
/

b. India d. India
/
m. Edna Lavocah

|>>> Maurice Hassett >>>>>>>>>>: >|>>>
b. India d. UK
/
m. Juliet Paczensky

|>>> Ninon Hassett >>>>>>>>>>>> >|>>>
b. India d. UK
/
m. Terrrence Paczensky
b. India d. UK

|>>> <son> Blennerhassett
said to have emig. either
to Australia or South Africa

/
AGF died at Jubbulpore
c1918/20 and is buried in the
cemetery at Jubbulpore
/
AGF was a witness to this
1923 marriage
/
NOTE:
The Fowlers, Cotters and Bilbys
were related by marriage and said
to come from the Co.Cork area of
Ireland; Uncle Bertram "Bertie"
returned there from India c1937/9
/
seemingly not connected to
Arthur G. Fowler
bapt. Presidency of Madras 1871
(India Office Library index to
register of baptisms, vol.1 p.83)

|>>> Doris Hassett |>>>
d.1930 an infant

|>>> Kathleen "Kath" Hassett >>>> >|>>>
b.1931 India
reverted to maiden name 1998
moved to England to India;
(when?) then from England
to Australia 1970 |>>>
/
of Melbourne, Victoria,
Australia
FAMILY RESEARCHER
/ |>>>
m. Gene Raymond
b.1920 Ceylon (Sri Lanka)
d.1983 Australia

|>>> Hubert Earl Hassett >>>>>>> >|>>>
b.1933 India
/ |>>>
m. Sheila <???>
|>>>

|>>> Marina Hassett >>>>>>>>>>: >|>>>
b.c1935 India
/ |>>>
m. Lincoln Baskett
|>>>

|>>> Shirley Hassett >>>>>>>>>>: >|>>>
/
m. Michael Wake |>>>
|>>>

|>>> David Hassett >>>>>>>>>>> >|>>>
/
m. Ann <???> |>>>
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|                                          |
|                                          |>>> Gwendoline Hassett >>>>>>> >|>>>
|                                          |              /                |
|                                          |     m. Thomas McLucas         |>>>
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|                                          |>>> Stewart Hassett >>>>>>>>>> >|>>>
|                                          |              /                |
|                                          |     m. Christine <???>        |>>>
|
|>>> Henrietta Hassett >>>>>>>>>>>>>> >|>>> Carlisle Hassett
|                 /                        |
|     m. William Norris                    |>>> Leonie Hassett
|                                          |
|                                          |>>> Jean Celine Norris >>>>>>>> >>|>>>
|                                          |     b.21.2.1932 Juppulpore
|                                          |     (renamed Jabalpur),
|                                          |     Madhya Pradesh, India;
|                                          |     moved to England c1948
|>>> Mary Martha "Babsie"                  |              /
|     (not Barbara) Hassett                |     m. 1st cousin
|                                          |     (Ernest Hector) Peter Hassett
|                                          |     b.25.3.1932
|>>> Maisie Hassett                        |     Bilaspur, India;
                                           |     moved to England c1952; d.
                                           |
                                           |>>> William "Billy" Hassett
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DISCONNECTED HASSETT FAMILIES in INDIA

James Edward Hassett b.c1866 India; of Co.Lancashire, England 1881

Henry Hassett b.c1871 India; of Co.Lancashire, England 1881

Huice (Joyce ?) Blennerhassett - female; b.c1876 India
visitor with the Northcote family at
43 Royal Crescent, Kensington, London, England 1901

Michael Hassett; serving with the Army in India 1827
/
m.1827 Presidency of Madras, to <???>
Army Returns - marriages - 1796 to 1880 (Station Madras, Year 1827, p.737)

Michael Hassett; Private, 53rd Regt. of Foot (Shropshire Regt.)
Served in India during the Indian Mutiny 1857-1859 **[Indian Mutiny Medal Roll]**

William Hassett; Private, 53rd Regt. of Foot (Shropshire Regt.)
Served in India during the Indian Mutiny 1857-1859 **[Indian Mutiny Medal Roll]**

William Hassett bapt.1827 St.Mary's Church, Fort St.George, Presidency of Madras

William Hassett; m.1854 Presidency of Bombay; Isabella de Silva

William Hassett, Sergeant, 12th Regt. of Foot
Sailed to India with the 12th Regt. on the Indiaman "Rockingham" 1796, disembarked at Fort St George 9.1.1797

Emily J. Hassett; bapt. 1868 Presidency of Madras

Thomas Hassett
m.1855 Presidency of Bengal; Rosina Seymour

Private Thomas Hassett; arrived in India from England September 1754;
serving in the 2nd Troop of Cavalry, Madras Army April 1762

Thomas Blenner Hassett (aka Thomas B. Hassett)
/
m.1871 (Registry Office) Presidency of Bengal, India; Rosy Anna Aratoon

John Hassett
/
m.1867 Presidency of Madras; Mary J. Doherty

Mary Hassett is listed among girls who left Madras Military Asylum between 1829 and 1838;
she was removed from the asylum by her mother; her father was at that time in Europe

<???> Hassett >>>>>>>>>>: >|>>> John Hassett; engine driver with GIP Railway, Byculla, India
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|>>> Elizabeth "Lizzie" Edith Hassett
m.7.6.1889 at RC Church, Jhansi, Presidency of Bengal
William Denis Shanahan

Michael Hassett; labourer; of Cork, Co.Clare, Ireland (therefore unlikely to be a Blennerhassett);
enlisted (10 years) in the East India Company army 5.11.1853 at Cork;
Private in the 3rd European Regt., sailed to India on ship "Marion" 1853

Matthew Hassett; labourer; of Ennistymon, Co.Clare, Ireland (therefore unlikely to be a Blennerhassett);
enlisted in the East India Company army at Limerick 1847;
Gunner, 2nd Company, 1st Battalion Artillery; sailed to India on ship "Boyne" 1847

MADRAS: The Presidency of Madras (a.k.a. Madras Province and known officially as Presidency of Fort St. George) was a province of British India;
At its greatest extent, Madras Presidency included much of southern India, including the modern Indian State of Tamil Nadu, the Malabar region of
North Kerala, Lakshadweep Islands, the Coastal Andhra and Rayalaseema regions of Andhra Pradesh, Ganjam district of Orissa and the Bellary,
Dakshina Kannada, and Udupi districts of Karnataka; The winter capital was the city of Madras (renamed Chennai 1996), the summer capital Ootacamund

BOMBAY: The Presidency of Bombay, another province of British India, was established in the 17th century as a trading post for the East India
Company and grew to encompass much of western and central India; At its greatest extent the Bombay Presidency comprised the modern Indian
state of Gujarat, the western two thirds of the state of Maharashtra, including the regions of Konkan, Desh, and Kandesh, and N.W. Karnataka state;
It also included modern Pakistan's Sindh province and the former British territory of Aden in southern Yemen.
Bombay Presidency consisted partly districts directly under British rule and partly princely states, ruled by their traditional ruler with a British governor