JESSE AYCOCK

Jesse Aycock was born about 1743, based upon the birth dates of his children.[1] The will of Jesse, dated November 7, 1822, probated 1823, gave detailed instructions regarding the disposition of his property, and naming James and Simon Aycock as executors of his will.[2]

The children of Jesse, as named in his will, were Ephraim, Simon, Solomon, Ann Newsom, Elias, Timothy, Jesse, Benjamin and James. Grandchildren named in his will were Daniel Aycock, Joel, Nancy and Penelope Newsom, Jesse and John Newsom, Zilpha Newsom, and Elizabeth Wilkison. After the naming of specific bequests, Jesse left the balance of his estate to be equally divided among all his grandchildren.

Earliest record we have of Jesse is his service in Colonel Benjamin Exum's Company during the American Revolution.[3] In 1778 Jesse Aycock acquired 900 acres of land in Dobbs County, North Carolina,[4] and on October 25, 1782, he received a North Carolina land grant of 150 acres--on the south side of the Great Swamp, adjoining his own line.[5] Jesse continued to purchase land in Wayne County through the year 1816.[6]

From Anna Cook on Jesse Aycock—

From 1836 to 1843, after the death of Jesse's wife, Patience, suits were brought against Simon Aycock, surviving executor of Jesse Aycock's will, on behalf of the grandchildren. In these court papers we find named most of the grandchildren of Jesse.[7]

Three of the sons of Jesse--James, Simon and Timothy--remained in North Carolina. Jesse, Jr., Solomon, Elias, Benjamin and Ephraim moved to Georgia. Jesse Aycock, Jr., can be found in Jefferson County, Georgia, as early as 1799, when he is listed as liable to serve as petit juror.[8] Solomon Aycock is named in the will of William Folkes, Sr., November 27, 1807, probated July 3, 1815, Jefferson County.[9] Elias is found in the 1820 and 1830 Laurens County census records. Benjamin Aycock can be found in Wilkinson County as early as 1809, when he is listed on the membership roll of Ramah Primitive Baptist Church with wife Eliza "Elizabeth" Proctor.[10] Ephraim Aycock is living in Randolph County in 1840 and 1850 and can be found in the census records.

We have not been able to find proof of the first wife of Jesse Aycock; however, the will of John Newsom, 1790, Johnston County, North Carolina, and the will of Patience Aycock, 1824, probate 1828, Wayne County, North Carolina, prove her to be the wife of Jesse Aycock, married to him probably about 1792.

JESSE AYCOCK

1 Jesse Aycock, b. c. 1743, d. 1823, Wayne County, North Carolina, m.
m. c. 1792 Patience Hinnant Newsom

11 Elias Aycock, b. c. 1768, d. after 1836, Laurens County, Georgia

12 James Aycock, b. c. 1770, d.c. 1836, Wayne County, North Carolina, m. 2nd Charity Wilkerson, March 29, 1808, Johnston County, North Carolina

13 Simon Aycock, b. c. 1772, d. before 1844 Wayne County, N. C.

14 Jesse Aycock, b. c. 1774, North Carolina, d. after 1830, Bullock County, Georgia, m. Winifred -, b. 1790, Georgia

15 Benjamin Aycock, b. c. 1775, North Carolina, m. Elizabeth Proctor

16 Timothy Aycock, b. July 2, 1777, Dobbs County, North Carolina, d. November 23, 1849, Wayne County, N. C., m. Mary "Polly" Daniel, b. 1787, d. March 29, 1871. Polly was the daughter of Mary and Isaac Daniel

17 Solomon Aycock, b. c. 1780, North Carolina

18 Ann Aycock, b. c. 1784, North Carolina, m. - Newsome

19 Ephraim Aycock, b. c. 1786, Wayne County, North Carolina, d. before 1860 Randolph County, Georgia, m. Edyann -.

[1]Will of Jesse Aycock, Wayne County, N. C., Wills, 1776 to 1923 Unbound, North Carolina State Archives

[2]1820 Laurens Co., Ga., 1820 Wilkinson Co., Ga., 1830 Wayne Co., N. C., 1830 Bullock, Laurens, Randolph Co., Ga., census records

[3]Johnston County, N. C., Marriages, 1808

[4]Wayne Co., N. C., History Bicentennial Edition

[5]Information from Mrs. Gerry Hill, Mrs. Meldon Aycock

WILL OF JESSE AYCOCK

In the name of God Amen, November 7, 1822

Whereas Jesse Aycock being weak in body but in perfect mind and memory, thanks be to God, do make and publish this to be my last will and testament. Viz. in the first place I recommend my body to be buried in a Christian like and decent manner and my soul into the hands of God that gave it.

Item I lend to my wife, Patience Aycock, two feather beds and furniture, one mare by name Dimont, one plow hoe and cutter fraim and one lamb and six sitting chairs, one bofat and all the furniture belonging to it. Two pots of her choice, one frying pan and spider, two pewter dishes, three Do Basons-one gallon one and two 1/2 gallon and two quart basons and six do plates, two cows and calves or yearlings, four head of sheep, one flat iron, one case of knives and forks, four negroes by names of Jacob Peter and two by name of Haner, and the house and plantation whereon I now live--Beginning at the mouth of the little swamp and runs up a bottom called the gully bottom to Elly Hooks fence containing the whole of my land up the little swamp which I shall not hereafter give off in legacies during her natural life or widowhood.

I give to my three grandsons, Ervin, Ely and Elisha Aycock, sons of Ephraim Aycock, a certain tract or parcel of land beginning at a pine, James Aycock's corner and runs his line N to a corner black jack, from thence to a larger pine on the north about 60 feet, east of end of large pine log on the north, then to upper end of pond, then down to the lower end of the great marsh, then up the same to poplar in Deans' line, then with said line to stake, thence to the beginning to be equally divided to them and their heirs forever.

I give to my son Simon Aycock a certain tract or parcel of land, beginning at Elly Hooks fence at the head of the gully bottom and runs down the same to the mouth of the little swamp, then up the great swamp to the mouth of the Cow Branch, then up the same to a poplar, then along by the end of old field called the Brent old field, down a glade to the Reedy Branch, then up the said Reedy Branch to where my line crosses the branch, then west to a pine then N. with my line to a pine, then nearly East along Simon's new ground fence leaving Simon's part on his side and goes betwixt Simon and Timothy Aycock's houses to the head of the Poplar Branch, then down the same to my line, then to the beginning to him and his heirs forever.

I give to my grandson Daniel Aycock all the balance of my land N. of Simon Aycock's line to him and his heirs forever.

from Aycock + Hill Book

Jane Aycock
Richardson, TX

JESSE AYCOCK

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different from ours

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some differences

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[2] 1820 Laurens County, Georgia, Census
1820 Wilkinson Co., Ga., Census
1830 Wayne Co., N. C., census
1830 Bullock, Laurens, Randolph County, Georgia, Census

[3] Johnston County, N. C., Marriages, 1808

[4] Wayne Co., N. C., History, Bicentennial Edition

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CENSUS RECORDS - SONS OF JESSE AYCOCK, b.c.1743, d. 1822,
Wayne County, N. C.

1830 Wayne Co., N. C. #533
Timothy Aycock

Males						
under 5	5-10	10-15	15-20	20-30	30-40	40-50
4	1					1

Females					
Under 5	5-10	10-15	15-20	20-30	30-40
1		2			1

1830 Wayne Co., N. C.
James Aycock

Males						
u.5	5-10	10-15	15-20	20-30	30-40	50-60
1	2	2		1		1

Females						
u.5	5-10	10-15	15-20	20-30	30-40	40-50
	1	1	1			1

1820 Laurens Co., Georgia
Elias Aycock

Elias, 1830, 60-70

Males					
u.10	10-16	16-18	16-26	26-45	45-up
1		1		1	1

Females				
u.10	10-16	16-26	26-45	45-up
			1	

1820 Wilkinson County, Georgia
Benjamin Aycock

Males					
u.10	10-16	16-18	16-26	26-45	45-up
3	2	1	3		1

Females				
u.10	10-16	16-26	26-45	45-up
2	1	1	1	

CENSUS RECORDS - SONS OF JESSE AYCOCK

Bullock County, Georgia, 1830
Jesse Aycock

Males			
5-10	10-15	20-30	50-60
1	2	2	1

Females	
u.5	30-40
1	1

Randolph County, Georgia, 1850

Ephraim Aycock	age	64	birthplace	N. C.
Edia Aycock, wife		60		Ga.
Mary Minor Aycock		12		Ga.

Wayne County, N. C., 1820
Simon Aycock

Males				
u.10	10-16	16-26	26-45	45-up
2				1

Females				
u.10	10-16	16-26	26-45	45-up
	3			1

I give to my three grand children, Joel, Nancy and Penelope Newsom all my land bought of John and Richard Brent as far as Simon's line with a 46 acre tract in the Picoson to be equally divided and drawn for by a committee to them and their heirs forever.

I give to the use of Baptist Church the meeting house and the one acre of land round the same with all the priviledge of the lanes leading to the same so long as it will last.

I give to my grandson Jesse Newsom twenty dollars.

I give to my grandson John Newsom twenty dollars.

I give to my daughter Ann Newsom twenty five dollars.

I give to my son Solomon Aycock two hundred dollars.

I give to my son Elias Aycock twenty dollars.

I leave all my Negroes that I have not lent to my wife to be sold with the balance of my estate and the money arising from the same after paying my just debts and legácies with all my notes and accounts to be equally divided among my children and grandchildren hereafter named.

I give to my son Ephraim Aycock one hundred and fifty dollars to him and his heirs forever.

I give to my son Timothy Aycock one hundred and fifty dollars to him and his heirs forever.

I give to my granddaughter Elizabeth Wilkinson twenty dollars.

I give to my granddaughter Zilpha Newsom twenty dollars.

The balance of my estate I leave to be equally divided among the whole of my grand children except Jesse, John and Zilpha Newsom and Elizabeth Wilkinson, the lawful heirs of Ann Newsom. Beside those named, the lawful heirs of Elias Aycock, also of Jesse Aycock, also of Benjamin Aycock, also of James Aycock, also of Ephraim Aycock, also Timothy Aycock, also of Simon Aycock. After the death of my wife have the Negroes and other property lent my wife, except the land to be sold and put to the use above named. Peter and Haner to be sold together and the land lent her to be rented for the above use. I constitute and appoint my two sons, James and Simon Aycock, executors of this my last will and testament in witness whereof I have set my hand and seal the day and year above written.

his
mark
Jesse Aycock

Signed, sealed and
acknowledged in presence of
Jacob Fulghum
Jacob Hooks

Wayne County, N. C. Wills 1776-1923 Unbound-1823
North Carolina Archives.