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Group: SelbyvilleHistoryAndGenealogy **Message:** 2 **From:** marjorie **Date:** 6/29/2010

Subject: Buntin's/Bunton's (Bunting's) Mill

Where exactly was Buntin's Mill?

I believe the evidence points to just south of the larger of the 2 mill ponds that show on the map of Selbyville, Baltimore Hd. of Beers Atlas 1868. This would be to the left on the present road to Bethany Beach just before Phillip Showell School. Please add any documentation you have in support of this.

I will be adding my documentation soon. The other Selbyville Yahoo! site, which discourages members' input, tries to prove it was on the road to Fenwick, near the present Buntings Mill Pond Development. Please add any evidence you have to refute this.

Group: SelbyvilleHistoryAndGenealogy **Message:** 3 **From:** marjorie **Date:** 6/29/2010

Subject: Selbyville Mystery

Where did the date 1788 come from which the town of Selbyville uses as the founding date? This date is on their sign north of town on Rt 113 and is on the seal that shows on the town web page. I have seen it quoted but have not found its source or a document with 1788 that would verify it. Please post any documentation that you think may be the reason for this date

being used.

Group: SelbyvilleHistoryAndGenealogy
Message: 4
From: selbyvillehistory
Date: 6/30/2010
Subject: Map of Baltimore Hundred

I've posted a copy of the 1868 Beers map of Baltimore Hundred. It's in the Files/Maps folder of the Group Website. You should be able to download it or view it in your browser. When viewing it in Adobe Reader, you can set the scale (zoom), and also pan left, right, up or down. (Works for me - I hope it works for you) Merlot

Group: SelbyvilleHistoryAndGenealogy
Message: 5
From: jasonleehudson
Date: 7/1/2010
Subject: Hudson Cemetery #594, aka Hickory Hill

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Group: SelbyvilleHistoryAndGenealogy
Message: 7
From: bluelightning75@aol.com
Date: 7/1/2010
Subject: Re: Hudson Cemetery #594, aka Hickory Hill

I think this one is called Hickory Tree not Hickory Hill.
 I believe Hickory Hill is a small community west of Millsboro.

In a message dated 7/1/2010 7:13:36 A.M. Eastern Daylight Time, hudsonjlee@msn.com writes:

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Message: 8
From: jasonleehudson
Date: 7/1/2010
Subject: Re: Hudson Cemetery #594, aka Hickory Hill

Yes, Hickory Hill is west of Millsborough. I've made the correction.
 Thanks.

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Group: SelbyvilleHistoryAndGenealogy **Message:** 10 **From:** wolong42 **Date:** 7/2/2010
Subject: McCabe Reunion 2010 ????

Anybody know if the Selbyville McCabe Clan is having a reunion this year? If I recall correctly, they have always been on the third sunday in August at the Salem Church. They used to send announcements to their mailing list, but I haven't received one in years.

Bill Long
Crofton, Maryland

Group: SelbyvilleHistoryAndGenealogy **Message:** 11 **From:** bluelightning75@aol.com **Date:** 7/2/2010
Subject: Re: McCabe Reunion 2010 ????

If you get a place and time would you please let me know too.
thanks

In a message dated 7/2/2010 11:38:10 A.M. Eastern Daylight Time, wolong@aol.com writes:

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Subject: Shankland DE 1776 resurvey of James Murray's "Murray's Addition"

Would like to have a copy of this document on the site. If you have or can get a copy (or transcription), please add to the Murray folder.

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Marjorie
"Be glad of life because it gives you the chance to love and to work and to play and to look up at the stars."~ Henry Van Dyke

Group: SelbyvilleHistoryAndGenealogy **Message:** 15 **From:** AudraH **Date:** 7/7/2010

Subject: Hello!

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Looking forward to "meeting" all of you.

Audra

Group: SelbyvilleHistoryAndGenealogy **Message:** 16 **From:** wolong@aol.com **Date:** 7/7/2010
Subject: Re: Hello!

Audra,
Hello - Nice to meet you. I need to introduce myself too. I'm Bill Long, age 68, I live in Crofton, MD (near Annapolis) and have deep roots in Sussex Co. My father was born in Lewes, DE. His father was born somewhere around Dagsboro or Bishopville....not sure exactly where. My Long Line is descended from the same Joe Long that is presumably buried in the Joe Long Cemetery.
See my page at:

<http://freepages.genealogy.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~cfii/>

Bill

In a message dated 7/7/2010 12:18:02 A.M. Eastern Daylight Time, audramhart@gmail.com writes:

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Subject: re Hello!

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Marjorie

Group: SelbyvilleHistoryAndGenealogy
Message: 19
From: jasonleehudson
Date: 7/7/2010
Subject: Re: Hello!

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Group: SelbyvilleHistoryAndGenealogy
Message: 20
From: Ida Olroyd
Date: 7/7/2010
Subject: Re: Hello!

Hi Audra

Nice to meet you. I am Ida May Melson Olroyd and was born and raised in Williamsville and Dagsboro, DE. I now live in IL for over 20 years since my hubby passed away. I don't do much on the tree in the summer but will be donating when I can. I of course have tons of Melson, Murrays, Clarks, and Hastings to begin with but then I also have Hearn's, Maddox, Long, Megee, etc. I have my data right now on www.rootsweb.com and my url is: <http://wc.rootsweb.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/igm.cgi?db=idamay> if you should want to check it out.

Welcome to the group.

Ida

----- Original Message -----

From: [AudraH](#)
To: SelbyvilleHistoryAndGenealogy@yahoo.com
Sent: Tuesday, July 06, 2010 11:16 PM
Subject: [SelbyvilleHistoryAndGenealogy] Hello!

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Subject: Re: Hello!

Ida,
 Are you related to the late Al Melson that had an insurance business in Ocean City?
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In a message dated 7/7/2010 1:19:47 P.M. Eastern Daylight Time, idamay@mtco.com writes:

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Group: SelbyvilleHistoryAndGenealogy **Message:** 24 **From:** AudraH **Date:** 7/7/2010

Subject: Re: Hello!

Thanks Ida, nice to meet you too! Again, thank you for the links I will certainly check them out. I feel like a bit of an "orphan" here in Delaware, so maybe one of you will adopt me and make me an honorary member of your family :)

I really enjoy going through these burial grounds and trying to link the people together. Finding this group will help me with that, as I said I am not related to anyone here, but still find it fascinating and I enjoy it. Thank you for sharing your information with me, I hope I can do something to help you somewhere along the line.

--- In SelbyvilleHistoryAndGenealogy@yahoogroups.com, "Ida Olroyd"

<idamay@...> wrote:

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Group: SelbyvilleHistoryAndGenealogy **Message:** 25 **From:** AudraH **Date:** 7/7/2010

Subject: Re: Hello!

Hi Jason, glad to meet you. The Joe Long Cemetery has fast become one of my favorites. It's such a peaceful and pretty place. I have seen many Hudsons in the Selbyville area, and have more photos I've yet to go through and also many more to take.

I have a list of place I intend to visit in the near future, the current heat wave is sure slowing me down! You will see me posting lots of pictures, since photography is my first love. This group will certainly keep me busy :) and I look forward to that.

--- In SelbyvilleHistoryAndGenealogy@yahoo.com, "jasonleehudson" <hudsonjlee@...> wrote:

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Subject: Re: re Hello!

Audra, The Selbyville Red Men's group is taking care of the cemetery. They do not own it as they do the Red Men's Cemetery on Cemetery Rd. We have Freddie Stevens to thank for being able to get to the stones as he is usually the one who does the clean up--when the weather is cooler. I really appreciate your concern about the trash. Perhaps you could call him (302-436-8506) and mention the condition of Isaac McCabe's crypt and the overturned Curtis & Julia Murrays stone. It would be so great if they could get more supports made by Mumford's Sheet Metal. There is the possibility of funds for projects like this from the DE State Cemetery Board but the Red Men's have to register their cemeteries and apply for the funds.

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Marjorie

--- In SelbyvilleHistoryAndGenealogy@yahoogroups.com, "AudraH"

<audramhart@...> wrote:

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> Thanks Marjorie! I'm happy to be here. Although I don't have any ancestors or family in the area I still find it very interesting. I have traced my maternal ancestors back to the early 1600s in Italy, but it is much harder doing the foreign stuff and I think I have gone as far as I can. I have little information on my biologic father so I wasn't able to get anywhere on that side. I sometimes feel like I've been "robbed" in that area because I am so interested in family history and genealogy.

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> Since moving to Delaware I have been somewhat of a drifter just documenting cemeteries and learning whatever I can about the people I come across. It isn't always easy of course, but it keeps me busy and I feel like I am accomplishing something along the way.

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> I really like the Joe Long Cemetery, it has a certain feel to it that is just so peaceful and pretty. I will definitely be going back to find the last few I managed to miss. I also spoke with my husband about bringing a trash bag and picking up some of the debris around. I get so upset when I find beer bottles and trash scattered about these "rural" cemeteries.

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> While we were there yesterday we noticed another large branch had fallen off the tree just over Margaret Cady and Isaac McCabe, the tree has so many "dead" branches hanging over them I'm afraid one of them is going to fall and break the stones! That is probably what happened to the slab covering Isaac. Do you know who currently owns the property? I know someone has been there gathering fallen branches and piling them along the woods but don't know who.

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> Well, I didn't mean to be so "long winded" just wanted to thank you for the warm welcome.

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> --- In SelbyvilleHistoryAndGenealogy@yahoogroups.com, marjorie adams

<marjea@> wrote:

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Message: 27
From: Ida Olroyd
Date: 7/7/2010
Subject: Re: Hello!

Bill,
 I am Al's 4th cousin. When I lived in DE from 1995-1999 we worked together on the Melson side as he was affiliated with the Nabb Center. I sure miss him. I don't know what his family ever did with all his data, but, I was hoping one of them would take some interest and put some online, but I haven't seen that as yet.
 Have a great day
 Ida

----- Original Message -----

From: wolong@aol.com
To: SelbyvilleHistoryAndGenealogy@yahooogroups.com
Sent: Wednesday, July 07, 2010 12:22 PM
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Group: SelbyvilleHistoryAndGenealogy
Message: 28
From: wolong@aol.com
Date: 7/7/2010
Subject: Re: Hello!

Ida,
 I first met Al at a McCabe reunion. He was, at that time, married to a beautiful and charming McCabe girl (Sara?) that was very much into photography. Al was a very close friend of Dorothy Pepper and was the one that introduced me to Dorothy. Al had a beautiful home with a fine genealogical library, I believe the home was near Bishopville or Berlin, I was there only once and that was years ago. I often wonder what became of all the

books, documents and photos that Al and Dorothy possessed.
Bill Long

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Group: SelbyvilleHistoryAndGenealogy
Message: 29
From: marjorie
Date: 7/7/2010
Subject: Re: Hello!

Bill, Al's wife was Sara Elizabeth McCabe of Selbyville, descendant of John of John, first McCabe at Sandy Branch.
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Group: SelbyvilleHistoryAndGenealogy **Message:** 30 **From:** bluelightning75@aol.com **Date:** 7/8/2010
Subject: Re: re Hello!

That is the feeling I get at the Armwell Long cemetery. Every time I have been there the birds are singing, a gentle breeze, peaceful. The sister of my great great grandfather is buried there.

In a message dated 7/7/2010 2:51:47 P.M. Eastern Daylight Time, audramhart@gmail.com writes:

Thanks Marjorie! I'm happy to be here. Although I don't have any ancestors or family in the area I still find it very interesting. I have traced my maternal ancestors back to the early 1600s in Italy, but it is much harder doing the foreign stuff and I think I have gone as far as I can. I have little information on my biologic father so I wasn't able to get anywhere on that side. I sometimes feel like I've been "robbed" in that area because I am so interested in family history and genealogy.

Since moving to Delaware I have been somewhat of a drifter just documenting cemeteries and learning whatever I can about the people I come across. It isn't always easy of course, but it keeps me busy and I feel like I am accomplishing something along the way.

I really like the Joe Long Cemetery, it has a certain feel to it that is just so peaceful and pretty. I will definitely be going back to find the last few I managed to miss. I also spoke with my husband about bringing a trash bag and picking up some of the debris around. I get so upset when I find beer bottles and trash scattered about these "rural" cemeteries.

While we were there yesterday we noticed another large branch had fallen off the tree just over Margaret Cady and Isaac McCabe, the tree has so many "dead" branches hanging over them I'm afraid one of them is going to fall and break the stones! That is probably what happened to the slab covering Isaac. Do you know who currently owns the property? I know someone has been there gathering fallen branches and piling them along the woods but don't know who.

Well, I didn't mean to be so "long winded" just wanted to thank you for the warm welcome.

--- In SelbyvilleHistoryAndGenealogy@yahoogroups.com, marjorie adams <marjea@...> wrote:

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- > Audra,
- > You did a fantastic job on the photos of the Joe Long Cemetery!

- > My heart is full. This burial ground belonged to my Long and Murray
- > ancestors; Joe Long was my 3 gr grandfather. My mother Christine (Baker)
- > Adams began finding our ancestors here when this was so overgrown she had to
- > use clippers. I did the transcription as a memorial to her when I was "home"
- > to lay her to rest in Oct. 2005 at Red Men's.
- > I grew up in Selbyville and now live in Whipple OH near Marietta at the Ohio
- > River. My full name is Marjorie Ellen Adams (Green)--I go by my maiden name.
- > I am very excited to be the moderator of this new Selbyville group. You
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- > Marjorie
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Group: SelbyvilleHistoryAndGenealogy **Message:** 31 **From:** bluelightning75@aol.com **Date:** 7/8/2010
Subject: Re: Hello!

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Subject: Hudson Cemetery #594 aka Hickory

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Group: SelbyvilleHistoryAndGenealogy **Message:** 33 **From:** marjorie adams **Date:** 7/8/2010

Subject: Re: Hudson Cemetery #594 aka Hickory

Audra, see Jason's photos on our site and my text file under Hudson. From my partial research I think the property is owned by his mother-in law. I have asked Red Men's to take this project on but my contacts do not have email so I am not sure if they have registered it yet with the state.

I did talk to Tommy when I was there last fall and he said he had offered to clean it up for \$500. The DE Cemetery Board wants 2 estimates for clean up before they will considerer funding it.

Go ahead and pursue it from your end.

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Message: 36
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Raymond B. Clark compiled a book called "*Delaware tombstone inscriptions: 700 Revolutionary soldiers in three counties; 600 in small churches & family cemeteries, chiefly in*

"Sussex County"

http://www.oakknoll.com/detail.php?d_booknr=69430

I will look for a copy of this book and if I find a source I'll post a notice here.

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Message: 37
From: Nancy Merrill
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From the introduction:

"The records in this CD were compiled from the State of Delaware, Division of Historical and Cultural Affairs, microfilm Reel #871 - 872, microfiche film RG9020 and also limited field research by Robert J. Redden.

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From: marjorie adams <marjea@wildblue.net>
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Subject: Hudson Brothers at Sandy Branch

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Group: SelbyvilleHistoryAndGenealogy **Message:** 45 **From:** jasonleehudson **Date:** 7/13/2010
Subject: Re: Hudson Brothers at Sandy Branch

Hi Beth, I too am curious as to how & when our line of Henry's descendants migrated from Morumsco of Somerset to the Selbyville, Frankford, Roxanna area. My family also had a 2 brothers story but in our case with them leaving the area. I doubt I'll ever find a definite match for that piece of lore. Also, I believe that Sandy Branch & Polly Branch of Selbyville are tributaries feeding the St. Martin River, although the rivlets of Vines Creek of the Indian River system do reach down into & through Frankford and a little southward toward Selbyville. It would be interesting to know what the waterways looked like in the 1700's. Jason

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Group: SelbyvilleHistoryAndGenealogy **Message:** 46 **From:** KENNETH BUNTING **Date:** 7/13/2010

SelbyvilleHistoryAndGenealogy

Subject: Re: Hudson Brothers at Sandy Branch

Jason, allowing for modern siltation, the nearest water to Selbyville deep enough for a boat on Indian River would have been a couple of miles east of Dagsboro or a couple of miles north of Ocean View, either one about ten miles by road from Selbyville. Either location is a possibility. As far as I can determine the oldest route in the area was the one called the Philadelphia Post Rd south from Millsboro to Dagsboro to Frankford and then Selbyville and southward. The route is now a collection of minor state roads. The Ocean View route alternative through Roxana seems just as possible considering that Hudsons appear so early in the census in that part of Sussex Co. Ken Bunting

From: jasonleehudson <hudsonjlee@msn.com>

To: SelbyvilleHistoryAndGenealogy@yahoogroups.com

Sent: Tue, July 13, 2010 9:49:23 AM

Subject: [SelbyvilleHistoryAndGenealogy] Re: Hudson Brothers at Sandy Branch

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Group: SelbyvilleHistoryAndGenealogy **Message:** 47 **From:** wolperte@ymail.com **Date:** 7/13/2010

SelbyvilleHistoryAndGenealogy

Subject: Jason's Photos of St Martins Church

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Group: SelbyvilleHistoryAndGenealogy
Message: 48
From: kenbunting@bellsouth.net
Date: 7/13/2010
Subject: 1782 Tax List Baltimore Hundred

According to Jane D Bunting who has seen this in the Dover Archives, the name is Jonathan Buntin.

Group: SelbyvilleHistoryAndGenealogy
Message: 49
From: marjorie
Date: 7/13/2010
Subject: Re: 1782 Tax List Baltimore Hundred

Ken, Thanks. That was my thought. Good to have verification.

--- In SelbyvilleHistoryAndGenealogy@yahoogroups.com, "kenbunting@..."
 <kenbunting@...> wrote:
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Message: 51
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Date: 7/13/2010
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Group: SelbyvilleHistoryAndGenealogy **Message:** 52 **From:** jasonleehudson **Date:** 7/13/2010

Subject: Re: Jason's Photos of St Martins Church

Thanks Beth and also Ken, Saint Martin's is a true delight to visit. Ken, to your comment, "The rector in 1759 was Edward Dingle and I have a list of the vestrymen and a partial list of members if anyone is interested" I would be very interested in any info you have on the church or parish. The Rev Edward Dingle (one of three interred within the building) you mentioned is my direct ancestor.

Thanks, Jason

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Group: SelbyvilleHistoryAndGenealogy **Message:** 53 **From:** jasonleehudson **Date:** 7/13/2010

Subject: Re: Hudson Brothers at Sandy Branch

Marjorie, I believe that is true. That most of the migration was slow & steady. And of course the old boundaries were much different than they are today. I can only place my Hezekiah in what is now Delaware and I haven't had time to research past him.

--- In SelbyvilleHistoryAndGenealogy@yahoogroups.com, "marjorie" <marjea@...> wrote:

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Group: SelbyvilleHistoryAndGenealogy **Message:** 55 **From:** Elizabeth Wolpert **Date:** 7/14/2010

Subject: St Martins info

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Group: SelbyvilleHistoryAndGenealogy **Message:** 56 **From:** Elizabeth Wolpert **Date:** 7/14/2010

Subject: Hastings

Ida, I see that you have Hastings and Hearn in your tree, and both are in mine also. Did your Hastings family ever spell their name without the "s" as "Hasting"? Mine were originally "Hasting" but gave in to adding the "s" as time went by. Rhoda Hasting, daughter of Clement and Margaret Ann unknown, married my great grandfather, Joseph Sudler Hudson, who was born in 1850. I don't see them in your tree, but if you know Clement's parents, that would be a great help to me. I don't know where the Hearn's come in to my tree, but my cousin says they do.

Group: SelbyvilleHistoryAndGenealogy **Message:** 57 **From:** bluelightning75@aol.com **Date:** 7/14/2010

Subject: Re: St Martins info

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Message: 59
From: jasonleehudson
Date: 7/14/2010
Subject: Re: St Martins info

Yes, the Seth, Isaac & Elizabeth Hudson cemetery is on Gum Tree Road on the west side out of Frankford, not too far from route 26.

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Group: SelbyvilleHistoryAndGenealogy
Message: 60
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Elizabeth, my maternal grandmother was a Hastings and she pronounced it Hasting because of lack of education, but it really does have the "s" on the end. She was Letha May of Rufus P. of William Handy Hastings. My 2nd Gr-Grandmother on paternal side was a Hearne and that's how she spelled it, but her father had dropped the "e" for whatever reason and all his children added it back. She was Elizabeth Hearne of Lowder Hearn of Ebenezer Hearne of Thomas Hearne, (I) of William, called "The Merchant" Hearne. I will share anything you need that I have.

Group: SelbyvilleHistoryAndGenealogy **Message:** 61 **From:** Elizabeth Wolpert **Date:** 7/14/2010

Subject: John Hudson Tombstone

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Group: SelbyvilleHistoryAndGenealogy **Message:** 62 **From:** jasonleehudson **Date:** 7/14/2010

Subject: Re: John Hudson Tombstone

Beth, the John H(enry) Hudson in the photo was the eldest son of Benjamin L Hudson born c. 1820, my gr.gr.grandfather. I haven't run across a John & son Seth but I'll keep my eyes open. Did you mean that Seth or John was born 1793?

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Group: SelbyvilleHistoryAndGenealogy
Message: 64 **From:** Elizabeth Wolpert **Date:** 7/15/2010
Subject: Selbyville School

The Selbyville School looks very much like the very old school building I attended outside of Philadelphia in the 1940's, except that mine was not a frame building. Mine probably suffered the same criticism, as a fire escape was added outside at a date later than the building's construction date. Mine also has a wide "useless" staircase that was full during the passage from classes, and was the one "beautiful" element in an otherwise basic environment. I imagine this school building was the pride of the community in 1919, and that the evaluators from the Teachers' College at Columbia University were interested in getting community support for additional funds for improvements. Interestingly, they praised the school library. What grades attended this school, does anyone know? Is there any way to discover who taught there?