

# The Pamunkey Hendrick Chronicles

## 1690-1800

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The Chronicles are a chronologically-sequenced collection of records relating to Hance Hendrick, a 17<sup>th</sup> Century settler of the Pamunkey Neck of Virginia, and his descendants. The earliest records, which are almost exclusively from Virginia sources, are arranged into “chapters” by time period. Some of the most recent editions of the Chronicles include separate “chapters” of records for individual counties and states.

These Chronicles are built on the substantial foundation provided by Dr. John Scott Davenport, who compiled its first few versions through 2001. Since then many individuals have made significant contributions of additional and supplemental material. Among the most active researchers have been Will Hendricks, Dr. Robert Hendrick, Jack Hendrick, Jean Wall, Ben Hendricks, Richard Helm, Tricia Dole, Pat Baber, Gary Lester, Bob Baird, and the late Linda Crissinger. These contributors have also made an effort to replace abstracted records by contributing transcripts or their own abstracts of the original documents.

For the last several years the focus of this effort has been to compile a complete set of records for the first four generations of this family. With the addition of several hundred new records in 2009, 2010, and a few in 2011 and 2012, that effort appears to have drawn to a close.

Attention is now shifting to records relating to the fifth and sixth generations in an effort to identify as many of them as possible. Because those records span a far wider geographic range and apply to a much larger number of descendants, they will be published in separate documents.

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