

posted to genforum.genealogy.com by Janet Ryan 31 Jan 2001, who stated:

"Dear B.J. Eureka - Looks like I found a few answers at the Boone County Library today to help fill in the gaps. I found this information while looking at old deeds on microfilm, however, this document doesn't seem to be a deed. I apologize for not getting the date this was written, apparently when I copied it, it was cut off. I'll go back and try again."

no date has since be reported.

<http://genforum.genealogy.com/garnett/messages/347.html>

Know all men by these present that I ELIJAH GARNETT of the County of Boone and the state of Kentucky being about to start to the state of Virginia for the purpose of collecting from the Administrators of AMBROSE BARNETT (deceased) of said state the distributable share of which my wife JUDITH GARNETT late, JUDITH BARNETT is entitled as one of the children and heirs of said estate and being anxious to quiet all persons interested therein from any suspicion of any interruptions - I do hereby by myself, my heirs and assigns by these present to NATHANIEL E HAWS and JEMIMA HAWS his wife, CHARLES BRADFORD and AMBROSE BRADFORD in consideration of the love and affection which I have for these children of my said wife and in consideration of their being the grand children of said deceased BARNETT that out of whatever sum I may be entitled to collect from JAMES BARNETT and STEPHEN MCCORMACK and AMBROSE BARNETT of any other person who may be responsible to the said estate or whatever sum may be collected in my right of said administration or other persons as - one-third- of the whole amount thereof to the said NATHANIEL HAWS and JEMIMA HAWS their proportion whenever collected, the said CHARLES BRADFORD his proportion of - one-third - when collected if he be of age also the said AMBROSE BRADFORD his proportion of said third when collected if he be 21 years of age --- etc.

Later in the document -

I find and having and I do further by these present in consideration of the great love and affection which I have to my wife JUDITH GARNETT and my infant son ELIJAH GARNETT and also in consideration of the said money which I am about to collect coming from my wife's father to her as distributed I do further these present bind myself my heirs and assigns to JEREMIAH GAARNETT of Boone and state of Ky as Trustee for my said wife and infant son that after my death the whole amount of the 2/3's of the distributable share to which my said wife is entitled from the estate of her father I have collected the sum of when it shall be collected should be absolutely in the said Trustee for the benefit of my said wife and said son. I should have other children by said wife JUDITH then in case of the death of my said wife to all my children I here

in equally divide the benefit of my said wife during her life if I should die first and should have no other child by my said wife but the child ELIJAH in case of my death the said ELIJAH should die before he arrives at the age or has lawfull children then and in that case the said amount of sum of money so visited by them in said Trustee followed into any property which it may be in the manner and at the time stipulated as of be the sum whatever it may in gold or silver or in such money as I shall receive from said Administrators - etc.

Later in Document -

He states in case of the death of ELIJAH said money would go to "my daughter CATHERINE GARNETT"

Here's whate we know about the people mentioned in this document already:

Jemima, Charles and Ambrose were children from the marriage of Joseph Bradford and Judith Barnett - Judith's parents were Ambrose Barnett Sr. and Judith Neavill - There daughter Sarah Barnett married Stephen McCormick (1807) their son James Barnett married Frances Mitchell (1801) and their son Ambrose Barnett Jr. married Emily Crim (1838) These 3 men were the administrator of the estate. (Other children were Mildred and John) Also Ambrose Sr. died in 1808 - Since this had to be written after 1822 (Elijah B's birthdate) perhaps it was Judith Neavill

Barnett who had just died (I don't have a date of death for her. - Jeremiah Garnett could have the son of Edmund Garnett (Elijah's brother) Jeremiah Garnett married Susan Barnett 1/24/1820. I still can't find a marriage date for Judith Barnett Bradford and Elijah Garnett in Ky. He was still married to Nancy Branham Garnett in 1819 when they sold alot of land (4 different parcel, one was 100 acres). - Just an idea but perhaps they sold all their land and move back to Virginia where Elijah's family was still living - Maybe Nancy died their or on the way and later he met Judith and moved her here to Ky. where Elijah B. was born.. - if so then are answers maybe in the Virginia records.