

VIVION FAMILY OF VIRGINIA

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## FOREWORD

Few families have had more traditional stories of their members than the VIVION FAMILY. Some of these traditions are provable in part, but some have not been found susceptible of any proof as yet discovered by this compiler.

It has been claimed by many that John Vivion was the first of his family to come to America. Others are equally positive that John's father came to Virginia and that John was but one of four sons who came early to Virginia.

In setting out this compilation, the latter theory has been tentatively accepted, and the family tabulated accordingly. It should be understood, however, that the compiler has no information of a documentary nature connecting John Vivion with his purported father, Thomas, or his alleged brothers, William, Joel, and Robert.

One descendant claims John's father was Charles Vivion, and his grandfather Sir Richard Vivion, but the compiler has found no satisfactory evidence of this alleged fact.

It is to be noted that a Christian Vivion was listed as a stockholder in the London Company, February 3, 1622. His interest was only a fraction of a share purchased from Francis Carter. (Virginia Magazine of History and Biography, Volume 4, Page 509)



### ORIGIN OF THE FAMILY

The family in Europe is almost as ancient as the History of Europe.

A Roman official during the Reign of Nero bore the name of Vivion, and English biographers of the family assert it is one of the few families of modern England tracing its origin to and bearing a family name brought into England with the Roman Conquerors.

On the other hand, the name has long been prominent in France, and there is strong support for the belief of many that one branch of the family came into England with William the Conqueror. (Pedigree of Family of VIVION of Cornwell.)

Be that as it may, it may be stated without equivocation that the family has long been an honored one in England, prominent in its military and political history.

The name is found spelled:

VIVION, VIVIAN, VIVYAN, and VIVYAN with one branch in the United States as RIVIN.

VIVION FAMILY OF VIRGINIA

(1) THOMAS VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_, 1870. He is said to have been a general in the English Army and to have served with honor before age caused his retirement. (Virginia Magazine of History and Biography, Volume 2, Pages 217-218)

The claim is made that he was the Thomas Vivion who died in Isle of Wight County, Virginia, in 1670, and that his inventory was returned there in that year.

In the English Vivion Genealogies, and more particularly in the Cornwall families, are several Thomas Vivions whose period of life might well account for this man.

His wife was said to have been MARY \_\_\_\_\_ who was imported by Robert West of Charles City County, Virginia, in 1652.

Thomas Vivion had:

- \* 2. JOEL VIVION, born B 1620; died \_\_\_\_\_.
- \* 3. WILLIAM VIVION, born \_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_ 1756.
- \* 4. JOHN VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_ 1704.
- \* 5. ROBERT VIVION, born \_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_.

Nos. 6 to 10 reserved.

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(2) JOEL VIVION, born C 1620; died \_\_\_\_\_. The only information on this man is that contained in the Virginia Land Office in Patent Book 1, Page 597, under which he obtained 50 acres September 31, 1658, for transporting John Greenfield.

This land was at Martin's Hundred, James City County, Virginia, and adjoined the land of a Thomas Smith. Note that the Smith Family long remains closely connected with the Vivion Family. (William and Mary Quarterly, First Series, Volume 9, Page 71)

Joel Vivion married \_\_\_\_\_.

They had:

Nos. 11 to 19 reserved.

(3) WILLIAM VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_, 1726. We identify this man as the William Vivion who died in Northumberland County, Va., in 1726. His inventory was returned the same year.

He married \_\_\_\_\_.

They had:

Nos. 20 to 29 reserved.

(4) JOHN VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_, 1705. He is of record September 3, 1688, when Mrs. John Smith (Margaret) received a certificate entitling her to land for his "importation".

It is now known that he had been an inhabitant of the colony for many years prior to the date of the certificate.

Full credit should be given to Mrs. P. W. Hiden, 5600 Huntington Avenue, Newport News, Va., for her splendid work in clearing up some of the early records of the Smith-Vivion Families in Virginia. Her findings have been made available from time to time by publication in the William and Mary Quarterly and in Tyler's Quarterly.

Any biography of this man is incomplete without a brief reference to an important period of his life.

William Berkeley had been appointed the Royal Governor of the Colony of Virginia, March 19, 1660. Some two months later, May 29, 1660, Charles II was called from exile to take the throne of England.

Then began a series of events in the Colonial History of Virginia which culminated in the Bacon Rebellion which started in a minor way in 1675. Much of the story is in the family tradition, but there are certain facts which strongly support part of these traditions. This compiler does not bring these traditions into this brief history of the family as known facts, but they are merely repeated or quoted for what they may be worth to later searchers.

The following quoted article is from "Hearst's Sunday American", Atlanta, Georgia, and it was published as coming from Mrs. Harvie Jordan; July 13, 1930:

"Captain John Vivian of the Middle Plantation (Williamsburg, Va.) first came to Virginia as an emissary of Charles II of England, one hundred years before the Revolutionary War. His official mission was to inquire into and report to the king the causes of the disturbances between Governor Berkeley of Virginia, and Nathaniel Bacon, who was at that time commanding all the military forces of the Province."

"The real causes of the trouble were due to an effort on the part of Bacon to bring retribution upon the Indian tribes around Jamestown who had risen and massacred many of the whites. Berkeley sided with the Indians.

"After John Vivian's investigation of the facts he became heartily in sympathy with Colonel Bacon and the Colonists.

"Governor Berkley's niece, Diana Cummings, was also in deep sympathy with Bacon's cause and opposed to the tyranny of her uncle.

"Tradition says that the information Vivian obtained was largely through Diana Cummings. She kept Vivian posted as to the plots that were taking place at the palace; among other things, the departure from Jamestown of a commission up the James River to "Curles Neck," Colonel Bacon's home, sent by Governor Berkley to inform Bacon that he was ready to sign a treaty of peace and to invite him down to Jamestown to partake of a royal banquet prepared for him at the palace. This commission went up the James River on the "Adam and Eve", a pleasure ship owned by Governor Berkley.

"Diana Cummings, being warned of this fact, and knowing her uncle's deception, imparted the information to Captain John Vivian and requested him to ride to 'Curles Neck' and warn Bacon of the ruse. With some friends he departed at once, but before they reached their destination the "Adam and Eve", had come and gone with Colonel Bacon as its guest on what he supposed was a friendly mission.

"Captain Vivian and his friends rode rapidly back to Jamestown, gathering as they returned, colonists along the route, some armed with primitive flintlocks, cutlasses, etc., and as the 'Adam and Eve' was drawing up to the wharf, Captain Vivian at the head of his followers, numbering 100 men advanced to receive them in a very unexpected way.

"They rescued Colonel Bacon, took possession of the ship, advanced on the Palace, captured Governor Berkley and made him sign officially, attaching the seal of the King, Bacon's command making him Colonel in Command of all the Virginia forces.

"When Bacon's rebellion subsided, and conditions quieted down, Captain John Vivian married Diana Cummings, and settled in that portion of Virginia known as Middlesex Co.

"Their daughter Diana Vivian married Garrett Minor, and their son John Minor was the great-grandfather of the present well known Vivian Minor Fleming, historian of Fredericksburg, Virginia. Mr. Vivian M. Fleming is the authority for the above romantic story of Diana Cummings and Captain John Vivian.

"Diana Vivian had a sister Mary, who married Travers Daniel, and the name Vivian is preserved in the Daniel family as it is in the Fleming."

This compiler has no reason to question the story as written by Mrs. Jordan. She may have had access to data not available to others.

Descendants of this man will be interested in the charming novel about this man written by Hulbert Fuller, and originally published by L.C. Page & Company of Boston, under a copyright of Laason, Wolfe and Company under the title, "Vivian of Virginia". It is now available in a special reprint edition entitled "John Vivian of Virginia".

This book takes the experiences of John Vivian and uses them as a basis for a fascinating story, in which his experiences as a special observer for King Charles II and his romance with a member of the Governor's household are drawn out in a most intriguing novel. Enough historical facts are included to give the story a colorful background with just enough fiction to make the facts readable.

This compiler has never met Mr. Fuller, nor does he know what data were available to him when the novel was written. However, we express the opinion, which seems justified by the oft repeated family traditions, that John Vivian was in the service of his King (Charles II) and that he was commissioned by him to report on the Bacon Rebellion in Virginia.

Some fictitious names have been used in the novel referred to above, but it is fairly well established that John Vivian had been in Virginia before the Bacon Rebellion and that he returned to the Colony during the time of the Rebellion,

Shortly thereafter he called upon the dashing Nathaniel Bacon, and there began a friendship without a parallel in history. Vivian was impressed by the earnestness of Bacon whose ability as a leader of men so closely resembled another great Virginian of a later day.

When, after hardships through which few could have lived, Bacon reached the limit of his physical strength, it was John Vivian who sat with him that damp chilly night of October 18, 1676, when Bacon's indomitable soul surrendered to the Great Commander; and Vivian with a small group of faithful followers buried the great leader and forever kept the place of his burial a secret.

With the death of the leader, the forces of Berkeley soon crushed the disorganized forces formerly allied with Bacon.

With his work for the King completed, John Vivian settled in Middlesex County, Virginia. There he became a Constable and was known as Captain John Vivian. This title was presumably because of service for England as well as in the County Militia which, at that time, included practically all able bodied men aged from 16 to 60.

The only documentary evidence thus far found of this title is where his will is recorded as "Captain Vivian's Will" in the Middlesex County, Virginia, Will Book.

October 7, 1700, he signed a petition in Middlesex County, Virginia. (Virginia Magazine of History and Biography, Volume 12, Page 266.)

November 23, 1887, he was included in a list of Middlesex County, Virginia, men as capable of military service. (Virginia Magazine of History and Biography, Volume 8, Page 190.)

The date of his death has not been found of record in the fragmentary Register of Christ Church in Middlesex County, Va. However, it was between the date his will was made, March 14, 1705, and the date of its proof, June 4, 1705.

It is important that a copy of this will be inserted herein so that subsequent records may be traced therefrom.

**WILL OF (4) JOHN VIVION  
MADE MARCH 14, 1705; PROVED JUNE 4, 1705  
MIDDLESEX COUNTY, VIRGINIA**

IN THE NAME OF GOD AMEN March the 14th 1705 I John Vivion of the County of Middlesex in Virginie being sick and weake but in perfect memory and remembrance I bless God for it doth make this my last will and testament revoking all other wills and testaments by me made whatsoever. First I bequeath my soul to God who gave it hopeling to receive pardon for all my sins through Jesus Christ my Redeemer and my body to be decently burryed by my Executors hereafter named. As for my worldly goods I do give and bequeath as followeth:

First, it is my will and desire that all my debts be first satisfied and paid. 2dly I give unto my loving son Charles Vivion twenty Shillings—  
 3dly I give unto my loving son John Vivion my negro named Toney.  
 4thly I give to my loving daughter Maryrett Daniel a man servant named Andrew Parrot.  
 5thly I give to my loving daughter Diana Vivion my negro girle named Frank and negro woman named Moll—  
 6thly I give to my loving son Thomas Vivion my negro man named Robin—  
 7thly I give and bequeath to my wife's granddaughter Anne Smith as followeth: my negro girle named Sarah my negro girle named Kate my negro girle named Judith--three best beds and furniture and three good pair of sheets thereto and my best chest of drawers the greate and middle looking glass six black chaires & cushions and one elbow chair and six leather chaires and six low chaires and the great Hair Trunk one Bristol chest and halfe the pester and 15 gallon kettle, one great pot and middle pot one little pot and folding table—one drawing table and a dressing box three pair of the best candle sticks and all my silver plate. Six cows & 3 two year old and 3 three year old cattle.  
 8thly Two feather beds and furniture thereto belonging and nine leather chaires and all my cattle belonging to my upper plantation it is my will shall be equally divided between my loving son John Vivion & my loving daughter Diana Vivion & my loving son Thomas—  
 9thly It is my will that my present crop after my country debts paid to be equally divided between my wife, John and Thomas & Diana Vivion—

- 10thly It is my will that my loving wife Christian Vivion shall have the use or loans of all the rest of my personall estate during her naturall life after which to be equally divided between my son John and my daughter Diana and son Thomas Vivion—
- 11thly It is my will and desire that my daughter Diana and my son Thomas Vivion be under the care of my Executors until they shall be of age—
- 12thly It is my will that if my loving wife Christian Vivion will not renounce her third as the law gives to widows and will not stand and abide by this my last will and testament, that then all the legacies herein to be void and not my bequeath but that my estate to be equally divided between my loving wife and her granddaughter Anne Smith and loving son John and son Thomas and Diana Vivion— It is my will and desire and do appoint my loving son John Vivion and my loving brother Thomas Smith to be my whole and sole Executors of this my last will and testament— In witness whereof I hereunto put my hand and seal the day & year above written....

JOHN VIVION (SEAL)

Tested

Her Sarah X Batchelder Mark John Smith	) ) )
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At a Court held for Middlesex County the 4th day of June Dom 1705 this will was this day proved in Court by the oaths of John Smith & Sarah Batchelder the witnesses thereto and a probate granted to John Vivion executor therein which was admitted to record.....

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WIL STANDARD, County Clerk.

John Vivion married Margaret Smith, daughter of John Smith and his wife, Margaret. This wife of John Smith had "imported" him prior to 1688, so it is quite probable the families were friends of long standing.

It is not improbable that his marriage may have been a second marriage, also that another marriage intervened between the death of his wife, Margaret, and his marriage to Christian Biscoe.

This possibility may explain the traditional wedding to DIANA CUNNINGS. It is to be noted that the name, DIANA, has frequently recurred in subsequent generations.

June 5, 1689, a deed in Middlesex County, Va., D.B. 2 is from John Smith to John Vivion and wife, Margaret, and is for 100 acres which is to go to John Vivion (31) at death of (4) John Vivion.

He married Christian Biscoe, widow, in Middlesex County, Va., February 23, 1704. She was the widow of William Biscoe, having married him in 1689. William Biscoe died in 1700. Prior to her marriage to Biscoe, Christian had married MAXWILLIAN PETTY who had been imported into Virginia by Captain Ralph Wormley about 1675. Wormley received a land certificate for this importation December 2, 1689. In the list of parties in this importation appears the name of Christian Hill, and it is believed she is the one who later married Petty, Biscoe, and John Vivion, respectively.

(4) John Vivion had:

- \* 30. CHARLES VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_.
- \* 31. JOHN VIVION, born 6/28/1681; died \_\_\_\_\_, 1722.
- \* 32. MARGARET VIVION, born 4/2/1684; died \_\_\_\_\_, 1750.
- \* 33. DIANA VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died 4/16/1718.
- \* 34. THOMAS VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_, 1761.

Nos. 35 to 39 reserved.

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(5) ROBERT VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died C 1652.

Little is known of this man except the brief reference to him in the old Lancaster County, Va., Order Book dated October 6, 1652. It is therein ordered that the estate of Robert Vivion be administered by CLEMENT THUSH "according to his (Vivion's) will". This is a bit unusual because a will would have called for an "Executor". The granting of a letter of administration implies that Robert Vivion died intestate.

He married \_\_\_\_\_.

They had:

Nos. 40 to 129 reserved.

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(30) CHARLES VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_. We have no further record of this man, but make reservation for possible later descendants. It would be interesting to know why his father cut him off with 20 shillings and what his future history was.

He married \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_. Nos. 130 to 139 reserved.

(31) JOHN VIVION, born 8/28/1681; died \_\_\_\_\_, 1722.

He married ELIZABETH THACKER, June 12, 1711. She was born December 3, 1694; died January 12, 1732; buried January 16, 1732. Elisabeth Vivion, a widow, made a deed July 6, 1727, to Nicholas Smith. This was for land in King George County, Va., lying next to Thomas Vivion (34).

His will was made in 1720 and proved in Middlesex County, Va., July 3, 1722. His property included a parcel of books.

He was the sheriff of Middlesex County, Va., in 1714, and, in the same year, served as a Justice. (Virginia Magazine of History and Biography, Volume 2, Page 8.)

He had:

140. ELIZABETH VIVION, born August 17, 1717; died October 23, 1717.  
\* 141. JOHN VIVION, born August 10, 1714; died \_\_\_\_\_, 1790.  
142. ELIZABETH VIVION, born May 4, 1719; died \_\_\_\_\_.

No. 143 to 148 reserved.

(32) MARGARET VIVION, born 4/2/1684; died \_\_\_\_\_, 1750. The date shown as her birth is really the date of her baptism, as shown in Christ Church Parish Register.

She married James Daniel, January 27, 1704.

They had:

150. RACHEL DANIEL, born 10/14/1704; died \_\_\_\_\_.  
      married THOMAS AMIS.  
151. PETER DANIEL, born 9/29/1706; died \_\_\_\_\_.  
      married SARAH (TRAVERS) PERRSON.  
152. CHARLES DANIEL, born 3/6/1709; died \_\_\_\_\_.  
      married JANE MICKLEGROUCH.  
\* 153. SUSANNA DANIEL, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_.  
154. MARGARET DANIEL, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_.  
      married JOHN COYLES.  
155. JAMES DANIEL, born 2/17/1716; died \_\_\_\_\_.  
      married MARY BILLINGHAM.  
156. JOHN DANIEL, born 1/19/1721; died \_\_\_\_\_.  
      married SUSANNA ROANE.  
157. PHEBE DANIEL, born 3/12/1724; died \_\_\_\_\_.  
158. VIVION DANIEL, born 7/1/1726; died \_\_\_\_\_.  
      married ELIZABETH VIVION (180).

No. 159 reserved.

(33) DIANA VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died 4/16/1718.

She married GARRITT MINOR IN Middlesex County, Va., October 17, 1706. She died April 16, 1718, and was buried April 18, 1718. This is recorded in Christ Church Register in Middlesex County, Va.

Descendants of this family have been prominent in Virginia through all the years.

She is reputed to have been given the name of Diana after Diana Cummings, niece of Governor Berkeley.

Nos. 160 to 169 reserved.

(34) THOMAS VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_, 1761. He appears to have been married three times as follows:

- I. FRANCES TRACKER, January 2, 1717; died August 16, 1724; buried 8/21/1724.
- II. MARY \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_.
- III. JANE \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_.

From his first wife he obtained land in King George County, Va. She was a sister of Elizabeth Tracker who married his brother (S1) John.

November 6, 1728, he acquired land from Elizabeth Smith, wife of Nicholas Smith. This was land lying next to his King & Queen County land and had been deeded to Nicholas Smith by Elizabeth Vivion (wife of S1) (K.b. 18, Pages 373-375.)

12/7/1728—He deeds with wife named Mary in King George County, Va.  
9/2/1736 —He patented 40 acres in Essex County, Va. P.B. 17, P. 153.  
7/14/1738—He sued John Bell in Caroline County, Va.  
2/26/1741—He sued Patrick Mathews.  
8/4/1755 —He deedes land in Stafford County with wife, Jane.

Thomas was a Justice, 6/14/1728, and a Sheriff, 10/24/1718, in King George County, Va., and left many records in Orange, Stafford, and Westmoreland Counties, Va. In the biography of one descendant, he is styled "Lord Thomas Vivion". (Virkus 5)

He died and left a will in Westmoreland County, Va., made September 10, 1760; proved April 28, 1761.

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170. ELIZABETH VIVION, born 10/14/1718; died December 6, 1718.  
 171. CHARLES VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_.  
 \* 172. FRANCIE VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_, 1736; died \_\_\_\_\_, 1803.  
 173. JANE VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_.  
 174. MARY VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_.  
 175. FRANCES VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_.  
       married ROBERT BROCKING, c 1760.  
 176. MARGARET VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_.  
       married THOMAS PRATT.

Nos. 177 to 179 reserved.

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(141) JOHN VIVION, born 8/10/1714; died C 1761. He married JANE SMITH in Middlesex County, Virginia, in 1735. The banns were published August 12, 1735. She was born August 12, 1715; baptized September 25, 1715; daughter of John and Ann Smith who had married November 24, 1714.

Ann, in turn, was the daughter of Thomas Smith and Ann Briscoe, while her husband, John Smith, was her cousin and a son of Lieutenant John Smith and Jane Cooke, and was born 2/23/1890.

Jane (Smith) Vivian died before 1780.

He then married **the** survivor of him.

(141) John Vivion moved from Middlesex County, Va., to Orange County, Virginia.

Some compilers claim (141) John Vivien was the one who led the colony from Orange County, Va., to Kentucky and that he was a Colonel in the Revolutionary War. This compiler doubts this and believes he was not the one, but that it was his son (187) John Vivien.

One record which seems to justify this deduction is the deed of partition executed by heirs of (late) John Vivian in Orange County, N.Y.

This is considered of such importance that it is here set out in full.

Indenture or Deed of Partition  
Orange County, Virginia  
Deed Book 20, Page 261  
Dated July 23, 1791  
Finally Recorded February 24, 1794

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This Indenture made this twenty third day of July one thousand seven hundred and ninety one between Vivion Daniel and Elizabeth his wife of the County of Fayette, Wm. Quarles and Frances his wife of the County of Spotsylvania. Thacker Vivion of the State of Georgia, Rhodes Thomson & Salle his wife of the County of Woodford, Charles Vivion of the State of North Carolina, Wm. Ferguson & Margaret his wife of the County of Spotsylvania Jackey Vivion, Thacker Smith Vivion, Milton Vivion, Thomas Vivion, Harvey Vivion, Flavel Vivion Sons of John Vivion Dec'd. of the County of Fayette.

Austin Webb, John Vivion Webb, William Webb, Jr., Gerland Webb, Thacker Webb, Charles Webb, Wyatt Webb, children of William and Jane Webb, the said Jane being a daughter of John Vivion, Deed., Reuben Lansford & Frances Vivion Lansford his wife, the said Frances being a daughter of William and Jane Webb—also, on the one part, and Isaac Graves of the County of Orange of the other part.

Witnesseth that the s'd Vivion Daniel & Elizabeth his wife, Wm. Quarles and Francis his wife, Thacker Vivion, Rhodes Thomson & Salle his wife, Charles Vivion, William Ferguson & Margaret his wife, Jackey Vivion, Thacker Smith Vivion, Flavel Vivion, Austin Webb, Vivion Webb, William Webb, Gerland Webb, Thacker Webb, Charles Webb, Wyatt Webb, Reuben Lansford & Francis Vivion Lansford his wife, For and in consideration of the sum of three hundred & forty two pounds 8d in due proportion. The receipt whereof we do hereby acknowledge, have given bargained and sold, enfeoffed and confirmed, and by these presents, do give, grant, bargain, sell, enfeoff and confirm, unto the sd Isaac Graves, his heire and assigns forever one certain tract or parcel of land, containing Three Hundred and Eighty acres, be the same more or less, situate lying and being in the County of Orange, and part of a larger tract belonging to and whereof the late John Vivion, Dec'd. was seized & possessed at his death, Bounded as followeth Beginning

At a Mulberry on the North side of the North Branch of Penunkey River, Corner to the sd Graves. Thence with his line, South 50° West 354 poles to Road, Oaks, & a white Oak, on the south side of the main road, thence down the said road to a pine on the south and a white oak on the north side of the same, thence north 52° East 289 pole to a Birch on the North side of the said river, Thence up the several meanders thereof to the beginning. Together with all houses, garden, orchard, woods, ways, waters, water courses, profits, commodities — Hereditaments and appurtenances thereto belonging, or in any wise appertaining thereto, Reversion & Reversions, Remainder & Re-menders, Rents issues & profits thereof and of all the estate Right title Interest Claim and demand of the said Vivion Daniel and Elizabeth his wife, Wm. Quarles and Francis his wife.

Thacker Vivion, Rhodes Thomson & Salle his wife, Charles Vivion, William Ferguson & Margaret his wife, Jackey Vivion, Thacker Smith Vivion, Milton Vivion, Thomas Vivion, Harvey Vivion, Flavel Vivion, Austin Webb, John Vivion Webb, William Webb, Jr., Garland Webb, Thacker Webb, Charles Webb, Wyatt Webb, Reuben Lansford and his wife. Frances Vivion Lansford, or in and to the same, to have and to hold the sd Tract or parcel of land and all and singular the premises, hereinbefore mentioned. Or to intend to be hereby granted, to the said Isaac Graves, his heirs and assigns forever, to the only use of him the sd Isaac Graves, His heirs & Assigns, and the sd Vivion Daniel & Elizabeth his wife. William Quarles & Frances his wife, Thacker Vivion, Rhodes Thomson & Salle his wife, Charles Vivion, William Ferguson, and Margaret his wife. Jackey Vivion, Harvey Vivion, Flavel Vivion, Austin Webb, Vivion Webb, William Webb, Junior. Garland Webb, Thacker Webb, Charles Webb, Wyatt Webb, Reuben Lansford and Francis Vivion Lansford for themselves, their heirs, Executors, advent and assigns, Both covenant and grant to and with the said Isaac Graves, His heirs and assigns, that he the said Isaac Graves, His heirs and assigns shall and may from time to time and at all times hereafter peaceably and quietly, have, hold, occupy, possess, and enjoy the said tract or parcell of land, and all and singular the premises herunto before mentioned, or intend to be hereby granted without lett, suit trouble molestation, Interruption, or hindrance of us The sd Vivion Daniel, and Elizabeth his wife, William Quarles and Francis his wife, Thacker Vivion Rhodes Thomson & Salle his wife, Charles Vivion, William Ferguson & Margaret his wife, Jackey Vivion, Thacker Smith Vivion, Milton Vivion.

Thomas Vivion, Hervey Vivion, Flavel Vivion, Austin Webb, John Vivion Webb, William Webb, Junior, Garland Webb, Thacker Webb, Charles Webb Wyatt Webb, Reuben Lansford and his wife Frances Vivion Lansford, or of any other person or persons whatsoever, and further the said Vivion Daniel and Elizabeth his wife William Quarles and Frances his wife, Thacker Vivion, Rhodes Thomson and Salle his wife, Charles Vivion, William Ferguson and Margaret his wife, Jackey Vivion, Thacker Vivion, Milton Vivion, Thomas Vivion, Hervey Vivion, Flavel Vivion, Austin Webb, Vivion Webb, William Webb, Jr., Reuben Lansford and Francis Vivion Lansford, Forever their and each of their heirs, respectively the above granted premises with the appurtenances and every part and parcel thereof unto the said Isaac Graves his heirs and assigns against the lawful claim and demand of all and every person and persons whatever, Shall & will warrant and forever Defend, in the following proportion that is to say. For Vivion Daniel and Elizabeth his wife, Forty seven and 1/2 acres For William Quarles and Frances his wife Forty seven and 1/2 acres. Forty seven and a half acres for Rhodes Thomson and Salle his wife Forty seven and a half acres for William Ferguson and Margaret his wife, forty seven & a half acres for Jackey Vivion, Thacker Smith Vivion, Milton Vivion, Thomas Vivion, Harvey Vivion, Flavel Vivion - forty seven & a half acres for Austin Webb, Vivion Webb, Mr. Webb Jr., Garland Webb, Thacker Webb, Charles Webb, Wyatt Webb, Reuben Lansford & Frances Vivion Lansford forty seven and a half acres.

By these presents In witness whereof the said Vivion Daniel & Elizabeth his wife, William Quarles and Frances his wife, Thacker Vivion, Rhodes Thomson & Salle his wife, Charles Vivion, William Ferguson and Mageret his wife, Jackey Vivion, Thacker Smith Vivion, Milton Vivion, Thomas Vivion,

Harvey Vivion, Flavel Vivion, Austin Webb, John Vivion Webb, William Webb Jr., Garland Webb, Thacker Webb, Charles Webb, Hyatt Webb, Reuben Lansford and Francis Vivion Lansford his wife, hath hereunto set their hands and affixed their seals the day & year first above written.

Be it remembered that this is the proportion in which the above mentioned land descended in parcenary from John Vivion Deed to his descendants.

In presence of  
Teste  
James McMillion  
William Bush  
Robert Campbell

Vivion Daniel  
Elizabeth Daniel  
  
Thacker Webb  
Rhodes Thomson  
Sara Thomson  
Thos. Vivion  
Hervey Vivion  
His  
Flavel X Vivion  
Mark  
John Vivion  
Thacker Smith Vivion  
Hilton Vivion

(Written on Margin of Page 264)

"Acknowledged by John Vivion for himself and for all the rest of the Vivions, Except Flavel Vivion who is not of age. By a power of attorney from the rest of the said Vivions before us."

James Taylor jr. )  
James Taylor      ) Witnesses  
Charles Bell     )

It was necessary to get certain acknowledgments and releases of dower.  
The following detail those steps:

Commission to Investigate  
Orange County, Virginia  
Deed Book 20, Page 264

The Commonwealth of Virginia to Wm. Bush & Jas McMillion, Gentlemen  
Greeting whereas Vivion Daniel and Elizabeth and his wife of the county  
of Fayette Wm. Quarles & Frances his wife of Spotsylvania County Thacker  
Vivion of the State of Georgia  
Rhodes Thomson & Salle his wife of the County of Woodford, Charles  
Vivion of the state of North Carolina, Wm. Ferguson & Margaret his wife  
of the County of Spotsylvania, Jackey Vivion, Thacker Smith Vivion, Milton  
Vivion, Thomas Vivion, Harvey Vivion, Flavel Vivion sons of John Vivion  
Dec'd of the County of Fayette. Austin Webb, John Vivion Webb, Wm. Webb,  
Junior, Garland Webb, Thacker Webb, Charles Webb, Wyatt Webb, children of  
Wm. and Jane Webb. The said Jane being the daughter of John Vivion Dec'd.

Rouben Lansford and Frances Vivion Lansford his wife the said Frances  
being a daughter of William & Jane Webb.

By this indenture of bargain and sale bearing date the 23rd day of  
July, 1791 Have conveyed the fee simple Estate of three hundred & eighty  
acres of land be the same more or less. Lying and being in the County of  
Orange unto Isaac Graves and where as the said Elizabeth Daniel and Salle  
Thomson cannot conveniently travel to our County Court of Orange to make  
acknowledgement of the conveyance aforesaid. Therefore we do give unto  
you or to any two of you power to receive the acknowledgement which the  
said Elizabeth Daniel and Salle Thomson shall be willing to make before  
you of the conveyance aforesaid contained in the s'd Indenture, which is  
hereunto annexed, and we do command you that you do personally go to the  
said Elizabeth Daniel and Salle Thomson and examine them privately and  
apart from their husbands & whether they doth the same freely & volun-  
tarily without the persuasion or threats of the said Vivion and Rhodes  
Thomson and whether they be willing that the same should be recorded in  
our County Court of Orange and when you have received their acknowle-  
dgment and examined them as aforesaid, That you distinctly and openly cer-  
tify our justice thereof in our said County Court of Orange, sending them  
there the said Indenture of this writ.

Witness James Taylor Clerk of our said Court at the Court House  
the            day of            1791 in the 15 year of the Commonwealth.

James Taylor

Return Report on Commission  
Orange County, Virginia  
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Fayette Co. jatc

Agreeable to the within commission to us directed. We have examined the within named Elizabeth Daniel and Sarah Thomson privately and apart from their sd husbands who freely and voluntary relinquished their rights of dower in and to the premises within mentioned and that they are willing that this acknowledgement may be recorded in County Court of Orange.

Given under our hands & seals this 23rd day of July 1791.

James McMillen  
William Bush

Having received the necessary acknowledgment and releases, the Court admitted the deed for recording as follows:

Order for Recording  
Orange County, Virginia  
Deed Book 20, Page 266  
February 24, 1794

At a Court held for Orange County the 27 day of June 1791 this Indenture with a commission from Vivion Daniel and others to Isaac Graves was acknowledged by William Quarles and Elizabeth his wife, she being first privately examined, Thacker Vivion, Wm. Ferguson & Margaret his wife she being first privately examined and at another Court held for said County the 25th day of July 1791 was acknowledged by Augustine Webb, John B. Webb, Wm. C. Webb, Junior, & Frances Lansford she being first privately examined, and at another Court held for the said County the 24th day of February 1794 was acknowledged by Thacker Webb another of the parties thereto and ordered to be recorded.

Teste James Taylor C.O.C.

As further proof supporting the deduction that (141) John Vivion stayed in Virginia, attention is called to these facts of record:

1. In Orange County, Va., Will Book 3, Page 301, January 27, 1794, is a report of the administration of the estate of (141) John Vivion made by William Quarles, his son-in-law and administrator. This account dated from November 12, 1783.
2. The same Court (W.B. 3, Page 303) ordered John Alcock, Nathaniel Mills and Samuel Sales to settle the estate. This was reported January 2, 1794. Nathaniel Mills was in Hanover County, Va., in 1769.
3. In Orange County, Va., W. B. 4, Page 105, July 23, 1804, is a further report on the settlement of the estate of (141) John Vivion. This was made by Ralph Quarles on behalf of William Quarles, deceased. The report was accepted and recorded.
4. These reports show that Mrs. Vivion, evidently the widow, was boarding with her son-in-law, William Ferguson, who resided in Spotsylvania. They were paid 12 pounds per year for this board.
5. In the old tax records in Richmond beginning for the year 1782, John Vivion's personal property listing appears only for the year 1782. In that year he reported 1 adult male white, 19 slaves, 4 cattle, and 13 horses. The fact that his name is not shown thereafter implies that he died in 1782 or 1783 and that his widow thereupon moved to Spotsylvania County to live with her son-in-law, William Ferguson.
6. In these same tax records on the land listings, the name of John Vivion continues from 1782, the first year of record, when he is listed with 500 acres, until 1791, its final listing before the recording of the Deed of Partition set out above. Land, unlike personal property, would continue to be listed in the name of the owner until it was transferred by some legal procedure.

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(141) John Vivion had:

- 180. ELIZABETH VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_.  
married VIVION DANIEL and moved to Kentucky.
- 181. JANE VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_.  
married MR. CRITTENDER WEBB in Orange Co., Va.
- 182. FRANCES VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_.  
married WM. QUARLES in Orange Co., Va., 9/3/1779.
- 183. SALLY VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_.  
married RHODES THOMPSON, 10/13/1778; moved to Ky.
- 184. MARGARET VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_.  
married WM. FERGUSON in Spotsylvania Co., Va.
- \* 185. TRACIER VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_.  
\* 186. CHARLES AUGUSTUS VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_.  
\* 187. JOHN VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_, 1786; died B 1791.

Nos. 186 to 182 reserved.

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(153) SUSANNA DANIEL, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_.  
She married HENRY MICKELBOROUGH. The compiler's line descends from this couple as follows:

- I. Susannah Daniel and Henry Mickelborough.
- II. Mary Mickelborough and Christopher Daniel.
- III. Beverley Daniel and Jane Hiatt.
- IV. Sarah Daniel and Abel Watts.
- V. Beverley Daniel Watts and Josephine Fisher.
- VI. Samantha Jane Watts and S.B.H. Heinemann.
- VII. C.B. Heinemann, compiler of this record.

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(171) CHARLES VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died A 1778.

He married ELIZABETH \_\_\_\_\_. The only record found of this man is when he deeded with his wife, Elizabeth, about 1778. They then were residents of Caroline County, Va. The land consisted of 380 acres in King George, where Charles Vivion lately lived.

They had:

Nos. 193 to 199 reserved.

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(172) FRANCIS VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_, 1738; died \_\_\_\_\_, 1808.

He is referred to as Colonel Francis Vivion. He married ELIZ. BRODNAX in 1763. She was born in 1742; died in 1808.

They had:

200. WILLIAM VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_, 1764; died \_\_\_\_\_, 1840.  
married ELIZABETH BARRETT.

Nos. 201 to 209 reserved.

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(185) THACKER SMITH VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died December 22, 1866. He was in Spotsylvania County, Va., October 3, 1788, when he executed a bond in the sum of 700 pounds to qualify as guardian of Joseph and William Brock, orphans of William Brock. Benjamin Waller and Lewis Craig were his securities.

From the Virginia Magazine of History and Biography, Volume 34, Pages 348 and 351, we have gleaned some meager facts about his history.

It appears from records available that this man moved from Virginia to South Carolina and then to Georgia.

He married MARY BROCK \_\_\_\_\_.

They had:

- 210. SARAH MARIAH VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_, 1781; died \_\_\_\_\_.  
married BENJAMIN SKRIVE, 11/6/1801.
- 211. JANE VIVION, born January 7, 1770; died February, 1837.  
married MAJOR JOHN HOWARD.
- 212. MOLLY VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_.  
married WM. KALKER.
- 213. ELIZA VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_.  
married \_\_\_\_\_ GREENLEAF.
- 214. NANCY VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_; unmarried.
- 215. JOHN VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_; unmarried.
- 216. COLONEL THACKER VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_.
- 217. VIRGIL VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_.
- 218. ANN VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_; unmarried.
- 219. RESERVED.

(186) CHARLES AUGUSTUS VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_.

From the Virginia Magazine of History and Biography, Volume 34, Page 349, we glean the following meager facts about this son:

He moved from Virginia to North Carolina, thence to Alabama. He married twice, but the names of his wives are not given. His children are from his second marriage.

He married:

I. \_\_\_\_\_.  
II. \_\_\_\_\_.

He had:

- \* 260. THACKER VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_.
- \* 261. FLAVEL VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_.
- 262. JAMES VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_; unmarried.

Nos. 263 to 269 reserved.

(187) JOHN VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_, 1736; died B 1791.

There is much confusion between this man and his father, (141) John Vivion. This is because of the misinterpretation of the deed of partition of record in Orange County, Va., Deed Book 40, Page 261. Compilers generally have construed this to include a list of John Vivion's children, but this compiler does not so construe it.

It seems clear enough that, although the will does name the heirs of (141) John Vivion, it so happened that his son, John, the one who moved to Kentucky, had died before this date, so that his sons had to be named so as to account for their part of their grandfather's estate.

(187) John Vivion's will was made in 1789, but not proved until 1805 in Fayette County, Kentucky.

He married MARTHA Gholson, \_\_\_\_\_. She was the daughter of John Gholson and Esther Cooke and the granddaughter of Anthony Gholson and wife, Jane.

This compiler believes this man is the one largely, if not wholly, responsible for the VIVION movement from Virginia to Kentucky; also, that he was commonly termed "Colonel" Vivion, although he has not yet found any acceptable proof to show this title was other than an honorary one.

(187) John Vivion and his wife, Martha, deeded 270 acres on the North Anna, North Fork, to Vivion Daniel, his brother-in-law, November 14, 1780. The consideration shown was \$8,000.00. This deed is recorded in Orange County, Va., Deed Book 17, Page 426.

(187) John Vivian had:

- \* 280. JACKY (JOHN) VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_.  
 \* 281. TRACER SMITH VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_.  
 \* 282. MILTON VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_.  
 \* 283. THOMAS VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_.  
 \* 284. HARVEY VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_.  
 \* 285. FLAVEL VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_.  
 286. FRANCES VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_.  
 married PHILIP BUSH.  
 287. SALLY VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_.  
 married \_\_\_\_\_ CROSSTHAI.

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(220) TRACKER VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_.

Be married:

- I. SUSAN EARLE.  
II. LAURA TOME.

By his second marriage he had:



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(221) FLAVEL VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_.

(Information concerning this man was found in the Virginia Magazine of History and Biography, Volume 34, Page 349)

Be married LUCY THOMAS.

They had:



Nov. 295 to 299 reserved.

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(280) JACKY (JOHN) VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_.

He identify him as the John Vivion who went to Orange County to sell the 380 acres owned by his grandfather, (141) John Vivion.

He married \_\_\_\_\_.

They had:

Nos. 300 to 304 reserved.

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(281) TRACKER SMITH VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_.

He married \_\_\_\_\_.

They had:

Nos. 304 to 309 reserved.

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(282) MILTON VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_.

He married \_\_\_\_\_.

They had:

\* 310 JOHN C. VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_, 1800; died \_\_\_\_\_, 1875.

Nos. 311 to 319 reserved.

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(283) THOMAS VIVION, born September 22, 1776; died October 11, 1860.

He married:

- I. NANCY BUSH, 12/23/1793; born 12/5/1781; died 1816.
- II. ANN DAVIS, 9/12/1816; born 1/25/1795; died 12/14/1865.

He was in the Clark County, Ky., Census of 1850.

His children are listed from Volume 34, Page 550, of the Virginia Magazine of History and Biography. The list was furnished by a son then living in Cartersville, Georgia. (1900)

He had:

By First Marriage:

320. MANDA BUSH VIVION, born September 29, 1799; died 1898.  
      married \_\_\_\_\_ COMBS.
321. WILLIAM BUSH VIVION, born August 1, 1801; died November 14, 1875.
322. LUCY VIVION, born November 12, 1803; died \_\_\_\_\_.  
      married \_\_\_\_\_ KEYS.
- \* 323. MARTIN or MILTON VIVION, born December 23, 1806; died 1887.
324. WILLIS VIVION, born February 12, 1808; died in infancy.
325. SARAH ANN VIVION, born December, 1809; died A 1800.  
      married I. \_\_\_\_\_ RUCKER; II. \_\_\_\_\_ BARBEE.
326. NANCY ANN VIVION, born December 12, 1812; died in infancy.
327. THOMAS JEFFERSON VIVION, born February 5, 1814; died May 8, 1897.
328. ALBERT G. VIVION, born January 8, 1816; died May 1, 1865.

By Second Marriage:

329. MARY ANN VIVION, born September 22, 1817; died C 1898.  
      married \_\_\_\_\_ EMERSON.
330. WILLIS D. VIVION, born September 24, 1819; died November 24, 1890.
331. ELIZABETH D. VIVION, born September 14, 1821; died in infancy.
332. LUCINDA D. VIVION, born July 18, 1823; died February 26, 1881.  
      married \_\_\_\_\_ SPARROW.
333. ANN WASHINGTON VIVION, born in 1825; died in infancy.
334. JOHN E. VIVION, born July 12, 1827; died December 26, 1895.
335. BEN T. VIVION, born November 19, 1829; died January 18, 1882.
336. MARTHA FRANCES VIVION, born January 12, 1833; died \_\_\_\_\_.  
      married \_\_\_\_\_ SPENCER.
337. JAMES HARVEY VIVION, born March 25, 1835; died A 1800.

Nos. 338 and 339 reserved.

(284) HARVEY VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_.

He married \_\_\_\_\_. They resided in Howard County, Missouri.

They had:

Nos. 340 to 349 reserved.

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(285) FLAVEL VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_. He was a minor in 1781.

He married \_\_\_\_\_.

They had:

350. SALLY VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_.  
married BENJAMIN WATTS, 10/2/1825, Clark County, Ky.  
351. JULIA VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_.  
married MARTIN or MILTON VIVION.

Nos. 352 to 359 reserved.

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(310) JOHN G. VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_, 1800; died \_\_\_\_\_, 1875. He was born and reared in Clark County, Ky., and married REBECCA ROBINETT of Bourbon County, Ky. They moved to Missouri in the fall of 1825, settling in Boone County. He died in Boone County.

They had:

355. JOHN M. VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_, 1852.  
\* 354. WILLIAM H. VIVION, born February 7, 1827; died A 1888.  
355. LOUISA M. VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_, 1878; wed J.M. McKIM  
356. MARY E. VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_; wed W.A. HAMILTON.  
357. ROBERT R. VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_; of Boone Co., Mo.  
358. DAVID R. VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_; of Callaway Co., Mo.  
359. SALLIE A. VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_.  
                                       married \_\_\_\_\_ BOONE of Boone County, Mo.  
359a IRVINE C. VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_; lived in Boone Co., Mo.  
359b JAMES H. VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_; died young.

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(325) MARTIN or MILTON VIVION, born December 23, 1805; died 1897.

He married JULIA VIVION, a daughter of his uncle, FLAVEL VIVION.

They were in the Clark County Census of 1850. They moved to LaFayette County, Missouri, and later to California.

He had:

360. THOMAS VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_; died \_\_\_\_\_.  
361. MARY F. VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_, 1841; died A 1850.  
362. SABRINA VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_, 1845; died A 1850.  
363. ANN VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_, 1847; died A 1850.  
364. THACKER VIVION, born \_\_\_\_\_, 1848; died A 1850.

Nos. 365 to 369 reserved.

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(354) WILLIAM H. VIVION, born February 7, 1827; died A 1888. His biography is at Pages 852 and 853 of the History of Callaway County, Mo., and this contains other family data.

He was married twice as follows:

- I. MARY C. SHAW, February 28, 1852. She died February 6, 1867.
- II. REBECCA A. GRANT, after 1867.

His children, presumably by his first marriage, were listed as follows:

370. JOHN H. VIVION, born B 1867; died A 1888.
371. MORTON H. VIVION, born B 1867; died A 1888.
372. MAGGIE S. VIVION, born B 1867; died A 1888.
373. WILLIAM S. VIVION, born B 1867; died A 1888.

MISCELLANEOUS VIVION RECORDS

Although some of these records probably refer to members of the families related to this group, it has not been possible to identify their relationship from the information available.

CATHARINE L. VIVION wed Wm. H. Robinett, November 15, 1884, Fayette Co., Ky.

ELIZABETH VIVION married Paul Thilman, December 16, 1730, Middlesex Co., Va.

ELIZABETH VIVION was named as "Cousin" in will of Mrs. Ann Fox in Lancaster or Middlesex County, Virginia, March 13, 1722.

FLAVEL VIVION, born 1805, in Clark County, Ky., Census of 1850,  
 with Isabel C., born 1810 in Kentucky.  
 William H., born 1835 in Kentucky.  
 Mary F., born 1836 in Kentucky.  
 Milton H., born 1838 in Kentucky.  
 Margaret, born 1841 in Kentucky.  
 Ann, born 1845 in Kentucky.  
 John, born 1846 in Kentucky.

FRANCES VIVION, incorrectly spelled Francis, was named as a widow in the will of Sir Henry Hyde of Salisbury, England, March 1, 1660.

JOHN VIVION, born 1800, in Clark County, Kentucky, Census of 1850,  
 with Nancy, born 1810 in Kentucky.  
 Sally, born 1831 in Kentucky.  
 Mary J., born 1833 in Kentucky.  
 Lu Ann, born 1835 in Kentucky.  
 John S., born 1838 in Kentucky.  
 Telitha, born 1840 in Kentucky.  
 Nancy, born 1844 in Kentucky.  
 Martha, born 1848 in Kentucky.

THOMAS VIVION, born 1813, in Howard County, Missouri, Census of 1850,  
 (Probably a son with Mary A., born 1813 in Missouri.  
 of (180) Thomas) Sarah T., born 1840 in Missouri.  
 Harvey E., born 1845 in Missouri.  
 Elizabeth, born 1848 in Missouri.

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Vivion, Christian (Hill-Petty-Biscoe)	B1680	1704	—	4
Vivion, David R.	A1825	—	—	553
Vivion, Diana	A1680	1706	1718	33
Vivion, Eliza	B1866	—	—	215
Vivion, Elizabeth	1717	—	1717	140
Vivion, Elizabeth	1719	—	—	142
Vivion, Elizabeth	1718	—	1718	170
Vivion, Elizabeth	A1735	—	B1800	180
Vivion, Elizabeth D.	1821	—	—	531
Vivion, Elizabeth (Barrett)	C1765	—	—	200
Vivion, Eliz. (Brodnax)	1742	1765	1806	172
Vivion, Elizabeth (Thacker)	1694	1711	1732	51
Vivion, Flavel	B1791	—	—	285
Vivion, Flavel	A1735	—	—	221
Vivion, Frances	A1718	C1760	—	175
Vivion, Frances	—	1778	—	182
Vivion, Frances	1765	A1770	—	286
Vivion, Frances (Thacker)	—	1717	1724	34
Vivion, Francis	1736	1765	1806	172
Vivion, Harvey	B1791	—	—	284
Vivion, Irvine C.	A1825	—	—	358a
Vivion, Jacky (John)	A1736	—	—	280
Vivion, James	A1735	—	—	222
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Vivion, James H.	A1825	—	A1900	359b
Vivion, Jane	A1718	—	—	173
Vivion, Jane	A1735	A1750	—	181
Vivion, Jane	1770	—	1837	211
Vivion, Jane (Smith)	1715	1735	B1780	141
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Vivion, Joel	B1620	—	—	2
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Vivion, John	1881	1711	1722	51

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Vivion, John	1738	_____	B1791	187
Vivion, John	A1770	_____	_____	215
Vivion, John E.	1827	_____	1885	534
Vivion, John G.	1800	B1825	1875	510
Vivion, John H.	_____	_____	1852	553
Vivion, John M.	B1867	_____	B1888	570
Vivion, Julia	A1791	_____	_____	351
Vivion, Laura (Towne)	_____	A1750	_____	220
Vivion, Louise H.	_____	_____	1878	555
Vivion, Lucinda D.	1825	_____	1881	532
Vivion, Lucy	1805	_____	_____	322
Vivion, Lucy	B1771	_____	_____	294
Vivion, Lucy (Trotter)	_____	B1771	_____	221
Vivion, Maggie S.	B1867	_____	A1888	372
Vivion, Mannie Bush	1798	_____	1888	320
Vivion, Margaret	1884	1704	1750	32
Vivion, Margaret	A1718	_____	_____	176
Vivion, Margaret	A1735	_____	_____	184
Vivion, Margaret	A1750	_____	_____	291
Vivion, Margaret (Smith)	_____	B1888	_____	4
Vivion, Martha Frances	1838	_____	_____	536
Vivion, Martha (Gholson)	C1738	_____	_____	187
Vivion, Martha ( )	_____	B1788	_____	141
Vivion, Martin (or Milton)	1805	_____	1897	325
Vivion, Mary	A1715	_____	_____	174
Vivion, Mary Ann	1817	_____	C1898	329
Vivion, Mary (Brock)	_____	B1770	_____	185
Vivion, Mary C. (Shaw)	_____	1852	1887	554
Vivion, Mary E.	A1825	_____	_____	356
Vivion, Mary F.	1841	_____	A1850	361
Vivion, Mary ( )	_____	B1670	_____	1
Vivion, Mary ( )	_____	A1724	_____	34
Vivion, Milton	A1735	B1800	_____	282
Vivion, Molly	C1770	_____	_____	212
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Vivion, Nancy Ann	1812	_____	_____	326
Vivion, Nancy (Bush)	1781	1798	1816	283
Vivion, Norton W.	B1867	_____	A1888	371
Vivion, Rebecca (Robinett)	_____	B1825	_____	310
Vivion, Rebecca W. (Grant)	_____	A1867	_____	554
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Vivion, Robert	_____	_____	C1652	5
Vivion, Robert R.	A1825	_____	_____	357
Vivion, Sebrina	1845	_____	A1850	382
Vivion Sallie A.	A1825	_____	A1850	359
Vivion, Sally	_____	1778	_____	183
Vivion, Sally	B1791	_____	_____	287
Vivion, Sally	A1791	1825	_____	550
Vivion, Sarah Ann	1809	_____	_____	325
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Vivion, Thacker	A1755			220
Vivion, Thacker	1845		A1850	364
Vivion, Thacker Smith	A1755		1866	185
Vivion, Thacker Smith	B1791			281
Vivion, Thomas			1670	1
Vivion, Thomas		1717	1781	34
Vivion, Thomas	A1805			360
Vivion, Thomas	1776	1798	1860	283
Vivion, Thomas Jefferson	1814		1897	327
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Vivion, William			1726	3
Vivion, William	1764		1840	200
Vivion, William Bush	1801		1875	321
Vivion, William H.	1827	1852	A1888	554
Vivion, William S.	B1867		A1888	373
Vivion, Willis	1808			324
Vivion, Willis D.	1819		1890	330
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Watts, Benjamin		1825		350
Watts, Beverley Daniel			A1870	153
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Watts, Sarah (Daniel)		1815	1883	153
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