Hulsenet Newsletter – February 2017

Hi Family,

**Happy 88th Birthday to Granvyl Hulse,** without whom none of this would have been possible!

Thanks everyone who responded to my request for feedback. 60 out of the 200 replied to be kept on the mailing list, no one asked to be removed.

It is good to know the noise I make is being heard.

I would very much like to know what Clan or Family Unit interests you most, or the name of your favorite mystery Hulse relative.

Please send email back to [bhulse@hulsenet.net](mailto:bhulse@hulsenet.net) with any feedback.

I posted 3 new Blogs since the last Newsletter.

As was pointed out, the link I gave last time was not correct, since I had changed the title of the page.

The correct link to read the Blogs online is now <http://www.hulsenet.net/the-hulse-blog-and-newsletters/>

**It’ll be A Cold Day in Texas before… – December 18, 2016**

From over 100 in August to below 30 today, it seems like Hell has frozen over here in Austin, Texas…

**Happy New Year – December 31, 2016**

I hope everyone has had a good 2016 and looks forward to even a better 2017.

**Getting the Snow Ball Rolling – February 10, 2017**

I guess I am a slow starter, and even slower once I get started. Heavy snow across the States …

**Rave Review:**

HULSE FAMILY NETWORK NEWSLETTER – FOURTH 1988 Issue – PAGES 51-60

Available online for download at <https://familysearch.org/search/catalog/1230968>

Downloading it is not easy, they are close to 50MB. If you would like the PDF email me at **bhulse@aol.com**

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1. **LETTER FROM THE EDITOR**

Grany shares some early Johannes Holsaert documents. This hits home at the crux of some of our latest research of last year - that the Freehold Thomas and Richard Hulse were not sons of Benjamin Holsaert, and these lines are not Dutch except from side of the women the Hulse men married. There were apparently a few documented cases of name changes from Holsaert to Hulse, as well as other similar name changes – Hulce, Holtz, Hults, etc…

1. **Possible new Hulse immigrant**

Grany discusses research of Kent Co, MD Court Depositions entry of 2 November 1670 of Abraham Holse, age 23 – asking for any more info.

1. **Possible surname conversion to Hulse**

Grany lists some similar surnames – Hulsebas, Hulsebosch, Holtslander/Holslander, Holtzhauser/Holtzheiser/Holtzhausser.

1. **Queries**

Grany lists some queries he had received. Since then, Grany and I have received 100s of queries, some of which we had the pleasure of unravelling for the mystified Hulse relative. Unfortunately they are buried in huge piles of unsorted papers, perhaps to be found by future archaeologists.

1. **Richard Corrections**

Grany corrected a typo for Richard D05/079/034

1. **The Various William’s Found Along The Mason-Dixon Line**

Grany tried to make some sense of more than 32 different William Hulse lines in the early 1800s during the migration from New York and New Jersey to Virginia, Kentucky, Pennsylvania, Ohio and beyond. This confusion still persists – made even more difficult by the realization that totally different Hulse lines migrated to same areas, sometimes to same cities at the same time.

1. **James Corrections**

Grany tried to make some sense of a few James Hulse lines.

**Hulsenet.net Projects:**

Grany and I continue to work on Thomas Hulse and Richard, both married circa 1750 in Freehold NJ, are most certainly related to English Clan R, they are not sons of Benjamin Holsaert of Dutch Clan D. This has proven to be a tough nut to crack. Our latest find is the 1740 Freehold NJ Marriage bond of Phebe Hulse, posted by Thomas Hulse.

We have promoted FU#27 to be Clan J – based on research we have done with Jan Hulse.

We have added new Clan L, based on Ernest James Albert Hulse (b.1902) from Lancaster England

I hope to organize our Clan G work to update it next, soon.

As usual, I answer Hulse email queries as best I can, whenever they come in.

**Brian Hulse – 12th generation Clan R**