

Fam. Rec. 141.

C.D. 22.Sbd. 12. Household 60

Simpson	Calvin	Head	M.S. 20.	St. Eliz.	Col.	Angl.	W.3. Farmer
"	Jehu	cousin	M.S. 44	"	"	"	X Family worker
"	Lucas	cousin	M.S. 34	"	"	"	X Farmer
Mills	Hilda	cousin	F.S. 15	"	"	"	W.2. None

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His farm 1942.

Operates his farm as owner or pt. owner 2 years.

7 acres in 1 parcel.

Tomatoes - chief source of income.

No labour employed

Works 52 weeks, 6 days per week, 9 hours per day.

Owms 7 acres.

In cultivation: $2\frac{1}{2}$ acr.

cultivable not used 2 acr.

Pasture $1\frac{1}{2}$ ac.

Other $\frac{1}{2}$ ac.

Value of farm: £200 Value of buildings £130

1 catchment

Cultivations: Tomatoes 0.3 ac = 1,800 lbs

1 ackee = 9 heaps. 1 Avocado = 7 doz. 4 breadfruits=

17 doz. 5 coconuts=300 nuts. 14 mangoes= 1350 doz.

5 naseberries=240 doz.

$\frac{1}{4}$ ac. guinea corn = 700 lbs. $\frac{1}{4}$ ac yams= 900 lbs.

3 goats,

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Inform. Dudley Simpson.
13.3.48.
J.O.

Simpson Calvin -
his parents and re-
latives in Shadock Hill.
His land.

Simpson Calvin is son of Zada Simpson and her first husband, Kennedy Simpson, ~~that~~ died in Cuba. Izan Simpson is Calvin's uncle. He was Kennedy's brother.

"Simpson Calvin - him call Izan Simpson Uncle. He son of this Kennedy Simpson that die in Cuba. And Zada Simpson."

Simpson Calvin lives on the land which was passed to him from his father's property.

Cf. also Family Record 14.

Inform. Dudley Simpson.
14.4.48.
J.O. + T.O.

Calvin Simpson -
heir to Kennedy
Simpson's estate.
His mother's
family.

Calvin Simpson is living in his old paternal home and ~~far~~ from the land that was passed to him by his late father.

Previously he lived in this house with his mother Zada Simpson, who in the meantime married Lehi Simpson. Lehi Simpson, his father-in-law, lived with all the family together. He had no house of his own. When Calvin grew older Lehi Simpson built his own house on the other side of the path and moved to this house together with ~~Zada~~ Zada, Calvin's mother, and with their children.

"After Kennedy's ~~death~~ death, Zada Simpson marry to Lehi Simpson. They have lots of children. But Calvin Simpson become the man. He put it to Lehi Simpson: I cant keep you in my father home, you must go and build your ~~own~~ house. So lehi Simpson built the house and took Zada Simpson. Calvin was heir ~~lawful~~ lawful of his father estate."

Calvin Simpson.
His wife Lilian
Banton. Their
children.

Calvin Simpson is married and has children. "Calvin Simpson - him a married man. Him marry to a girl from Chocolate Hole: Lilian Banton. Have two children."

His land is estimated by Dudley Simpson at about 3 acres. "He own around 3 acre probably." Nobody else besides his wife and children is living in their house.

He is a cultivator - has no other profession or occupation. He is a successful cultivator and in spite of his young age does ~~good~~ well and supports fully his family.

"Him is a young boy. Shouldnt be married man at all. Too young. Responsibilities are worse than him is big. Still them trying the best of life. He cultivate hard, tomato and so on. His tomato - the crop turned nice - not bad, made a few pounds."

His cousins - Simpson Jehu and Lucas.

Two Simpsons, who were living with Calvin in his house in 1942/43, are his cousins. Jehu is known better under his nickname "Crosby". Lucas is called "Yucal".

"Yucal and Crosby is two brother. Crosby ~~was~~ Yucal is to call Kennedy Simpson, Calvin's father, uncle. Crosby is not living together with Calvin Simpson now. He living now with Lehi Simpson. Lehi Simpson is his next uncle by mother side."

Dudley does not know who is or might be Mills Hilda who stayed in this house in ~~in~~ 1943. "The only Hilda that I know ~~living at Bottom~~ is living at Bottom. She is married to James Simpson at Bottom. Wasnt living with Yucal or Crosby at all."

Visit at home. Interv. Calvin and Lillian Simpson.
26.6.48.
T.O.

I met Calvin Simpson in his uncle's (Izan Simpson) yard. Izan's yard is a kind of cross roads meeting place for people ~~on~~ from both sides of the hill and during my talk with Izan & family a lot of people gathered round us. When I was offering round cigarettes I hesitated before I offered one to Calvin. He looked so young that I thought he might not smoke yet - at least "officially". Martha Simpson promptly said: "This is Calvin Simpson" I knew who he was and explained why I hesitated, so he wouldn't feel slighted. Martha laughed: "You thought he is a young irresponsible boy and he is a family man." Calvin smiled and pointing to a little boy who was clinging to his knees said "That's my eldest".

After I finished my visit at Izan's, Calvin took me to his home. Pointing to a building with two doors he said: "That's the kitchen and buttery" and pointing to the house "And this is my new house." I looked into the kitchen from where a child's whiperings could be heard. Lillian Simpson was sitting on the bench and feeding with the spoon her younger son Wilbert. She was giving him what looked like mashed yam and the child didn't want to eat. Seeing us she stopped feeding the child and came out of the kitchen. They took me a few paces farther to the house but didn't invite to come in. Lillian explained rather nervously that the furniture didn't come yet. "The furniture is still at my mother's home." She told me about this coming furniture several times implying that the one they have can't be considered furniture at all. The door to one of the rooms was open. I could see a very large bed covered ~~with~~ with a white fresh sheet, a little table, some chairs. I thought it looked comfortable and not overcrowded like in most homes.

Calvin pointed to the thatched roof and explained that this is the good quality big thatch. The house - he said - is not really yet finished, it was started only this season. Previously he lived in the old house which was built by his father. He showed me the spot behind the new house. But the house was old and "no good". He pulled it down. Behind the new house there is still another little one-room building. This serves also as a kind of buttery-spare room. In this homestead lives Calvin with his small family:

Simpson	Calvin	head.	M.M.	26	cultivator
"	Lillian	wife	F.M.	24	homemaker
"	Samuel	son	M.S.	4	
"	Wilbert	son	M.S.	1½	

I was told already ~~xxx~~ a little about Calvin's story by his uncle Izan. Calvin is the son of Kennedy's Simpson who died. His mother Zada (daughter of Francella Simpson) married after Kennedy's death Lehi Simpson, who house is

almost opposite Calvin's accross the road. Zada died a few years ago. Calvin said he had one sister who died. (full sister). His mother had many children with her second husband. (see F.R. 14)

Lillian Simpson is the daughter of Birdie Dyer. She didn't want to tell or rather avoided the question who was her father. Lillian says that her mother lives "over the hill" which might be either Tad Town or Chocolate Hole. He said she didn't have neather brothers nor sisters. It was obvious she didn't want to talk about her family matters. They married 3 years ago.

The land. Calvin says he has 7½ acres of land which he got of his "father estate". He cultivates it himself. He had this year 6000 tomatoes and is satisfied with the price he got. He has 5½ acres at home and 2 acres in the woods. But lot of this land is stony and can't be used for cultivation. Calvin speaks with modesty but pleasure about his work. He ~~heavabautvavacrexaf~~ plants cassava, gm congo peas and corn - about ½ acre each. Also ¼ acr. of red peas. One acre of guinea grass which he considers as important as cassava. Of these cultivations he has a certain surplus which he sells.

His big well kept donkey was under the mango tree. He has two pigs and two goats.

All his cash he made from tomatoes and from selling other produce was used to build the new house.

27.6.48.

T.O.

I met to-day Mrs. Ivy Dyer wife of Samuel Dyer from Chocolate Hole. She said that Birdie Dyer is a sister of her husband and of Dorell Dyer of Shaddock Hill. Birdie Dyer lives at present in Dunder Hill, but the family is from Chocolate Hole.

Information from Leo A ohnson,
Interv. Calvin Simpson,
16.6.48.
T.O. 30.8.48.

Simpson	Calvin	26
"	Lillian	wife 24
"	Samuel	son 4
"	Wilbert	son 1.

Calvin Simpson is the son of Kennedy and Zadah Simpson. Half brothers by the same mother: Francklin, Berrisford and Owen Simpson. Half-sisters by the same mother: Icodei Mccharty and Marion ~~Simpson~~ & Esthel Simpson. All alive. Full sister Violet is dead. Calvin married Lillian in 1945. Lillian Simpson (nee Dyer) is the daughter of Birdie Dyer. Father not known.

House: one consisting of 2 rooms and one consisting of a single room. Kitchen and buttry separate. 1 tank.

Land: $7\frac{1}{2}$ acres in 2 lots: $5\frac{1}{2}$ acres of home-land, 2 acres in the woodlands.

Cultivations: $2\frac{1}{2}$ acres cultivated, 1 ac. in guinea grass. 5 naseberries. 5 common and 9 robin mangoes, 3 coconuts, 4 breadfruits. Tomatoes: 6000. Yams - no data. Cassava $\frac{1}{2}$ ac. Ginger $\frac{1}{2}$ ac. corn $\frac{1}{2}$ ac. red peas $\frac{1}{2}$ ac. Sell excess, rest used at home.

1 donkey, 2 pigs, 2 goats.

Both adults are literate. No religion recorded.