

C.D. 22 Sbd. 12. Household 66

Simpson	Euston	Head	M.M.	32	St. Eliz.	Col.	Angl.	X Farmer
"	Violet	wife	F.M.	29 6.6.	"	"	"	W.3. Homemaker
"	Kenneth	son	M.S.	10	"	"	"	W.1. 4.E.
"	Cecil	son	M.S.	8	"	"	"	W.1. 4.E.
"	Louis	son	M.S.	5	"	"	"	
"	Jenneth	dau	F.S.	3	"	"	"	
"	Lernal	son	M.S.	2/12	"	"	"	

His farm in 1942

Operates the land which he now occupies 6 years
 He has farmed as owner or part owner 13 years
 Owns 8 acres in 2 pieces: 4 and 4 ac. each
 Main source of income - tomatoes
 No labour employed. works 52 weeks p.a., 6 days per week, 9 hours p.d.

3 ac. under cultivation, 1/2 ac. cultivable but not used, 4 acres pasture (of which 3 ac under guinea grass) 1/2 ac. other.
 Total value of farm £220, of buildings £ 90.
 1 catchment

Cultivations:

- 0.6 ac. tomatoes = 2009 lbs. 1 avocado = 5 doz
- 3 coconuts = 100 nuts, 2 grapes (one fruiting) = 10 lbs
- 6 mangoes = 430 doz. 1 naseberry = 3 doz.
- 3/4 ac. congo peas = 12 bushels, 1 ac. cassava = 4000lbs
- 1/4 ac. sweet cass. = 1,500 lbs.
- 1 dairy cow, 1 calf
- 1 sheep, 1 swine.
- 1 hen = 4 doz eggs.

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Inf.: Ezra Linton, Dudley Simpson, Laban Rochester.
18.4.48.
T.O. and J.O.

"Simpson Euston: Francella and Solomon Simpson son. Married /Violet/ "Sally" Powell - Charlie Powell from Tad Town daughter. Married long ago - about 10 years. Got land from his father's estate."

"They got 7 children: Kenneth, leave school now and working with father. Cecil still going to school. Louis is also still going to school. "Doll Doll" /Jenneth/ is an idiot. Cant go nither to school or work. Diffomed Dont speak or write. "Manseed" and two baby, one around 2 years and one about 8 months. Simpson has no other children."

"Sally have one before marry for Claston Rochester. Boy Hector Rochester him live with father in Green Olive, around 20 yrs."

Visit at home. Interv. Violet Simpson.
24.6.48.
T.O.

The main living house in which there are 3 rooms is connected in a quaint way with two other buildings: the kitchen and a sort of buttery-spare room. The catchment in between them and goes in front of the house.

The house was just being repaired and there is some building material in front of it.

Mrs. Violet was sitting in front of her house and stuffing an big pink kind of sack with dry grass. This was to be a mattress for the children.

Present household:

Simpson	Euston	36x head	36	Shad.Hill Ch.of God.	Reads cultivator
"	Violet	wife	32	8-Bot.B.Sav.	W.6. housewife
"	Kenneth	son	15	Shad Hill	W.5 school
"	Cecil	son	13	" "	W.4. school
"	Louis	son	11	" "	W.1. "
"	Jeanette	dau	9	" "	sickly
"	Lonval	son	5		
"	Everett	son	3		
"	Mervin	son	10/12		

Violet said she had one son who was 19 years now. I asked her how old she was when she had him. She said 17, but insisted that she was 32 now, and no arithmetic could persuade her. The ~~son~~ big son is Hector for Claston Rochester and stays with the father.

She said she had 7 sons and one daughter. This only daughter is "sickly" she is in fact "no good at all." She was born like that but violet doesnt know why. She doesn't remember of being frightened or have fallen while she was pregnant. (She doesn't know or wouldn't say she knows there might be some other causes for which a child is born so.)

Violet is from Tad Town. Her father is Charles Powell and mother Rebecca Powell. (nee Rochester). Ernest Powell the tailor, Euston Powell and Minocal Powell are her brothers. Cornelious Powell is a half brother by the same father. She has still one full brother Dan, who went many years ago to Cuba and never came back. He went to Cuba 3 or 4 times, but the last time he went he did not return. This brother Dan had a son here. This son is a big man now and stays with his aunt Margarette Roach. Violet had also three full sisters. Irine went also to Cuba and did not return. Violet does not know even if she and Dan are alive. Nicol~~e~~ married Joshua Rochester and lives in Green Olive. that is the sister ~~with~~ whom Vio-

let sees the most often now. She has another sister in Bull Savannah Ivy Roye who lives in Overroad. (?)

Violet came to live in this house with Euston 14 years ago. This house was built before she came to live here.

Her husband Euston is the son of Francella Simpson. See F.R. 72. To-day Euston went to work in the woods with his brother Claston.

Violet says they have 6 acres of land. 3 was inherited by Euston from his father and he bought 3 more. He doesn't know much about cultivations, but they have "quite enough" of cassava and corn and also all kinds of peas. The bulkin was listening sternly to our conversation.

The baby who was in the house and keeping silent for a long while started to cry. Violet had to go to the house. She just had time to tell me she wished she wouldn't have any more children.

J.O. 17.6.48.
Shaddock Hill.
Simpson Euston, 9.
Interv. Simpson Euston.
~~Mr.~~ Information from Leo Johnson.
16.6.48.

Present Household.

~~Mr.~~ married,
Simpson Euston, 36. born Shaddock H. Ch.God. 1st. Cul
Simpson Violet. 32. 8 children, all alive, ~~xxxxxxx~~
wife to Eus., born in Bottoms Ch.God. 6th.Hous
Simpson Kenneth, son, 15. Ch.God., 5th., school.
~~Kenneth~~ Simpson Cecil, son, 13. ,, 4th., ,,
Simpson Louis, son 11, 1st., ,,
Simpson Jenneth, dau., 9.
Simpson Lendval, ,, 5. All children born in Shaddock H
Simpson Everett, ,, 3.
Simpson Mervin , ,, 10 mths.

9 person

Family History.

Simpson Euston - for his famhist see Francella Simpson, his mother /FamRec. 72. He has half sister through his father: Cinderella Simpson, c.l.wife of Aron Rochester.

Violet Simpson - ~~was~~ married him about 1930, ~~1931~~ 1931. Her parents were Charles Powell and Rebecca Powell, nee Rochester. Her half brother by father: Cornelius Powell, living in B.S. Full siblings: Irine and Dan Powells - in Cuba. Euston, Ernest and Minocal Powell; Iva Roy and Nicola Rochester. - all in B.S. Violet Simpson had one outside child before she married Euston Simpson: Hector Rochester, whose father is Claston Rochester. Hector lives with his father.

House. They live in ~~xxxxx~~ 3 roomed house. Zinc roof. 2 rooms are occupied by the family. 1 kitchen 1 tank.

Land. and farming. 6 acre in 2 lots: 1 at home, 1 in Woodland. 3 ac. inherited from father, 3 bought from him. 2 acres cultivated. @ 3 coconuts, 1 breadfruit. 4000 tomatoes. 100 hills of yams/Mos. 50, Tawya 30, mixed 20/. Corn 1,5 ac. Cassava 1/2 ac. Congo 1/2 ac. Red peas 1/2 ac. Stock 1 donkey, 1 steer, 1 sheep.

Religion. All belong to Bible Church of God.