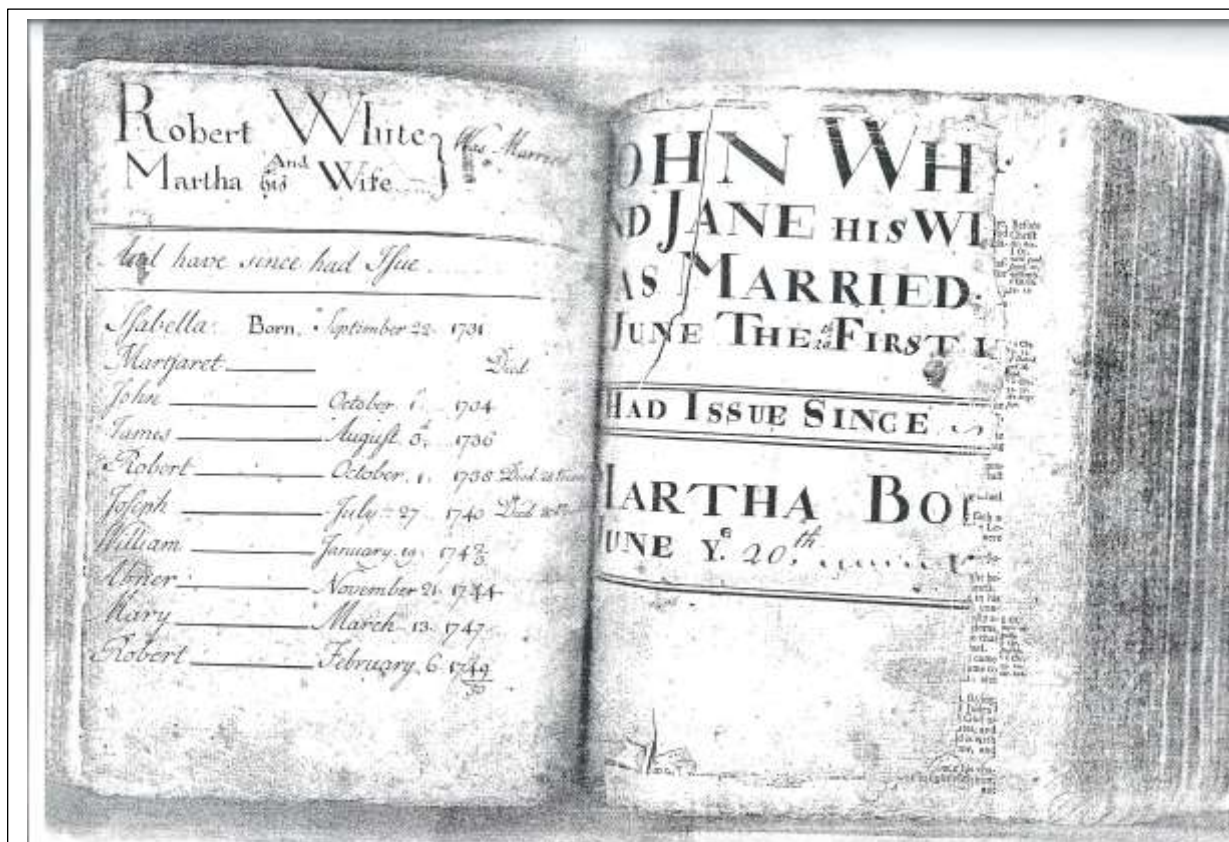


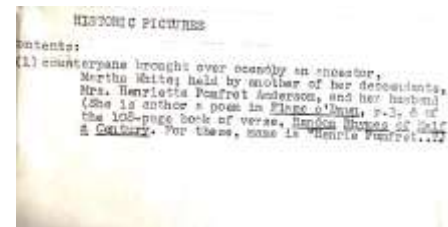
White Family Bible

On the right side: John White and Jane [Paisley] his wife was married June the 20th First [1762]
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"Unfortunately I do not have the quilt. There were several items in Henrietta's possession which her son Haven or daughter Mary obtained upon her passing. I know Haven had the 200 year old White bible which was in his wife Melva's possession when he died. She would never allow me to see the bible and it was tragically lost upon her death. The only thing resulting from my continued attempt to see the bible was that Melva copied the birth pages which I have posted. Mary I believe had Jane White's desk and probably the quilt plus letters from Martha Jane to her mother Jane Paisley White. From what I heard they were kept in an old school house in San Luis Obispo which was being used for storage. I reached out to Mary's daughter a few years ago in an attempt to locate these items with no success. It is so sad when these precious items from our ancestors are lost."

Norma Hayden, March 2023



Blue and white counterpane brought over the ocean by Martha White. Being held by descendant Henrietta Pomfret Anderson and her husband James Anderson.

[photo was part of Julia Drake's family collection. Donated to the Paisley family archives by her grand-niece Sharon Drake Schirding]