



After the wooden covered bridge collapsed under the weight of the logging locomotive, it was replaced by a steel bridge. Abutments of the bridge are still visible along the Loyalsock just south of the village. The covered bridge was taken down in the 1920's.

postage stamps as a method of simplifying the old way of paying postage.

Isaac Craven came to Hillsgrove at an early date and married Martha Hill, a daughter of John Hill. They located on a portion of the Hill lands, which is now owned by C.W. Sadler and the Union Tanning company. The children of Mr. and Mrs. Craven were:

William, of Hillsgrove.
Susan, married a Mr. Rogers.
John C., of Washington, D.C.
Mary, married Henry McBride.
Thomas, of Canton.

John S. Hill was a son of John Hill. He located on the southern section of the Hill lands, which was, after his death, owned by the Sadlers and later by Richard Biddle and others. Mr. Hill, while on a visit in Lycoming county, died very suddenly, Oct. 4, 1841.

Joseph Huckell, with his brothers, John and Thomas, disposed of their property near Birmingham, England, in the year 1797, and came to America. Thomas located at Forksville and Joseph purchased land from Joseph Priestly of Northumberland and located at Hillsgrove on lands now owned by Aaron Lewis. The deeds transferring the lands from Mr. Priestly to Mr. Huckell are dated Feb. 12, 1805, which was probably the date of Mr. Huckell's locating at Hillsgrove.

Mr. Huckell married an English lady named Danley. They had only one child, a son named Benjamin, who located on the homestead on reaching his majority. He married Margaret Plotts, she was a daughter of John

Plotts, of Hillsgrove. To Mr. and Mrs. Huckell were born:

Joseph, dec'd, of Kansas.
Rachel, dec'd, married John Brandon, of Kansas.
Elizabeth, married Jonathan Rogers, dec'd, of Lincoln Falls.
Catherine, dec'd, married John Lochard, of Kansas.
John, dec'd, of Kansas.
Margaret, dec'd, married John Savage, of Lewisburg, Pa.
Benjamin, deceased.
Wheeler, deceased.
George, deceased.
Mary, deceased.
Emeline, dec'd, married Aaron Lewis.
Henrietta, married Oscar Sprague.
Harriet, married Edward Weisman.
G.T., of Montoursville, Pa.

Richard Green came from New Jersey and located at Hillsgrove at an early date. He purchased 50 acres of land where Edward McBride now lives, later he purchased 330 acres of land where John Green now lives. Mr. Green married Mary Plotts. The Plotts came from New Jersey, and located at Plunkett's creek at an early date. The children of Mr. and Mrs. Green were:

John, of Lycoming county.
Wheeler, of Hillsgrove.