

DR. WILLIAM BURNET
AND HIS SONS
JACOB, ISAAC AND DAVID

A CHART OF THEIR FOREFATHERS
AND DESCENDANTS IN AMERICA
1640-1938

"An honorable name is the richest legacy a man
can leave his descendants. Such a legacy was
bequeathed by William Burnet."
(1879). Justice Joseph P. Bradley.

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by
Isabella Neff Burnet.

Additional children of John and Emilyn Hendricks-
Ann who died young.
An infant.

Addition page 35.

Julia Perry
married August 7, 1938
Lonnie O. Newsom, Jr.

DR. WILLIAM BURNET AND HIS SONS, JACOB, ISAAC AND DAVID.

Corrections and additions:

Add page 7.

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| | Louise Groesbeck married Hartwell Cabell | Mary Cabell |
| Telford Groesbeck married Louise Cox | Mary Groesbeck married Reker | |
| | Glendenning Groesbeck married Grace Seeley | No issue. |

Correction page 8.

(a) Wahlford should be Wohlford.

(b) should be:

Peter Rudolph Neff
(6/19/1832-2/13/1912)
married first, June 30, 1853
Caroline Margaretta Burnet
(12/6/1833-8/6/1864)

Add page 11.

Edward Crawford Elsey, Jr.
(August 15, 1938-)

Correction page 12.

Should be, Lawrence Mendenhall born June 5, 1855 insted of
January 5, 1855.

Add page 17.

Griffith Livingston Resor died April 13, 1938.

Griffith Livingston Resor, Jr.
married August 15, 1938
Marion Elizabeth MacArthur.

Correction page 29.

"Buddie" (1909-) should be Walter D. Herrick, Jr. (1909-)

Correction page 34.

David Burnet, Jr. should be David Staats Burnet.

Correction page 37.

Evelyn Evans should be Emilyn Evans.
Helen Pierce should be Helen Coates.

FOREWORD

This work was undertaken so a record could be gathered together of these three brothers, sons of Dr. William Burnet, two of whom went to Cincinnati, the other to Texas. Jacob Burnet, who was a Judge of the Northwest Territory, and later United States Senator, went to Cincinnati when it consisted of "eleven families and twenty-four bachelors". Isaac Burnet went there about ten years later, was the first mayor of Cincinnati, serving six terms. David G. Burnet went to Texas in the early days, served as the first Provisional President of the Republic of Texas, was afterwards Vice-President, Secretary of State, and later elected, in 1866, United States Senator, but was not seated. Of their other brothers and their sisters, their descendants are to be found in New Jersey, Long Island and the New England States, in the most part.

I have tried to make this record just as complete as I could, giving the names and dates accurately, verifying them in every available way. It has been compiled, in the greater part, from first-hand knowledge and family records.

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Isabella Neff Burnet.

University of Virginia.
Charlottesville, Virginia.
March, 1938.

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John Burnet
(Died before 1684,
left no children.)

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Lot Burnet
(-1702)
Married Oct. 20, 1675
Phoebe Mills

Joel Burnet (Lived in
Southampton, had no
children.)

Dan Burnet
(-July 8, 1729) (a) Daniel
Married (Who had a son
Abigail (-1698) Daniel.)

(b) Ichabod Burnet
(1684-1774)
Married
Hannah (1702-1758)

(c) David Burnet
(-1767)

Thomas Burnet, came from Scotland or England as early as 1640. He married his second wife, Mary Pierson, in Lynn, Mass. October 3, 1663. He died around 1684. His will dated March 16, 1679-80 filed at Riverhead, L. I. He is listed as a tax payer in 1683.

Priscilla Burnet

Mordecai Burnet
(1670-1716)
Married Marrie Hannah
(Was one of the Associates of Elizabeth, N.J., 1699-1700)

Matthias Burnet
(1674-Oct. 4, 1765)
Married
Elizabeth

Stephen Burnet
(1708-1734)
(Only son)
Married
Eleanor Miller

Miriam Burnet
Married June 24, 1675
Enoch Fithian (Of
Easthampton, L.I.)
(See Savage Felt's,
New England Historical
Register, No. 94)

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Dr. William Burnet

(1730--1791)

Married first, in 1753

Mary Camp (-1781)

Daughter of Nathaniel
and Elizabeth Camp

Married second, in 1782

Gertrude Gouverneur

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Daughter of Nicholas
Gouverneur, and widow
of Anthony Rutgers.Ichabod Burnet

(1684-1774)

Married

Hannah (1702-1758)

Ichabod Burnet was
educated in Edinburgh,
Scotland.Dr. Ichabod Burnet

(1732-1756)

(Died in Charleston,
South Carolina.)((a) William, Jr. (5/17/1756-1799)((b) Ichabod (May 17, 1756-1783)((c) Nathaniel (1757-1768)((d) John (1759-1811)((e) Hannah (1761-1852)((f) Elizabeth (1768-1811)((g) Sarah Died young.((h) Mary Died age nineteen.((i) James Died in infancy.((j) Jacob (1770-1853)((k) George Whitfield (1773-1800)Dr. William Burnet

Married first, 1753

Mary Camp

(- Feb. 1, 1781)

Married second, 1782

Gertrude Gouverneur((l) Isaac Gouverneur (1784-1856)((m) Staats Morris (1786-1806)((n) David Gouverneur (1788-1870)

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- (a) William Burnet, Jr. married
Joanna Alling, daughter of Joseph
and Abigail Alling, (1756-1814)
- (b) John married Abigail Wheeler
- (c) Hannah married Captain Abraham Kinney.
- (d) Elizabeth married Daniel Thew.
- (j) Jacob married Rebecca Wallace,
Jan. 1, 1800, of "Ellerslie", Stafford
County, Virginia.
- (k) George married Sophia Greene,
Marietta, Ohio, in May 1799.
- (l) Isaac married Kittie Winn Gordon
in 1806.
- (n) David Gouverneur married Hannah Este
(1800-1858) of New York, who
His son William Este was killed at the
battle of Mobile, March 31, 1865.
David Gouverneur died in 1870, the last
of his family. Is buried in Galveston,
Texas.

Mary Burnet
(1802-1834)
Married
Vashel Worthington

George Whitfield Burnet
(1804-1859)

William Burnet (1806-1892)
Married
Margaretta Currie
(Daughter of Capt.
James Currie, son of Dr.
James Currie and his
wife Mary, who are buried
at St. John's Church,
Richmond, Virginia.)

Robert Wallace Burnet
(1808-1864)
Married
Margaret Groesbeck

Judge Jacob Burnet
(1770-1853)
Married Jan. 1, 1800
Rebecca Wallace

Elizabeth Burnet

(1817-1839)

Married

William Groesbeck

Caroline Thew Burnet

(1820-1856)

Married

Nathaniel C. McLean

Harriet Burnet

(1820-)

(Twin of Caroline
Thew)

Died young.

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Jacob Burnet

(1830-)

Married

Mary Duncan

James Currie Burnet

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Married

Sarah Duncan

William Burnet

(1806-1892)

Married first

Margaretta Currie

(1809-1835)

Married second

Susan Maria Clark

Married third

Mary Schooley

Carolina Margaretta Burnet

(1833-1864)

Married

Peter Rudolph NeffJohn Claypoole Burnet

Married

Mary Poindexter

Josephine Clark Burnet

(1848-1935)

Married

Peter Rudolph Neff

(His second wife.)

Edward Warren Burnet

(1851-)

Married 1882

Alice Ann Dana

William BurnetWallace Claypoole Burnet

(Died early)

Margaret Burnet
Married
Dudley Phelps

Robert Burnet
Married

Jacob Staats Burnet
Married
Anna Stubbs

Jacob Burnet

Harold Burnet

Ethel Burnet
Married
Charles Clark

Robert Wallace Burnet
(1808-1864)
Married
Margaret Groesbeck

Edith Burnet
Married
Charles Pomeroy

Mamie Burnet
Married
Stone

(A son who died at the
age of five years.)

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| | <u>Rebecca Groesbeck</u> Married Robert <u>Goddard</u> |
| <u>Elizabeth Burnet</u> (1817-1889) Married William <u>Groesbeck</u> | <u>Lille Groesbeck</u> Married Lord Kenelm <u>Digby</u> |
| | <u>Herman Groesbeck</u> Married Elizabeth Perry |
| | <u>Caroline Groesbeck</u> (Twin of Herman) Died at 16 years of age. |
| | <u>Telford Groesbeck</u> Married |
| | <u>Julia Groesbeck</u> (Twin of Telford) Married Judge Robert Ludlow <u>Fowler</u> of New York City. |
| | <u>Margaretta Burnet</u> (1857-1911) |
| | <u>Susan Clark Burnet</u> (1859-1875) |
| | <u>Sarah Snead Burnet</u> (1860-) |
| <u>Jacob Burnet</u> (1830-1891) Married 1856 Mary Duncan (1834-1916) | <u>Mary Coleman Burnet</u> (1864-) |
| | <u>Julia Worthington Burnet</u> (1869-1898) |
| | <u>Caroline Currie Burnet</u> (1871-1900) |
| | <u>Henry Duncan Burnet</u> (1876-) |
| | <u>Wallace Burnet</u> (1881-1881) |

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Mary Wahlford
(1894-)

Sarah Snead Burnet
(1860-)
Married 1893
Alvin Webster Wahlford

Coleman Burnet Wahlford

(1897-)
Married
Milfred Inley

Burnet Wahlford
(1927-)

Sheanna Wahlford
(1930-)

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Mary Schtt Burnet
(1913-)

Henry Duncan Burnet
(1876-)
Married 1912
Inez Daughtry
(1888-)

Duncan Burnet, Jr.
(1914-)

Robin Greer Burnet
(1917-)

James Currie Burnet
Married
Sarah Duncan

(No children.)

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Isabella Neff
(April 15, 1854-)
Married
Sidney Denise Maxwell

Margaret Currie Neff
(June 22, 1857-)
Married
Lawrence Hendenhall

Peter Rudolph Neff
(12/6/1832-2/13/1913)
Married first, June 19, 1853

Caroline Margaretta Burnet

(12/3/48-8/1/1935)

Caroline Burnet Neff

(June 13, 1859-)
Married
William Bromwell Burnet

Frederick Rudolph Neff
(6/15/1861-3/8/1874)

Alice Gray Neff
(1/11/1863-8/22/1895)
Married
Arthur Gouverneur Burnet

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(Peter R. Neff, con't.)
Married second, 1867 Peter Rudolph Neff
Josephine Clark Burnet (4/17/1868-7/2/1868)
(12/3/1848-8/1/1935)

Josephine Clark Neff
(2/7/1870-3/9/1874)

Hope Wayne Neff
(8/30/1872-6/22/1874)

Rudolph Neff
(1/25/1876-10/15/1930)
Married
Marian Weighell

Susan Clark Neff
(April 11, 1877-)
Married
Earl McRea Galbraith

Robert Burnet Neff
(May 20, 1878-)
Married
Winona Closterman

Rebecca Neff
(Sept. 5, 1884-)
Married first
Thomas Richard Davies

Married second
Lora Gooch

Frances Burnet
 Married
 Roscoe Hackney

(No children)

Susan Burnet
 Married
 Adam Gray

Alice M. Gray

Edward Warren Burnet
 Married October, 1882
 Alice Ann Dana

Dana Frink Burnet
 Married first 1913
 Marguerite Dumary

Flavia Roberta Burnet

Married second
 August 1936
 Mrs. Eugenia Smith (Chapin)

Edward Clark Burnet
 Married
 Ellen

Frances Burnet
 (1923-)

Alice Mary Burnet
 Married
 DeWitt Mason

Elizabeth Mason
 (1923-)

Anne Mason
 (1932-)

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John Claypoole Clark Burnet

Married
 Mary Poindexter (Of
 Norfolk, Va. who
 afterwards married a
 Mr. Mottu)

Wallace Claypoole Burnet

Married (No children)
 Robbie Blair Berkeley

Carter Braxton Burnet

Caroline Neff Maxwell

(Sept. 25, 1877-)

Married Sept. 23, 1909

Lewis Earle Lee, D.D.

(Dec. 2, 1870-Apr. 18, 1937)

Isabella Neff

(1854-)

Married June 30, 1875

Sidney Denise Maxwell

(Dec. 23, 1931-

Nov. 13, 1913)

Nathaniel Hamilton Maxwell

(Jan. 28, 1880-)

Married Nov. 24, 1919

Mildred Trimble Shillito

Rudolph Neff Maxwell

(Feb. 7, 1882-)

Married Aug. 18, 1917

Fannie McCullough Hills

(Dec. 11, 1890-)

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Isabella Maxwell Lee

(Dec. 28, 1910-)

Married Dec. 27, 1934

Edward Crawford Elsey, M.D.

(May 30, 1907-)

Caroline Neff Maxwell

Married

Lewis Earle Lee, D.D.

(1870-1937)

Eleanor DeNyse Lee

(April 5, 1912-)

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Mildred Shillito Maxwell

(May 21, 1924-)

Nathaniel HamiltonMaxwell

Married

Mildred Trimble Shillito

Stuart Shillito Maxwell

(April 3, 1928-)

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Rudolph Neff Maxwell (July 26, 1918-)Marcella Hills Maxwell (June 3, 1924-)Rudolph Neff Maxwell

Married

Fannie McCullough HillsLorraine Maxwell (April 2, 1932-)

Margaret Currie Neff

Married (No children)
 Lawrence Mendenhall
 (Jan. 5, 1855-Dec. 30, 1924)

Caroline Burnet Neff

Married
 William Bromwell Burnet (Which see)

Alice Gray Neff

Married
 Arthur Gourverneur Burnet (Which see)

Rudolph Neff

(1876-1930)
 Married
 Marian Weighell

Jane Esther Neff
 Married
 Robert Mayer

Robert Burnet Neff

Audrey Neff

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Josephine Clark Galbraith

Susan Clark Neff

(1877-)

Married

Earl McRea Galbraith Robert Marshall Galbraith

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Rebecca Neff

(1884-)

Married first

Thomas Richard Davies

Thomas Richard Davies, Jr.
 (Died in infancy)

Married second

Lora Gooch

Barbara Gooch

Married

Malcolm Vienne

Jean Vienne

Donald Vienne

Lora Wayne Gooch

Winana Neff Gooch

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David Staats Burnet

(1808-1867)

Married

Mary Gano

(No children)

Mary Thew Burnet

(6/20-1814-12/25/1891)

Married

William Resor

Julia Ann Burnet

(1812-

Married

Rev. Seneca Austin

Nancy Burnet

(1815-1893)

Married

Rev. Seely Wood

Jacob Burnet

(1817-1889)

Married

Mary Lynd

Gertrude Burnet

(1821-1910)

Married

Isaac Gouverneur Burnet Rev. Charles Jennings

(1784-1856)

Married in 1806

Kittie Winn Gordon

(Jan. 28, 1791-

) (Daughter of George

Gordon and Sallie

Winn Moss Gordon)

Born at Bryant

Station, Kentucky.

Isaac Burnet

(1824-1904)

Married in 1844

Rebecca Bryant (1824-1901)

Staats Gouverneur Burnet

(1827-1888)

Married

Isabella Adelia Bromwell

Cornelia Burnet

(1831-)

Never married

Hannah Kinney Burnet

(1837-1906)

Married

John Hendricks

Kittie Burnet

Died at seventeen

Charl 1 -- Children of William Resor and Mary Thew Burnet

Julia Resor

(Dec. 16, 1832-Oct. 25, 1915)

Married For issue see Chart 2
Seth C. Foster

William Resor

(Jan. 8, 1837-Dec. 22, 1910)

Married For issue see Chart 3
Isabella Livingston Brown

Sallie Resor (Twin of William)

(Jan. 2, 1837-Jan. 24, 1864)

Never married

Isaac Burnet Resor

(1840-1909)

Married For issue see Chart 4
Mary Wilson Brown
(Sister of Isabella L. Brown above)

William Resor

(9/6/1810-4/3/1874)

Married March 1, 1832

Mary Thew Burnet

(6/20/1814-12/25/1891)

Kate Gordon Resor

(7/25/1842-8/14/1928) James McDonald Whelpley

Married (Died in infancy,
Albert W. Whelpley Nov. 1880)

Fannie Resor

(-Sept. 20, 1920)

Married For issue see Chart 5
Charles H. Law

Mollie Resor

(3/17/1841-10/8/1893)

Never married

Charles Henry Resor

(2/26/1855-8/28/1921) Kate Resor (Sept. 1883-

Married Unmarried

Louise Hanley

James Resor (4/9/1881-

Married

Carrie ?

Children John Charles R.

James Lee Resor

Lavinia Resor

(11/19/1853-11/1/1926)

Married

Charles Stewart

Fannie Resor Stewart

(April 3, 1879-

Unmarried

Fannie

Died in infancy

Walter

"

Reuben

"

Jacob

"

Chart 2 Children of Julia Resor and Seth FosterMary Burnet Foster John Stettinius

(8/6/1860-9/4/1918) (1882-1924)

Married

Unmarried

Henry StettiniusSeth Stettinius

(Oct. 27, 1885-Nov. 12, 1899)

Eloise Stettinius

(-1923)

Married

Papino FiamingoEloise Fiamingo

(-1923)

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William Resor Foster Pauline Carson Foster

(6/6/1864-6/26/1925) (Nov. 12, 1891-)

Married

Married

Pauline CarsonCharles Lawson ReedPauline Foster Reed

(Feb. 27, 1916-)

Priscilla Reed

(Oct. 4, 1917-)

Charles Lawson Reed

(March 6, 1919-)

Rosamond Reed

(July 19, 1921-)

Julia Resor

Married

Seth FosterFoster Reed

(1/24/1923-7/5/1927)

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Joseph Cutter Foster(6/7/1864-4/25/1905) Laura Foster(Twin of William
Resor Foster)

(Oct. 1, 1886-)

Married

Married

Fanny HubbleChandler Robbins) Chandler Robbins, IIChandler IIIJoseph RobbinsLaura RobbinsJulia Resor Foster

(July 2, 1890-)

Married

Edwin Bartlett) Edwin Bartlett

(Jan. 25, 1917-)

Seth Foster Bartlett

(Aug. 28, 1918-)

Frances Livingston Bartlett

(Oct. 4, 1919-)

David Bartlett

(Aug. 4, 1925-)

Sallie Foster (July 18, 1866-)

Married

(Two children adopted)

Charles EatonJulia Resor Foster (12/19/1862-1937) Unmarried.

Chart 3 -- Children of William Resor II and Isabella L. Brown
William Resor II
 Married
 Isabella Livingston Brown
 (Of Chart No. 1)

Mary Belle Resor

(May 5, 1910-)
 Unmarried

Robert Livingston Resor
 (12/24/1864-8/23/1930)
 Married
 Eunice B. Thoms

Joseph Thomas Resor
 (Dec. 27, 1901-)
 Married
 Hilda Quadri

Joseph Thomas Resor
 (March 17, 1930-)
Elizabeth Cox Resor
 (Feb. 18, 1935-)

Eunice Chase Resor
 (Feb. 8, 1904-)
 Married
 Arthur Shafer

Arthur Chase Shafer
 (Nov. 1, 1929-)
Robert Resor Shafer
 (Apr. 20, 1933-)

Isabel Livingston Resor

(Oct. 25, 1909-)
 Married
 Murat H. Davidson

William Austin David-
son
 (Jan. 20, 1936-)

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Sallie Resor

(Oct. 18, 1867-)
 Unmarried

William Resor Carson
 (April 2, 1921-)

Elizabeth Resor

(Nov. 8, 1869-)
 Married
 Archibald Irwin Carson

William Carson
 (June 27, 1895-)
 Married
 Leslie Williams

John Gregg Carson
 (June 12, 1925-)

Archibald Irwin Carson
 (Sept. 9, 1898-)
 Married
 Virginia Kemper

Archibald Irwin
Carson III
 (Aug. 4, 1924-)
Philip Kemper Carson
 (June 30, 1928-)

Elizabeth Campbell
Carson
 (Nov. 20, 1930-)

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Chart 3 - continued

William Seth Resor
 (6/4/1871-8/10/1927)
 Married first
 Maine Woolsey

Married second
 Hilda Haydel

William Woolsey Resor
 (April 12, 1906-) Betty Resor
 Married Anne Resor
 Mary Elizabeth Rapier Sally Marguerite
Resor

William Seth Resor
 (Jan. 24, 1918-)

John R. Resor
 (Jan. 11, 1920-)

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Clifford Resor

(Sept. 13, 1873-)
 Married
 Laura Simmons

Clifford Resor
 (Dec. 10, 1904-)
 Married
 Lois McVicker

Griffith Livingston Resor

(Dec. 16, 1875-)
 Grace Mendenhall

Griffith Livingston Resor
 (Feb. 9, 1910-)

Unnamed Infant

Marguerite Resor

(June 3, 1884-)

Chart 4 -- Children of Isaac Burnet Resor and Mary Wilson BrownIsaac Burnet Resor

Married

Mary Wilson Brown
(Of Chart No. 1)William Resor

(6/10/1864-10/11/1866)

Burnet Resor

(11/4/1865-10/13/1866)

Fannie Resor(1/11/1868-4/26/1930) Mary Resor Waite

Married

Morrison Remich Waite Married (12/25/1897-)Charles L. ThomasFrances Resor Thomas

(April 4, 1927-)

Charles Lewis Thomas

(Jan. 18, 1929-)

Frances Resor Waite

(Oct. 31, 1904-)

Married

Normal Bel GeddesIone Brown Waite

(May 30, 1906-)

Married

George WhiteIone White

(1937-)

Mary Resor

(8/3/1870-1/7/1914)

Unmarried

Isaac Burnet Resor

(4/10/1872-5/29/1872)

Walter Gordon Resor

(Feb. 1875-)

Married

Edwina Forwood

William Forwood Resor

(1902-12/22/1922)

Unmarried

Stanley Burnet Resor(April 30, 1879-) Stanley Resor

Married

(Dec. 5, 1917-)

Helen Lansdawne

Helen Resor

(Dec. 8, 1919-)

Ann Clark Resor

(March 25, 1925-)

Chart 5 -- Children of Fannie Resor and Charles H. LawFannie Resor

Married

Charles H. Law

(Of Chart No. 1)

Lavinia Law

Married first

Province M. PagueFrances Pogue

Married

James RickettsFrances Law RickettsJames RickettsProvince Pogue

Married second

William R. Robertson

Married

Ruth TowellPatricia PogueShelton Law PogueCharles Pogue

Married

Catherine TuttleLavinia Pogue

Married

H. C. GrimesFanny Law

Married

Stanley Owen SabelStanley Law SabelRussell Law

Married

Florence GilsonGordon Law

Married

Elsie Steele

BURNET-AUSTIN

Seneca Austin

(12/21/1798-6/8/1880)

Married - 8/2/1840

Julia Ann Burnet

(8/29/1812-5/5/1873)

(Widow Mixer)

CHILDREN

1. Edward (1842-1910)
2. Gertrude (1844-1853)
3. William (-1900)
4. Mary (1849-1920)
5. Calvin (1853-1927)

1. Edward Austin

(8/29/1842-2/15/1910)

Married 12/17/1861

Susie L. Winter

(11/23/1839-4/4/1917)

CHILDREN

- a. Harry Burnet - (12/2/1862)
Kinton Co., Ky
- b. Charles Edward (8/18/1864)
Effingham, Ill
- c. Cornelia Burnet (11/2/1866)
- d. Frank Gordon (3/26/1869)
- e. William Winter (4/3/1871)
- f. Walter Gustavis (2/10/1873)
- g. Calvin Pliny (3/4/1876)
- h. Julia Ann (10/22/1879)
- i. Gertrude Elizabeth
(2/6/1882)

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a. Harry Burnet Austin

Married 9/18/1888

Nancy Lee Huston

(died 2/3/1935)

CHILDREN

Julia Juanita

Edward

Florence Huston (unmarried)

Julia Juanita Austin

Married 2/15/1917

Charles Oscar Mason

Children

Julia Elisabeth (4/26/1918)

Charles Oscar Jr. (1921)

Harry Austin (1924)

Nancy Rebecca (1928)

Edward Austin

Married 1/25/1922

Billie Mae Kinney

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b. Charles Edward Austin

Married 4/26/1895

Minnie Gertrude Sherburn

Children

Hugh J.

Sherburn

Susan L.

Hugh J. Austin

Married 11/23/1931

Lulu Miller

Children

Charles Edward

Sherburn Austin

(-1927)

Married 4/18/1924

Thelma Smith

Children

Sherburn Jr.

Susan Le. Austin

Married 6/7/1930

Harrold Hutchings

Children

John

(Burnet-Austin, continued)

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c. Cornelia Burnet Austin

| | | |
|----------------|---|--------|
| Married 3/1895 | Children | Claude |
| L. Yant | (Divorced. Assumed maiden name and obtained that name for her child.) | |

Claude Austin
 Married 1926
 Anna Groves (widow)
 (-1934)

d. Frank Gordon Austin

| | | |
|--------------------------|----------|----------------------|
| (-4/26/1933) | | |
| Married 5/31/1889, first | Children | Beulah |
| Emma Smith | | Frank Gordon Jr. |
| (-5/12/1893) | | (Born and died 1893) |

| | | |
|---------------------------|----------|----------------|
| Married 8/26/1895, second | Children | Margaret |
| Eda Abraham | | Walter Milton |
| | | Dorothy |
| | | Frank Gilbert |
| | | Arthur Herbert |
| | | Abraham Wayne |
| | | Robert Y. |

Beulah Austin
 Married and divorced John Rexford Mansell
 Married and divorced Eugene Botkins
 Married Martin Schaffrath

Margaret Austin
 Married and divorced Joseph R. Bull 1916
 Married Orville E. Knight

| | | |
|----------------------|----------|--------------|
| Walter Milton Austin | | |
| Married 1924 | | |
| Josie Vass | Children | Joseph Wayne |
| (-4/14/1926) | | |

Married second 3/13/1933
 Lydia Clive Brewster

| | | |
|-------------------|----------|-----------------|
| Dorothy Austin | | |
| Married 8/12/1926 | Children | Osman Y., Jr. |
| Osman Y. Starner | | Terrance Austin |

| | | |
|----------------------|----------|------------------|
| Frank Gilbert Austin | | |
| Married 9/15/1926 | Children | Margaret Ethel |
| Geneva Lacy | | Frank Gordon, II |

| | | |
|-----------------------|----------|--------------|
| Arthur Herbert Austin | | |
| Married 6/16/1936 | Children | David Arthur |
| Dorothy Adams | | |

| | | |
|--------------------|----------|---------------|
| Robert Y. Austin | | |
| Married 11/22/1932 | Children | Constance Sue |
| Mary E. Smith | | Robert Wayne |

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(Burnet-Austin, continued)

e. William Winter Austin

(-9/29/1937)

Married 7/7/1896

Mamie Wade

Children

James Willian
Thomas Edward
Linnie Elizabeth
Mary Augusta
Ruth Burnet
Cornelia EvelynThomas Edward Austin
Married 3/18/1937
Frances CrewsMary Augusta Austin
Married 8/10/1929
Garland E. Orr

Children

Jacquelin Lee (1933-)

Ruth Burnet Austin
Married 7/20/1935
Paul Frederick Grant

Children

William Grant

Cornelia Evelyn Austin
Married 12/4/1935
William James Boylef. Walter Gustavis Austin

Married 1/17/1900

Elizabeth Terry Brown

Children

Walter Brown
Ralph Gordon
Roger Quarles
Norman WinterWalter Brown Austin
Married 3/15/1925
Charlotte BrooksRalph Gordon Austin
Married 11/1/1924
Carolyn Graham

Children

Ralph Gordon, Jr.
Samuel GrahamRoger Quarles Austin
Married 3/19/1931
Ruth Smith

Children

Roger Quarles II
Susang. Calvin Pliny Austin

Married 2/17/1921

Irine Eastman Denbo (widow)

Children

Calvin P., Jr.
(Born & died 1/2/1928)h. Julia Ann Austin

Married 3/19/1904

Divorced 1917

Claude Williford

Children

Edward Austin
Elbert Douglas (1908-1909)
Ralph Alman
Claude WorthingtonMarried second 8/20/1920
Kenneth D. Hooker

Children

Mary Sue

(Burnet-Austin, continued)

Edward Austin Williford
 Married 1/14/1928
 Adelyn Carter

Children

Mary Roberta
 Sue Ann (Aug. 11, 1930-
 Edward Austin, Jr.

Claude Worthington Williford
 Married 9/4/1936
 Mary Margaret Goldstine

Children

Claudette Ann

i. Gertrude Elizabeth Austin

Married 6/28/1910
 Divorced 2 years later
 Chester A. Harris

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2. Gertrude Austin

(3/1/1844-1/25/1853)

3. William Austin

(Died early in 1900)
 Married sometime in 1890
 Mary Barbee

There were several children
 but we can find no trace of
 them.

4. Mary Austin

(6/23/1849-5/18/1920)
 Married 2/16/1865
 James Byron Stevans
 (-3/29/1878)

Children

Julia

Julia Stevans
 Married 4/30/1891
 Al Campbell (dead)

5. Calvin Austin

(4/10/1853-5/3/1927)
 Married 9/15/1880
 Sarah E. Brooks
 (3/29/1857-11/10/1927)

Children

Vesta (1881-1832)
 Harriet
 Gordon Burnet
 Seneca Brooks
 Mary Louise
 Paul Rubin

Harriet Austin
 Married 2/25/1909
 Theo Roy Jennings

Children

Mary Virginia

Gordon Burnet Austin
 Married 8/2/1913
 May Sullivan

Children

Gordon Burnet, Jr.
 Married 9/1936
 Virginia Clare

(Burnet-Austin, continued)

| | | |
|-------------------------|----------|--------------------|
| Seneca Brooks Austin | | Robert Edward |
| Married 1/25/1913 | Children | Elizabeth Marie |
| Elizabeth Marie Hillman | | Seneca Brooks, Jr. |

Elizabeth Marie Austin
 Married 7/1934
 (Haven't husband's name)

Seneca Brooks Austin, Jr.
 Married
 Ruth Elsie ?

| | | |
|--------------------|----------|----------------|
| Mary Louise Austin | | |
| Married | Children | Lucy Helen |
| George Dunn | | Mary Elizabeth |

| | | |
|-------------------|----------|-----------|
| Paul Rubin Austin | | |
| Married 2/17/1917 | Children | Allyn Joy |
| Mable Joy Baker | | |

Isabella B. Wood
(Aug. 18, 1843-)
Never married.

Charles S. Wood
(April 19, 1845-)
Never married.

Nancy Burnet

Married 4/20/1842
Rev. Seely Wood
(They were married by
Dr. Lyman Beecher, in
whose Church her
father was an elder.

Ella Wood
(Nov. 29, 1853-)
Died in childhood.

Kate Gordon Wood
(Dec. 30, 1849-)
Never married.

Emily Wood

(Mar. 2, 1857-)
Married Feb. 15, 1883
Frederick Wood
(a cousin)
(6/29/1859-11/9/1937)

Ella Wood
(Jan. 15, 1884-)
Never married.

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Louisa Burnet
(Died in childhood)

Albert Burnet
(Sept. 16, 1847- ?)
Married
Margaret Siefert

Charles G. Burnet
(6/26/1850-1/6/1920)
Never married.

Judge Jacob Burnet
(11/3/1817-3/27/1889)
Married 4/24/1845
Mary S. Lynd
(6/8/1824-12/6/1915)

Gertrude Burnet
(Died in infancy)

Caroline Burnet
(10/27/1857-)
Married July 8, 1889
Francis E. Wilson
(9/4/1843-j/1908)

Eveline Burnet
(Jan. 10, 1862-)
Never married.

Eveline Gordon Burnet
(Died in Infancy)

Gretchen Agnes Burnet
(8/25/1888-7/12/1934)
Married 10/5/1912
Clement W. Smith

Margaret E. Smith
(10/24/1913-)
Married 2/23/1936
James P. Lundy

Albert Burnet
Married
Margaret Siefert

Jennie Mae Smith
(2/13/1918-)

Luella A. Burnet
(8/25/1890- 1906)
Never married.

Harvey Albert Burnet
(4/21/1893-)
Married 12/31/1916
Elsie Masters

Mary Jane Burnet
(12/11/1919-12/23/1922)

Alberta Jeanne Burnet
(4/8/1923-)

Helen Mae Burnet
(2/4/1927-)

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Margaret E. Smith
Married 2/26/1936
James P. Lundy

James Richard Lundy
(Sept. 4, 1937-)

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Marie Wilson

(6/19/1890-3/27/1921)
Married 5/17/1916
Howard Weir

Carolyn B. Weir
(5/25/1917-)
Unmarried

Burnet Wilson
(July 2, 1894-)
Never married

* Caroline Burnet
(10/27/1857-)
Married 7/8/1889
Francis E. Wilson
(9/4/1843-1/27/1908)

Francis Wilson
(July 2, 1896-)
Married
Blanche McNeill
(May 21, 1896-)

Frances E. Wilson
(Nov. 7, 1926-)

Dorothy J. Wilson
(July 28, 1928-)

Henry L. Wilson
(Jan. 18, 1899-)
Never married

* There were four stepchildren who grew to manhood and womanhood and married.

Gertrude Gouverneur Burnet

(10/9/1821-9/1910)

Married 9/6/1842

Rev. Charles Pierson Jennings
(10/29/1820-11/1894)

Children Gouverneur Burnet Jennings (5/28/1843-9/27/1843)
 Sarah Lane } (6/1/1844-6/15/1844)
 Keturah Gordon Jr }
 Cornelia Curtis Jennings (5/8/1845-8/15/1926)
 Charles Gordon (10/24/1846-9/10/1920)
 Thorp Buttolph (9/16/1848-11/7/1925)
 Isaac G. Burnet Jennings (1/13/1850-11/20/1917)
 Gertrude Gouverneur Jr. (9/12/1851-8/4/1922)
 Anna Sargent Jr. (2/20/1853-9/22/1897)
 Mary Resor, Jr. (8/27/1857-9/1/1858)
 Staats Dunbar, Jr. (8/17/1860-9/17/1879)

Charles P. Jennings was a Presbyterian minister, later was an
 Episcopalian. Studied homoeopathy, also had a private school.

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Cornelia C. Jennings

Married May 21, 1868

Joseph Benedict Randall

Children Albert Vernon Randall (4/19/1869-11/13/1925)
 Burnet Randall (11/9/1870-8/10/1877)
 Walter S. Randall (1/3/1872-
 Charles Marshall Randall (3/24/1873-7/14/1874)
 Gertrude Randall (11/15/1875-
 Bertha Randall (6/24/1878-

Albert Vernon Randall

Married Feb. 21, 1895

Maud M. Clark

Walter S. Randall

Married Dec. 12, 1905

Eva Lena Wasson Higgins

Bertha Randall

Married Dec. 25, 1904

Otis D. Powell

Virginia Frances Powell (10/2/05-

Richard Randall Powell

(12/21/1907-10/1912)

Burnet Jennings Powell

(3/10/1910-

Virginia F. Powell

Married Oct. 15, 1924

Alvin L. Hoover

Children

Richard Alvin Hoover (7/26/1926-

Robert Harold Hoover (10/18/1927-

William Donald Hoover (12/10/1929-

Burnet Jennings Powell

Married Feb. 28, 1931

Lucile Creaser

Phyllis Jeanne Powell (Jan. 21, 1934-

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Dorothea Gertrude Hodges

(8/27/1885-8/3/1886)

At Wilkinsbury, Penn.

George Vincent Hodges, Jr.

(7/31/1887-

At Wilkinsbury, Penn.

Anna Sargeant Jennings

Married 1881

Rev. George Hodges

(10/6/1856-1919)

Margaret B. Hodges

(3/25/1892-

Now living at 32 Perry St., N.Y.C.

The Rev. George Hodges was pastor of a church at Wilkinsbury, Pennsylvania at the time of his marriage. He and Anna Jennings were married by the Rev. Charles P. Jennings. George Hodges was Dean of the Episcopal Theological School, Cambridge, Mass. Was born in Rome, N. Y. and died at his summer home in Holderness, Mass.

Gertrude Gouverneur Jennings
 (9/12/1851-8/4/1933)
 Married 9/12/1876
Albert Cotsworth
 (1851-)

Gertrude Cotsworth II
 (Dec. 29, 1877-

Staats Jennings Cotsworth
 (Oct. 30, 1879-

Albert Cotsworth, Jr.
 (March 18, 1882-

Marguerite Cotsworth
 (Jun4 5, 1888-Jun4 9, 1888)

All born at Burlington, Iowa

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Gertrude Cotsworth II
 Married November 1903
Walter D. Herrick
 (At Oak Park)

Gertrude III
 (May 21, 1905- Has a son
 Married

Julia Margaret
 (August 24, 1908-

Buddie (1909-

Mary (1917-

Staats Jennings Cotsworth
 Married Feb. 18, 1905
 Dorothy Bodley
 (At Mt. Auburn, Cincinnati,
 Ohio, at her sister's, Mrs.
 Guy Kennedy)

Staats, Jr.
 (1907-
 Married
 Lurial Kirkland

John
 (1914-

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Charles Seabury Cotsworth
 (1912-

Albert Cotsworth, Jr.
 Married Jan. 1, 1907
 Clara Hazel Seabury

Marguerite Cotsworth
 (1915-

Albert Cotsworth III
 (1918-

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(A) Charles Burnet Jennings
(July 29, 1876-

(B) Mary Gertrude Jennings
(Jan. 2, 1883-

Thorp Butterworth Jennings

Married
Lida V. Hacker
(-Feb. 9, 1936)
(Of Shelbyville, Ind.)

(C) Frank Hacker Jennings
(Nov. 22, 1885-

(D) Dana Thorp Jennings
(Nov. 7, 1887-

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(A) Charles Burnet Jennings
Married June 17, 1914
Hermone Pratt

(a) Hermone Gertrude Jennings
(Aug. 8, 1915-

(b) Margaret Alice Jennings
(July 25, 1919-

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(B) Mary Gertrude Jennings
Married Oct. 16, 1906
Frederick A. Rehkopf

(a) Charles Frederick Rehkopf
(Dec. 24, 1908-
Married July 30, 1936
Dorothy A. Gitchell
(Of Lynn, Massachusetts)

(b) Mary Virginia Rehkopf
(May 16, 1911-

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(C) Frank Hacker Jennings

Married first
September 27, 1909
Edna Demfield
(- May, 1923)

Married second
Mrs. Myrtle King
May 24, 1925
(They have no children)

(a) Harlan Francis Jennings
(Feb. 22, 1911-

(b) Myrta Virginia Jennings
(April 20, 1913-

(c) Edith Dorothy Jennings
(May 14, 1918-

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(D) Dana Thorp Jennings

Married June 23, 1909
Mary Clore
(They live near
Cassady, Kansas.)

(a) Dorothy Louise Jennings
(Dec. 14, 1910-

(b) Helen Elizabeth Jennings
(Jan 10, 1913-Oct. 14, 1936)

(c) Dana Clore Jennings
(Jan. 24, 1923-

Dorothy Louise Jennings
Married Dr. David Davis

* Louise Ann Davis
David Richard Davis, II

George Gordon Burnet

(Dec. 11, 1844--Dec. 10, 1864)

Edward G. Burnet

(April 7, 1846--Feb. 7, 1932)

Kittie B. Burnet

(Aug. 27, 1847--Feb. 22, 1930)

Charles Henry Burnet

(Aug. 23, 1849--Sept. 24, 1849)

Isaac G. Burnet

(Nov. 6, 1824--Nov. 8, 1904)

Married April 24, 1844

Rebecca Bryant

(Dec. 14, 1824--Jan. 5, 1901)

Julia Resor Burnet

(Feb. 16, 1851--Dec. 9, 1914)

Mary G. Burnet

(April 25, 1852--May 17, 1914)

Elizabeth Burnet

(Sept. 16, 1853--Jan. 28, 1926)

Frank Burnet

(Feb. 16, 1855--July 29, 1855)

William Burnet

(May 27, 1856--May 30, 1856)

Martha Burnet

(July 15, 1858--October 26, 1858)

Isabella Burnet

(Dec. 14, 1859--Dec. 14, 1859)

Gertrude Burnet

(Feb. 9, 1861--Dec. 15, 1935)

Edith Burnet

(July 13, 1857--

Kitty (Kitura) B. Burnet

Born 8/27/47 at
Lockland, Ohio
Married 7/15/69 at
Blairstown, Iowa
Basil M. Webster
(Both deceased)

Carl G. Webster

Born 12/3/70
Shenandoah, Iowa
Died in infancy
First burial in Shenandoah, Iowa

Nellie Webster

Born 6/3/72
Shenandoah, Iowa
Married
Dr. C. E. Woodbury
Living - Council Bluffs, Iowa

Dorothy Woodbury

Born 12/13/98
Council Bluffs, Ia.
Married

Frank C. Wright
Living in Council
Bluffs, Ia.

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Mary Grainger Burnet

(4/25/52- ?)
Springfield, Ill.
Married 11/9/71 at
Blairstown, Iowa
Charles G. Jennings
(Jennings was a
first cousin)
(Both deceased)

Gordon Jennings

(-1931)

Russell JenningsIsaac JenningsGlandon Jennings

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ISAAC C. BURNET

Married 4/24/1844
REBECCA BRYANT
at Cincinnati, Ohio

Earl R. Ferguson (Lawyer)

(4/30/76-
Shenandoah, Iowa
Married
Lucie Anne Bull
Now living in Shenandoah

No descendants

Chrystal Ferguson

(2/1/78-
Shenandoah, Iowa
Married
Edward F. Gauss
(Druggist)
Live in Shenandoah

Gordon G. Gauss

(3/26/08-
(Asso. Press)
Married
Lois Ross
Now live at
Denver, Colo.

Julia Resor Burnet

(2/16/1851-
Memphis, Tenn.
Married 6/27/72
Wm. P. Ferguson
at Shenandoah, Iowa
(Both deceased)

Olive Ferguson

(1/7/1830-
Shenandoah, Iowa
Married
Gaven Hall (died 1937)
Lives in Chicago, Ill.

Ferguson Hall

(Lawyer)
Unmarried
(12/18/1911-

Abba Ferguson

(7/3/1831-
Shenandoah, Iowa
Married - Banker,
Fred M. Schneider
Live at Shenandoah, Ia.

Max F. Schneider

(9/8/1912-
Shenandoah, Iowa
Married
Jacqueline Jones
Live at Shenandoah

William Schneider

(1/18/1919-
Student, Univ. Iowa

Burnet Ferguson

(Insurance Agent)
(3/3/1885 at
Shenandoah, Iowa
Bachelor
Lives in Shenandoah

No descendants

William Paul Ferguson

(Lawyer)
(9/15/1890- at
Shenandoah, Iowa
Married
Lina Coxedge
Live in Shenandoah

Julia Jean Ferguson

(Student)
(1/27/1928 at
Shenandoah, Iowa
Lives at Shenandoah

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Lillie Burnet

(1/3/1872- Deceased)
Married
Frank Osgood

Ruth Osgood (Teacher)

Now lives in Albany
or Rochester, N.Y.
Employed by Episco-
pal Church

Edward Gouverneur Burnet

(4/7/1846- Deceased
Cincinnati, Ohio
Married 10/25/1869
Hattie Arnold
(Both deceased)

Edna Burnet

Married
W. S. Staudaher
Now live at Boise, Idaho

Fred Burnet

Now lives at Correll, Idaho

Edith A. Burnet

(7/13/1857 at
Benton County, Iowa
Married 10/5/1885 at Gertrude Preston
Mexico, Mo.
Theodore Preston (Deceased)
Lives at Mexico, Mo.

Gertrude G. Burnet (Deceased)

(2/9/1861 at
Benton Co., Iowa
Married 11/29/1886 No descendants
at Bellevue, Idaho
George P. Hall

Husband lives at Boise, Idaho

Lizzie Burnet

(9/11/1853 at
Springfield, Ohio No descendants
Died unmarried at
Mexico, Mo.

George Gordon Burnet

(12/11/1844 at
Cincinnati, Ohio
Died 12/10/1864 while No descendants
a corporal in Co. E
35th Infantry, Mo.
Volunteers; Buried
at Helena, Arkansas

Martha Jane Burnet

(7/18/1858 in No descendants
Benton County, Ia.
Died unmarried

Marion E. Sommers

(Nov. 23, 1923-

Richard H. Sommers

(July 25, 1925-

Doris Elizabeth Jennings

(April 15, 1903-

Married Nov. 27, 1922

Harold N. Sommers

Ronald Keith Sommers

(Nov. 15, 1926-

Gordon Burnet Jennings

(-May 5, 1931)

Married December, 1900

Hattie M. Kibley

Carol Irene Sommers

(Oct. 12, 1927-

Lois Louise Sommers

(Oct. 11, 1930-

Katherine V. Jennings

(Dec. 31, 1906-

Married June 30, 1934 Raymond Kenneth Mason

Robert Bryan Mason

(July 5, 1935-

Russell Jennings

(Died young)

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Carrie Cotsworth Jennings

(Dec. 3, 1883-

(At Essex, Iowa.)

Isaac Gouverneur Jennings

Married Oct. 11, 1882

Nellie P. Snyder

Staats Burnet Jennings

(Nov. 13, 1889-

(At ~~Essex~~, Iowa.)

Ralph Waldo Jennings

(Dec. 30, 1891-

(At Shenandoah, Iowa.)

Edith Burnet

(1853-
Married
Gerritt Hale Smith

William Bromwell Burnet

(1854-1909)
Married in 1880
Caroline Burnet Neff

Arthur Gouverneur Burnet

(1856-1927)
Married in 1882
Alice Gray Neff

Staats G. Burnet

(1827-1888)
Married in 1852
Isabella Adelia Bromwell

Julia Burnet

(1858-1930)
Married 1891
Clarence A. Turrell

Harry Gordon Burnet

(1861-1909)
Married in 1887
Eva Hadley

Sarah Belle Burnet

(1863-1865)

Paul Gouverneur Burnet

(1866-1936)
Married in 1890
Nannie Hynne

Margaret Maria Burnet

(Unmarried)

David Staats Burnet

(1875-1882)

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Kate Belle Smith

(1875-1900)

Burnet Smith

(1878-1900)

Nathaniel Smith

(1876-1889)

Richard Smith

(1879-
Married first 1903
Rebecca Mayes
(-1921)
Married second 1923
Ann Crabtree

Mayes Smith
(1910-1912)

Edith Smith
(1915-

Marshall Smith
(1918-

Edith Burnet

Married
Gerrett Hale Smith
(-1931)

Margaret Currie Goodman

(1912-

Caroline Margareta Burnet Married in 1935

(1885-

J. Donal Brown

Married in 1911

Henry Gaines Goodman

Carolyn Goodman

(1918-

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William Bromwell Burnet

(1914-

Married in 1934

Frances Perroneau Martin

David Burnet

(1886-

Married in 1913

Agnes McClung West

(1886-

Thornton West Burnet

(1917-

David Burnet, Jr.

(1921-

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William Bromwell Burnet

Married in 1882

Caroline Burnet Neff

Staats Gouverneur Burnet

(1889-

Married in 1920

May Victoria Petersen

Gwendolyn Esther Burnet

(1921-

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Landon Davies Walker, Jr.

(1916-

Dorothy Burnet Walker

(1919-

Josephine Neff Burnet

(1892-

Married in 1915

Landon Davies Walker

Josephine Neff Walker

(1922-

William Temple Walker

(1924-

David Staats Walker

(1925-

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George Hoadley Burnet

(1896-1896)

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William Bromwell Burnet II

Married

Frances Perroneau Martin

Ann Perroneau Burnet

(1935-

Hugh Gordon Burnet

(1883-
 Married in 1921
 Margaret Amanda Bryan

Margaret Gordon Burnet

(1922-

Isabella Neff Burnet

(1885-

James Hazen Burnet

(1917-

Alice Gray Burnet

(1921-

Robert Gouverneur Burnet

(1894-

Married in 1916
 Dorothy Ennis Smith

(1895-

(Daughter of William Day

Smith and Eunice

King Hazen.)

Gordon King Burnet

(1925-

Arthur Gouver-

neur Burnet

Married

Sept. 19, 1882

Alice Gray Neff

Edith Bromwell Burnet

(1932-

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Alpheus James Chewning III

(1916-

Gladys Burnet

(1894-

Married in 1915

Alpheus James Chewning, Jr.

(1887-

Son of Alpheus J.

Chewning and Katherine

Carpenter.

Garland Burnet Chewning

(1918-

William Carroll Chewning

(1920-

Stuart Gordon Chewning

(1921-

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Isabella Burnet Turrell

Married

Charles Dandridge Isom

Charles Dandridge Isom, Jr.

Jane Isom

Julia Burnet

Married in 1891

Clarence A. Turrell

Margaret Turrell

(Died young)

Thalia Turrell

Married

Frank Perry

(-1932)

Frank PerryJulia Emma PerryGrace PerryDavid Turrell

(Died in infancy)

Staats Gordon Burnet

(Nov. 14, 1888-

Married June 30, 1920 Robert Lawrence Burnet

Elizabeth Love Mitchell (Sept. 11, 1929-

(Mar. 4, 1893-

Staats Gordon Burnet, Jr.

(July 8, 1925-

Harry Gordon Burnet

(1861-1909)

Married in 1887

Eva Hadley

(1893-1933)

Ruth Burnet

(May 24, 1901)

Married June 4, 1926

Charles EisencoffCharles Eisencoff, Jr.

(April 8, 1927-

Robert Ross Eisencoff

(Jan. 23, 1928-

James Eisencoff

(April 1, 1930-

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Sarah Belle Burnet

(1863-1865)

Paul Gouverneur Burnet

(1866-1936)

Married Oct. 27, 1890

Nancy Hynne

(Had no children)

Margaret Maria Burnet

(Unmarried) -

David Staats Burnet

(1875-1882)

Burnet Hendricks

John Hendricks

Married first
Evelyn Evans

Gretchen Hendricks

Married second
Helen Pierce

Hannah Kinney Burnet

Married 2/11/1858
John Hendricks

Gertrude Hendricks

Married
George W. Bingham

Helen Bingham

Margaret Bingham

Bertha Hendricks

(12/15/1863-1906)
Married 6/13/1888
George W. Bingham

John Bingham

(8/25/1890-
Married
Edna

Katherine Bingham

(9/23/1892-

Charles Hendricks

(7/1868-

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John Bingham

(1890-
Married
Edna

Katherine Bingham

Sarah Mills Burnet

(Born on Sunday at Oakland, Texas.
Died at birth.)

William Este Burnet

(7/7/1833-3/31/1865)
Killed at battle of Mobile Bay.

David Gouverneur Burnet

(4/4/1788-12/5/1870)
Married 12/8/1830
Hannah Este
(2/17/1800-10/30/1858)
At home of her brother-
in-law, Louis Mills,
Morristown, N.J.)

Jacob George Burnet

(11/17/1835-9/23/1836)
(Died of cholera)

Gertrude Gouverneur Burnet

(1/16/1838-1/16/1838)
(Died at birth)

David G. Burnet died and was buried at Galveston Texas, Dec. 16, 1870.

Hannah Este Burnet died and was buried at the family cemetery in Oakland, Harry County, Texas. Reinterred in 1936 in Galveston by the side of her husband.

(Records taken from the Bible given to William Este Burnet by his aunt, Elizabeth Nottingham, now in the Archives of the University of Texas.)

George Davis Bromwell
(2/4/1830-5/15/1833)

Maria Virginia Bromwell
(10/19/1831-2/ /1908)

William Bromwell

Son of Jacob and Maria Bromwell
of Baltimore

Married 1/15/1829

Sarah Ann Davis,

Daughter of the Rev. John and
Sarah Davis of England.

William Bromwell, Jr.
(9/12/1833-9/12/1833)

Isabella Adelia Bromwell
(9/19/1834-10/19/1920)

Ann Seletta Bromwell
(7/25/1836-8/10/1836)

William Bromwell died November 28, 1877 at Dayton, Ohio.

Sarah A. Bromwell, wife of William Bromwell, died November 20, 1883
at Walnut Hills, Cincinnati, Ohio.

The above records taken from the Bromwell Bible now in the possession
of Gladys Burnet Chewning, of Richmond, Virginia, wife of Alpheus
J. Chewning.)

Isabella Adelia Bromwell, wife of Staats G. Burnet is buried at
Spring Grove Cemetery, Cincinnati, Ohio.

Maria Virginia Bromwell, wife of the Rev. Thomas J. Melish is
buried at Spring Grove Cemetery.

THE BROMWELL FAMILY

CAPTAIN ISAAC BROMWELL, joint master of the brig Assurance, made a voyage with 220 passengers to Virginia in 1638.

WILLIAM BROMWELL (Bramwell, Bromwall) married Mary -----

On 7 October, 1654 a warrant was issued to the above to lay out 200 acres of land on the north side of the Patuxent River at Hunting Creek for the transportation of himself, his wife and his son Luke in the year 1651. His rights to the land were entered 20 November 1657. On 22 July 1658, a patent was issued to him for 500 acres at the same place. His will was offered for probate December 4, 1660, leaving his property to his sons, but making no mention of his wife, who presumably pre-deceased him. Children under age.

LUKE BROMWELL

Eldest son, about 18 at his father's death. Died 1674.

RICHARD BROMWELL

Married Joyce (who later married William Turner). Second son, being of age his land was surveyed for him April 6, 1674. On March 20, 1676, he appeared before the Court at Calverton, Md., to petition that his land, which was being withheld from him by William Turner, be turned over to him, which petition was granted. On April 16, 1676 he made his last will and Testament, leaving all his property to his wife, Joyce, and on April 26, 1676, she offered his will for probate, he then being dead. On May 3, 1676, Joyce married William Turner.

CHARLES BROMWELL

Youngest son.

In 1679, Robert Brumwell was a passenger on the ship "Hupp Mary".

ROBERT BROMWELL (Brumwell, Brummell, Bromale) married Rebecca

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| On June 1, 1694, he recorded a deed to him from Thomas and Frances Taylor, for the consideration of 2,600 pounds of tobacco, all that parcel of forest land lying between Cabin Creed and the northwest fork of the Nanticoke River in Corchester Co. on the Eastern Shore of Maryland, 100 acres with houses, etc. At the same time, he recorded another deed for 300 acres between the head of Cabin Creed and the northwest fork of the Nanticoke. His will was dated |)Named executrix (in her husband's will. Named a (beneficiary under the will of Thomas (Beswick, 1718. Her will signed (Feb. 21, 1720, apparently offered (for probate April 25, 1721; |
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| | |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| ' January 25, 1709 and probated |) mentions children Abraham, |
| ' February 13, 1709. | (Jacob, Rebecca and Mary |
| ' |) Andrew and son-in-law Richard |
| ' | (Andrew. |

' JOHN BROMWELL '
 Eldest son, to be '
 of age if his '
 mother marries, 1709. '

ABRAHAM BROMWELL '
 Married Mary (who later
 married Robert Dodson.) '
 Second son, inherited '
 100 acres from his '
 father; witnessed his '
 mother's inventory in '
 1721. Left issue. '

ISAAC BROMWELL '
 Inherited 50 acres '
 from his father, '
 apparently dead by 1721.'

EDWARD BROMWELL m ----
 ABRAHAM BROMWELL
 married Anne Spencer.

JACOB BROMWELL
 Married Marie Spedden
 (Daughter of Hugh Spedden,
 of Third Haven Creek,
 Talbot County, Md., who
 died in 1734. She was
 born on Third Haven (Tred
 Aven) Creek, was married
 between 1725-1728, but
 date of death is unknown)
 Fourth son, inherited 100
 acres on Cabin Creek from
 his father and the pro-
 perty known as "Goodridge's
 Choice" from his mother
 all in Dorchester County,
 Md. He died in 1757.

(Jacob Bromwell, continued)

ROBERT BROMWELL

Born 1729, eldest
child, died 1801.Married Mary, daughter of
Edward Mann Sherwood.

JACOB BROMWELL, Jr.

Born 1731. A mariner,
drowned in Chesapeake Bay
in 1766. 2nd child.Married Alice (Spedden?),
married later --- Sherwood.(Possibly daughter of Edward
Spedden of Mauldon, who died in 1766.)

MARY BROMWELL

1733-1739.

JOHN BROMWELL

Born 1735.

Moved to Corchester Co., Md.,
to live in 1759/60.

Married Anne -----.

EDWARD BROMWELL, 1738

Married Anna Markland.

Issue.

SPEDDEN BROMWELL, 1741

Died 1802. Sixth child.

MARY BROMWELL, II

Born 1741.

DAVID BROMWELL

Born 1749

WILLIAM BROMWELL

1751. 9th and
youngest child. Re-
sided in Philadelphia;
died Dec. 31, 1820,
probably at Port
Deposit, Cecil Co.,
Md.

ROBERT BROMWELL (Oldest child of Jacob Bromwell)

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ROBERT BROMWELL, Jr.
Died circa 1784.

ALICE BROMWELL

ANNE BROMWELL

A DAUGHTER (?)

EDWARD BROMWELL
Died circa 1794.
Married
Margaret (Robinson ?) Living in
1813. Issue.

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JACOB BROMWELL (Second child of Jacob Bromwell)

JACOB SPEDDING BROMWELL, Born circa 1760
Died Feb. 18, 1840.
Married first - Sarah Matthews
Married second - Elizabeth McDaniel

JEREMIAH BROMWELL
Born Oct. 5, 1765 Died Aug. 15, 1807
Married first - Elizabeth Lowe
Married second - Rosanna Mullikin
Died 1810.

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WILLIAM BROMWELL (Ninth child of Jacob Bromwell)

Married first - Mary Forster

MARY BROMWELL
Married Henry Broughton

HANNAH BROMWELL
Married John Bowers

Married second - Beulah Hall, daughter of David Hall and his wife,
Deborah, daughter of Thomas Massey by his wife, Phoebe, daughter
of Robert Taylor and his wife, Mary Hayes, of Cheshire, England.

WILLIAM BROMWELL, Jr.

DEBORAH BROMWELL

DAVID HALL BROMWELL

JACOB BROMWELL, III

BEULAH BROMWELL, I

JOSEPH BROMWELL

HENRY BROUGHTON BROMWELL

BEULAH BROMWELL

JACOB BROMWELL, III (4th child of Wm. and Beulah Hall Bromwell)
Born Aug. 3, 1785 in Richmond, Va.
Died Nov. 27, 1866 in Switzerland Co., Indiana.

Married first - Maria Tittle

WILLIAM BRO. WELL, II
Born in Baltimore, 1805
Died in Dayton, Ohio, Nov. 28, 1877.
Married, Jan. 15, 1829
Sarah Ann Davis, Born Sept. 20, 1807.
Died Nov. 20, 1883, daughter of Rev.
John Davis and his wife Sarah, originally of
Birmingham, England.

MARIA VIRGINIA BROINELL

ISABELLA ADELIA BROWNELL

Married second - Helen Moore m 1 --- Nabb, daughter of William Moore.

HENRY BROUGHTON BROINELL
Married Sara Peers m (1) Edward Avril.

HELENE BROINELL
Granddaughter
Married Clifford Ault.

STAATS AND GOUVERNEUR LINE

Dr. Samuel Staats in 1701 purchased land from Mrs. Neltze Roosa Pawling in what is now Dutchess County, New York. "Staatsburg House" was built in 1792 by Morgan Mills, this is now owned by Ogden Livingston Mills, a descendant. (From Dutchess County Doorways, Reynolds). He married Joanna Rynders and their daughter, Sarah Staats married June 24, 1704 Isaac Gouverneur, who died in 1728. Another daughter, Joanna Staats married January 26, 1717 Anthony White, of whom more later.

Of the children of Isaac Gouverneur and Sarah Staats, one daughter Gertrude, married David Ogden. She was born in 1716 and died December 30, 1775. Of their children, Nicholas Ogden married October 19, 1775, Hannah Cuyler, Samuel Ogden married Euphemia Morris, daughter of Lewis Morris in 1775. They had two other sons Isaac and Abraham. Another daughter Sarah Gouverneur, married Lewis Morris, Jr. of "Morrisiana".

Nicholas Gouverneur, a son of Isaac and Sarah Gouverneur, married Mary. He was baptised April 19, 1713 and his will was proved April 7, 1787. Their daughter, Gertrude, married first Anthony Rutgers, and married second Dr. William Burnet in 1783.

Still another daughter, Joanna Gouverneur, of Isaac and Sarah, married May 10, 1729 Cornelius Low who died April 1777. He was baptised March 31, 1700 and was the son of Cornelis Louw, who was baptised in 1670 and who married July 5, 1695 Margreta Van Borsum, she died in 1749. He was the son of Pieter Cornelis Louw, of Kingston and Elizabeth Blanshaw his wife. Pieter came to America in 1663. Cornelius Low had a son Isaac born at Raritan 1731, who went to England at the close of the Revolutionary War and died in 1791. Nicholas Low was another son.

In the will of May Johnson, September 12, 1772, mention is made of her daughter Mary Gouverneur and daughter Experience Gouverneur and son-in-law, Samuel Gouverneur. I do not know if this is the same family or not. Samuel and Experience had a daughter who died March 4, 1776, Catherine Gouverneur, age four years. He died September 12, 1778, aged 57 years.

Joanna Staats, born January 31, 1694 and who married January 26, 1717 Anthony White a son of Leonard White, who came from the Bermudas about 1715, had a son Anthony White, baptised Nov. 6, 1717.

The father died soon afterwards and his widow married Admiral Norton Keisall, September 29, 1726. Anthony White II married Elizabeth, daughter of Lewis Morris. Their children were as follows: (1) Joanna, born in 1744, married in 1787 Col. John Bayard. (2) Euphemia, born in 1746, married William Patterson. (3) Isabella. (4) Anthony Walton White, born in 1750, married in 1783 to Margaret Ellis. Nicholas Gouverneur, father of Isaac Gouverneur, married Machtelt de Reiner, daughter of Isaac de Reiner and Lysbeth Gravenral (died December 25, 1687) and who was the daughter of Metza Gravenralt of Amsterdam, Holland.

Lewis Ogden, Son of Uzal Ogden and nephew of David, married Margaret Gouverneur. He died in 1799. He was commissioned one of the Surrogates for the Eastern Division of New Jersey March 22, 1762. Their children were as follows: (1) Charlotte Thibout Ogden who married Charles Didea Gobert. (2) Isaac G. Ogden. (3) Elizabeth Ogden who married George Hammerken, the Dutch Consul. (4) Mary who married Samuel Dwight Southmayd (father of Charles T. Southmayd.)

*The Council of New York in 1701 consisted of Abraham de Peyster, Dr. Samuel Staats, Robert Walters, Thomas Weaver, Peter Schuyler, Robert Livingston. Three were disputed being Leislerian and the candidates for aldermen: Johannes De Peyster, David Provoost and Nicholas Roosevelt.

The Common Council at that period consisted of the mayor, recorder (Mr. Gouverneur-*) six aldermen and six assistant aldermen.

*The National Magazine, New York, Vol. 17, No. 1, November 1892.)

October 2, 1937.

JAMES CURRIE, M.D., Of Richmond, Virginia.

The same year James Currie, also of Richmond (1779) advertised that his fees for the practice of physic would be at the old rate, before the prices of medicines and all the commodities became so exorbitant, and that his accounts were payable in tobacco at twenty shillings per hundred weight. ***

By 1772 several apothecary shops were in operation. In that year Dr. James Currie, in partnership with Ludwig Warrock, conducted a "Medicinal shop". ***

In Virginia much of the new blood came from Scotland. James Craik, James Currie, Robert White, Alexander G. Strachan, Andrew Robertson, George Graham, James Carmichael, George Gilmer, Sr. James Henderson and Robert Honeyman were all Scotch physicians, said to have studied at Edinburg, who settled in Virginia. *** The prestige of Scotland was not confined to Virginia. Her graduates settled in most of the thirteen original colonies, and their influence is to be traced in many of our own medical schools, several of which in fact are modeled after the University of Edinburgh. *** The same journal (Philadelphia Medical and Physical Journal) published Dr. James Taylor's account of the fevers at Norfolk and a letter on the epidemic fever prevailing around Yorktown, written by Dr. John Spangler, and communicated to the journal by Dr. James Currie of Richmond. ***

Dr. James Currie was both before and after the Revolution one of Richmond's leading physicians. He was born in Annandale Scotland, in 1745 and came to Richmond as a young man. Thacher in his American Medical Biography states that "Dr. James Currie of Richmond practiced through his life with great reputation. He seemed to possess intuitively the faculty of distinguishing the character of disease and discovering the remedy." Thacher also is the authority for the statement that he studied in Edinburgh. In 1799 Currie's friend, Dr. James McClurg, made a sworn statement that Dr. Currie had in his possession "such ample testimonials from the British University as proved him to be a physician regularly educated".

A letter from Richard Adams of Williamsburg on May 15, 1772 to his brother in London introduces Dr. Currie, then on a trip to England, and shows him to be a contradiction to the proverb that a physician knows nothing of business. "You'll receive this per Doc't. Currie, one of our townsmen who is esteemed there as an honest industrious man and a good physician, and has practiced for two or three years with great success and made money, he is the proprietor of Baines Tenem't & landlord to our friend Mr. Coutts...

he goes over on business to make but short stay in England & then to return, he applied to me to be made known to you he has no acquaintance in London..." Before leaving Richmond he announced in the papers that his partnership with Ludwick Warrock would continue, and that Warrock would take care of the shop in his absence. He lived on "Broad Street near Tenth Street" opposite the present City Hall. On January 1, 1779 he advertised in the Virginia Gazette "That his fees for the practice of Physics, from the beginning of the year would be at the old rates (before the exorbitant prices made medicine as well as every necessity of life made it equitable to raise them) payable in tobacco at 20 shillings per hundred weight or in money equivalent to tobacco." In 1793 he submitted a bill for five pounds to the state of Virginia "for examining in concert with Dr. Read, ** Angela, now under sentence of death, ** by command of his Excellency, the Governor." The historian Mordecai speaks of him a little caustically, as being less amiable and more strict in collecting his fees than Dr. Fouchée, but admits that he had a large and lucrative practice. He was on terms of friendship with Jefferson, who wrote him a long letter from Paris in 1786, discussing the merits of a new encyclopedia, of which he had secured a set for Dr. Currie, and giving him bits of scientific news from the continent; "I send by this convenience designs for the Capitol. They are simple and sublime." In 1789 Currie married Mrs. Ingles of Princess Anne. He died on April 23, 1807 and is buried in St. John's Churchyard (Richmond, Va.)"

"Medicine in Virginia in the Eighteenth Century" by Blanton. (1931)

"By an agreement, bearing the date of the 17th of April 1640, James Ferret, agent of the Earl of Sterling, authorized Captain Daniel How, Job Sayre and others their associates to purchase lands, and form the settlement on Long Island; "with as full and free liberty, both in church order and civil government, as the plantations in Massachusetts enjoyed." In consequence of this agreement, Captain How and his associates sailed from Lynn in a vessel belonging to him, and arrived at Cow Bay, in the Western part of Long Island, sometimes called Scout's Bay. ***

This contract bears date of 10th of March 1639 and still remains, although much mutilated, in the clerk's office of the town. The names of the settlers who had arrived during the first twelve months, were as follows:

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| Daniel How | Henry Pierson | Abraham Pierson |
| Thomas Goldsmith | Richard Post | Edward Needham |
| John Oldfields | Obediah Rogers | Samuel James |
| Samuel Dayton | John Fordham | John Gosman |
| Thomas Burnet | John Lum | John Bishop |
| John Howell | Samuel Osman | John White |
| Thomas Sayre | John Rose | William Payne |
| Edward Howell | James Herrick | John Jessup |
| William Odell | Christopher Foster | Josiah Howe |
| Thomas Topping | Joseph Raynor | Henry Walton |
| John Woodruff | Ellis Cook | William Harker |
| Allen Breed | John Hagger | Benjamin Haynes |
| Edmund Farrington | Richard Smith | John Jennings |
| Isaac Hillman | Thomas Hildreth | George Wells |
| John Cooper | John Hampton | Job Sayre |
| George Woods | Joshua Barnes | |

The conveyance for eight miles square of land from James Farret, the agent of Lord Sterling, to the above-mentioned persons, is recorded on the town books, as follows: ***

It is to begin at a place westward from Shinnecock, entitled the name of the place where Indians drawe their cannoes out of the North bay, over to the South side of the island, and from there to run along that neck of land eastward the whole breath between the bay aforesaid, to the Easterly end of an island or neck of land lying over against the island commonly known by the name of Mr^l Farret's Island. ***"

See:

"Sketch of the First Settlement of the several Towns upon Long Island" by Wood.

ABRAHAM PIERSON

"He was a Yorkshire man and coming to New England he became a member of the Church at Boston, but afterwards thus employed, towards the year 1640, the Inhabitants of Lyn, straightened at home, looked out for a new Plantation; so going to Long Island, they agreed both with Lord Sterling's agent and with the Indian Proprietors, for a Situation at the West End of that island: When the Dutch gave them such disturbance, that they deserted their place for another at the East end of it Proceeding in their Plantation, by the addition of near a hundred families they called Mr. Pierson to go thither with them, who woth seven or eight men of their company, regularly incorporated themselves into a "Church state" before their going: the whole company entring at the same time, with the advice of the Government of the Massachusetts-Bay, into a civil combination, for the maintaining Government among themselves. Thus was settled a Church at Southampton under the Pastoral charge of this worthy man; where he did with a laudable Diligence undergo two of the three hard labors, Docentis and Regentis, to make it become (What Paradise was called) an Island of the Innocent.

It was afterward found necessary for this church to be divided. Upon this occasion Mr. Pierson referred his case to Council, his removal was directed unto Brainford, over upon the main, and Mr. Fordham came to serve, and feed that part of the Flock, which was left at Southampton, but where ever he came, he shone.

He left behind him the character of a pious and prudent man and a true child of Abraham, now safely lodged in Sinu-Abraha."

Cotton Mather's Magnalia. (1702) Book 3, Chapter VIII.

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July 8, 1729 Will of Daniel Burnet of Elizabethtown, New Jersey, administration on the estate was granted to Ichabod Burnet - Lib B, page 125.

"Abstract of wills 1670-1730" New Jersey Archives Vol. 23, pp 75-76

"Bromwell. Entered into rest, Tuesday November 20th at 7 o'clock
A. M. Mrs. Sarah A. Bromwell, relic of the late William Bromwell.
Funeral from the Central Christian Church, Ninth Street near
Central Avenue, Thursday morning, November 22nd at 10 o'clock.
No flowers." (1883)

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Epitaphs on three old tomb stones in Elizabeth, N. J.

Here Lieth
Interred the Remains of
Doc Ichabod Burnet, who
departed this Life
March the twelfth
Annoque Domini 1756
In the twenty-fourth
Year of his
Age.

Here lies the Body of
Mrs. Hannah, Wife of
Doct Ichabod Burnet (Mother of Above.)
who departed this Life
Feb the 19th Anno-
Domini 1758 In the
57th Year of her Age.

Here lies the Body
of Ichabod B. Barnet
cbi't Sept the 19th
Anno Domini 1783
AE tatis Suae
Lean not on Earth, it will
pierce thee to the Heart.

* * * * *

Dr. Ichabod Burnet died at Elizabethtown, July 13, 1774,
aged 90 years.

DEESIDE BURNETS

"Alexander Burnard I First charter dated 1st Feb. 1322-3
 Symon Burnard II
 William Burnard III
 Robert Burnarde IV
 John Burnet"of Leyis V (From this time the surname of the family becomes less uniform, Burnat, Burnet, Burnate, and Bornat being frequently found.)

Alexander Burnard of Lyes VI
 Alexander Burnet of Leys VII (1505-1529)
 Alexander Burnet, Younger of Leys VIII
 Alexander Burnet of Leys (1529-1574) IX
 John Burnet of Leys (1574-75) X
 Alexander Burnet of Leys (1575-78) XI

This laird was almost as short a time in possession as his father. A passing allusion in a letter to his son Duncan indicates his ambition that his sons should be men of learning and culture, an aim in which it will be seen that he was successful with some, though not all of them. He married his cousin-germain, Katherine, daughter of Robert Arbuthnot of Pitcarlies, and we have in the Heralds' Visitation of Norfolk in 1613, and of Essex in 1634, a full enumeration in order of seniority of his six sons, some of them men of mark in their day, and in the 1613 Visitation of his three daughters also. His children were:

- I Alexander, his heir
- II Robert -- alluded to as a "divine" in a letter of his brother Duncan Burnet.
- III Thomas, M. A. of Cambridge - a physician of eminence, practicing at Braintree in Essex at the time of of the visitation in 1634. He married Jane Foy of London and had two sons, Thomas, born 1612, and Alexander, and a daughter Frances, who married Rev. Thomas Templar, rector of Weston Co., Northampton.
- IV Gilbert, said to have had no issue.
- V Duncan, like his brother Thomas a physician and practiced at Norwich. He was, according to Middleton, a "learned, holy and good man". He married Jane, daughter of Robert Marsham of little Melton, Co. Norfolk. He had issue Robert, who was dead, and

Mary, there called his "sole heir". The latter, so his letters inform us, was born on Michaelmas day, 1609. It must have been soon after this (1613) that he had another son, named Thomas*, who, when not more than 14 years of age, visited his cousin, Sir Thomas of Crathes; as we find in the Aberdeen Burgh Records that on the 29th September 1629, "Thomas Burnet, filius legitimus venerabilis viri Duncani Burnet, medicinae doct̃ris, admissus fuit in liberum burgensem et fratrem gilde". The arms of this Thomas, as Thomas Burnet of Wood Dalling, Co. Norfolk, are on the 3rd June 1640, exemplified by William Le Neve, Clarenceux, in the books of the English College of Arms, with the middle holly leaf charged with an amulet, for difference, and the usual crest.

- VI John
- I Janet
- II Margaret
- III Elizabeth

Alexander Burnet of Leys (1578-1619) XII.

He seems to have had six sons who reached manhood and eight daughters who married.

- I. Alexander, "who died in France, without issue, before his father."
- II Thomas, first baronet.
- III James, of Craigmyle.
- IV Robert, Lord Crimond who married Rachel Johnston. Gilbert Burnet, Bishop of Salisbury, was their fifth son.
- V George.
- VI John, his only son Obadiah Burnet died in New Jersey without issue in 1786.
- I -- married George Baillie of Jerviswood.
- II Katherine married Patrick Maitland.
- III Helen, married John Allardyce.
- IV Barbara, married Robert Innes of Balveny.
- V Isabel, married James Cheyne.
- VI -- married Robert Forbes.
- VII Janet, married first Alexander Skene.
married second Sir Alexander Cumyn of Culter. Her portrait is at Crathes.

VIII Mariot, married George Symmer of Balyordie."

(*I think this Thomas Burnet may be the one that came to Lynn, Mass. "prior to 1643", or the Thomas, son of Thomas Burnet, M.D. who was born in 1612.)

From: "The Burnetts of Lys", by George Burnett.

ENTRIED IN THE OLD BROMWELL FAMILY BIBLE

Now owned by Gladys Burnet Chewning, Richmond, Virginia.

William Bromwell, son of Jacob and Maria Bromwell of Baltimore, was married to Sarah Ann Davis, daughter of Rev. John and Sarah Davis of England, on the 15th day of January in the year 1829. Their children were:

George Davis Bromwell, born on the 4th day of February 1830-
died on the 15th day of May 1833;

Maria Virginia Bromwell, born on the 19th of October, 1831-
died February 1908;

William Bromwell, Jr., born on the 12th day of September, 1833-
died the 12th day of September 1833;

Isabella Adelia Bromwell, born on the 19th day of Sept. 1834-
died October 19th, 1920;

Ann Seletta Bromwell, born on the 25th of July 1836-
died on the 10th of August 1836;

William Bromwell died on the 28th of November, 1877 at Dayton, Ohio.

Sarah A. Bromwell, wife of William Bromwell, died on the 20th of
November 1833 at Walnut Hills, Cincinnati, Ohio.

Mrs. Elizabeth Ward Doremus of New York writes as follows:

*** As a child I lived with my Great-grandmother, Mrs. James B. Taylor, (wife of General Taylor) nee Keturah Moss, widow of Mr. Leitch. She was 96 when she died. I remember her well." She married General Taylor before she was 18.

"John Wynne had a daughter, Keturah Wynne, who married Captain Thomas Ford, who had a daughter Jane Ford, who married Major Hugh Moss, June 4, 1768, whose daughter Keturah Moss married (1st, Leitch) 2nd General James B. Taylor of Newport, Kentucky, my Great-grandfather." Mrs. Doremus.

Hugh Moss married June 4, 1768 Jennie Ford.

Hugh Moss and his wife Jennie Ford, a daughter Sallie Winn born April 17, 1769. (Register of St. James Northan Parish - Virginia). Sallie Winn Moss married George Gordon, their daughter Keturah Gordon married Isaac Gouverneur Burnet.

BURNET FAMILY

Dr. Ichabod Burnet, born in Scotland in 1693, educated in Edinburgh, married - second - Hannah, died in Elizabeth, N. J. 1773.

Dr. William Burnet, born in Elizabethtown, N. J. 1730, studied medicine under St. Staats of New York after graduating in the second class of the College of New Jersey, 1749. Married, first, Mary Camp, daughter of Nathaniel Camp. Married, second, Mrs. Anthony Rutgers, nee Gertrude Gouverneur, daughter of Nicholas Gouverneur. Died in Newark, N. J., October 7, 1791.

- (1) Dr. William Burnet
 - Abigail married Caleb Riggs
 - Mary married Joseph C. Hornblower
 - Joseph
 - William
 - Ichabod
 - Elizabeth married Ephriam Robbins
 - Caroline married William Pennington

(2) Ichabod

(3) John
 Harriet, married --- Crane

(4) Jacob (see below)

(5) George Washington

(6) Hannah married Abreham Kinney

(7) Elizabeth married Mr. Thew
 Mary married Perry
 Caroline married Wright

(8) Isaac Gouverneur (see below)

(9) Staats Morris

(10) David Gouveneur married Hannah Este
 William Este Burnet, killed at the battle of Shiloh.

Dr. William Burnet, member of Continental Congress 1776, Physician and Surgeon General of the Eastern Division of the Hospital Department, April 11, 1777. Hospital Physician and Surgeon, Oct. 6, 1780, Chief Physician and Hospital Surgeon March 5, 1781, served to the close of the war. Dr. William Burnet was a member of the Society of Cincinnati. See: Heitman's Historical Register, page 109; Lossing's Pictorial Field Book of the Revolution, Vol. 2, p. 33.

New Jersey Archives, Second Series, Vol. 1 (1776-1777 Newspaper extracts) p. 17-n.

Dr. William Burnet, son of Dr. Ichabod Burnet (born at Southampton, L. I. died at Elizabethtown, N. J. July 13th, 1774, ages 90 years) was born at Elizabethtown December 2d, 1730 O. S. (The statement in the History of Essex and Hudson Counties I, 224, that Dr. William Burnet was a son of Gov. William Burnet, and grandson of Bishop Burnet, is erroneous. His grandfather was Dan, son of Thomas. Hatfield's Elizabethtown, p. 411). He was graduated at Princeton 1749, studied medicine with Dr. Staats, of New York, and settled in Newark, where he had built up a large practice at the breaking out of the war. This he relinquished, devoting his whole time and talents to the service of his country - Princeton College During the Eighteenth Century, 5. He was the chairman of the Newark meeting, May 4th, 1775, to take steps to co-operate with the Continental Congress, and was chosen Deputy Chairman of the General Committee then appointed, and a member of the Committee on Correspondence - Minutes of Provincial Congress, 112. The Provincial Congress on February 17th, 1776, appointed him surgeon for the Second Regiment of Foot militia in the county of Essex. Ib., 375. On July 16th, 1776, he was appointed one of the Commissioners to buy arms, etc. for the army. Ib., 508. The enemy carried off his large and valuable library and fifty head of cattle - A Collection of American Epitaphs and Inscriptions, with Occasional Notes, by Rev. Timothy Alden, A. M. New York, 1814 IV, 271. The legislature on November 23rd, 1780, appointed him one of the State's five representatives in the Continental Congress - Minutes passim. On March 5th, 1781, the Continental Congress commissioned him Chief Physician of the Hospital Department of the Eastern District - Journals of Congress, passim. At the close of the war he returned to Newark and devoted himself to agricultural pursuits. He was one of the original members of the New Jersey Medical Society in 1766, of which he was elected President in 1767 and in 1786 - History of Medicine in New Jersey, and Its Medical Men, by Stephen Wickes, A. M., M.D., Newark 1879, p. 187. He was appointed one of the Judges of the Essex Court of Common Pleas - Ib. 186. "Dr. Burnet was a gentleman, a scholar and a christian. In all the walks of domestick and social life his character was very endearing, and his death was sensibly felt by an extensive circle of relatives and friends, and by none

more than by the poor, whose unwearied and liberal friend he ever was." Alden, ut supra, 273. In January, 1754 he married Mary, daughter of Nathaniel Camp, who bore him eleven children, among them Dr. William Burnet, Jr. and Jacob, the distinguished lawyer and statesman of Ohio. Mrs. Burnet died February 1st, 1781. He married, second, the daughter of Nicholas Gouverneur, and widow of Anthony Ruggers, who bore him three children. Alden, 271-3 An excellent sketch of Dr. Burnet was published some years ago by the late Hon. Joseph P. Bradley, Justice of the U. S. Supreme Court. (W.N.)

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Ichabod Burnet was Secretary of the Essex County, N. J. Committee of Correspondence of which his father, Dr. William Burnet, was chairman. In 1778 he was commissioned as a Major and Aide-de-camp on the staff of Major-General Greene, and so remained until the close of the war. He was a brave and efficient officer. He died in Charleston, S. C. at the age of twenty-seven.

"The house and lot of ground in which Ichabod Burnet, Esq., now lives, situated in Elizabeth-Town, New Jersey - to be sold. There are in the house seven rooms on one floor, and three large rooms, besides a large open garret. On the lot are a good stable, chair house and out kitchen. A large garden well stocked with various kinds of fruit, such as nectarines, apricots, pears, peaches, plums, raspberries, etc. An indisputable title will be given. For further particulars enquire of the subscriber in Elizabeth-Town." (Signed) ELIAS BOUDINOT.

WILLIAM BURNET, M. D.

By Joseph I. Bradley, LL D., Justice of the Supreme Court, United States. Memoirs prepared for the Centennial Celebration of the Adoption of "The Resolutions Respecting Independency", Pennsylvania Magazine, Vol. III, p. 308-314. (1879).

"Dr. William Burnet of Newark, New Jersey, was elected, by the Legislature of that state, a delegate to the General Congress on the 23rd of November, 1780, for the term of one year; it being the practice of the State of New Jersey to have a new election of delegates after every annual State election in October. His associates were Dr. Witherspoon, Abraham Clark, William C. Houston, and William Patterson. Until 1785, the State always sent five delegates. After that only three. Of course it had but one vote in Congress, and the number of its delegates was its own option.

Dr. Burnet was born at Lyon's Farms, a small hamlet between Newark and Elizabethtown, N. J. Dec. 2d (O. S.), 1730. His father was Dr. Ichabod Burnet, a physician of much eminence, who died at Elizabethtown in 1774, at the great age of ninety years, being one of the most venerated and distinguished citizens of that town. Ichabod was a grandson of Thomas Burnet who emigrated from Lynn, Massachusetts, to Southampton, Long Island, prior to 1643. The family tradition is that he was collaterally related to the famous Dr. Gilbert Burnet, Bishop of Salisbury in William and Mary's time; but the connection, if any existed, is lost in the obscurity of the past. Ichabod Burnet emigrated with his father to Elizabethtown in 1700, then only sixteen years old. He received his education in Edinburg, and settled first at Lyon's Farms, and afterwards returned to Elizabethtown. He was one of the Associates representing the early settlers, who claimed title to the lands of that town by grant from Governor Nichols, adverse to the claim of the general proprietors of the province; and having been a Puritan, and then a Presbyterian, he naturally took the popular side in all the political controversies of the period. Under such auspices it is not wonderful that his son William, the subject of this sketch, became a warm partisan of the rights of the colonies, and an enemy of prerogative. He had a second son, Ichabod, who also studied medicine, but died at an early age, unmarried.

William Burnet received his academical training in the College of New Jersey, then located in Newark, under the presidency of Rev.

Aaron Burr, and graduated in 1749. Having studied medicine under the direction of Dr. Staats in New York City, he settled in Newark, and in 1753 married Mary, daughter of Captain Nathaniel Camp, a substantial citizen of that town. He was one of the founders of the New Jersey Medical Society, was long an elder in the Presbyterian church, and early became a prominent and leading man in that part of New Jersey. The records of the New Jersey Medical Society, which have been published, contain two addresses by him, which give a very favorable view of his qualifications as a writer.

At the breaking out of the Revolutionary War. Dr. Burnet took an active part in organizing the elements of opposition of British authority. In May, 1775, he was appointed deputy chairman (Lewis Ogden, on account of his family influence, being made chairman) of the Committee of Safety of the town of Newark, formed to support the Continental Congress, and carry out the measures of the proposed Provincial Congress. The burden of management came principally on Dr. Burnet and his two associates, Captain Joseph Hedden and Major Samuel Hayes, who for a considerable period exercised complete power of local government in Newark and its vicinity, keeping the Tories and the disaffected in awe. Dr. Burnet was also appointed chairman of the Essex County Committee of Safety, and in that capacity exercised a large executive control. In March 1776, at the call of Lord Sterling, he superintended the organization and dispatch of several military companies in aid of the defence of New York.

His eldest son, William who had also studied medicine and was then but a little over twenty-one years old, went as surgeon of one of the regiments organized under the Doctor's directions. His second son, Ichabod, who was only in his twentieth year, acted as secretary of the County Committee. At a later period, in 1777, the latter became aide-de-camp to General Greene, and attended him in that capacity with the rank of major, to the end of the war, being one of the most efficient and trusted officers on his staff. At the battle of Germantown, during the retreat, a musket ball took off his queue. "Burnet," said the general, "if you have time, you had better jump down and pick up your queue." "And your curls, too, general," responded his aide, observing that another ball had taken off his commander's curls. Greene laughed, but I do not learn that they stopped for the lost ornaments. Dr. Burnet's third son, John, who was sixteen at the breaking out of the war, was unfortunately lame, or he would also,

without doubt, have entered the service of his country. As Paine justly said, "Those were the times that tried men's souls." The real patriots of that day were in dead earnest, and Dr. Burnet was not alone in giving himself and all the male members of his family to the cause.

The province of New Jersey was situated in the centre of the contest, and although the majority of her people were on the patriotic side, there were very many, and these often people of wealth and influence, who were either on the fence or outspoken royalists. The old General Assembly sympathized with the people, but were prevented from adopting any effective measures by the activity of the governor, William Franklin, a son of Dr. Franklin, who was a zealous Royalist. Of course the Whigs had to strain every nerve to keep the State in line, and to furnish its quota of aid to the Continental cause. A Provincial Congress was improvised, and regulated public affairs for more than a year; but adopted a provisional constitution on the 2nd of July, 1776, under which a State government was organized. One of the first necessities to be provided was money of some sort or other. The Legislature had no resources other than to issue bills of credit. An issue of £ 100,000 was ordered; and Hendrick Fisher and Drs. Dunham and Burnet were appointed commissioners to make the issue of £50,000 in East Jersey, and to purchase therewith arms, munitions and equipments for the State troops. In exigencies that effect the national existence, paper money, with all its drawbacks, is sometimes a necessity. Dr. Franklin says it saved the American Republic. The associates of Dr. Burnet on this commission were men of the very first consideration in New Jersey. To Hendrick Fisher, who resided between New Brunswick and Bound Brook, perhaps more than to any other one man, did she owe the spirit of patriotism which animated the masses of her people. He was about eighty years of age at the breaking out of the war; but no one excelled him in energy and enthusiasm in the cause. He was the first president of the Provisional Congress of New Jersey.

Besides these duties pertaining to military operations and local administration, Dr. Burnet was invested with important judicial functions. In September 1776, he was appointed by the Legislature, presiding judge of Essex county courts, then a position of much responsibility, which he occupied for ten

years. In this capacity he was called upon, in 1778, to preside at the trial of many of his Tory neighbors and friends for furnishing aid to the enemy. The duty was undoubtedly performed with his characteristic firmness and decision, but must have been peculiarly trying to one so noted as he was for kindly courtesy. The object of the proceedings was, to confiscate the property of active royalists. Two of the Ogden family, Isaac and David, were included in the prosecutions, and convicted. They were the sons of Hon. David Ogden, long a judge of the Provincial Supreme Court, who joined them in retiring to Canada after the war. David, the younger, subsequently became, I believe, Chief Justice of Canada. They had been on the popular side at the outbreak of the troubles, but the disasters of 1776 led them to suppose that resistance was hopeless, and they, with many others, gave in their adhesion to the British government. The other members of the family, Abraham, a lawyer of Newark, and Samuel, father of Hon. David B. Ogden of New York, and maternal grandfather of William M. Meredith, remained true to the Colonial cause. The Ogdens had been the leading family of Newark for half a century. Two of the Gouverneurs, Samuel and Isaac, were also proceeded against on this occasion (1778) but were acquitted.

As stated in the commencement of this sketch. Dr. Burnet was elected a delegate to the Continental Congress in November, 1780; but he was soon called upon to perform other duties which prevented his further attending the sittings of that body; and his place was filled in June, 1781, by the appointment of Elias Boudinot.

At the first breaking out of the war he had, principally at his own expense, established a military hospital at Neward for sick and wounded soldiers, and amongst other arduous duties, had given it much of his personal superintendence. The success of this institution attracted the public attention, and in October, 1780, he was appointed by the Congress a regular hospital physician and surgeon of the United States. On the 5th of March following, whilst a member of the body, he was appointed chief physician and surgeon of the hospital in the room of Dr. Craik, who was removed to the army. This required him to resign his seat in Congress and gave him the position of surgeon-general of the general hospital, Continental Army -- a position which he filled with distinction and ability during the balance of the war. Of the two departments, the Hospital and the Field, or Army, department proper, Dr. Burnet

was at the head of the former for the Eastern and Middle States. At the close of the war he became a member of the Society of Cincinnati, and is still represented in the New Jersey State Society by his descendants.

Dr. Burnet died in 1791 at the age of sixty-one years, greatly esteemed and lamented. By his first wife he had, besides daughters, two other sons in addition to those already mentioned; Jacob, afterwards known as the eminent Judge Burnet of Cincinnati; and George, a lawyer, who settled at Dayton, Ohio. At the close of the War he married Gertrude, widow of Col. Philip Van Cortlandt, of Newark, and daughter of Nicholas Gouverneur, Esq. By her he had three sons, Isaac, Staats and David; the first of whom was for some time mayor of Cincinnati, and the last, the Hon. David G. Burnet, was the first President of Texas in 1836 -- one of the kindest, and yet firmest and bravest; one of the most adventurous, and yet most polished and cultivated of men. The writer of this notice was acquainted with two of these eminent persons, Judge Jacob Burnet of Cincinnati and President Burnet of Texas, who, though of different mothers, exhibited the same high moral tone, decision of character, and positive firmness of convictions. These masculine qualities were at the same time united with great kindness and even sweetness of disposition. Perhaps we may discern in them the lineaments of the father, and form some conjecture as to the grounds of that controlling influence which he exercised over his contemporaries, and of that general confidence which he seems to have inspired.

That old Newark fireside over which he and Mary Camp presided a hundred years ago, must have been surrounded by a bright and gentle circle, overflowing with patriotic ardor, and united by the warmest affection. One of the daughters, Hannah, mother of Hon. W. Burnet Kinney, of Newark, who survived to a good old age and is recollected by many persons still living, is represented to have been one of the most cultivated, refined and charming of the old regime.

Many years ago an old resident of Newark described to the writer the departure from home for Princeton College of Ichabod in 1772 or 1773. It was a bright summer morning just at sunrise, and Ichabod and a servant, who accompanied him to carry his luggage, were mounted on horseback, ready for the long journey -- now made

by railroad in less than two hours, but then occupying many days. His mother and grandmother were out to bid him adieu and give him their parting benedictions. Though affected for the moment, he departed with a face beaming with youthful ardor and hope. This now seems almost a picture of Arcadian life, so many changed have come around with the revolving century.

Dr. Burnet is still represented in New Jersey and other States by a large number of descendants, who venerate his memory, and have a just pride in his upright character and patriotic services. Among these, besides those of his own name, are the Kents of New York; the Hornblowers, the Penningtons, the Kinneys, of New Jersey; The Groesbecks; the Wrights, and the Perrys of Cincinnati.

An honorable name is the richest legacy a man can leave his descendants. Such a legacy was bequeathed by William Burnet.

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"New York, October 2. On Wednesday last, was held in New-Brunswick, the Anniversary Commencement of the College of New Jersey; at which, after the usual publick Disputations, the following young men were admitted to the Degree of Batchelors of the Arts, viz.,

John Brown
William Burnet
John Hoge
Thomas Kennedy

John Moffat
John Todd
and
Eleazer Whittlesey

After which a handsome Latin Oration was pronounced by Mr. Burnet, one of the graduates; and the Ceremony was concluded to the universal satisfaction of a numerous Audience; the whole being conducted with great Propriety and Decorum.

The New York Gazette, Reviewed in the Weekly Post Boy, October 2, 1749."

(New Jersey Archives - First Series, Vol. 12, page 574)

"Let's go in; these ladies have some conspiracy together." Such a remark playfully made to us in a garden, near sunset, on an August evening in the summer of 1845. Two old gentlemen and their wives, two old ladies, were present, besides the writer; the ladies a little to one side, looking at flowers glinting in the declining rays, and true to their sex, busy talking. The speaker was Henry Clay, and this was his home, Ashland, near Lexington, Ky. He had invited us to tea, and directed through the house but a few minutes before, we had found him in his garden. The other was Jacob Burnet, to whom he had introduced us. No man then living had made such an impress as he upon the history of Ohio and the Northwest. He looked every inch the peer of Mr. Clay, as indeed he was. They were strong friends; but in person and manners antipodal. Mr. Clay was all geniality, his voice deeply sonorous and musical. Judge Burnet a trifle less in stature than Mr. Clay, but broader. He was then seventy-six years of age; Mr. Clay several years younger. The Judge was a thorough gentleman of the old school, of Scotch descent, his complexion very dark, swarthy; eyes black, and general expression forbidding and manner reserved and dignified. He walked with a cane, his hair in a queue, and we think he wore a ruffled shirt. His residence at this time was in a large old-style mansion, square in shape, with a broad hall running through the centre, on Seventh Street, corner Elm, Cincinnati, of which city he was its first citizen.

This eminent man was the son of Dr. William Burnet, surgeon-general of the Revolutionary army, and a member of the Continental Congress; was born at Newark, N. J., in 1770; was educated at Princeton and in 1796 came to Cincinnati to practice law, then a village of a few log cabins and 150 inhabitants. The entire territory, now comprising five states and ten millions of people, was mostly a wilderness, containing scarcely the semblance of a road, bridge or ferry. The territory was divided into four counties -- Washington, Hamilton, St. Clair and Knox. The seats of justice were respectively at Marietta, Cincinnati, Kaskaskia and Vincennes in each of which Courts of Common Pleas and General Quarter Sessions of the Peace were established. From 1796 to 1803 the Bar of Hamilton county occasionally attended the General Court at Marietta and Detroit, and during the whole of that time, Mr. St. Clair, (son of the General) Judge Symmes and Judge Burnet never missed a term in either of these counties. They were sometimes eight or ten days in the wilderness, "and at all seasons of the year were

compelled to swim every water course in their way which was too deep to ford." They had some hair-breadth escapes. One night their horses refused to go any farther, and they were obliged to camp; the next morning they found they had halted on the verge of a precipice. In 1799 Judge Burnet was selected by the President of the United States as a member of the Legislative Council of the Territorial Government, of which he was the leading mind.

"Thus," said the late Judge Este, "in less than four years he was at the head of the bar of the West, the popular, intelligent and official leader of the Legislature. Almost an entirely new system of laws was undertaken, and the labor devolved on him. He cheerfully engaged in it and was so clearly convinced of the necessity of giving himself up to the business of legislating for the Territory that he would not listen to the friends who urged him to be a delegate to Congress. Thus early and permanently did his mind make its impress upon the legislative history of the country."

Judge Burnet was the author of the first constitution of Ohio. From 1812 to 1816 he ~~was~~ a member of the State Legislature. In 1821 he was appointed Judge of the Supreme Court of Ohio, serving until 1828, when he resigned to accept the position of United States Senator to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of General Harrison. As a senator he was the intimate personal and political friend of Webster. From the notes taken by Senator Burnet in the celebrated discussion between Hayne and Webster, the latter in part framed the reply which stamped Webster at the matchless orator of our country.

He was the life-long friend of General Harrison, and as a delegate to the Harrisburg Convention, secured his nomination for President. He influenced Congress to relieve the settlers of the West and Southwest from much of the indebtedness for their lands which otherwise would have involved the great mass in irretrievable ruin. Mr. Burnet possessed great public spirit and was eminent for solid integrity and acuteness of intellect. Mansfield says such was the construction of his mind that "it was impossible for Burnet to have been a partisan." His likes and dislikes were held with great tenacity. When Aaron Burr was in Cincinnati he was promptly refused an interview by Judge Burnet, who sent him word that he would never shake hands with the murderer of his own and his father's friend.

Originally a Federalist he became a strong Whig, and in the United States Senate came up to the level of its great leaders, Webster and Clay. He died in 1853, a firm believer in the inspiration of the Bible, a Presbyterian in faith, but he was far removed from sectarian bigotry."

(Howe's Historical Collection of Ohio, Vol. II, page 93.
Edition of 1891)

FOURTH OF JULY ADDRESS BY ISAAC G. BURNET, CINCINNATI 1808

It is with diffidence, fellow citizens, that I appear before you on this auspicious day to commemorate the deeds of heroism achieved for our Independence, youth and inexperience may appear presumptuous in such a station, but when I reflect that I stand here in obedience to your call, I feel assured that my imperfections, however great, will be judged with liberality and that the young and inexperienced, my opinions will be received with candor, tho they may not meet with universal approbation. I could wish that no expression might escape me that could offend one of my respectable audience, but is it possible, that in so numerous an assembly of Freemen, celebrating the birthday of their liberties, there should be perfect coincidence of sentiment on questions of national policy? The range of human thoughts and the diversity of human opinion can not be restrained by despotic power. The mind expanded by a liberal education is "free^{ed} aid". Bigotry and superstition are the only tyrants of the human intellect, before the invigorating sunbeams of education, they will disappear as the gloomy phantoms of visions. The mind is an active principle and it is essential to its existence that it should be kept in perpetual exercise, the film of prejudice may over-shadow it and weaken its energies, it may be depressed by misfortune, and over-awed by the lawless violence of Power, it may be seduced by pleasure, and corrupted by licentiousness; but external force cannot limit the range of human thought, nor reduce to uniformity the opinions of men. The Wise Author of our existence made us each susceptible of different impressions; what to one appears fit and proper, in the estimation of another is the highest absurdity. Although truth is immutable, we do not all view it through the same medium, some are hurried on to an unqualified approbation of things, through a blind zeal, enthusiasm usurps the empire of reason, the understanding is led captive to a fanciful theory, would you argue with such, they will effect to disbelieve the most palpable truths, if opposed to the dogmatical opinions of their sect or the extravagant measures of their favorite party. Others through the medium of prejudice view everything with a jaundiced eye. Happy are they whose mental vision is clear, either from the mist of prejudices or the blindness of enthusiastic zeal.

Man is an imperfect creature, it is to his weakness and imperfections that we may inscribe the origin of civil government.

In his primeval state, he knew no law but that of conscience; he knew no superior, but the object of his adoration; in his own bosom dwelt his only criterion of right; his own arm was the avenger of his wrongs.

It will be readily perceived that such a state of anarchy could not long subsist, without an utter extermination of the human species. The atrocious crimes of the French Revolution prove the savage disposition of man with power equal to his passions. Let those deluded mortals who dwell with apparent delight on the fanciful theme of man's perfectability and his capacity for self government turn their eyes to those scenes of enormity and violence, exhibited in the various stages of that series of popular delusion. Let them behold the People in their majesty desolating the fairest portion of creation with lawless violence, with the feelings of nature extinguished, fathers and brothers in hostile array, pillaging the cities of their nativity, slaughtering their kindest friends and to complete the savage triumph, marching in exulting pride, with new born infants at the point of their bayonette. If they can turn from those scenes of horror with feelings of complacency to the ruthless multitude who have thus outraged humanity, and say that man is capable of self government, I must impeach the correctness of their judgment and the purity of their hearts. At the present eventful crisis, when one man by his extraordinary talents and more extraordinary good fortune, wields in a manner the sceptre of the world and by his fiat decides the fates of kingdoms, no government can be well administered, so as to secure its own Independence and the liberties and happiness of its people, without possessing an energy that can down domestic rebellion and with an avenging arm, resent the proud contumely of foreign nations. Not only is it necessary for the perpetuation of the human species, through preservation of order and the happiness of mankind, that man should be restrained of some of his natural liberties but in order to protect him in the enjoyment of his most valuable rights and dearest privileges those destructive dogmas which have demolished part of Europe and propagated by the refuse of European jails, have made such rapid progress in America, should be rooted from society. Transported for their crimes or escaped from the merited vengeance of the law; these outcasts just landed on our shores proclaim themselves American Patriots and set about the benevolent purpose of reforming our Government and teaching liberty to the only people who rightly

understand and properly enjoy it. Such are some of our newspaper editors, who under the pleasing garb of Republicanism, a name which they dishonor, convey their poisonous principles to the very heart of their readers. Let my countrymen spurn such wretches, who revile their best patriots and pollute the morals of their best citizens.

It is not the energy of their government that America should dread in the exercise of its legitimate powers, it wears no terrible features; let them rather dread the rage of innovation to weaken its energies, let them dread the imbecility of its administration, which has brought our once happy and flourishing country to the very precipice of destruction, let them dread the little petty resentments and the deadly hatred that is demonstrated towards the only nation that dares to raise its voice against the universal dominion of the Gallic Conqueror, and is fighting without allies and unfriended, the battles of the world. Let them dread the undissembled partiality and the obliging condescension that are discovered for another nation, whose crimes exceed the powers of description and whose ambition is bound only by the limits of the Universe.

France and England at the present eventful day hold in some respects the same station that Rome and Carthage did of old, Roman courage and perseverance at last triumphed and Carthage fell. Her rival fallen, Rome soon became the mistress of the world, the Republic gave way to the Empire, and the Romans soon carried the terror of conquest to the remotest regions of the Earth. The uncultivated regions of Pathia and the barren mountains of the North equally unknown and inaccessible, alone escaped in the wreck of the nations. The Republican virtues of ancient Rome were extinguished in the glare of Imperial pomp; their moral virtues were depraved by the influence of Imperial corruption. Literature was despised and honest men were persecuted. It was in this dismal stage of society, when the very name of Liberty was extinct and the last effort of virtue was expiring, that the savage conquerors of the North sallied forth and with the fierceness of barbarian courage seized the Roman Provinces incapable of resistance. Rome in her turn must now fall: a new era commences. The world was whelmed in clouds of darkness, but virtue had resumed her dominion. The vices and luxury of Rome were buried in the ruins of the Empire: and in a long train of events the

world had emerged from the night of Gothic barbarism and monastic superstition, which succeeded the mighty revolution that had been accomplished by rude and illiterate chieftains who despised the arts. As if infected with Roman corruption and in progressive order the nations of the earth have assumed their present aspect; an aspect more terrible to liberty than at the subjugation of Greece or the fall of Carthage. Virtue was then respected, it was indeed the passport to fame; but the demoralizing system of politics practiced by the Cabinet of St. Cloud is calculated not only to destroy the faith of nations, but to extirpate from the human breast all sense of moral obligation. In France despotism is reduced to a science, the acts of intrigue cruelty, violence and pillage appear to be the chief studies of the Ministers of State, and to exalt to the highest dignities the most expert in this school of Politics, is the first care of the French Emperor. They are the fittest minions of illegitimate Power; the firmest supporters of government founded in crimes and usurpation, honest men would shudder at the atrocities of French Despotism, none but those who have been trained in the horrid deeds of the Revolution could view them with complacency; or take a part in their transaction.

Governments were instituted for the benefit of the people, and not to oppress them; to protect their rights and secure their happiness; not to satiate the avarice or delight the ambition of tyrants. It was to restrain the licentious passions of the human mind and to invigorate its virtuous propensities; to protect age and imbecility from the insults and aggressions of brutal strength; not for the wanton purpose of letting every man do as he pleases, but by mild, just and equal laws to fix the boundaries of right and wrong, by suitable penalties to enforce an observance of the laws of nature; to further virtue and punish vice. This can be done without infringing the proper liberties of man; no act should be prohibited that is not injurious to the public good; all unnecessary restraints are infringements upon the rights of the People and by being tolerated will imperceptably induce oppressions.

To continue a system of Government where man will be free under restraint, founded on the nice distinctions between freedom and licentiousness, is a task arduous and important, one that has given more employment to minds of Philosophers than the studies of

politicians or statesmen. To continue such a system was the object of the American Patriots who framed our excellent Constitution. They had pledged their lives, their fortunes and their sacred honor in the cause of Independence; they had struggled with intrepid courage and persevering fortitude through the calamities and distresses of a seven year war; they had seen the banners of slavery and oppression unfurled to subjugate them; they had heard their virtuous efforts stigmatised with the vilest epithets, rebellion was the ministerial outcry; in privations and suffering they had drained the cup of wretchedness; untutored in military tactics they had fought and conquered; they had witnessed the triumphs of liberty and in the arduous contest they acquired immortal honors. Such were the heroes of the Revolution.

After the peace of 1783, the American Republic resembled the shattered fragments of a vessel just escaped from the overwhelming violence of the tempest, without rudder or compass. The Articles of Confederation were feeble ties, to connect the opposite interests of thirteen independent states, jealous of each other and jealous of the power they delegated to Congress. They had toiled for Independence and obtained it, but it was the "baseless fabric of a vision". To institute a Government, accommodate the jarring interests of such a confederacy, required all the influence and all the talents of the heroes of the Revolution. They saw the necessity of a radical change; they saw their country just escaped from the jaws of the Lion, ready to devour itself by intestine commotions. They grieved at the sight. This was not the high prize for which they had suffered and bled. It was their ardent wish to see the temple of Liberty erected on a firmer basis, on a foundation that might defy the omnipotence of time. With such sentiments they met in convention and produced to an admiring world the elegant and harmonious structure of the American Constitution, one of the sublimest efforts of human wisdom. Around this let us rally as the Ark of our political safety. Let not the unhallowed hand of innovation invade this Sanctuary of our Liberties. Let us expel from our councils those political montebanks who commence their senatorial career by impious attempts to subvert the ~~bulwark~~ of our rights, the Independency of the Judiciary. I blush for our state that she has elected a Senator who would build his fame on the ruins of his country, who had

scarcely taken an oath to support the Constitution, than he would that it should be a perjury, and with daring effrontery laid violent hands upon one of its main pillars. Let us preserve our Constitution unimpaired as the surest Palladium of our civil rights and transmit to posterity as their most invaluable birth-right. May each succeeding anniversary of our Independence find us more happy and more free and while the nations of Europe are wasting their energies in fruitless contests may we under our own vine and fig tree enjoy the sweets of Liberty and Repose.

ISAAC GOUVERNEUR BURNET.

July 4, 1808.

PRESIDENT D. G. BURNET

David G. Burnet was the son of William Burnet of Newark, N.J. where he was born in 1788. After receiving a liberal education he entered the counting house of Robertson and Hartshorn in New York in 1805.

His tastes, however, were not in accord with the dull routine of a clerk's life and in 1806 he entered, under General Miranda, in the expedition for the independence of Spanish America. Upon the failure of this expedition, he returned to his home in New York, where he remained until 1817 when he moved to Natchitoches, Louisiana. His lungs becoming affected, and following the advice of his physician, he went among the Indians with whom he remained, following their mode of life for nearly two years, when he went to Cincinnati, Ohio.

In 1826 he came to Texas and at once became an active participant in her affairs. He went to Saltillo where he entered into contract with the Government of Coahuila and Texas for the colonization of the later state. This contract came to naught on account of the bad management of the company to whom he entrusted it. Returning to New York he married and came back to Texas in 1831 with his wife and they narrowly escaped a watery grave by the vessel in which they made the voyage becoming disabled as she was approaching Galveston.

In 1833 he was elected a delegate to the convention of San Felipe and was a leading member in its deliberations. In 1834 he was appointed Judge of the Municipality of Austin. When the oppressive acts of Santa Ana drove the people of Texas to resistance to his tyranny, Judge Burnet took an early and decided stand in favor of the independence of Texas.

In 1836 he was elected President Ad Interim of the Republic of Texas and in 1838, upon the election of Mirabeau B. Lamar as President, Judge Burnet was elected Vice-President of the Republic.

Upon the expiration of his term as Vice-President he lived for many years in the quiet seclusion of his home near the San Jacinto River. In 1846 he was made Secretary of State, which office he held until the close of Governor Henderson's administration.

In 1866 he was elected to the United States Senate by the Texas legislature but was not admitted to his seat in that body. In 1868 he paid a visit to the home of his birth in Newark, N. J.

and after a few months spent there he returned to Texas where he died in 1870.

(Library in State House, Austin, Texas. File 369.19D265, page 21)

John Henry Brown, in his recently published history of Texas, gives the following explanation why -- of all the able and prominent men in Texas -- David G. Burnet was elected President Ad Interim of the Republic.

"In the first place he was eminently qualified to fill the position, and in the second place he was connected by ties of consanguinity with some of the best known and most influential families in the United States, and his selection it was thought would do much to strengthen the Texan cause in the confidence of the people of that country. He was a native of New Jersey, and a son of a surgeon in the Continental Army (a friend of Washington) and was descended, through his mother, from the Gouverneur and Morris families of New Jersey and New York. His elder brother, Jacob Burnet, had been eminent as Chief Justice of Ohio, and United States Senator from that state, and Isaac, another brother was the very popular Mayor of Cincinnati. David Gouverneur Burnet was a man of unimpeachable morals and deep religious convictions. He was in the prime of life. His courage and address (Proved in youth under Miranda, and in South America, and during a sojourn of two years among the Comanches, and later on numerous occasions in Texas) were well known, and furthermore, his conspicuous talents and patriotic devotion to Texas had won for him the unbounded confidence of the people."

(Taken from "Short Historical Sketches" in Texas State Library.)

"When a year later (1775) an appeal to arms was forced, and the memorable affairs of Lexington and Concord precipitated the Revolution, a Committee of Safety was appointed in Newark, the members of which were Dr. William Burnet, Justice John Hedden and Major Samuel Hayes. The committee held daily sessions and was presided over by Dr. Burnet. The doctor was a grandson of the distinguished English prelate, Bishop Burnet, and, like the grand-sire, was a man of great decision and force of character. To serve his country, he promptly relinquished a lucrative medical practice and abandoned the pleasures of a delightful home life. After establishing a military hospital in Newark, he became Surgeon-General of the American army, and was stationed at West Point at the time of the discovery of Benedict Arnold's treasonable compact with Sir Henry Clinton, the British commander. It is also related, on good authority, that when the news of Major Andre's capture at Tarrytown was brought to the Point, the doctor sat at table while Arnold read the note from Lieutenant Colonel Jameson announcing the fact. Arnold preserved his countenance, but immediately excused himself and withdrew "to attend upon an urgent and important service". Very soon he was hurrying with all speed to the ship of refuge which lay at anchor in the Hudson, below the Point, and which, with singular appropriateness, happened to be named the "Vulture". The Doctor's son, Major Ichabod Burnet, was an aid on General Greene's staff, and was selected to bear to Andre, after his conviction as a spy, the official announcement of his fate. He also attended the brave and handsome, but unfortunate, British Adjutant General upon his execution at Tappan. Dr. Burnet gave to his country, besides his services as a true and valued patriot, a posterity distinguished for its public and private worth. Jacob, one of his sons, settled in the North-Western territory when it had but 15,000 inhabitants, and when Cincinnati, where he made his home in 1796, contained but fifteen rough finished houses. Jacob served as a magistrate, a legislator, and ultimately, as a United States Senator. Another son, David Burnet, achieved even greater distinction. After filling many important public trusts, he, finally, became the first President of the short-lived Republic, Texas, now a brilliant star in the constellation of American States. Dr. Burnet, himself, upon the close of the war, resumed his practice, likewise the pursuit of husbandry. He also filled the position of Judge of the Court of

Common Pleas, and was President of the New Jersey State Medical Society. He died suddenly, in 1791, in his 61st year."

(Written in 1878.) (Atkinson, "History of Newark, New Jersey." p.90)

Also, on pages 178:

***The revered and estimable Peter I. Van Berckel, Minister Plenipotentiary from the States of Holland to the United States
**** residence ~~was~~ on Broad Street (Newark) directly opposite that of Judge William Burnet's, which stood on the North corner of Chestnut and Broad Streets. Minister Van Berckel died on December 17th, 1800. His remains were deposited in the family vault of Captain John Burnet.

LINEAGE PAPER OF ISABELLA WOOD
MEMBER OF NATIONAL SOCIETY D.A.R.'S AND URBANA CHAPTER

The name of Burnet was originally Bernard and is traced to the year 800. In the 13th century our ancestor fought under that most heroic of Scottish kings, Robert Bruce. Bernard of Cluny belonged to the family but we do not claim him as an ancestor as he was a monk and devoted to the church. He was the author of that fine old hymn, "Jerusalem the Golden". In 1643 in Edinburg Scotland was born Bishop Gilbert Burnet. He became royal chaplain to William of Orange, and afterwards, Bishop of Salisbury. He was always a student and wrote several histories that were full of vigor and valuable to scholars. But time forbids my dwelling upon such remote details -- either he or one of his two brothers was an ancestor. Dr. Ichabod Burnet, the father of my revolutionary ancestor was a native of Scotland and educated in Edinburgh. He came to America after his graduation and settled at Elizabethtown in the province of New Jersey where he practiced his profession with great success as a physician and surgeon until 1773 when he passed away at the age of 90 years. William was his only son -- born in 1730 at Newark, N. J. He entered college early, graduated from Nassau Hall in 1749 during the presidency of Rev. Aaron Burr before the college was removed to Princeton. He studied medicine under the noted Dr. Staats in New York City. He was in the midst of a successful and lucrative practice when the trouble with the mother country became serious. As he was a high toned Whig he took an active part in the measures of resistance against the oppressive proceedings of the British Government, and soon gave up his practice that he might with greater activity and zeal work for his country. He was appointed chairman of the Committee of Public Safety in Newark. It consisted of three members and the entire Whig population stood pledged to enforce their decisions. They were in session daily and their responsibility was great, Tories and Loyalists were thus held in check or summarily dealt with when necessary. Dr. Burnet at the beginning of the contest established a Military Hospital on his own responsibility in 1775 at Newark, which he superintended personally. In 1776 the Legislature of New Jersey elected him a member of the Continental Congress. Here his influence was used for the physical welfare of the army. No long after this the thirteen states were divided into three districts,

the southern, middle, and eastern, and provision made for a physician and surgeon general in each. Dr. Burnet's past services and admirable qualifications caused his appointment to the eastern division, thus making him Physician and Surgeon-General over one-third of the whole army. He resigned his seat in Congress to accept this appointment and continued in the discharge of its duties until the peace of 1783. He was stationed at West Point when Arnold was secretly planning its surrender to the enemy and all unsuspecting he, with a party of officers, ~~was~~ dining with that General when the officer of the day entered and reported that a spy had been taken below. General Arnold seemed not even to change countenance or manifest any special interest, but ere long excused himself, saying business required his attention for a short time, and "desired them to enjoy themselves until his return". Return he never did as we well remember. The captured spy was Major Andre, and the next intelligence they had of Benedict Arnold was that he was on the British ship of War, the Vulture, an out and out traitor. One of General Greene's Aides-de-camp was sent to communicate to Major Andre the intelligence of his fate as a spy and to conduct him to the place of execution. This young Aide-de-camp, and member of General Greene's staff, was Major Ichabod Burnet, second son of Dr. Burnet. At the close of the war Dr. Burnet devoted his attention to agricultural pursuits, but was not long allowed to remain quietly at home. He was appointed Judge of the Court of Common Pleas. He was also chosen President of the State Medical Society, and on taking his seat delivered an elaborate address in Latin. He was but 61 years old when death came suddenly and closed his eventful life. Major Burnet, his son, was a special favorite of Lafayette during the war and when that General returned to this country on a visit in 1824, he is said to have kissed the miniature of the boyish officer with profound emotion, stirred by loving memories of the dead. Lafayette was twice at the home of my grandfather, Isaac Gouverneur Burnet, who was mayor of the young and growing city of Cincinnati. One of Dr. Burnet's older sons, much older than my grandfather was Judge Jacob Burnet, Sr., one of the founders of that city.

Mrs. Washington once traveling in her chariot of four with black postillions in scarlet and white livery spent a night at

the home of Dr. Burnet. His daughter Hannah, afterwards Mrs. Kinney, then in her teens, was one of the party who escorted her next morning to Dobb's Ferry. Fourteen years later she was one of the honored few who attended Mrs. Washington on her way to the Presidential Mansion. Mrs. Kinney was the mother of Hon. William Burnet Kinney, minister to Italy and Sardinia some years ago. William B. Kinney married the mother of Mr. Clarence Steadman.

Quite a number of the family remain in New Jersey, one was the wife of the Governor of the State, William Pennington. Another married Judge Hornblower of the Supreme Court. Dr. Burnet's youngest son, David Gouverneur Burnet, came to Cincinnati; he and Col. John James of Urbana studied law at the same time in the office of Judge Burnet. He went to Texas and is spoken of in history as a prominent statesman in the early days while it was still a republic. He was a great rebel during the civil war, and after he was 80 years old he went twice to Washington to sue for Jeff Davis' pardon. Positive traits of character are not the result of accident, but come in the way indicated by Carlyle when he said "No great man was ever born of fools".

On another I may also have a membership in this Society, or in the Colonial Dames. My Grandmother Keturah Gordon Burnet, wife of Isaac Gouverneur Burnet, was a granddaughter of Major Hugh Moss who had command of the Militia of Goochland County, Virginia. His commission bears the date of 1770. He and his company went to the seat of war quickly as hostilities broke out. He was wounded at the battle of Brandywine, but remained with the army at Valley Forge through that dreadful winter when supplies were so short and soldiers manfully kept up without even shoes, the frozen ground marked by their bleeding foot prints. Such exposure told upon the wounded major and early the following spring he returned to Virginia to die. This paper is already too long. I will only add the fact that on my father's side of the house we have two ancestors who were in the war of the Revolution, one of whom received a pension.

(Copy of a paper which is the property of Gertrude Randall, Shelbyville, Indiana.)

Gertrude Randall is a great-granddaughter of Isaac Gouverneur Burnet and Keturah Gordon Burnet, through Gertrude Burnet Jennings, their daughter, and her daughter Cornelia Jennings Randall.
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With the first outbreak of hostilities a Committee of Public Safety was appointed in Newark and in session almost daily. It was presided over by Dr. William Burnet, who was soon appointed Surgeon-General of the American army. He was stationed at West Point at the time of Arnold's defection, and was one of the officers who were sitting with the latter at table when the news came that a spy had been captured below. Dr. Burnet's son, Major Ichabod Burnet of Newark, was one of the aides of General Greene, and the messenger who was sent to communicate the intelligence of his fate to Major Andre, and attend him to the place of execution. Major Burnet became a special favorite of Lafayette, and when the latter visited this country in 1825 he is said to have kissed the miniature likeness of the boyish officer with profound emotion. Dr. Burnet was of great service to the country. He founded a military hospital, and at the close of the war was made judge of the Court of Common Pleas, and president of the State Medical Society. He was a grandson (Note: this is an error) of the celebrated prelate Bishop Burnet, and, like him, a man of remarkable force of character. His son, Judge Jacob Burnet, was one of the founders of Cincinnati and one of the chief formers of the State Constitution of Ohio. Another son, David, was the President of Texas when it was a republic.

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The Foster Home has just celebrated its twenty-seventh birthday with an elegant new brick building in the upper part of the city. It reminded me of a beautiful portrait by Rembrandt Peale, of the gifted founder of the first charitable society of Newark. It was Mrs. Kinney, the daughter of Dr. William Burnet, and the mother of Honorable William Burnet Kinney -- a lady who was a star in the social world of her day, as well as a writer and a theologian. It was she who instituted the first Sabbath-Schools in the city. When Mrs. Washington traveled from Virginia to Cambridge, Massachusetts, in 1775, in her own conveyance - "A chariot and four, with black postilions in scarlet and white liveries" -- she spent the night of November 29 at the home of Dr. William Burnet, on Broad Street; and Mrs. Kinney, then in her sweet teens, was one of the "party of ladies and gentlemen" who escorted Mrs. Washington towards Dobb's Ferry the next morning, she occupying a seat beside the later in her carriage. Fourteen years later when Mrs.

Washington journeyed from Mount Vernon to join her husband after he was elected President of the United States, Mrs. Kinney was one of the honored few who attended her from Philadelphia to Elizabeth. She was on familiar terms with the ladies of the "Republican Court" but her tendencies were chiefly in the direction of Christian usefulness. She was some years in Cincinnati, where she was active in founding institutions of benevolence, which have been almost as fruitful as her labors in Newark.

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Nearly opposite, upon the Western bank of the river, stands the famous old mansion known as "Cockloft Hall". The main part of the building is over one hundred and fifty years old, although it has been pieced and modernized until "Pinder Cockloft" himself would hardly recognize it should he return. It was built by the Gouverneurs, a New York family of Huguenot origin, who owned an extensive plantation in the vicinity, and through whom it descended to Gouverneur Kemble.

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The first Newark banking institution, which was the only one of the kind in the State for many years, was chartered in 1804, Judge Elisha Boudinot, was its first president and William Whitehead, the New Jersey historian, was the first cashier. The bank was opened in the front parlor of the private residence of Judge Smith Burnet; and as a perpetual menace to robbers, two great knives and two large horse-pistols were placed in bold relief on the mantel.

(Notes from "Newark" by Martha J. Lamb, Vol. 53, pp. 669. 1876. Harpers Magazine.)

SOUTHAMPTON, LONG ISLAND

"Settlements began in earnest, at both ends of the island, at nearly the same time, by both the English and the Dutch, for though one man is found here and another there at an earlier date, the Dutch had not built a single town up to the year 1640. The reason for this has been pointed out elsewhere. The reason for English migration is as follows: In New England, where the people had been, on the contrary, crowded into towns, hard times and scant room had turned the thoughts of many to removal. In New England there were no large bodies of good land contiguous to the towns, except in the Connecticut Valley. And in large towns all the best lands had been so quickly taken up that late comers fared but badly. These reasoned that a poor man must always be poor, as in the old country. A craving for more land seems to have grown up from the moment these immigrants first stepped on shore and looked around them, as if every man's ambition to be a landholder was kindled by the very air he breathed.

Many had formed views now called socialistic. These advocated the idea of a community where all should share, and share alike, rich and poor. As that could not be in New England, they looked about them for another home. Some of Lynn, in Massachusetts, made choice of Long Island (which they supposed good English ground yet unoccupied), and after agreeing with the alleged proprietor's agent for a suitable tract of land there, a party was sent off to locate it, erect buildings, and so smooth the way for the coming of the rest.

The Massachusetts government did not like to see their people leaving them in this manner, and tried hard to turn them from their design; but the spirit of unrest was abroad, and it could not be stayed. Indeed it soon became an epidemic.

These pioneer settlers first went to the west end of the island, and had even set up a house or two, when the Dutch came and drove them off as trespassers. Some were imprisoned, but soon liberated.

Now, as the Dutch themselves were regarded as intruders by many, this act caused great indignation. It strengthened the dislike already felt for the Dutch by both high and low; and the governors of the New England colonies held sharp language with the Dutch governor about it. Yet neither dared go further than words.

Instead of giving up their design, however, the Lynn men then went to the extreme east end of the island, as far away as possible from the Dutch, there to begin the settlement of Southampton.

(a) Perhaps they had been told to go ahead and fear nothing. At any rate, they behaved as if they felt sure of support should it be needed. When they got to their destination, they found Lion Gardiner, a former commandant of Saybrook Fort and a tried soldier, at work making himself a home on the island now bearing his name, to which he had but lately removed. Thus strengthened, they fell to building at once.

Before leaving Lynn these people had agreed upon certain rules of government, to be put into force when they should be settled. These will be referred to by and by. Soon after they were joined by the Reverend Abraham Pierson, their pastor. In this remote corner of the island the settlers could now snap their fingers at the Dutch. They were now as much a body politic as the Pilgrims had been at Plymouth, and quite as free of care for the great world without.

These Lynn men had been driven from their first choice, because the Dutch lay claim not only to this island, but also to everything between the Connecticut and Delaware rivers. How, then, came the English to go there? They went under an English grant to Sir William Alexander (b) by which Long Island, as well as Nantucket and Martha's Vineyard, was included in a royal grant of Nova Scotia. This looks something like attaching Bermuda to Virginia. Whether it happened through ignorance or design is not clear, but, at any rate, it saved the island to the English in the end, as it drew the line between those who submitted to the Dutch claim and those who did not. And Kieft and Stuyvesant thought twice before provoking a conflict.

Note: (a) The Southampton people's first grant, from Sir W. Alexander's agent of eight miles square is dated April 27, 1640. Being unable to confirm them in peaceable possession, Farrett, the agent, gave them a new deed at New Haven, June 12th, but they had gone upon their new location before this. They called it Southampton in memory of the English port out of which they last sailed.

Note: (b) Sir William Alexander's grant was from James I in 1621; afterwards confirmed by Charles I in letters patent.

(Pages 148-150 and notes.)

"First of all some Long Island people had removed to lands at Middletown, Shrewsbury and Elizabethtown, or what were later so called. It is said that after these people had bought their lands of the Indians, and then had their purchase confirmed by a deed from Governor Nicolls, of New York, the craze to remove caused something like a depopulation of the west end of Long Island. Nicolls could not then know, however, that the duke, his master, had already given away not only these same lands, but the whole of what is now New Jersey, then first called Nova Cesarea, thus setting up a separate and distinct government from that of New York. The gift had been made even before it was the duke's to give -- before its conquest from the Dutch.

The new proprietors immediately set about planning how best to settle and govern their new province. Their first ship-load of emigrants came over in 1665, landing at what is now Elizabeth, but was first called Elizabethtown in Lady Carteret's honor. With them came Philip Carteret, as deputy-governor, who is said to have landed with a hoe on his shoulder. He established the seat of government at this place. As those whom he found there insisted the land was theirs, and as the proprietors insisted that it was not, a long and bitter quarrel ensued, which has become historical. (Pages 161-163).

Sir George Carteret died in 1679, leaving East Jersey in trust for the payment of his debts. The trustees (1682) sold to twelve proprietors, who, in turn, took in twelve others, thus making a body afterwards known as the Twenty-four Proprietors. These proprietors took full control of the affairs of the province. * * * It is computed that there were five thousand people at this time in East Jersey, of whom 400 were in Shrewsbury, 500 in Middletown, 400 in Piscataway, 600 in Woodbridge, 700 in Elizabethtown, 500 in Newark, and 300 in Bergen. * * * East New Jersey had her Pilgrims, too, in the Scottish Presbyterians, who fled from cruel persecution in Charles the Second's reign. At home these people were called Covenanters and sometimes Cameronians. Their covenant embraced the solemn declaration, "This will we do, as in the sight of God". * * * The proprietors saw their rule drawing to an end. Their only remedy, as they thought, lay in a surrender of their power to govern. This they did (1702) in the hope of better security for their property than they themselves could give it." (Pages 166-168) "The Making of Virginia and the Middle Colonies" by Samuel Adams Drake. (1907).

Patent of Baronetcy in favour of Sir Thomas Burnet of Leys, Knight, 21st of April 1626, from an old translation in the Crathes Collection.

*** For the propagation of the Christian religion within the limits, lands and dominion of Nova Scotia, lying in America near the limits of New England, lately discovered and explored by our faithful councillor, the Lord (Sir) William Alexander of Menstrie, knight, at his great cost and expenses as well by sea as by land, now hereditary proprietor of the same region and dominion, and our lieutenant and deputy therein, and for the advantage and increase of the same plantation and colony within the said limits and the reduction thereof under our obedience, and also for the good and gratuitous service unto us by our beloved the Lord (Sir) Thomas Burnet of Leys, knight, performed, and for divers other great and grave considerations us thereunto moving, having given, granted, disposed and by this our present charter confirmed, and by the tenor thereof do give, grant, dispoise and for ourselves and our successors for ever do confirm to the aforesaid Lord Thomas Burnet of Leys, knight, his heirs male and assigns whomsoever hereditary, all and the whole part or portion of the said lands, region and dominion of Nova Scotia as follows, bounded and meared in detail, namely, to have the lands and barony of Livingstoun Donypace, on the east and thence westwards along the shore of the sea over against Le Argallis Bay, and from thence proceeding towards the north in the mainland for six miles, keeping in all three miles in breadth from the east to the west and six miles in length from the south to the north until the quantity thereof amount to sixteen thousand acres of land, with castles, towers, fortresses, places of manors, houses, edifices constructed or to be constructed, etc. etc. * * * and of putting the same to his own proper uses, and applying them thereto in similar manner and as freely as the said Sir William Alexander and his heirs and assigns, by virtue of his original enfeoffment to him in this behalf granted and dated at Windsor on the tenth day of September in the year of our Lord 1621, or by virtue of the enfeoffment by us made in this behalf to the said Sir William under date of Oatlands on the 12th day of July in the year of our Lord 1625, could have made one or more, Reserving only unto ourselves and our heirs and successors a tenth part of the aforesaid royal metals commonly called the ore of the gold and silver, to be extracted from the said lands at all future times, and all the rest of the aforesaid metals, minerals, precious stones, gems, pearls, and other things aforesaid, to the abovesaid Sir Thomas Burnet and

his heirs male and assigns shall appertain and to his own proper uses for ever shall be applied, together with all and singular the profits, dues and advantages thereof; etc. etc. (The whole document covers twenty-five pages.)" Pp. 232-256 "The Family of Burnet of Leys", by George Burnet, Ltd. (1891)

Notes by Sylvester H. M. Agens, Newark, New Jersey.

The first mention of a Burnet in the Southampton, L. I. records is this: "October 13, 1643, Thomas Burnet hath a lot granted unto him on the condition that he stays 3 years in the town to prove it." He came from Yorkshire, England, to Lynn, Massachusetts, from there to Southampton, L. I. A record of his will (proven Dec. 1684) has been found in Riverhead, **the county seat of Suffolk County**, from which the following abstract was taken by W. L. Petreau, Clerk of Southampton:

"I give unto my six children, John, Lot, Hester, Jole, Miriam and Priscilla five shillings a piece. I give unto my son Aaron, my house and home lot, I give unto my sons Mordecai and Dan all my land at place called Cormorant Point, when they come to the age of one and twenty. I give unto my son Mathias, my close (and enclosed tract of land) in the Great Plains. I give to my daughter Lois, at her marriage, or when she becomes 18, ten pounds. I make Mary, my wife, sole executrix."

Dated March 16th 1679 - O.S. 80

(Signed) Thomas Burnet.

There are deeds on record from Thomas Burnet to several of his sons, showing he had liberally provided for them before making the bequest of five shillings to each. He was living in September 1683 as his name was found in an assessment roll of Southampton, in the 2nd volume of the Documentory History of New York.

Dan Burnet in 1709 removed with his sons Ichabod and Daniel to the vicinity of Elizabethtown, probably to Connecticut Farms, where some of his descendants still live. Dr. Ichabod Burnet, son of Dan, had a son William, born in 1730, 2nd of December, Old Style. He graduated at the College of New Jersey in 1749.

Our ancestor, Lot Burnet, married Phoebe Mills, October 20, 1675, had six sons, Joseph, Davis, Nathan, Jonathan, Samuel, Ephraim and Isaac. Samuel married Marish Roll of New York. Their son, Samuel, married Lucy Chase -- they had three sons and four daughters.

Thomas Burnet, the first mentioned, was a relative of Bishop Gilbert Burnet, whose son William was colonial Governor of New Jersey and New York from 1720-1727, after that, Governor of Massachusetts until he died."

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William Burnet graduated from the College of New Jersey, studied medicine in New York City, located in Newark, was a prominent citizen until his death, one of the foremost New Jersey patriots; chairman of Essex County Committee of Safety; active in raising troops and dispatching them to the field. 1776-1786 presiding Judge of Essex County Courts. 1780 delegate to Continental Congress. Leader in establishing a Military Hospital at Newark; appointed Surgeon General, Eastern Division by Congress. A founder of New Jersey Medical Society, of which he was afterwards President. Member of Society of Cincinnati.

(From "Historic Families of America".

Ancestors and Descendants of Joseph Lindsley Burnet and Matthias Burnet of Hanover, New Jersey and Jefferson, New York

Thomas Burnet is said to have been a native of Yorkshire, England. He was one of the party that stopped at Lynn, Massachusetts but finally settled at Southampton, L. I. where he was granted a lot, October 13, 1643. He died about 1784, leaving a will dated March 16, 1679-80, which was filed at Riverhead, L. I. His wife was Mary, said to have been a Pierson but this seems doubtful. Howell says he married twice, the second wife being Mary Pierson; idea seems to be based on the marriage of another Thomas Burnet or Burnap of Lynn 1663, and the wife of one Thomas remains unknown.

Thomas, grandson of Alexander Pierson (and son of Robert Burnet and Katherine Pierson) is not further accounted for. He seems to be the only Thomas in available works of reference who might have settled at Southampton. His age seems in harmony with the records of the settler.

(Note:- According to George Burnett, in "The Family of Burnett of Leys with Collateral Branches", he gives the date of the marriage of Robert Burnet and Katherine, daughter of Alexander Pierson, as 16th February, 1643, and their first son, Thomas born 31st December, 1646. I. N. Burnet) As grandson of the Baronet of Nova Scotia his thoughts must have turned to the New World. That there is no record of Thomas, of Southampton, arrival in this country suggests an entrance through his grandfather's baronetcy. The Mary Pierson he is said to have married suggests some connection with Alexander Pierson."

(Signed) Eugenia Bouton.

E. D. Burnet, Esq. of West Orange, gives the family tradition that a Rev. Thomas Burnet was the patriarch of the family in Southampton, L. I. Also that his ancestor, David Burnet, a son (or nephew) of Dr. Ichabod Burnet of Elizabethtown, removed to Battle Hill, now Madison, N. J.

Hannah Este, wife of David Burnet of Texas was born at Morristown, N. J. After the death of his wife President Burnet made his home with General Sidney Sherman. (In Texas).

In Adjutant General Shykes', "Jerseymen in the Revolutionary War", we find Ichabod Burnet, Major and Aide-de-camp; William Burnet, Chief Physician and Surgeon; William Burnet, Jr., Surgeon; and Edward, Ichabod, John, John, Joseph, Squie and William Burnet, soldiers all of the Continental army and not less than sixteen of the Burnetts serving in the militia of that period.

From the Genealogy of the Huffman Family.

The Gouverneur Family

Nicholas Gouverneur married Machtelt, daughter of Isaac de Reiner and Lysbeth Grevenralt (died Dec. 25, 1687). Isaac Gouverneur, son of Nicholas and Machtelt de Reiner, born 16- married June 24, 1704 Sara Staats daughter of Samuel Staats, M.D. and Johanna Rynders, Isaac Gouverneur died in 1728. Nicholas Gouverneur son of Isaac and Sara Staats was baptised April 19, 1718. He married Mary -- will proved April 7, 1787.

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| | (2) John Burnet |
| | (3) Aaron Burnet (1665-1755) Married Elizabeth |
| | (4) Lot Burnet Married Oct. 1675 Phoebe Mills (-1702) |
| | (5) Joel Burnet |
| | (6) Dan Burnet |
| (1) Thomas Burnet (- c 1684) | (7) Mordecai Burnet (-1716) Married Hannah |
| | (8) Matthias Burnet (1674-1745) Married |
| | Miram Burnet Married Enoch Fithian |
| | Hester Burnet |
| | Pricilla Burnet |
| | Louis Burnet |

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(3) Aaron Burnet

(9) Aaron Burnet
Married
Sarah

(10) Moses Burnet (-1781)

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(9) Aaron Burnet
Married
Sarah

(11) James Burnet a son Mathias
Burnet, D.D.

(12) Mathias Burnet

(13) William Burnet
a son Eleazer Burnet, minister

(14) Aaron Burnet

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(10) Moses Burnet
(-1741)

(15) Justus Burnet

(16) William Burnet

(17) John Burnet

(18) Samuel Burnet

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(4) Lot Burnet

(19) Joseph Burnet

(20) David Burnet (1681-1748)
Sarah Burnet
Push Burnet

(21) Nathan Burnet

(22) Johnathan Burnet

(23) Ephriam Burnet (Jan. 8, 1693-

(24) Samuel Burnet (May 3, 1695-

(25) Isaac Burnet

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(19) Joseph Burnet

(26) Stephen Burnet (1708-1734)

(27) Joseph Burnet (-1770)

(28) David Burnet (1711-1735)

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(27) Joseph Burnet

(29) David Burnet (1741-1807)

(30) Joseph Burnet

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(29) David Burnet
Married
Sarah

(31) David Burnet (1786-1846)

(32) Mathias Burnet (1782-1843)

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(31) David Burnet
Married
Sybil

(33) David Burnet

(34) John F. Burnet

(35) George Burnet

(36) Maria Burnet - Married Lewis Sanford

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(33) David Burnet
Married 2nd
Sophronia Topping

(a) Levi Burnet

(b) David Burnet

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(a) William H. Burnet

(34) John F. Burnet
Married
Eliza Jagger
(daughter of David
Jagger)

(b) Sarah J. Burnet

(c) Mary Burnet

(d) Ella J. Burnet

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(32) Matthias Burnet
(1782-1843)
Married
Mary

(37) Stephen Burnet (a) Luther Burnet

(b) James Burnet

(c) Mary A. Burnet

(d) Nelson Burnet

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(24) Samuel Burnet
(May 3, 1695-

(38) Samuel Burnet (39) Samuel Burnet

(39) Samuel Burnet
(1753-1819)

(40) Samuel Burnet (41) Samuel Burnet
(a) Samuel Burnet

(41) Samuel Burnet

(42) (b) John R. Burnet (Of Orange, N.J.)

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(6) Daniel Burnet (43) Daniel Burnet a son Daniel Burnet

(44) Dr. Ichabod Burnet
(1684-1774)

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(a) Dr. William Burnet
(1730-1791)

(44) Dr. Ichabod Burnet
Married
Hannah
(1702-1758)

(b) Dr. Ichabod Burnet
(1732-1756)

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(8) Capt. Matthias Burnet
Married Elizabeth Stephen Burnet
(1708-1784)

(6) Daniel Burnet's Grandson Daniel moved to New Jersey.

(9) Aaron Burnet moved to Morristown, New Jersey.

(7) Mordecai Burnet moved to Elizabeth, New Jersey.

(10) Moses Burnet moved to Brookhaven, Long Island.

Rev. Matthias Burnet (1749-1806) lived in Norwalk, Conn.

Married Ann, who died July 7, 1789, age 35.

Enoch Fithian married Miriam Burnet June 25, 1675.

Cotton Mather in his Magnolia says Abraham Pierson came from
Yorkshire, England in 1639.

In 1697 the lot that had been owned by Thomas Burnet in 1657,
situated on Main Street, Southampton, near the Road to Bridge
Hampton, was spoken of as the lot belonging to Aaron Burnet, who
was Thomas Burnet's second son.

His oldest son, John, died before 1684.

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Southampton, Long Island, by Howell.

Daniel Burnet

Ichabod Burnet

David Burnet (-1767)
Married
Abigail

Hannah Burnet

Rhode Burnet

Mary Burnet

(Archives of New Jersey - Wills -- Page 28.)

Voucher No. 653, issued to George Gordon, Light Dragoon, under Captain Nathaniel Wilson, for service on the frontier, District of Kentucky, State of Virginia, signed by Richard **Taylor** and Baker Ewing. Dated 11 September 1788.

Oath of allegiance of George Gordon No. 86 14 October 1783, under the Act of the Assembly of Pennsylvania, 13 June, 1777. Signed by William Rush.

(On deposit with the Ohio Historical Society, property of Isabella N. Burnet, Charlottesville, Va.)

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On the Muster Roll of Captain John Grey and Co. Jan. 1 to Nov. 30, 1725, Massachusetts -- Thomas Burnet, son of John Burnet. N. E. Historical Register, No. 194.

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Bishop Burnet bequeathed a sum of 20,000 merks Scots to the Parish of Saltoun and a like sum to the Marischel College of Aberdeen, "In remembrance of my education there, and I order the Lairds of Leys, as long as that estate is in the Family of Burnets, to have every year a scholar in the First Class of the College ... and I also desire, that to the said scholarship one of the name of Burnet may be preferred, if he is duly qualified for it." From The Burnetts of Leys.

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"Thomas Burnet (Son of Bishop Burnet) in whom judgment, imagination and memory are united -- the three great faculties of understanding."

Allen's American Biographical Dictionary.

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Thomas Burnet, M.A. of Cambridge (3rd son of Alexander Burnet of Leys -- XI Laird) a physician of eminence, practicing at Baintree in Essex in 1634. He married Jane Foy, of London, had two sons, Thomas born in 1612, and Alexander and a daughter, Frances, who married Rev. Thomas Templer, rector of Weston Co., Northampton. (Page 30, Burnetts of Leys).

Duncan Burnet, like his brother Thomas, a physician, practiced in Norwich. A son, Thomas born soon after the Visitation of 1613.
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(From Historic Families of America)

Burnet Thomas. (1)

b. Scotland

d. 1684 Southampton, L. I.

Lynn, Mass. before 1643 Southampton, L. I.

Children, some or all may be wife No. 2

1. John² b.-died-before 1684 probably no children.
2. Joel² b -d -- lived in Southampton prob. S. H.
3. Lot² b -d 16 Je 1706 m. Phoebe Mills Oct. 20, 1675
4. Hester² b -d
5. Miriam² b-d m. Enoch Fithian
6. Pricilla² b - d
7. Aaron² b. 1665 - d. 1755 m. Sarah, removed to Elizabethtown.
8. Mordecai² b - d 1716 m. Hannah
9. Daniel² b - d 1729
10. Matthias b 1674 d 1745
11. Lois² b - d

Married 3 D, 1663 Mary (Pierson)

children

m. in Lynn, prob. daughter of J. of Lynn.

Will proved D. 1684.

1643 O. 13 lot granted him in Southampton.

Daniel Burnet²

b - d

(T¹ - M)

Elizabethtown.

m. Abigail d 26 May 1698.

children.

1. Daniel³ b -- d

2. Ichabod³ b 1681 d 13 July, 1774 m. Hannah
M 2 Elizabeth

Ichabod Burnet³, M.D.
 b. 1684, Southampton, L. I.
 d. 13 July, 1774 Elizabethtown, N. J.
 (Daniel²; Thomas¹)

m Hannah

Children:

1. William⁴ b. 3 D. 1730 - d. 7 O. 1791
 m. Mary Camp
 m. 2nd Gertrude Gouverneur Rutgers.
2. Ichabod⁴ b. 1732 d. 12 Nov. 1756 S.P. M.D.

Came to Elizabethtown, educated in Edinburg, Scotland, lived awhile at Lyons Farm and returned to Elizabethtown, man of decided force of character and took popular side in political controversies of period.

William Burnet⁴
 b. 2 D. 1730 Lyons Farms, N. J.
 d. 7 O. 1791 Newark, N. J.
 (Ichabod³, Dan², T¹ M)
 Married 23 Jan. 1754 Mary Camp.

Children:

1. William⁵ b. 24 N. 1754 d. Dec. 25, 1799 m. Joanna Alling
2. Ichabod⁵ b. d.
3. Nathaniel⁵ b. d.
4. John⁵ b. d.
5. Hannah⁵ b. 24 May 1761 d. 6 April 1832 m. Ab. Kinney
6. Sarah⁵ b. d.
7. Mary⁵ b. d.
8. James⁵ b. d.
9. Elizabeth⁵ b. d.
10. Jacob⁵ b. 22 Feb. 1770 d. m. Rebecca Wallace 1 Jan. 1800
11. George Whitfield⁵ b. d.

Married 1783 Gertrude (Gouverneur) Rutgers (Nicholas)

12. Isaac Gouverneur b. 17 J. 1784 d. m. Kitty Winn Gordon
13. Staats Morris b. d.
14. David Gouverneur b. 4 April 1788 d. 1870

William Burnet graduated from the College of New Jersey, studied medicine in New York City, located in Newark, prominent citizen till death, one of the foremost New Jersey patriots; chairman of Essex County Committee of Safety; active in raising troops and dispatching

them to field.

1776-1786 presiding Judge of Essex Co. Courts.

1780 delegate to Continental Congress.

Leader in establishing Military Hospital at Newark; appointed Surgeon General by Congress.

A founder of New Jersey Medical Society, of which he was afterwards president.

Member of Society of Cincinnati.

Thomas Burnet (Died 1684)

Came from Lynn Massachusetts to Southampton L.I. in 1643.

Married 1st Mary - Married 2nd Mary Pierson, Dec. 3, 1663.

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| John (Died 1684 | Aaron | Lot (D. June 16, 1702) | Joel |
| | Born 1655 | Married Phoebe Mills | Died |
| | Died 1755 | October 20, 1675 | S.P. |

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|-----------------------|----------------------|-------------------|
| Dan | Mordecai | Matthias |
| Married Abigail | Was at Elizabethtown | Born 1674 |
| at Elizabethtown N.J. | about 1700 | Died Dec. 4, 1765 |
| about 1700 | | |

Miriam
Married Enoch Fithian
of East Hampton.

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Dan Burnet
and
Abigail

Ichabod Burnet
B. 1684 D. July 13, 1774
Married
Hannah
Born 1702 D. 1758

Dan

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Ichabod and
Hannah Burnet

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| William Burnet | Ichabod, Jr. |
| 1730 - 1791 | 1732-1756 |
| Married first | Unmarried. |
| Mary Camp (-1781) | |
| Married second | |
| Mrs. Gertrude Vancortland in 1782 | |

Children of Dr. William Burnet and Mary Camp:

William (1754-1799), Married Joanna Alling.
 Ichabod (1756-1783), S.P.
 Nathaniel, Died age 11.
 John (1759-1811), Married Abigail Wheeler.
 Hannah (1761-1852), Married Capt. Abraham Kinney.
 Elizabeth (1763-1811), Married Daniel Thew.
 Sarah, Died young.
 Mary, Died age 19.
 James, Died an infant.
 Jacob (1770-1853), Married Rebecca Wallace.

Children of Dr. William Burnet and Mrs. Gertrude Van Cortland,
His second wife:

Isaac Gouverneur (1784-1856), Married Kitty Winn Gordon.
 Staats Morris (1786-1806)
~~Staats Morris~~ (1788-1870), Married Hannah Este (1800-1858)
 David Gouverneur

Children of Jacob Burnet (1770-1853) and Rebecca Wallace:

Mary Ann (1802-1834), Married Vashel Worthington.
 George Whitfield (1804-1859), S.P.
 William (1806-1892).
 Robert Wallace (1808-1894), Married Margaret Grosbeck.
 Elizabeth (1817-1839), Married William S. Grosbeck.
 Caroline Thew (1820-1856), Married Nathaniel C. McLean.
 Harriet, Died young. (Twin of Caroline Thew.)

BURNET FAMILY
(Of South Carolina)

The family of Burnet of Leys, Aberdeen, originally of Saxon descent and flourished in the north of Scotland. The present representative is Sir Burnet Bart (Burkes Peerage).

Dr. Gilbert Burnet, Bishop of Salisbury, the celebrated historian of his own times, was nephew of first Bart Leys. Robert, his father, was younger brother of a family distinguished for its antiquity as well as interest in the shire of Aberdeen, was bred to the civil law and studied several years in France. He married Rachel Johnston a sister of Sir Archibald Johnston Lord Morristown who was head of the Presbyterians during the Civil War. He left five children, William, Gov. of N.Y.; Gilbert; Mary; Elizabeth, and Thomas.

(Taken from the Life of Bishop Burnet)

In 1753, Dr. Andrew Burnet went to Carolina from Aberdeen, Scotland. Sir Alexander Burnet was then the head of the family and presented "his brother Alexander to Bishop Burnet's first (couldn't make this part out),... which is 100 Scots yearly for other four years at Devurity." This brother entered the church and preached at Aberdeen. Their brother Charles was officer in the army and George engaged in trade and mercantile life. Francis Burnet, an uncle, was regent in the Marshall College. Another, Andrew Burnet, practiced medicine at Aberdeen.

Andrew Burnet, who came to Carolina in 1752, married Sabina Baxter, daughter of Rev. John Baxter and his wife Elizabeth. Mr. Baxter preached his trial sermon in 1733 and was alive in 1780. He preached at Charleston, James Island, Williamsburg, and etc. His son, John Robert Baxter, a gallant Col. of Dragons, was killed near Charleston.

Dr. Andrew Burnet was very successful in the practice of medicine. He died November 15, 1764 and left three children:

Sarah, who married Johnah Hay

Andrew, who married Elizabeth Washington deSaussure

Elizabeth, who married Thomas Bull.

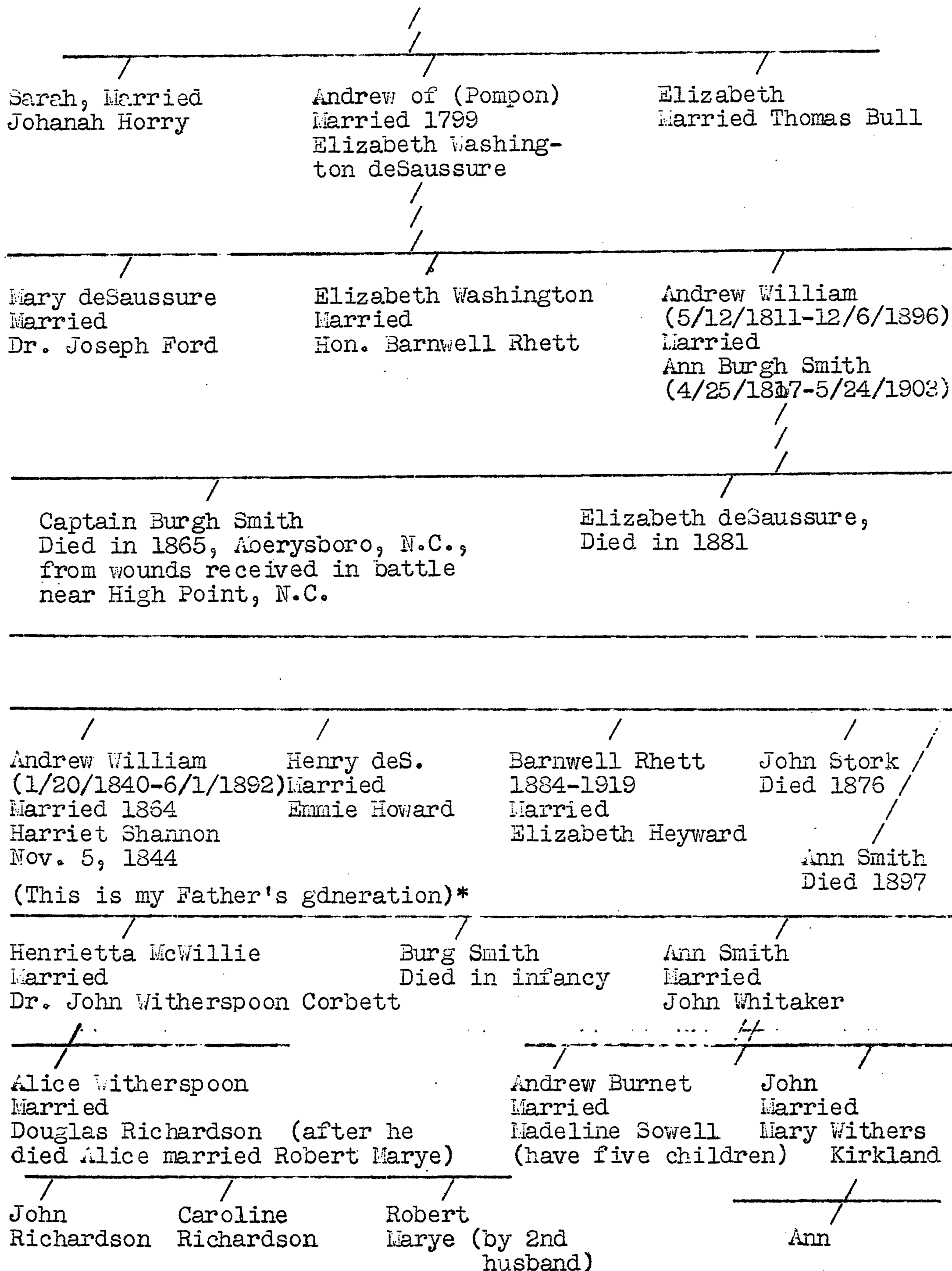
Daniel deSaussure, father of Elizabeth Washington deSaussure, is buried in the Unitarian Church Yard. In early days that church was Presbyterian, but clergymen arrived preaching Unitarian doctrines and caused a split in congregation and the Presbyterians left. Daniel left Green Meadow Plantation (4,500 acres), a fine dwelling, large well-built out buildings and all other necessary fixtures. (150 slaves, and no debt.)

Andrew William Burnet (June 12, 1811-December 6, 1896) was the first to have William in his name, which was given him by his mother for her brother Chancellor William deSaussure. When he was three years of age his ***** father died and at nine he was sent by his mother to her brother Chancellor deSaussure, then residing in Columbia, South Carolina, to attend school. He went to South Carolina College (Now the University of South Carolina), registering from Colleton County, South Carolina and graduating in 1830. Later he went to Yale for a course of Law. He was a delegate to the South Carolina Legislature before the Civil War, and a signer of secession.

(This is copied from a copy of the record owned by Dr. Barnwell Rhett of Charleston, South Carolina.)

BURNET

Dr. Andrew Burnet came to America, 1752, from Scotland and married Sabina Baxter in 1758.



Edward Rutledge, William
died in infancy.
First victim of
yellow fever.
Charleston, 1854

Edward Rutledge,
died in young
boyhood.

Mary Rutledge
Born 1857
Died 1935

Mattie
died in
infancy

William Shannon *
Married
Caroline Whitaker

Andrew William
Married
Caroline Trenholm
(No children)

Harriet
Shannon
Married
Caleb Clarke
Whitaker

Andrew
William

Carolyn Whitaker
Married
William Godfrey
Jeffords, Nov.
25, 1933

Mary
Rutledge

Caleb Clark
Married
Mary Coogan

Dr. Andrew
Burnet
Married
Alice Irving Ball
(Divorced)

Harriet
Burnet
Married

Elizabeth
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Clark III

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