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"He only deserves to be remembered by posterity who treasures up and preserves the history of his ancestors."—Edmund Burke.

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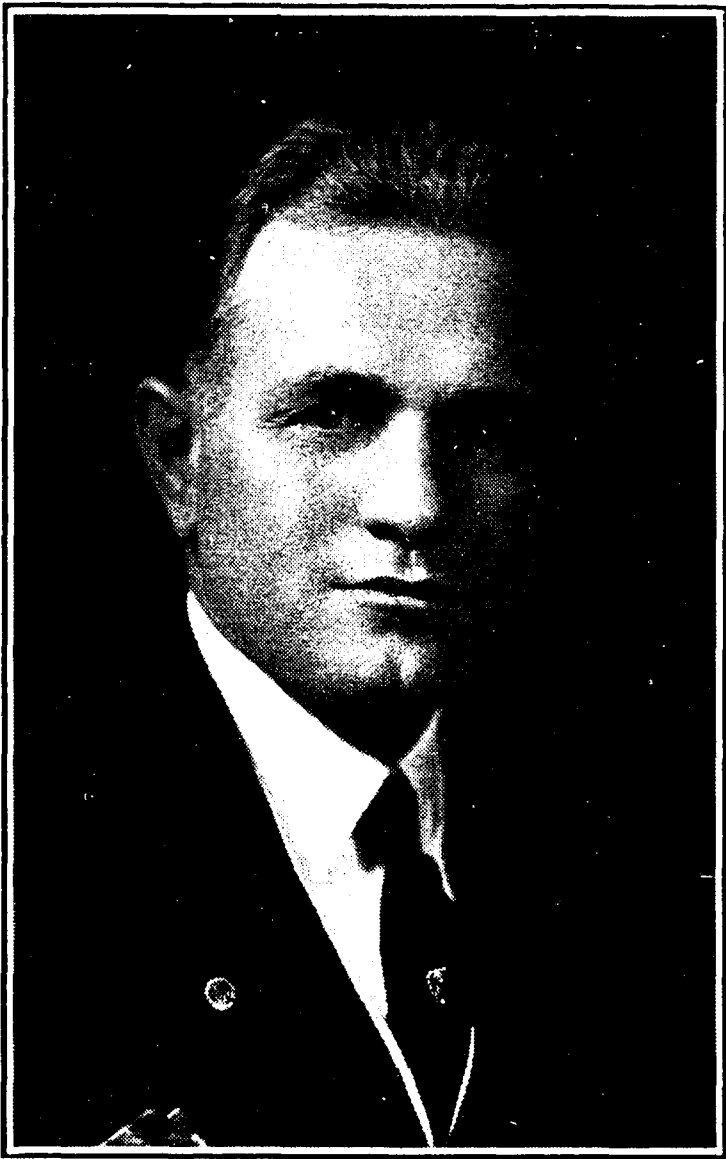
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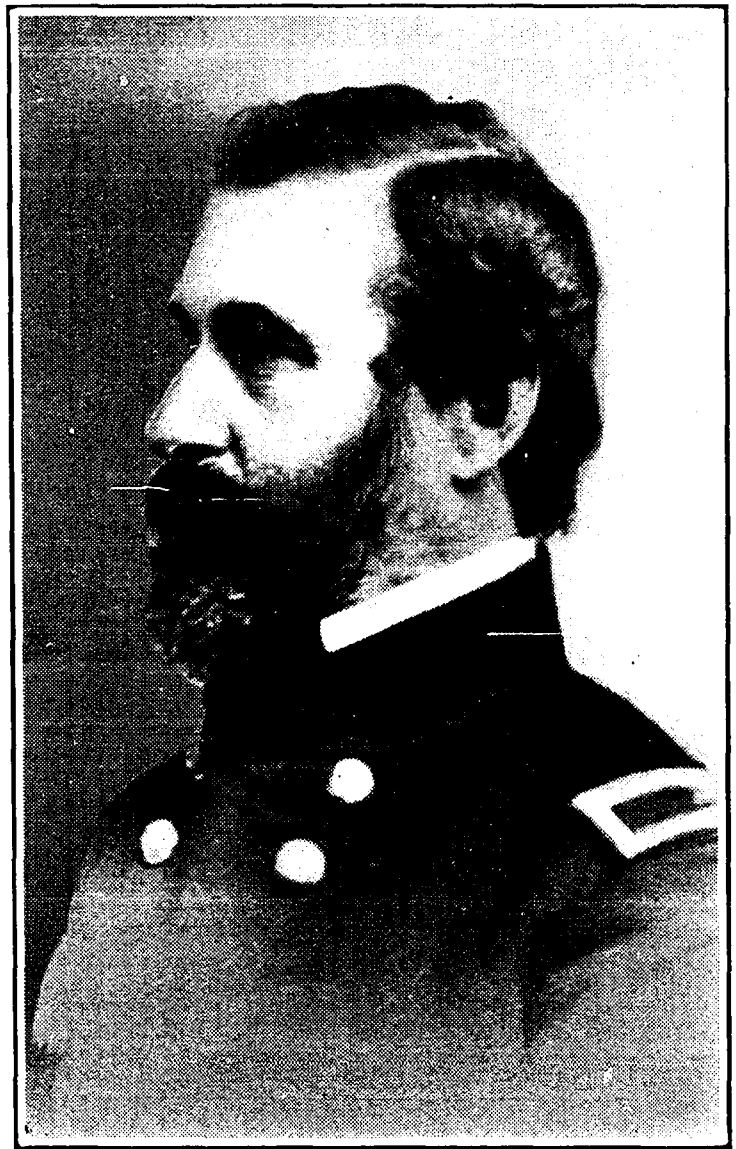
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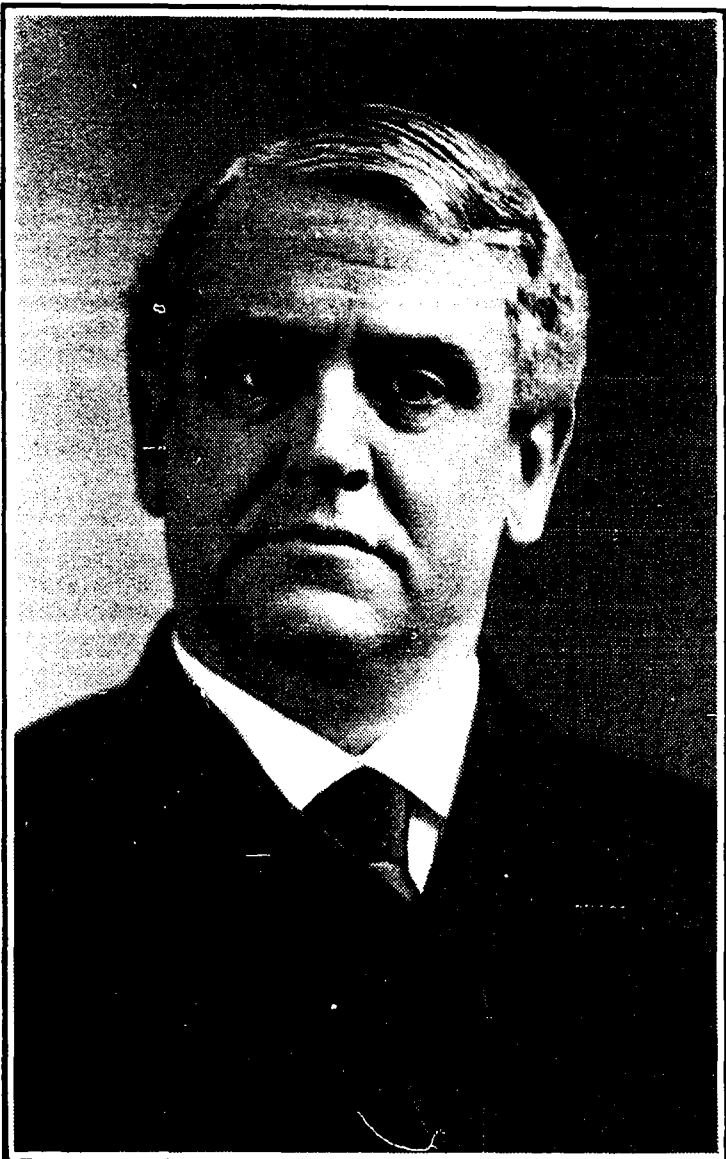
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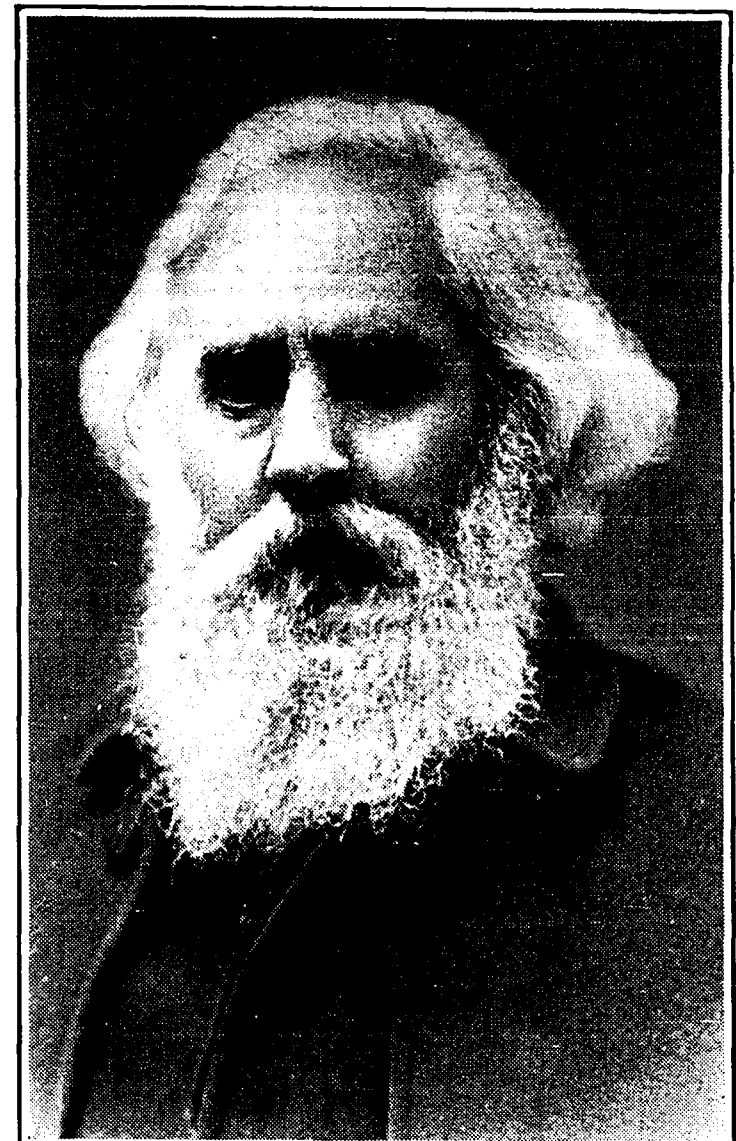
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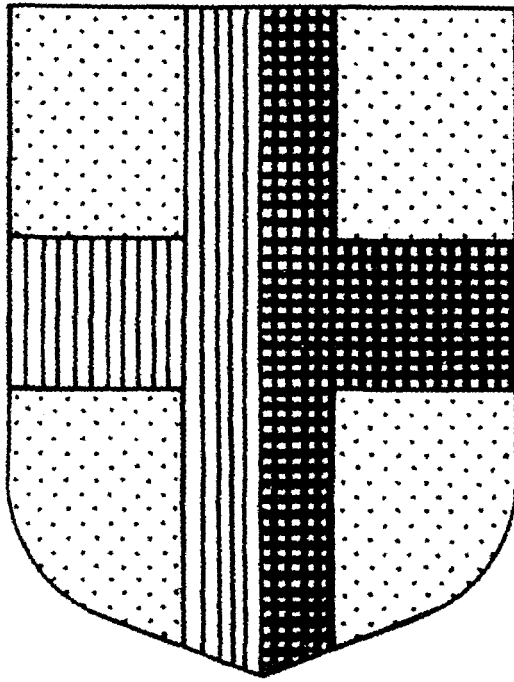
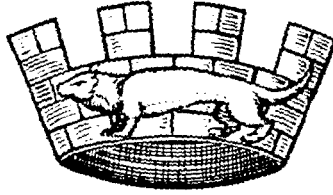
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Brooks

BATTLE HYMN OF BROOKS

(Tune: "Battle Hymn of the Republic")

There's something strong and mighty in a good old family name;
The name of Brooks shines very high upon the scroll of fame;
For nearly all the Tribe of Brooks pursue a lofty aim.
The clan goes marching on!

Chorus: Glory to our grand old family,
Virile, worthy, brave and loyal!
"Ut Am-nis vi-ta la-bi-tur!"
The clan goes marching on!

William, Henry, Thomas, James were fathers of our clan;
Posterity of David and Nathaniel never ran;
Samuel Brooks was virile, Maurice was a sturdy man.
The clan goes marching on!

David was a hero and of Washington a friend;
Phillips was a wise man whom the world could comprehend;
William fought and gave his life, his country to defend.
The clan goes marching on!

The Clan of Brooks is mighty with two hundred thousand strong;
In seventy-six, five hundred kinsmen fought to right a wrong;
Twenty towns now bear our name. Sure, let us sing that song—
The clan goes marching on!

When danger threatened country or a battle to be won,
Or righteous causes need defenders or work to be done,
Brave sons of Brooks were there, and never did a kinsman run.
The clan goes marching on!

The sons of Brooks have courage any task or foe to face;
Our daughters all are lovely with their beauty, charm and grace:
The leaven of our family is a blessing to the race.
The clan goes marching on!

In England, Wales and Scotland, and the Emerald Isle as well;
In U. S. A. and Canada, in city, plain and dell;
Where English tongue is spoken—that is where our kinsmen dwell.
The clan goes marching on!

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(A) INTRODUCTION



THE Brooks Family is among the forty-nine "best families" selected by the American Historical-Genealogical Society for whom the Society has published family histories during the past few years.

The Brooks Family has been prominent in the British Empire and in the United States, its members having played important roles in war and in peace. Family pride is a commendable trait and should be cultivated. All Brooks have just cause to be proud of their family history and traditions.

In references No. 3, No. 10 and No. 14 we find the following regarding the origin and meaning of the name Brooks:

The surname, Brooks, originally referred to one who lived by the brook-side. In the very far-way days there were a variety of prefixes employed with it, such as de la Broke, ate Broke, ad le Broke, apud Broke, etc. The "s" is a customary addition to short spot-names, such as this one.

The name is common to all parts of England, and is especially one of the great surnames of Yorkshire. In the Hundred Tolls the word Broke is quite extensively used in the description of names, as Henry le Brok, Laurence del Brock, etc. The Anglo-Saxon form is Bruc or Bruckyse; the Flemish, Broeckx; the German, Brucks; the Dutch, Broeke.

Among ancient records, there are mentioned Richard atte-Brook, vicar of Horseford, 1419, and Martha Brookes, to whom a marriage license was issued in 1616. The Brookes of County Suffolk, England, were descended from William de la Brooke, owner of the Manor of Brooke in Somerset County, who died in 1231.

The data in this volume is gathered from reliable sources. We have selected what we consider the most important material. Many of the daughters, and sons for whom no issue was shown, have been omitted from the pedigrees. A missing symbol indicates that a name has been omitted. Those desiring further information are advised to consult the volumes mentioned in the list of References.

The compiler hopes that, in producing this volume, he is bringing to the Brooks Family information which will be of interest and value to them, and that he is rendering an important service to the public. He and his associates will be glad to give their co-operation to members of the family who are interested in having a complete genealogy of the family published.

Unless otherwise plainly shown, the persons in this volume whose names are accompanied by three figures are children of the immediately preceding persons bearing immediately preceding numbers. All persons in each group bearing the same letter as a part of their numbers are directly related. The generations of the descendants of those bearing numbers of three figures are

represented as follows. However, some of our material is published as copied from various records without rearrangement according to this system.

Generations	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
Symbols	(1), etc.	(A), etc.	(a), etc.	1, etc.	A, etc.
Generations	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th
Symbols	a, etc.	(I), etc.	(i), etc.	I, etc.	i, etc.

Abbreviations: add., address; b., born; ch., children; coll., college; d., died; d. y., died young; d. w. i., died without issue; dau., daughter; grad., graduated; l., lives, lived; m., married, moved; s., son, succeeded; d. s. p., died without issue; d. v. p., died before father; univ., university.


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(B) THE BROOKS COAT OF ARMS



COAT of Arms is an emblem or a device which is displayed by titled persons, persons of royal blood, and their descendants. Coats of Arms were originally used for purposes of identification and recognition on the field of battle as well as in civil life.

It is claimed by some writers that Coats of Arms, in a crude form, were used by Noah's sons after the flood. There are records of other Coats of Arms, in one crude form or another, at different periods of ancient history. Heraldry, however, as we know it today, did not become of much importance until soon after the invasion of England by William the Conqueror, A. D. 1066. Heraldry became of general interest at about the time of the Crusades.

The Brooks Coat of Arms shown in the front of this volume is the Arms of the Brooks of Flitwick Manor, co. Bedford, whose pedigree is contained in this book. Coats of Arms very similar to it are used by several other Brooks families. Numerous branches of the family have Coats of Arms resembling it.

This is the most widely used of all Brooks Coats of Arms and has been in existence for many centuries. It is described in BURKE'S GENERAL ARMORY, BURKE'S LANDED GENTRY, BURKE'S PEERAGE AND BARONETAGE and other reliable works on heraldry, in some cases accompanied by illustrations and pedigrees. It has been used for generations by many American branches of the Brooks family.

	HERALDIC LANGUAGE	ENGLISH DESCRIPTION
<i>Arms</i>	Or, a cross per pale gules and sable.	A golden shield bearing a cross, half red and half black.
<i>Crest</i>	On a mural crown an otter proper.	A mural crown (wall-like) on which is an otter, in natural colors.
<i>Motto</i>	Ut amnis vita labitur (Latin).	Life glides away like a river.

Sir Bernard Burke, of Heralds College, London, said: "Heraldry is prized by all who can show honorable ancestry or wish to found honorable families."

Besides its family significance this Coat of Arms makes an excellent mural decoration and inspires the admiration and comment of all who see it.

It is quite appropriate that members of the Brooks family who have a pride in their ancestry should display the family Coat of Arms, in proper colors.

(C) ANCIENT BROOKS FAMILIES



THE following titled Brooks families are listed in "BURKE'S GENERAL ARMORY": Maurice Brooks, Esq., Lord Mayor of the city of Dublin, 1874; Whalley House, co. Lancaster; Flitwick Manor, co. Bedford; Forest of Glen-Tanar, co. Aberdeen, and Barlow Hall, co. Lancaster, Scotland.

Brooks (Baron Crawshaw)

- A101 THOMAS BROOKS: of Langho, co. Lancaster; living 1610.
(1) Samuel: his heir—A102.
(2) Thomas: b. 1646.
- A102 SAMUEL BROOKS: of Billington, co. Lancaster; b. 1646.
(1) Edmund: b. 1693.
(2) Thomas: of whom presently—A103.
- A103 THOMAS BROOKS: of Billington; b. 1696.
(1) John: his heir—A104.
(2) Elizabeth: b. 1730.
- A104 JOHN BROOKS: of Waddington, co. Lancaster; b. 1727; father of
- A105 WILLIAM BROOKS: of Whalley, co. Lancaster; Banker; b. 1763; m., 1785, Sarah (dau. Richard Greenall, of Langho); d. 1846.
(1) John: of whom presently—A106.
(2) Samuel: of Whalley, Lancashire; b. 1793; m., 1818, Margaret (dau. Thos. Hall, of Blackburn, Lancashire); d. 1864.
(A) William Cunliffe (Sir): created a baronet 1886; M. P. for E. Cheshire, 1869-85, for Attrincham division, 1886-92; D. L., cos. Lancaster and Aberdeen; b. 1819; m. (1), 1842, Jane Eliz. (dau. Ralph Orrell, of Stockport); m. (2) 1897, Jane (dau. Col. Sir David Davidson, K. C. B.); had, with other issue, by first wife:
(a) Amy: m., 1869, 11th Marquess of Huntley; d. 1920.
(b) Edith: m. (1), 1874, Lord Francis Horace Pierpont Cecil; m. (2) Adm. Philip Francis Tiller, R. N.; issue.
- (3) Richard: of Blackburn, Lancashire; surgeon; bapt. 1796; d. unm., 1822.
- (4) William: of Wigan, Lancashire; bapt. 1798; d. unm., 1821.
- (5) Thomas: of Manchester: bapt. 1799; d. unm., 1831.
- (6) Elizabeth: bapt. 1787; d. unm., 1807.
- (7) Nancy: bapt. 1796; m., 1829, Rev. Sandford.
- (8) John Cyril Adamson, of Padiham, Lancashire.
- A106 JOHN BROOKS (A105-(1)): of Crawshaw Hall, co. Lancashire; b. 1788; m., 1814, Alice (dau. James Marshall); d. 1849.
(1) William: b. 1815; d. unm., 1852.
(2) John: of Crawshaw Hall; b. 1819; m., 1844, Mary (dau. Ralph Arrell); d. 1864.
(A) John: of Portal, co. Chester; b. 1850; m., 1874, Louisa An-neth Edla (dau. Rt. Hon. Sir John Drummond Hay).
(B) Alice: b. 1845; m., 1868, James Tertius Dugdale; issue.
(C) Mary: b. 1847; m., 1870, Samuel Taylor Mendel; d. 1881; issue.

- (3) James Marshall: b. 1821; d. unm., 1905.
 - (4) Thomas: created Baron Crawshaw—A107.
 - (5) Alice: b. 1827; d. unm., 1844.
- A107 THOMAS 1ST BARON CRAWSHAW: J. P. for Leicestershire; J. P. and D. L., co. Lancaster; High Sheriff, 1884; created a baronet, 1891; raised to the peerage, 1892; b. 1825; m., 1851, Catherine (dau. late John Jones, of Kilsall Hall, co. Salop); d. 1908; had, with other issue:
- (1) William: 2nd and present baron—A108.
 - (2) Marshall Jones: M. A., Brasenose Coll., Oxford; J. P., Lancashire and Cheshire; b. 1855; m., 1899, Florence (dau. late Fredk. Freeman Thomas, of Ratton, co. Sussex).
 - (A) Thomas Marshall: M. C.; maj. Cheshire Yeo.; m., 1920, Evelyn Sylvia (dau. Rev. and Hon. Archibald Parker).
 - (a) Iris Dorothy: b. 1921.
 - (B) Noel Brand: M. C.; lieut. Cheshire Yeo.; b. 1896; m., 1921, Joan Margaret (dau. Brig.-Gen. Sir Ed. Thos. La Marchant). Ch.: Anne.
 - (C) Dorothy: b. 1890; m., 1911, Capt. Charles Hugh Hood; issue.
 - (3) Alice Catherine: b. 1852; m., 1875, Robert Millington Knowles, of Colston Bassett Hall, co. Notts; d. 1892; issue.
- A108 THE BARON CRAWSHAW (SIR WILLIAM BROOKS (A107-(1))): of Crawshaw Hall, co. Lancaster, and Whatton, co. Leicester, and a Baronet; M. A., Ch. Ch., Oxford; J. P. and D. L., Lancashire; Hon. Col. 5th batt. Leicester Regt. (T. F.); b. 1853; s. his father, 1908; m., 1882, Mary Ethel (dau. Sir Michael Hicksbeach, 8th Bart.).
- (1) Gerald Beach: M. A., Ch. Ch., Oxford; b. 1884.
 - (2) Herbert William: 1st Sec. Diplomatic Service; b. 1890; m., 1922, Hilda Muriel (dau. late A. G. Steel, K. C.).
 - (A) Allan Ivo William: b. 1923.
 - (3) Ethel Laura: m., 1912, Capt. Lawrence Peel, Yorkshire (killed in action, 1914).
 - (4) Cicely Kate.

Brooks of Flitwick

- B109 GEORGE BROOKS: of Flitwick Manor House; b. 1741; J. P.; High Sheriff, 1796; had, by 1st wife:
- (1) John: m.; left four sons and daughter.
 - (2) Sophia.
- m. (2); acquired Flitwick property through 2nd wife; issue:
- (3) Francis: b. 1790; d. y.
 - (4) George: b. 1792; d. y.
 - (5) John Thomas: his heir—B110.
- B110 JOHN THOMAS BROOKS: b. 1794; m., 1816, eldest dau. of Alexander Hatfield, of Twickenham (claiming descent from Adam de Hatfield, of Hatfield, and of Glossdale, co. Derby, 1327); J. P. and D. L., co. Bedford; High Sheriff, 1821.
- (1) John Hatfield: late representative—B111.
 - (2) George Henry: b. 1825; of Doctors Common; m. (1) 1853; m. (2), issue, three sons and a dau. Issue by first wife:
 - (A) Henry: b. 1861.

- (B) Marianne Louisa: d. unm., 1885.
- (C) Fanny Caroline: m.; issue.
- (D) Georgina Pepys: m.
- (3) Thomas William Dell (Rev.): b. 1828; Rector of Great Hampden, co. Buckingham; m., 1857, eldest dau. of Rev. G. W. Brooks.
 - (A) John William: b. 1859.
 - (B) Mary Egerton: m. 1897; issue: two sons and a dau.
 - (C) Alice Jane: m. and had a dau.
- (4) Mary Ann: d. unm., 1848.
- B111 MAJOR JOHN HATFIELD BROOKS (B110-(1)): of Flitwick Manor; b. 1824; J. P. and D. L.; High Sheriff, 1880; m. 1850; d. 1907.
 - (1) Catherine Mary Frances: now of Flitwick—B112.
 - (2) Marianne Sophie Eugenie: m. 1884; d. s. p., 1885.
- B112 CATHERINE MARY FRANCES BROOKS: s. her father, 1907; of Flitwick Manor, Bedfordshire.

(D) PROMINENT BRITISH BROOKS, PAST GENERATIONS

SIR BASIL BROOKS: (1576-1646 (?)) ; royalist; knighted, 1604; committed to Tower of House of Commons, 1644.

BENJAMIN: (1776-1848); nonconformist divine; studied at Rotherham Coll.; Congregationalist minister at Tutbury, Staffordshire, 1801-03; wrote on history of religious liberty.

CHARLES: (1814-1872); philanthropist; partner in banking and cotton-spinning firm of Jonas Brook Brothers, at Milton; spent large sums of money in promoting welfare of his employees.

DAVID: (d. 1558); judge; reader at Innerc Temple, 1534 and 1540; treasurer, 1540; sergeant-at-law, 1547; lord chief baron of exchequer, 1553.

SIR ARTHUR: (1772-1843); lieutenant-general; ensign, 44th regiment, 1792; in West Indies, 1795-98; in Egypt, 1801; served in United States; governor of Yarmouth; colonel of 86th regiment and K.C.B., 1833.

SIR ARTHUR DE CAPELL: (1791-1858); baronet; M.A., Magdalen Coll., Oxford, 1816; originated and was president of Raleigh Club, which became merged in Royal Geographical Society.

CHARLES: (1777-1852); Jesuit; superior of Stonyhurst Coll.; collected material for history of English province.

CHARLES: (1804-1879); surgeon and inventor; M.C.S., 1834; T.C.S., 1844; invented self-recording meteorological instruments.

CHARLOTTE: (d. 1793); authoress; daughter of Henry Brooke (1703-1783); published "Reliquies of Irish Poetry."

CHRISTOPHER: (d. 1628); poet; bencher and summer reader, 1614. His works include "The Ghost of Richard the Third," 1614.

MRS. FRANCES: (1724-1789); authoress; published "Virginia," a tragedy, 1756; musical entertainment, "Rosina," 1783.

GUSTAVUS VAUGHAN: (1818-1866); actor; first appeared at Dublin, 1833

played "Othello" with success at Olympic; appeared as "Richard III," "Shylock," "Hamlet" and "Brutus" in United States.

HENRY: (1694-1757); divine; M.A., Oriel Coll.; D.C.L., 1727; headmaster of Manchester grammar school; published "Essay Concerning Christian Peacableness" (1741) and other writings.

HENRY: (1703 (?) -1783); author; barrack master at Dublin, 1745; employed by Irish Roman Catholics to advocate publicly their claims for relaxation of penal laws. An edition of his works was issued by his daughter, Charlotte, 1792.

HENRY JAMES: (1771-1857); crystallographer; studied for bar; collected minerals; A.G.S., 1815; T.L.S., 1818; T.R.S., 1819.

HUMPHREY: (1617-1693); physician, M.D., St. John's Coll., Oxford, 1659; T.C.O., 1674; censor; published medical writings.

SIR JAMES: (1803-1808); ra'ja' of Saraivak; substituted simple scheme taxation for unpopular system of forced trade; put down piracy among Malays, Daya'kas and other tribes in Bornean seas; British commissioner and consul-general of Borneo; governor of Lubuan.

JOHN: (d. 1582); translator; B.A., Trinity Coll., Cambridge, 1554; translated religious works from French.

JOHN CHARLES: (1748-1794); Somerset herald; Rouge Croix pursuionat, 1773; F.S.O., 1775.

RALPH: (1553-1625); herald; educated at Merchant Taylors' School; published "Catalogue of English Kings, Princes and Peers," 1619.

RICHARD: (1791-1861); antiquary; solicitor at Liverpool; published antiquarian writings chiefly relating to English battlefields of the fifteenth century.

ROBERT: (d. 1802 (?)); governor of St. Helena; ensign on Bengal establishment of East India Co., served in Rohilla war; erected industrial village of Prosperous Co. Kildare.

SAMUEL: (d. 1632); master of Trinity Coll.; brother of Christopher; chaplain to Henry, Prince of Wales; wrote Latin plays and religious treatises.

WILLIAM HENRY: (d. 1860); satirical draughtsman; portrait painter in London; exhibited at Royal Academy, 1810-26.

ZACHARY: (1716-1788); divine; M.A., 1741; D.D., 1753; chaplain to the king; published controversial writings.

(E) PROMINENT BRITISH BROOKS OF TODAY

SIR (ARTHUR) DAVID BROOKS: G.B.E., cr. 1918; Lord Mayor of Birmingham, 1917-18-19; e. s. of late Arthur; b. 1864; educ., King Edward's School; mem. of var. organs., includ. President of Midland Conservative Club. Add.: Birmingham.

FRANCIS: M.A.; Emeritus Prof. of Classics in the Univ. of Bristol; b. 1861; e. s. of late John; educ., King Edward VI's School, Oxford, etc. Publications: Cicero De Natura Deorum, 1896. Clubs: Univ. and Literary, Bristol.

HON. GERALD BEACH: e. s. of 2nd Baron Crawshaw; b. 1884; educ., Eton. Add.: Rawtenstall.

SIR JAMES HENRY: K.C.B., cr. 1920; C.B., 1909; J.P.; b. 1863; s. of late Dr. J. H. Brooks, Henely Villa; educ., Charterhouse; joined Admiralty, 1883. Add.: Crossways, Dorset. Clubs: Conservative, M. C. C.

HON. MARSHALL (JONES): J.P., Lancashire and Cheshire; 2nd s. of 1st Baron Crawshaw; b. 1855; educ., Brasenose Coll., Oxford. Add.: Cheshire.

MAJOR REGINALD ALEXANDER DALLAS: D.S.O., 1918; Royal Marines; o. s. of Rev. Dallas. Add.: R. M. Depot, Deal.

SYDNEY: Journalist; editor of the Saturday Review, 1921; b. 1872; s. of late John; educ., King Edward's School, Birmingham; contri. to the leading British and Amer. Reviews and daily and weekly journals. Publication: The New Ireland, 1906. Add.: London.

EDWARD ROWLANDSON: consultant in railway matters; b. 1868; s. of Edward; educ., Aldenham School; General Manager, Natal Government Railways, 1906-10; Fellow Royal Colonial Institute. Add.: London.

ERNEST ATHOLE: M.D., Cantab.; M.R.C.P., London; Bacteriologist to and on Staff of the Royal Hants County Hospital, Winchester; b. 1875; s. of late Capt. G. E. A.; educ., St. Paul's School. Publication: Results of Vaccine Therapy in Acute and Chronic Infective Disease, Practitioner. Add.: London.

RT. REV. MONSIGNOR CANON FRANCIS: Director of the English Branch of the Assn. for the Propagation of the Faith; b. 1873; s. of Paul; Professor of Church History at Oscott College, 1904-10. Add.: London.

REV. GEORGE ALEXANDER JOHNSTON: M.A., Edinburgh; D.D. Harvard and Knox Coll., Toronto; b. Inverness, 1865; s. of Rev. Donald; educ., Royal Academy, Inverness; mem. of the Board of Preachers to Harvard Univ. Publication: The God We Trust. Add.: New Rochelle, New York.

GEORGE EDWARD AUBERT: K.C., 1912; Barrister; b. 1847; s. of late Alexander; educ., Preparatory School, Edinburgh; has written for the Press in India and London on music, the drama and games. Add.: London.

REAR-ADM. GEORGE PARISH: C.B., 1916; R. N., retired; b. 1875; s. of late Horatio Senftenberg John; served Gambia Expedition, 1894.

COLONEL GEORGE WHITEHILL: D.S.O., 1916; Indian Army, Military Accounts Dept.; b. 1878; educ., Clifton Coll.; Adviser Army Headquarters, India, 1920-23; now serving in India. Add.: Bombay.

COLONEL HARRY: C.B., 1923; C.I.E., 1921; D.S.O., 1920; Indian Army, retired; b. 1869; s. of late Colonel W. H.; educ., Beaumont Coll.; appointed to Somersetshire Light Infantry, 1890. Add.: Dorset.

HOWARD SALTER: K.C.; Barrister and Solicitor; b. 1872; s. of Alexander Charles; educ., Cornell Law School; for some years was member of the Senate of Acadia Univ. Add.: Montreal.

MAJOR HUGH CAIRNS EDWARD: D.S.O., 1916; Scots Guards; b. 1884; served European War, 1914-18 (wounded thrice, dispatches, D.S.O., Croix de Guerre, Croce di Guerra).

MAJOR JAMES: D.S.O., 1917; chartered accountant; late Canadian Infantry; served South African War, 1900-02. Add.: London.

JAMES STIRLING: C.B., 1928; C.B.E., 1919; M.A.; Director of Accounts, Air Ministry, since 1921; b. 1877; s. of late John; Deputy to Assistant Financial Secretary, Air Ministry, 1918. Add.: London.

RIGHT HON. SIR JOHN: (P.C. Ireland), 1st Bt., cr. 1919; Lord Chan-

cellor, Ireland, 1921-22; b., Londonderry, 1854; e. s. of late Rev. Robert; educ., Trin. Coll., Dublin; Judge of the High Court of Justice in Ireland. Publication: *The Years of My Pilgrimage*. Add.: Tyrone.

SIR JOHN: Kt., cr. 1921; LL.D., Univ. of St. Andrew's, 1902; b. 1838; educ., sundry elementary schools; began as messenger boy; agent in Dunfermline for upwards of 40 years. Add.: Dunfermline.

JOHN KENNETH LEVESON: Commander R.N.C.V.R.; O.B.E.; b., Lindsay, Ont., 1876; s. of James; educ., McGill Univ., Montreal; began work in the car shops of the Montreal Street Railway; when war broke out was an Officer in the 5th Royal Highlanders of Canada, but was transferred to the Naval Service. Add.: Montreal.

JOHN KENNETH MURRAY: I.S.O., 1910; Barrister, Inner Temple, 1900; b. 1856; s. of late Major J. Add.: London.

BRIG.-GENERAL JOHN MUNRO: C.M.G., 1919; D.S.O., 1917; V.C.; Canadian Infantry; b. 1878; served South African War, 1899-1900. Add.: Canada.

LIEUT.-COLONEL LORNE: D.S.O., 1917; b., Montreal, 1878; educ., Montreal High School; served European War, 1914-17; raised and commanded 67th Canadian Batt., Western Scots, 1916-17.

PHILIP DANSKEN: President and Editor of the Ottawa Journal; b. 1858; educ., McGill Univ.; President, Canadian Daily Newspapers Assn., 1920-21. Add.: Ottawa.

BRIG.-GEN. ROBERT JAMES: C.B., 1919, C.M.G., 1917; b. 1865; s. of late Lt.-Col. R. H.; educ., R. M. C., Sandhurst; European War, 1914-18. Add.: Newcastle, Co. Down.

CAPTAIN ROBERT KNOX: D.S.O., 1918; M.C.; The Queen's Royal Regt.; b. 1893; s. of Brig.-Gen. R. J.; educ., Cheltenham Coll.; served European War, 1914-18.

ROBERT LINDSAY: Puisne Judge, High Court, Patna; b. 1874; educ., Edinburgh and Oxford Univs. Clubs: East India, Calcutta, etc.

GROUP-CAPTAIN ROBERT PEEL: D.S.O., 1917; A.F.C.; R.A.F.; Deputy Director of Manning, Air Ministry, since 1928; served European War, 1914-17. Add.: Inverness.

RODERICK: C.B.E., 1920; M.V.O., 1905; Chief Constable of Edinburgh since 1899; b. 1863; educ., Helmsdale. Add.: Edinburgh.

COLONEL SIR RONALD: K.C.B., cr. 1911; C.B., 1902; K.C.M.G., cr. 1918; Officer Order de Leopold II; M.R.C.S., D.P.H., F.R.C.S., 1901; F.R.S., 1901; F.R.S. (Edin.), 1921; LL.D., D.Sc., M.D.; Col. R.A.M.C. (T.F.R.), and late Consultant in Malaria, War Office; educ., St. Bartholomew's Hospital, London. Publication: *Philosophies*. Add.: London.

REV. SPENCE: Canon of St. Andrew's Cathedral, Inverness; b., Aberdeenshire, 1843; educ., St. John's Schools, New Pitsligo; began teaching as a monitor when eleven years of age; served as a pupil teacher for five years; Senior Provincial Grand Chaplain of Ross and Cromarty, 1920. Add.: Scotland.

REV. THOMAS HARRY: Hon. Canon and Hon. Canon Precentor of Leicester Cathedral; b. 1863; o. surv. s. of Edward; educ., Sidney Sussex Coll., Cambridge; Director of Music for the Diocese of Leicester. Add.: Market Harborough.

HON. WILLIAM BENJAMIN: K.C., 1890; Senator and Leader of the Conservative Party in the Senate of Canada; b. Canada, 1854; educ., Dalhousie

Coll., Halifax; chosen Leader of the Conservative Party in the Senate, 1926. Add.: Halifax, N. S.

WILLIAM DAVID: O.B.E., 1918; M.A.; Hon. LL.D. (Edin.); F.B.A.; Fellow and Tutor of Oriel Coll., Oxford, since 1902; b. 1877; s. of late John; educ., Royal High School; Delegate of Non-Collegiate Students of the University Press, and of Home Students. Publication: Translation of Aristotle. Add.: Oxford.

HON. WILLIAM DONALD: Lieut.-Governor of the Province of Ontario since 1927; b. 1869; s. of John; educ., New Glasgow, N. S.; Public Schools; entered service of the bank of Nova Scotia at New Glasgow. Add.: Toronto, Canada.

WILLIAM MUNRO: C.B., 1902; chief engineer, Royal Naval Reserve; retired; b. 1858; s. of late David. Add.: Kent.

HON. WILLIAM RODERICK: M.A., K.C.; b. 1869; s. of Donald; educ., St. John's Coll., Winnipeg, Man.; B.A., M.A., Barrister-at-Law; practiced in Fernie.

(F) AMERICAN BROOKS OF ROYAL DESCENT

Brooks Family of Selma, Alabama

MALCOLM II, KING OF SCOTLAND, father of

PRINCESS BEATRICE: m. Crinan, Lord of the Isles. Their son was

MALDRED: bro. of DUNCAN I, KING OF SCOTLAND.

COSPATRICK: Earl of Northumberland and Dunbar.

LADY GUNILDA: m. Orme, Lord of Seaton.

COSPATRICK: 1st Lord of Workington; d. 1179.

THOMAS DE WORKINGTON: d. 1152.

PATRICK DE CURWEN: of Workington; d. 1212. His direct descendant (8 generations removed) was

ELIZABETH CURWEN: m. John Cleburne, of Westmoreland; d. 1489.

THOMAS CLEBURNE: of Cleburne Hall; b. 1467. From him was descended (5 generations removed)

CAPTAIN WILLIAM CLAIBORNE: b. 1587; d. 1676; settled in King Wm. Co., Va., 1621; Sec. and Treas. of Virginia Colony.

LIEUTENANT-COLONEL THOMAS CLAIBORNE: of "Romancock," Va.

CAPTAIN THOMAS CLAIBORNE: b. 1680, d. 1732; 27 ch.

COLONEL AUGUSTINE CLAIBORNE: b. 1721, d. 1787; m. Mary Herbert of Dinwiddie Co., Va.; had 15 ch. of whom

JOHN HERBERT CLAIBORNE: b. 1763; m. dau. of Roger Gregory, of Chesterfield, Va.

REV. JOHN GREGORY CLAIBORNE: of Roslin Castle, Va.; m. Mary E. Weldon.

AUGUSTA CLAIBORNE: m. John Gabriel Thomas, of Louisburg, N. C.
NANNIE THOMAS: m. JUDGE BROOKS, of Selma, Ala. Issue.

Frank S. Brooks Family

HENRY I, KING OF FRANCE, father of
HUGH THE GREAT: Count de Vermandois. His dau. was
LADY ISABEL: m. Robert, Earl of Mellent and Leicester.
ROBERT: Earl of Leicester, Lord Justice of England.
GERVASE PAGANEL, Baron of Dudley, Staffordshire.
HAWYSE: Baroness of Dudley; m. John de Someri.
RALPH DE SOMERI: d. 1210; his direct descendant (13 generations removed)
was
THOMAS DUDLEY: b., Canon's Ashby, 1576; came to America with Gov. Win-
throp; Gov. of Mass. Colony, 1634-1655.
MERCY DUDLEY: m. 1637, Rev. John Woodbridge, of Newbury, Mass.
REV. JOHN WOODBRIDGE: of Wethersfield; m. Abigail, dau. of Gov. Wm. Leete,
of Conn.
REV. EPHRAIM WOODBRIDGE: m. Hannah Morgan.
DR. DUDLEY WOODBRIDGE: m. Sarah Sheldon.
DUDLEY WOODBRIDGE: d., Marietta, O., 1823; m. Lucy Backus.
JOHN WOODBRIDGE: of Chillicothe; m. Elizabeth Buchanan.
JULIA WOODBRIDGE: m. FRANK S. BROOKS, of Columbus, O.

Gerry Brooks Family

EDWARD III, KING OF ENGLAND, father of
PRINCE JOHN OF GAUNT: Duke of Lancaster. His dau. was
LADY JOAN BEAUFORT: m. Sir Ralph de Nevill, K. G.
LADY ANNE NEVILL: m. Humphrey de Stafford, 1st Duke of Buckingham.
HUMPHREY DE STAFFORD: k. at St. Albans.
LADY ANNE DE STAFFORD: m. Sir William de Berkeley, Knt.
RICHARD DE BERKELEY: who had
ANNE BERKELEY: m. Sir Thos. Speke, mem. of the Privy Council to King
Edward VI.
SIR GEORGE SPEKE: Knt.; of Whitelackington; m. Lady Eliz. Luttrell.
LADY ANNE SPEKE: m. Sir. John Horner, Knt., High Sheriff, 1564-73.
LADY JANE HORNER: b. 1561; m., 1593, Rt. Rev. John Still.
ANNE STILL: m. Robert Eyre, of Sarum.
CATHERINE EYRE: b. 1601, d. 1667; m., 1630, Rev. Chas. Chauncy, D.D., 2nd
Pres. of Harvard Coll., Cambridge, Mass.
REV. NATHANIEL CHAUNCY: of Hatfield; b. 1639, d. 1685.

REV. NATHANIEL CHAUNCY: of Durham, Conn.; b. 1681, d. 1756; 1st grad. of Yale College.

NATHANIEL CHAUNCY: of Middletown, Conn.; b. 1720, d. 1798; m. (first) Mary Stocking.

NATHANIEL CHAUNCY: b. 1758, d. 1825; m., 1782, Abigail Olcott, of Hartford, Conn.

JOHN CHAUNCY: of Rochester, N. Y.; b. 1798; m. 1823, Amelia B. Goodrich.

AMELIA CHAUNCY: m. GERRY BROOKS, of Penfield, N. Y.

(G) AMERICAN BROOKS FAMILIES

C113 WILLIAM BROOKS: b. in England, 1610; came to Virginia, 1635, in the "Speedwell"; appeared in the Massachusetts Bay Colony in 1653; d. in Deerfield, 1688; m. Mary Burt.

(1) William: 1655-1675; killed by Indians in King Philip's War.

(2) John: 1656-1675; killed by Indians in King Philip's War.

(3) Ebenezer: 1662-1720; m. Elizabeth Belding. Ch.: William (1695), John (1696), John, Ebenezer (1701), Jonathan (1709).

(4) Nathaniel: b. 1664; m. Mary Williams; m. (2) Mary Allis.

(A) William: captured by Indians, 1704; fate unknown.

(B) Nathaniel: 1710-1758; m. Abigail Allen; m. (2) Rebecca (Clary) Bascom. Ch.: Eliakim (1736; ranger in French and Indian War), William (1740), Nathaniel (1743).

(C) Samuel: b. 1712; m. Mehitable —.

(D) Aaron: b. 1717; m. Elizabeth Allen.

(E) Moses: b. 1722; m. —.

(5) Joseph: 1667-1748; m. Lydia Warner.

(A) Joseph: b. 1714; m. Miriam Wright. Ch.: Tirzah (1754), David (1758), Uri (1759).

(B) Benjamin: 1717-1786; m. Mary Miller. Ch.: Benjamin (1752; settled in Northfield, Mass.), Cephas (1755; Revolutionary soldier), Thaddeus (1756; Revolutionary soldier), Alpheus (1758; Revolutionary soldier), Annis (1760), Lebbeus (1762), Persis (1766), Joseph (1769), Elnathan (1774).

(C) Daniel: b. 1722; m. Mary Wright.

(a) Daniel: b. 1759; m. Lavina Morgan.

(6) Benjamin: 1671-1765; m. Mary —.

(A) Benjamin: b. 1693; m. Hannah Walker.

(a) Benjamin: b. 1726.

(b) Edward: 1727-1776; m. Anna Hayward; Revolutionary soldier.

1. Silvanus: b. 1750; m. Mary Shaw.

A Marcena: went west and disappeared.

2. Reuben: 1752-1754.

3. Edward: b. 1758; m. Thankful Harding.

A Lyman: b. 1789.

4. Simeon: 1760-1822; m. Elizabeth Strong. Ch.: Eli, Simeon, Ira and

- A Asa: 1788-1871; m. Lucy Stevens.
 - a Asa S.: 1819-1823.
 - b Albert A.: 1824-1910; m. Jennette Whitcomb.
 - (I) Jennie: 1849-1905; m. John A. Chedell.
 - (II) Kate: b. 1854; m. Seth Washburn.
 - c Samuel H.: b. 1827.
 - d Julius P.: 1828-1861; m. Sarah Tambell.
 - (I) Willard: m. Nellie Mather.
 - (i) Helen: b. 1892.
 - (II) Charles.
- 5. Reuben: 1763-1843; m. Annie Terry.
 - A Osmond H.: 1793-1868; m. Polly Perham.
 - a Alonzo: 1822-1878; m. Ursula Burt.
 - (I) Frederick Elbert: b. 1840; m. Mary Shafer.
 - b Frederick: 1826-1848.
 - c George: 1828-1889; m. Elizabeth Carey.
 - (I) Alonzo Birdsell: 1855-1863.
 - (II) William Gilbert: b. 1862.
 - (III) Eugene: b. 1866; m. Marion Whitmore.
 - (IV) George: b. and d. 1868.
 - d George: 1831-1863.
 - B Pardon: m. Lavina Lillie. Ch.: George, Albert.
 - C Reuben: m. Phelena Burt.
 - D James: d. 1878; m. Olive Reed; m. (2) Irene Reed.
 - E Harrison: lived in Fort Wayne, Ind., 1895.
- 6. Benjamin: 1769-1852; m. Esther Fisk.
 - A Hiram: 1801-1831.
 - B Pardon Allen: 1806-1891; m. Olive Deane; m. (2) Julia Reynolds.
 - a Hiram P.: 1834-1913.
 - b William H.: 1837-1922.
 - c Susan L.: 1844-1919; m. Frank J. Cole.
 - d Lucian B.: 1847-1850.
 - e Samuel Pardon: 1850-192-; m. Jennie Robinson.
 - (I) Winnifred A.: b. 1882; m. Sidney Hooper Morris.
 - (II) Percy: b. 1884.
 - (III) Lawrence: b. 1885; m. Irene Harvey.
 - (IV) John Leslie: b. 1887; m. Naomi A. Van-Aimee.
 - f Rufus: 1852-1910.
 - g Horace: b. 1860; went to Montana.
 - h George E.: 1862-1863.
 - C Rufus Fisk: 1808-1902; m. Mary Adeline Barrett.
 - a Sarah Adeline: 1834-1866; m. Hiram Rice.
 - b Esther Maria: 1837-1839.
 - D Lucian Bonaparte: 1812-1885; m. Susan E. Hazeltine.
 - E Benjamin Franklin: 1816-1887; m. Charlotte Frances Burke.
 - a Charles Buck: 1853-1868.
 - b Esther Clara Herrick: b. 1859; Smith College, A. B., 1882; University of Michigan Medical

- School, 188-.
- c Frona Marie: b. 1861; m. Morgan Brooks; Smith College, A. B., 1883.
 - F Stephen Perry: 1819-1898; m. Martha Amelia Hazeltine; m. (2) Elizabeth Welch.
 - a Maria Antoinette: 1844-1847.
 - b George Frederick: 1849-1903; m. Emma M. Bowers; m. (2) Matilda Calderwood; m. (3) Abbie L. Fuller.
 - (I) Susan Mabel: b. 1872; m. William Tobias Stackpole.
 - (II) Blanche Eloise: m. Thomas DuPuy.
 - (III) George Frederick: b. 1894; m. Jessee —.
 - c Ina Caroline: b. 1863; Boston Univ. (A. B.), 1886. Add.: 103 South Street, Northampton, Mass.
 - d Lucy Ella: 1866-1921.
 - G Eli Truxton: 1821-1897; m. Anna Elizabeth Bemis.
 - a Esther Louise: 1852-1886; m. Arnold Adams.
 - b Harriet Emily: 1854-1929.
 - c Anna Elizabeth: 1857-1912.
 - d George Fisk: 1859-1859.
 - e Franklin Eli: 1860-1916; m. Sarah Brainerd Coolidge.
 - (I) Elizabeth: b. 1895; m. Arthur Gray.
 - (II) Franklin Coolidge: b. 1896; m. Sarah Dorothy Torr.
 - (i) Franklin Coolidge: b. 1927.
 - (III) Catherine: b. 1899.
 - (IV) Edward Coolidge: b. 1901.
 - (V) Philip Coolidge: b. 1906.
 - f Lydia Maria: 1862-1863.
 - g Herbert Manning: 1864-1865.
 - h Henry Channing: 1864-1864.
 - i Caroline Estelle: b. 1867; m. John Frank Frier-son Eloin.
 - 7. Asa: 1775-1851; m. Dorcas Gleason Fisk.
 - A Asa: b. 1806; m. Emily Walker.
 - a Adino: b. 1834; m. Elizabeth Tifft.
 - b Charles W.
 - c Emily E.: b. 1840; m. Benjamin S. Root.
 - d Olive.
 - B Benjamin: 1809-1897; m. Martha Wilbur.
 - C James Fisk: 1812-1891; m. Sarah Davis.
 - a Price Hiram Matterson: b. 1837; m. Elizabeth S. Goodwin; m. (2) Ann (Williams) Bakewell.
 - b Julia Souisa: b. 1839; m. William Comins.
 - c Caroline Sabrina: b. 1841; m. Frank Orcutt.
 - d James Williard: 1843-1862; served in the Civil War and d. of wounds received at Antietam.
 - e Edward Watson: b. 1846; m. Mary Anne Morse; m. (2) Jenny Lavinia Eno.

- (I) Edward Olin: b. 1876; living in Ohio in 1917.
- f Henry McIntire: b. 1849; m. Ellen F. Bidwell.
- (I) Mabel Frances: b. 1873.
- (II) Dorothy Christiana: b. 1875.
- (c) Phinehas: b. 1732.
- (d) Simeon: b. 1732; twin.
- (e) Abner: b. 1734.
- (f) Caleb: b. 1745; m. Tryphena (Tyler) Hinds; m. (2) Abigail Willard; m. (3) Anna Neavens.
 - 1. Orville: b. 1795.
 - 2. Romanzow: b. 1797.
- (B) John: b. 1702; m. Rebecca Gerry.
 - (a) John: b. 1725; m. Elizabeth Tyler.
 - 1. Martin: b. 1778; m. Melinda Bond.
 - (b) Martin: b. 1734.
- (C) William: b. 1708.
- (D) Joseph: b. 1710.
- (7) Jonathan: b. 1674; went to Springfield about 1701 and was on Long Island about 1725.

- D114 CAPTAIN THOMAS BROOKS: b. in England; m. Grace —; came to Watertown, Mass., 1630 or 1631; one of the original settlers of Concord, Mass.; d. 1667.
- D115 JOSHUA BROOKS: b. 1630 (England?); m. Hannah Mason.
- D116 DANIEL BROOKS: b. 1663; d. 1733; m. Ann Merriam.
- D117 JOHN BROOKS: b. 1701; d. 1777; m. Lydia Barker.
- D118 SAMUEL BROOKS: b. 1730; d. 1817; m. Hannah (Davis) Brown.
- D119 SAMUEL BROOKS: b. 1755; d. in Canada; m. Ann (Bedel) Butler.
- D120 CALVIN BROOKS: b. 1782; d. 1848; m. Betsy Bartlett.
- D121 LUTHER BROOKS: b. 1806; d. 1892; m. Ann Bosworth.
- D122 ADDISON BYFIELD BROOKS: b. 1827; d. 1907; m. Mariah Hall.
- D123 RANSOM D. BROOKS: b. 1859; d. 1929; m. Kate Randall Barnard.
 - (1) Edith Kate: b. 1886; m. H. L. Oagley (d. 1913).
 - (2) Philip: b. 1889; d. 1918; m. Virginia Frink. Ch.: Phyllis K. (1912), Mary E. (1913), Robert F. (1915).
 - (3) Marian Virginia: b. 1890; m. A. J. Green. Ch.: Dorothy (1912), Philip A. (1919).
 - (4) Carolin Rose: b. 1893; m. James Hughes.
 - (5) Laurence Addison: b. 1897.
- d114 CAPT. THOMAS BROOKS: of Watertown, Mass. (D114 above).
- d115 JOSHUA BROOKS: b. 1630; m. Hannah Mason (D115 above).
- d116 DANIEL BROOKS: b. 1663; m. Anne Cooper Merriam (D116 above).
- d117 JOB BROOKS: bapt. 1698; was brother of John (D117 above); m. Elizabeth Flagg.
- d118 DANIEL BROOKS: b. 1738; d. 1820; m. Caroline Crescott; one of a committee to consider rights of colonists in 1772; served in the Revolutionary War.
- d119 JOB FREDERICK BROOKS: b. Acton, Mass., 1764; d. 1822; m. Polly Babcock; was a lieut.-col. of Militia.
- d120 WILLIAM BROOKS: b. 1806, Westmoreland, N. H.; d. Battle Creek, Mich., 1880; m. Louisa Ayer Small.

- d121 FREDERICK W. BROOKS: m. Annie Oakley.
- d122 WILLIAM FREDERICK BROOKS: b. Battle Creek, Mich., 1863; d. 1928; was connected with the lumbering business until 1918, when he entered politics as a candidate for the State Senate in the 31st Dist. of Mich.; was elected Senator of his district 3 times; served as chairman of the motor vehicles committee which framed the legislation for the motor vehicle license taxes, and the gasoline tax amendment; m. Caroline Langdon; resided at 1928 Stevens Avenue, Minneapolis, Mich.
- d123 ROBERT BROOKS: b. 1889; m. Katherine G. Lawler.

- E124 HENRY BROOKS: name on the tax list of Woburn in 1649; selectman in 1667, '71, and '72; m. twice. Ch.: Timothy, Isaac, Lester and
- (1) John: m. Eunice Mousall; m. (2) Mary Cranston. Ch.: John (1650-1653), Ebenezer (1666-1686), Jabez (1673-1746), and
- (A) John: b. 1664; m. Mary Richardson. Ch.: John (1686), Ebenezer (1686-1686), John (1694), Isaac (1703-1719), Nathan (1706-1751), and
- (a) Timothy: b. 1697; m. Abigail Wyman.
1. Timothy: b. 1726; m. Ruth Wyman. Ch.: John (1749-1796), Seth (1760-1827), and
- A Timothy: 1751-1810; m. Abigail Mason. Ch.: Thomas (1791-1825), Charles (1795-1867), Luke (1797), and
- a Timothy: 1786-1862; m. Mary King Mason. Ch.: Charles Timothy, William Hales, Henry Mason.
- b Samuel: 1789-1844; m. Maria Brooks. Ch.: Samuel Herbert (d. 1862 in the Civil War).
- c William McCobb: b. 1793; m. Eliza Hobart. Ch.: Isaac Hobart (1823), William Thomas (1829), Charles Dow (1836).
- B Samuel: 1758-1805; m. Elizabeth Gill. Ch.: Samuel (1792), John Gill (1803-1851), Edward (1805).
- C Thomas: 1767-1827; m. Mary Richardson. Ch.: John (1789-1836), Thomas, Alfred R. (1805), Augustus (1814).
- D Asa: m. Ann Gill. Ch.: Asa (1805).
- E Luke: m. Mary Hathorne. Ch.: Luke (1799-1875), Nathaniel Hathorne (1802-1881), William Hathorne (1805-1877).

- F125 JOHN BROOKS: m. Polly —.
- (1) John: m. Mary —.
- (A) Charles: 1805-1867; m. Lucy Middlebrooks.
- (a) Thomas L.: 1834-1839.
- (b) Theodore L.: 1835-1856.
- (c) Edward I.: 1839-1858.
- (d) Sarah J.: 1841-1868.
- (e) Mary Amelia: 1847-1848.
- (f) Alexander A.: 1850-1908; m. Lydia Ingersoll; quite prominent in politics.

1. Nellie Jane: b. 1876; m. Milliam J. Stevens. Ch.: Wilfred Alexander (1905), Alice Katherine (1907).
2. Lucy Caroline: b. 1878; m. James H. Stevens. Ch.: Gladys Florence (b. 1903; m. Willard D. Soper; ch.: James Willard, Patricia Ann), Harold Brooks (1905).
3. Mary Cardell: b. 1880; m. Fred B. Kuhl. Ch.: Dorothy May (1904), Arthur Byron (1906), Charles Frederick (1910).
4. Charles Lorin: b. 1883; m. Laura Pauline Rauschenberger. Ch.: Pauline Lydia (1912), Margaret Mary (1914), Charles Lorin (1916), Barbara Jean (1921), Virginia Mae (1923).
5. Elmer Edwin: b. 1891; m. Margaret Ellen Sharrar; realtor. Ch.: Mary Ellen (1920-1921), Eleanor Elizabeth (1922), Richard Atwood (1923), Shirley Ann (1924), Thomas Edwin (1926). Add.: 917 Mary St., Ann Arbor, Mich.
6. Victor Deland: b. 1896; m. Viola Loretta Kerr; University of Michigan, B. S. in Forestry; builder. Ch.: Florence Ellen (1923), Phyliss Mae (1926), Victor Loren (1927). Add.: 1026 W. Liberty St., Ann Arbor, Michigan.

G126 MILES BROOKS: 1781-1840; m. Lucy Pullum.

- (1) Presley Thornton: 1821-1908; m. Eliza Sylvia Larrison.
 - (A) Melinda C.: 1843-1905; m. ——— Smith. Ch.: Mattie, Winifred, George.
 - (B) Miles: 1845-1925; m. Rebecca Johnson. Ch.: Alpha, Pearl.
 - (C) America: 1847-1849.
 - (D) Mary: 1849-1903; m. George W. Kaufman. Ch.: Wallace, Alma.
 - (E) Abel: 1852-1915; m. Livonia Summers. Ch.: Myrtle, Bessie and
 - (a) Lee S.: b. 1878; m. Catherine B. Smith; lumber and building supply business with father.
 1. Lee S., Jr.: b. 1921.
 - (F) Rachel: 1854-1918; m. Dr. S. B. Wright. Ch.: Date, Miles.
 - (G) Lucy Ann: 1856-1923; m. R. H. McCorkle. Ch.: Brooks McCorkle.
 - (H) Millie: b. 1858; m. John M. Smoot. Ch.: Harold, Mabel, Kattie.
 - (L) Eliza Ella: b. 1863; m. W. D. Dewerse. Ch.: Flossie.

H127 HIRAM BROOKS: 1785-1846; m. Sarah Peasley. Ch.: Edwin, Franklin, Fanny, Lafayette, James and

- (1) Francis W.: b. 1820; m. Harriet Cordelia Williams. Ch.: Caroline, Clara, Annis, Charles E., Francis W., Harry E., Fred H., Mary Peasley and
 - (A) James Wilson: 1853-1921; m. Lily Louise Roads.
 - (a) Francis W.: m. Hester McConnell.
 1. Samuel McC.
 2. Hester Sanchia.
 - (b) Miller R.: m. Adna E. Mason.

- 1. Miller R., Jr.
- (c) Mary R.: m. George J. Finck.
 - 1. Mary Louise.
 - 2. George J., Jr.
- (d) Harriet L.
- (e) James W., Jr.
- (f) Fred P.

I128 GEORGE BROOKS: 1796-1876; m. Ann M. Jacot; a leather merchant who operated one of the largest tanneries in the United States at Brookston, Pennsylvania.

- (1) Henry J.: m. Josephine Polhemus.
 - (A) Remson G.: d. s. p.
- (2) George Kissam: m. Georgina Downing Sackett.
 - (A) Gertrude E.: m. George B. Darley.
 - (a) Grace B.
 - (B) Ida Sands: m. Alfred A. Baker.
 - (a) Georgina D.
 - (b) Stephen.
 - (C) Augustus Downing: b. 1856; m. Janet Campbell Freeman.
 - (a) William Adamson: b. 1884; m. Edna Lacy Morrison; Jamaica, N. Y.
 - 1. George Downing: b. 1915.
 - 2. Gordon Jacot: b. 1921.
 - 3. Janet Campbell: b. 1923.
 - 4. Lenore Elain: b. 1924.
- (3) Ann M.: m. Anthony M. Halsey.
 - (A) George Brooks: d. s. p.
 - (B) Alfred W.
- (4) Alfred: m. Georgina Downing Brooks (widow of his brother, George).
- (5) Catherine V.: d. 1928.
- (6) Adrian Cecil: m. Sarah Sands Sackett.

J129 AMOS BROOKS: m. Rebecca Eadler.

- (1) Mary: m. Absalom Beachtel; Bainbridge, Pa.
- (2) Balaam: deceased.
- (3) Byron E.: b. 1864; m. Elmira Stark.
 - (A) Stella: deceased.
 - (B) Elsie Marion: Abilene, Kansas.
 - (C) Clyde Stanley: deceased.
 - (D) Paul Gilbert: deceased.

K130 WILLIAM GRAY BROOKS (1853): son of Rev. W. Henry Brooks, S. T. D. (1831-1900). The latter m. Ellen Cordis Gray, who was a direct descendant of Egbert I, Ethelwolf, Alfred the Great, Edward the Elder, Edmund, Edgar the Peaceful, Aethelred II, Edmund Ironsides, William I, Henry II, Henry III, Edward I, Edward II, Edward III, KINGS OF ENGLAND, and of Charlemagne, Charles I, Louis I, Charles, EMPERORS OF FRANCE.

(H) BROOKS IN THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

Officers of the Continental Army.

Almarin Brooks (N. J.). Sergeant 2d New Jersey, 9th February, 1777; Ensign, 17th May, 1780; retained in New Jersey Battalion, April, 1783, and served to 3d November, 1783. (Died 25th January, 1824.)

Caleb (Mass.). 1st Lieutenant of Woodbridge's Massachusetts Regiment, May to December, 1775; served subsequently as Major Massachusetts Militia.

Jabez (Conn.). 2d Lieutenant of Mott's Connecticut State Regiment, June to December, 1776.

John (Mass.). Captain of a Company of Massachusetts Minute Men at Lexington and Concord, 19th April, 1775; Major of Bridge's Massachusetts Regiment, May to December, 1775; Major 19th Continental Infantry, 1st January, 1776; Lieutenant-Colonel 8th Massachusetts, 1st November, 1776; Lieutenant-Colonel Commandant 7th Massachusetts, 11th November, 1778, and served to 12th June, 1783; Brigadier-General United States Army, 11th April, 1792; honorably discharged 1st November, 1796. (Died 2d March, 1825.)

John (Pa.). 2d Lieutenant and Adjutant 6th Pennsylvania Battalion, 9th January to December, 1776; served as Assistant Commissary of Issues, 1777 to 1780. (Died 1803.)

Joseph Rider (Conn.). Ensign of Sage's Connecticut State Regiment, June to December, 1776.

Zachariah (Mass.). Private in Lexington Alarm, April, 1775; Sergeant in Colonel Fry's Massachusetts Regiment, May to December, 1775; 1st Lieutenant 6th Massachusetts, 1st January, 1777; cashiered 27th April, 1778.

The following Brooks served in the American Revolution from the respective colonies. Figures following some of the names indicate the number of times those names appear on the records examined:

Connecticut: Abijah, Abraham, Amasa, Asa—3, Benjamin—3, Bethuel, Calvin, Charles, D.—3, Daniel, David—5, Ebenezer—4, Eleazer, Elijah, Elizur—2, Enos, Isaac, Jabez—3, Jabez, Jr., James—4, Joel—2, John—4, John, Sr., Jonathan—3, Joseph—5, Joseph Rider, Josiah—3, Levi—2, Levy, Nathaniel—3, Noah, Paul, Porter, Samuel—9, Samuel Lewis—2, Silas—2, Simeon—3, Solomon, Thomas—15, Thomas, Jr.—2, Thomas 2nd, Timothy—3, Wickham—2, William. *Delaware*: Charles, Elisha—6, John, Jonas, Lambert—2, Samuel, Seth—17. *Georgia*: George—2, Hannah, Jacob—2, Jesse—3, Joab, John—2, Micajah—3, Middleton—3, Richael, Robert—4, Roger—4, William—3. *Maryland*: Charles, Jacob, James—3, John—2, Johnson, Lawrence—2, Nathan, Thomas—2. *Massachusetts*: Aaron—3, Abel, Abijah, Abner—3, Alpheus, Amariah, Amos, Ann, Asa—4, Austin—2, Azariah, Benjamin—7, Boston, Caleb—2, Charles, Daniel—3, David—2, Ebenezer—2, Edmund—2, Edward—2, Eleazer, Eliakim, Elijah—2, Ephraim—2, Francis, Gilbert—2, Hananiah, Henry—2, Hezekiah, Isaac, Isaiah, Jabez—3, James—2, Jehiel, Job, Joel, Joel, Jr., John—23, Jonas—3, Jonathan—5, Joseph—13, Joshua—4, Josiah—3, Leavitt, Lemuel, Levi, Luke—2, Luther—2, Mary, Matthew, Michael, Moses—4, Nathan—2, Nathaniel—5, Nehemiah—3, Noah, Peter—3, Philip, Prescott, Princester, Reu-

ben—2, Robert, Samuel—12, Seth—2, Shadrack, Silas—4, Simeon—6, Simon, Solomon—2, Stephen—6, Sylvanus, Thaddeus—4, Thomas—6, Timothy—4, Uriah, Will, William—4, Zaccheus, Zachariah—2. *New Hampshire*: Abraham—3, Ashael—2, Barnabas, Benjamin, Benjamin, Jr., David—5, Edward, Eleazer—2, Elijah—2, Ezekiel, Job, John—13, Jonathan, Joseph—2, Josiah—7, Samuel—18, Simon—2, Thomas, William—5, William, Jr., Willis, Zaccheus—6. *New Jersey*: Isaac, James—2, John—3, Jonathan—2, Oliver, Thomas, Timothy. *New York*: Daniel—3, Francis, George—2, James, Jediah, Jeremiah—3, John—11, John, Jr., Jonathan—2, Joseph—5, Joshua, Jr., Michael, Mickel, Peter, Reuben—3, Robert, Samuel, Thomas—2, William—5. *North Carolina*: Asa, George, John, Thomis. *Pennsylvania*: Allexander, Benjamin—3, Charles, Cornelius, Cornilius, David—15, Edmund, Edward—4, Francis—2, George, Henry—4, Jacob, James—8, John—31, John, Jr., Johnson, Joseph—11, Laurence—4, Lawrence, Owen—6, Philip—4, Robert—3, Samuel—9, Thomas—14, William—12. *Vermont*: A. Arnah, Adonijah—3, Azariah—4, Azareel, David, Ebenezer, Eleazer, Hancark, Hananiah—3, James—2, Samuel. *Virginia*: Benjamin, Charles, David, Elias, Jr., George, Henry, James—2, John, Joseph—2, Nelson, Peter, Reuben, Richard, Robert, Thomas—3, Wiliam—3. *Total*: 702.

(I) PROMINENT BROOKS OF AMERICA, PAST GENERATIONS

CAROLINE SHAWK BROOKS: Sculptor; b., Cincinnati, O., 1840; dau. of Abel Shawk, inventor and builder of first successful steam fire engine; grad., St. Louis Normal School, 1862; first became known as an artist through an alto-relief head of "Dreaming Iolanthe," exhibited at the Centennial Exposition; later exhibited work at World's Fair of 1878 in Paris, and in her studio in New York executed portrait marbles of many prominent people.

CHARLES: Clergyman; b., Medford, Mass., 1795; professor of natural history at University of New York, 1838; later studied four years in Paris. He was a member of the Peace Society, an advocate of temperance reform and African colonization schemes, and the author of several books, including a treatise on "Peace, Labor and Education in Europe"; d. 1872.

CHARLES TIMOTHY: Author; b., Salem, Mass., 1813; grad. Harvard, 1832; clergyman in Nahant, Mass., 1835, and later at Newport, R. I.; made many translations of foreign books, and was the author of "Eight Months on the Ocean and Eight Weeks in India."

DAVID: Soldier; b., 1756; joined army in 1776 as lieutenant in Penna. line, and was captured at Ft. Washington, remaining a prisoner two years. Later, as an officer, he became a friend of Gen. Washington; was prominent in N. Y. politics; M.C., 1797, and first judge of Dutchess Co.

EDWARD: Educator; b., Stony Point, N. Y., 1821. He entered Univ. of Northern Penna.; was professor of mathematics in the State Normal School, Millersville, Pa., 1855, and principal there, 1866-86; was author of several books, including "Philosophy of Arithmetic" (1876).

EDWARD TOOLE: Canadian M.P.; b., Sherbrooke about 1828; grad. Dartmouth, 1850; admitted to Bar, Lower Canada, 1854; returned to Parliament as

conservative for Sherbrooke, 1872; re-elected, 1874 and 1878; was vice-president, International Railway and of Waterloo and Major Railway; one of the trustees of Bishops' Coll

ELEAZER: Soldier; b., Concord, Mass., 1727; captain of militia, 1773; took prominent part in Revolution, rising to rank of brigadier-general. He entered general court in 1774, and had a public career of 37 years, becoming successively a Representative, a Senator and a Counsellor; retired, 1801.

ERASTUS: Journalist; b., Portland, Me., 1815; mem. of the N. Y. State Senate, 1853 and 1855; elected to the Assembly, 1878, '79, and '81.

JAMES: Journalist; b., Portland, Me., 1810; studied law in Portland, meanwhile teaching in a Latin school there; was a mem. of the Maine Legislature, 1835, and of the N. Y. Legislature, 1847; served two terms in Congress.

HORACE: Soldier; b., Boston, 1814; s. of Maria Gowen, and protege of her friend, Lafayette; grad., U. S. Military Academy, 1835; breveted 1st Lieutenant for gallantry and good conduct in the Seminole war; served in the Mexican war, and, 1872-77, commanded the presidio at San Francisco; was chief mustering and pay officer for the State of Ohio during the Morgan raid. At the time of his death he had attained the rank of Brigadier-General.

JAMES GORDON CARTER: Lumberman; b., Salem, Mass., 1837; s., Wm. Hawthorne. His earliest paternal American ancestor, Henry, came from England in 1651 and settled at Noburn, Mass., being first judge of witchcraft cases at Salem. He became a prominent business man and was known far and wide for his hospitality, and the charm of his home in the Northern woods.

JOHN: Governor of Mass.; b., Medford, Mass., 1752. In 1777 was made lieut-col. 8th Mass. regiment and played a gallant part in the battles of Fort Stanwix and Saratoga, being promoted to rank of major-general. He was a mem. of the state convention that ratified the federal constitution in 1788; held many important state and federal offices, including that of Governor in 1816, and for several terms thereafter; given LL.D. and M.D. by Harvard; was president of the State Medical Society from 1816 until his death in 1825.

JOSEPH: Clergyman; b., Butler Co., O., 1821; chaplain 1st Mo. artillery, and of 3d Ark. col. infantry during Civil War; a leader in the Arkansas Constitutional Convention, 1868; Governor of Arkansas, 1874. A man of great will-power and an eloquent speaker; he died in 1877.

KENDALL: Educator; b., Roxbury, Mass., 1821; grad. from Newton Theological Institute, 1845, and the same year became pastor Baptist Church, Eastport, Me.; was professor of history and natural philosophy at Waterville, 1852; edited "National Baptist" in Phila., 1865-68; became President of Kalamazoo Coll., 1868.

LEWIS: Philanthropist; b., New Milford, Conn., 1793; settled in Rochester, N. Y., when 29 years old, entering first in the manufacture of woollen cloth, and later in the mercantile business; retired in 1837, devoting his time to personal affairs. He contributed generously to schools, hospitals and various charities.

MARIA GOWEN: Poet; b., Medford, Mass., 1795; descended from Welsh family that settled in Charlestown before Revolution. Sonthey admired her work as a writer and named her "Maris del Occidente."

NATHAN COVINGTON: Educator; b., Cecil Co., Md., 1819; first principle Baltimore H. S., 1839; organized Baltimore Female Coll., 1848, and later became its president; wrote much occasional poetry and was the author of many books.

NOAH: Author; b., Castine, Me., 1830. He removed to California at the end of the "free-state" conflict, and gained recognition as Washington correspondent; was managing-editor "Alta California," and subsequently served on N. Y. and N. J. newspaper staffs; author of many books for young people.

PETER CHARDON: Merchant; b., North Yarmouth, Me., 1767; s. Rev. Edward; served in both branches of the Legislature. He accumulated large fortune in marine insurance, and was noted for his philanthropy. See Hunt's "Lives of American Merchants" (N. Y., 1856).

PHILLIPS: Bishop; b., Boston, Mass., 1835; grad. from Harvard, 1855, and from the Protestant Episcopal Theological Seminary, Alexandria, Va., 1859; rector of the Church of the Advent, Phila., 1859, and of Holy Trinity, 1862; moved to Boston, 1869, and was rector of Trinity Church there; elected Bishop of Massachusetts, 1891. He was the author of several volumes of sermons and lectures, and wrote the popular Christmas hymn, "O Little Town of Bethlehem."

PRESTON SMITH: Congressman; b., Edgefield District, S. C., 1819; mem. of State Legislature, 1844; elected Rep. from S. C. to Congress, 1853, and re-elected twice. The notorious affair of his attack upon Senator Sumner, May 22d, 1856, and his evasion of the subsequent challenge to a duel brought so much unfavorable criticism from the press that he resigned his seat. However, he was unanimously re-elected, and showered with praise from the admiring South.

RICHARD: Early settler; came to America in the "Blessing" in July, 1635, at the age of fourteen; removed to Scituate, then to Rehoboth; gave the power of attorney to his son-in-law, Robert Crossman, of Taunton, in 1689, who sold his land in Scituate in 1699; died in June, 1695.

ROBERT: Early settler; was an inhabitant of Maidstone, England; came to America with his wife in the "Hercules." He resided at Marblehead, and had a grant of land between his old house and new in 1657.

THOMAS BENTON: Engineer; b., Monroe, N. Y., 1836; served as major and aide on General Staff during Civil War, receiving brevet rank of Colonel; was asst. geologist in charge of surveys of Lake Superior iron regions, 1869-79, and prepared geological books on two States.

WILLIAM KEITH: Naturalist; b., Cleveland, Ohio., 1848; Ph.D., Harvard, 1875; after 1883, professor of morphology, Johns Hopkins Univ.; author of "The Development and Protection of the Oyster in Maryland, Balto." (1884); mem. Md. Academy of Sciences and other scientific societies; elected mem. National Academy of Sciences, 1884.

WILLIAM THOMAS HARBAUGH: Soldier; b., New Lisbon, O., 1821; grad., U. S. Military Academy, 1841; conducted himself brilliantly in Mexican war, attaining brevet rank of major in 1847; after various commands in Civil War in 1864 he was placed at head of 10th Army Corps, with rank of brigadier-general, and was engaged at Swift's Creek, Deury's Bluff, Bermuda Hundred, Cold Harbor and Petersburg; died 1870.

WILLIAM: Early settler; came to America on the "Blessing" in July, 1635, at the age of twenty years; settled at Salem, Mass., where he became a proprietor in 1639.

(J) PROMINENT AMERICAN BROOKS OF TODAY

ALFRED HULSE BROOKS: Geologist.

ALFRED MANSFIELD: Univ. prof.; b., Saginaw, Mich., 1870; s. George. Author of numerous works, including "The Newal Fortune," "Dante, How to Know Him," etc. Add.: Swarthmore, Pa.

AMY: Author and illustrator; b., Boston, Mass.; d. Alfred H. Author of many books, including Dorothy Dainty Series, Randy Series, Rosalie Dare Series, etc. Add.: Boston.

AUBREY LEE: Lawyer; b., Bethel Hill, Person Co., N. C., 1871; s. Zachary Taylor; candidate for U. S. Senate, 1922; mem. of Greensboro Chamber of Commerce; delivered address, "The Law and the Facts," before N. C. Bar Assn., which attracted wide attention. Add.: Greensboro, N. C.

BENJAMIN TALBOT: Chemist; b., Columbus, O., 1885; s. Nathaniel Wilson; Maj. Chem. Warfare Reserve U. S. A.; Fellow Chemical Society. Add.: Sound Beach, Conn.

BRYANT BUTLER: Ex-governor; b., Bernardston, Mass., 1861; s. Silas Newton; presidential elector, 1900; gov. of Wyo., 1905-11. Add.: Casper, Wyo.

CHARLES ALVIN: Clergyman; b., Watkins, N. Y., 1871; s. Charles Wesley; 1st v. p. Am. Baptist Foreign Missions Soc., 1914-24; mem. of Am. Acad. Polit. and Social Science. Add.: New York City.

CHARLES FRANKLIN: Meterologist; b., St. Paul, Minn., 1891; s. Morgan; Fellow A. A. S. Am. Meterol. Author of "Why the Weather?" Add.: Worcester, Mass.

CHARLES HAYWARD: Lawyer; b., Auburn, Calif., 1859; s. Julius Philander; dir., Counsel First National Bank, Guarantee Title and Trust Co. (chmn. bd.). Add.: Wichita, Kan.

CHARLES STEPHEN: Author; b., Cleveland, O., 1878; s. Stephen Edmund. Author of "Like Summer's Cloud," "Frightful Plays," 1922. Add.: Cleveland, O.

CLYDE: Phylologist; b., Paris, Mo., 1881; s. Evan Sandifer; research work for war dept., 1917-18. Add.: Tuscaloosa, Ala.

EDWARD SCHROEDER: Congressman; b., York, Pa., 1867; s. John H.; mem. City Council, York, 3 terms; postmaster of York since 1925. Add.: York, Pa.

EDWIN: Ex-congressman.

EUGENE CLYDE: Educator; b., Green Co., N. C., 1871; s. Edward Jones. Author of many books, including "Woodrow Wilson as President," "Education for Democracy," "Stories of South America." Add.: Raleigh, N. C.

FRANK HILLARD: Mfr.; b., St. Johnsbury, Vt., 1868; s. Samuel Towle; was federal food administrator for Vt.; mem. exec. coms. of Vt. and N. E. of U. S. Fuel Administration. Add.: Newton Highlands, Mass.

GEORGE SPRAGUE: Writer, editor; b., Pearl Creek, N. Y., 1895; s. Benedict; served as enlisted man, N. S. Army, World War; at front with Horse Batt., No. 302, Am. Train. Add.: New York City.

GERALDINE: Teacher.

HENRY HARLOW: M.D., teacher; b., Medo, Minn., 1871; s. Daniel Walker;

chief consultant in medicine, 1st army A. E. F.; commissioned col. U. S. R. C. Add.: New York City.

HENRY TURNER: M.D.

JOHN GRAHAM: Author, lecturer; b., Acworth, N. H., 1846; s. Chapin Kidder. Author of numerous books, including "The Social Unrest," "As Others See Us," "An American Citizen." Add.: Cambridge, Mass.

JOHN PASCAL: Civil engr.; b., Kittery, Me., 1861; s. James W.; prof. civ. engring., State Univ. of Kentucky, 1897-1906. Author of Handbook for Surveyors. Add.: Potsdam, N. Y.

JOSEPH JUDSON: Lawyer.

MORGAN: Electrical engr.; b., Boston, 1861; s. Francis A.; organizer of the Elec. Engring. Co. of Minneapolis; contributor to engring. mags. Add.: Urbana, Ill.

RAYMOND CUMMINGS: Clergyman; b., Tabor, Ia., 1869; s. Rev. Wm. Myron; pastor of 1st Church, Berkeley, Calif.; head Dept. Religion, Pomona Coll., Claremont, Calif., 1921. Add.: Claremont, Calif.

ROBERT CLARKSON: College prof.; b., Piqua, O., 1874; s. James Eugene; field dir. Am. Red Cross, League Island Navy Yard, 1918-19; contributor to econ. and polit. science mags. Add.: Swarthmore, Pa.

ROBERT PRESTON: Prof. economics; b., Milledgeville, 1881; s. James Henry; mem. of Am. Hist. Assn. Author of numerous books, including "The Agrarian Revolution in Georgia." Add.: Athens, Ga.

SAMUEL PALMER: University pres.; b., Milledgeville, Ga., 1863; s. Samuel Erskine; organized Tex. State Peace Congress, the first state organization of its kind in U. S., 1907. Add.: Waco, Tex.

STEWART: Banker; b., Mobile, Ala., 1867; s. Leslie Everitt; mem. Mobile Bar Assn. (pres. 1915-16). Add.: Mobile, Ala.

STRATTON DULUTH: University pres.; b., Everett, Mo., 1869; s. Charles Myers; federal food administrator for Okla., 1917-18; pres. Univ. Okla., 1912-23. Add.: Columbia, Mo.

VAN WYCK: Author; b., Plainfield, N. J., 1886; s. Charles Edward. Author of numerous books, including "The Wine of the Puritans," "The World of H. G. Wells," "America's Coming of Age." Add.: Westport, Conn.

VICTOR LEE: Lawyer.

VIRGINIA (Mrs. Charles S. Washburne): Reformer, lecturer.

WENDELL STANTON: Educator; b., Bay Shore, L. I., 1886; s. Rev. Jesse Wendall; headmaster Brooks Sc. for Boys; mem. of Nat. Assn. Prins. of Secondary Schools. Add.: Evanston, Ill.

WILLIAM E.: Clergyman; b., Phila., Pa., 1875; s. John; ordained Presbyterian ministry, 1904; Dit. Army Y. M. C. A. and acting chaplain, Camp Crane, 23 months, 1917-1919. Add.: Morgantown, W. Va.

WILLIAM PENN: Agriculturist; b., S. Scituate, Mass., 1851; s. Nathaniel; decorated 4th order of the Rising Sun, Japan, 1888; contributor to transactions of Mass. Hort. Soc. and to agrl. reports of U. S. and Mass. Add.: Amherst, Mass.

(K) BROOKS TOWNS, ETC.

There are in the United States towns as follows:

BROOKS: Calif., Ga., Iowa, Ky., La., Maine, Minn., Mont., Oregon., Wis.;
BROOKSBURG: Ind.; BROOKSTON: Colo., Ind., Minn., Pa., Tex.; BROOKSVILLE:
Ala., Fla., Ky., Maine, Okla. There are also in the United States numerous
counties, townships, streets, avenues, etc., bearing the name "Brooks." This is
eloquent testimony to the high esteem in which the name is held in this country.

(L) BROOKS CENSUS OF THE UNITED STATES

The compiler of these records has made up a list from city and telephone
directories of the United States, and from other sources, as follows. Care was
taken to eliminate, wherever possible, persons known or believed to be colored,
or of nationalities other than British and American:

Alabama	143	Maine	98	Oklahoma	115
Arizona	23	Maryland	374	Oregon	19
Arkansas	196	Massachusetts	570	Pennsylvania	550
California	415	Michigan	469	Rhode Island	71
Colorado	90	Minnesota	110	South Carolina	13
Connecticut	146	Mississippi	30	South Dakota	9
District of Columbia	133	Missouri	164	Tennessee	193
Delaware	22	Montana	26	Texas	570
Florida	175	Nebraska	30	Utah	40
Georgia	270	Nevada	3	Vermont	46
Idaho	6	New Hampshire	73	Virginia	188
Illinois	402	New Jersey	247	Washington	83
Indiana	276	New Mexico	8	West Virginia	68
Iowa	102	New York	830	Wisconsin	60
Kansas	110	North Carolina	90	Wyoming	7
Kentucky	118	North Dakota	5		
Louisiana	43	Ohio	528	Total	8357

To secure an estimate of the "Brooks population" of the United States,
we figure as follows:

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Only about half the names were taken from each directory con- sulted	2
Half of the Brooks reside in the rural districts or in small towns having no printed directories which were available to us.....	2
There is an average of more than four persons in each Ameri- can family.....	4
Since Brooks daughters marry and have as many descendants as the Brooks sons, there are as many descendants of "other names" as there are bearing the name Brooks (though it is much easier to locate the latter	2
By multiplying each figure of column (a) into the preceding figure, we have a total of.....	32
Conservative estimate of the Brooks population of the United States, one-half of whom bear the name Brooks and one-half of whom bear other names.....	267,424

The estimated Brooks population of any of the states may be obtained by
multiplying the figures shown by 32. There are Brooks in every state of the
Union. The Brooks population of the British Empire is probably equal to that
in the United States.

(M) RELIGIONS OF THE BROOKS

For several centuries the Brooks lived in England, North Ireland and Scotland. Most of the British (with the exception of those living in South Ireland), and, likewise, the Brooks were and are of the Protestant faith.

There are a few Brooks of the Catholic faith in the British Isles, but it is estimated that their number does not exceed four per cent. of the entire Brooks population.

The Brooks who came from the British Isles to America continued in the faith of their fathers, for the most part, though their descendants in this country today will be found in the memberships of practically all the various churches. It is estimated that of all the Brooks in America who are church members, at least ninety-seven per cent. are of the Protestant faith.

Biographical sketches of 37 Brooks appear in WHO'S WHO IN AMERICA. Their religious faiths are shown as follows: BAPTIST, 2; CONGREGATIONALIST, 2; EPISCOPAL, 1; LUTHERAN, 1; METHODIST, 2; PRESBYTERIAN, 2; UNITARIAN, 1; OTHER PROTESTANTS, 1; RELIGION NOT STATED, 25.

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(C) Family Record

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