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OF THE
CLAYPOOLE FAMILY
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PREFACE.

THROUGH the marriage of Adam Claypoole and Dorothy Wingfield Mr. Browning traces the Claypoole family back to William the Conqueror of England, to Alfred the Great, to Hugh Capet of France, to the Counts of Flanders, to Charlemagne, and through him to Pharamond and other barbarian kings of remote ages. Without attempting to follow out any of these lines, it has been my purpose to trace the Claypoole name as far back as can be done with certainty, connecting the James Claypoole who emigrated to America in 1683 with the James Claypoole of Norborough, Northamptonshire, who obtained a grant of arms in 1588. From James Claypoole, the early settler in Pennsylvania, the family lines have been, whenever practicable, traced down to the present time. In the autumn of 1876 the Hon. John Linn and Dr. Eagle, of Harrisburg, sent to my brother, James Trimble, of Philadelphia, some old papers of my grandfather's, the Hon. James Trimble. In these I found, among other things of interest, a copy of a letter from Benjamin Claypoole, of London, to George Claypoole, of Philadelphia, 1706-7, who as a child had been brought to this country by his father, James Claypoole, when he emigrated in 1683. This letter, giving a history of the family, was written in answer to George Claypoole's request, by Benjamin, the youngest member of John Claypoole's family, and brother of John Claypoole who married Elizabeth Cromwell. The statements in the letter are so at variance with the tradition extant among the Claypooles of Philadelphia, viz., that they were the descendants of Oliver Cromwell, that they at once attracted my attention. I sent a copy of the letter to the Historical Society of Pennsylvania, which was forwarded to Colonel Chester, who pronounced Benjamin Claypoole's letter a correct statement with regard to the portion of the family to which it referred. In this way I became interested in the subject, and concluded to pursue my investigations in both English and American books referring to the Claypooles and by consulting original documents whenever they were available. For James Claypoole's letters and other original

material employed I am greatly indebted to the valuable collections of the Historical Society of Pennsylvania. Among other authorities which have been consulted are the Friends' Records of different meetings, Colonial Records, Pennsylvania Archives, Minutes of the Provincial Assembly, the Penn and Logan Correspondence, Hazard's Annals, Noble's "Memoirs of the Protectorate House of Cromwell," Bridges's "History and Antiquities of Northamptonshire," and other historical and genealogical works.

In the course of these studies I have become acquainted with much of the early history of the Province of Pennsylvania, as well as of that of the Claypoole family, and have met in person or through letters many descendants of the first settlers of that name, from whom I have received assistance in the way of family records and copies of portraits, for which I here desire to extend my grateful acknowledgments. Among those who have rendered me aid are Mr. Charles E. La Motte, of Wilmington, Delaware, and Colonel Joseph Audenried, of Washington, D.C., who have both recently died; also Mr. J. Rutgers Le Roy, of Paris, who has established most important links between the American and English families of Claypoole; Mr. Oliver Canby, the Misses Augusta and Louise Canby, who have allowed me to use material prepared by their father, and Mr. George Canby. My thanks are also due to President Dwight of Yale College, to the Rev. Mr. Allen, rector of St. Peter's Church, Chester, to Mr. William Boyd Jacobs, the Rev. S. W. Reigart, D.D., and many others who have kindly helped me in my genealogical researches, and last, but not least, to my faithful friends and coadjutors, Miss Anne H. Wharton and Miss A. H. Cresson, whose assistance has been invaluable to me in the compilation and editing of this book.

To complete a record covering so many years would require more time and labor than I could command; consequently, in presenting this volume to my family, I wish to explain that I do not offer it as a finished genealogy, but rather as an outline, in which the connecting links have been made fast whenever it has been possible to secure positive information, and where unavoidable gaps occur it is hoped that these may be filled in by members of the family into whose hands it may fall.

R. I. V. G.

PHILADELPHIA, July, 1893.

THE CLAYPOOLE FAMILY.

CHAPTER I.

THE CLAYPOOLES IN ENGLAND.

THE Claypoole name and lineage are to be found far back in English history, or, as Noble quaintly phrases it, the Claypooles were "a genteel and ancient family, seated at Norborough, in the County of Northampton, upon the borders of Lincolnshire, possessing considerable estates in both these counties." The name, taken from the manor so called in Lincolnshire, is variously spelled Claypoole, Clappoole, Claipol, Cleypoole, and Cleypole. In Bridges's "History and Antiquities of Northamptonshire" we find a Robert Claypoole de Edelsburgh in a list of *Incumt. et temp. Institut.* for the deanery of Brackley as early as 1387, and a John Cleypoole in the deanery of Preston in 1431. Again, we find Claypooles in Norfolk County, the next county to Northampton, in 1388, a William Claypoole being then vicar of Wyken, or Ashwyken, Norfolk County.

"In the Church dedicated to St. Andrew, in Norborough, at the end of the fourth ile is a chapel, carried on beyond the ile, called Cleypole's ile or chancel. At the east end of Cleypole's ile adjoining to the wall, is an altar tomb, with a large hollow arch, two rude columns on each side, and a cornice that reaches over the arch. On a square tablet above is this escutcheon: *A Chevron between three roundles,*

with a mantling, and the same on each side of the arch.
Under the upper coat is inscribed in capitals;

ALL. GOOD. BLESSIN
GS. VNT0 MAN
COMETH FROM THE
(on one of the columns) IA.
(on the other)¹ C. L.

On a gravestone in the same ile, Robert Claypoole decessed
February the 12th 1658."²

In his "Memoirs of the Protectorate House of Cromwell" Noble begins his history of the family with James Claypoole; but we find elsewhere that James was the son of John Claypoole of King's Cliffe, and that his wife was a daughter of Thomas Medcalfe in the same county.³ "James Claypoole was a yeoman of considerable property, and making great additions to his paternal inheritance considered his fortune sufficient to support him as a gentleman. He therefore applied to, and had a grant of arms from Robert Cooke, clarencieux, dated June 17th, 1588, namely, topaz, a chevron, sapphire between 3 hurts, and for a crest they have taken on a wreath a fleur-de-lis, enfiled with a ducal coronet or."

¹ Noble says of this tomb of James Claypoole, who was buried at Norborough, October 16, 1599, "To his memory is erected a very magnificent monument in the chancel of that church; this coat of arms appears thrice upon it: I apprehend that he himself caused it to be set up; my reasons are, because it has no other inscription than, 'All good blessings unto man, cometh of the free gift of God. Ja. Cle. 1594,' which is five years before his death. The sentence seems to allude to his gratitude to Providence for his singular good fortune."

² "The entries on the Register 1613 to 1646 are torn out, the reason being stated in a memorandum inserted therein and signed by the rector, John Stoughton, which says that Mr. John Cleypole, 'a factious gentleman, then living in the parish of Norborough, caused the Register to be taken away from mee, John Stoughton then rector,' adding that he [the rector] was fined 2£ 10s."—*History and Antiquities of Northamptonshire*, by John Bridges, Esq., vol. ii. p. 531.

³ *Ibid.*, p. 529.

The following is an exact copy of the grant of arms to "James Clepole," 1588, sent to the Pennsylvania Historical Society by J. Rutgers Le Roy, from which it will appear that the above date, 1588, is incorrect:

(Heralds' College, K. I. p. 219.)

"THE GRANT OF ARMS TO CLEYPOLE—To all and Singular, as well Nobles & Gentlemen as others to whom these presents shall come. Rob^t Cooke, Esq^r ats Clarencieulx principal Herald and King of Arms of the East South and West parts of this realm of England from the River Trent Southwards sendeth Greeting.

"Whereas anciently from the begining the valient & vertuous Acts of worthy persons have been comended to the World with sundry Monuments and Remembrances of their good deserts, amongst the which the chiefest and most usual hath been the bearing of Signs in Shields called Arms, which are evident demonstrations of Prowess and Valoir diverslye distributed according to the qualities and deserts of the persons meriting the same, to the entent y^t such as by their vertues do shew forth to the advancement of the comon weale the shine of their good life and conversation in daily practise of things worthy and comendable, being the right and perfect tokens of a Noble disposition, may therefore receive due Honor in their lives, and also derive the same successively to their posteritie after them, and being credibly informed not only by common renown but also by report of divers Gentlemen worthy of Credit that JAMES CLEPOLE of Norborow in the County of Northampton gent hath long continued in virtue and in all his affairs hath so vertuously behaved himself that he hath well deserved and is worthy to be from henceforth admitted accepted and received into the number of other ancient Gentlemen.

"For remembrance where of I the said Clarencieulx King of Arms have by power and Authorite to my office annexed & granted by Letters Patent under the great Seal

of England, devysed & ordained & assigned unto and for the said JAMES CLEPOLE the Arms and Crest hereafter following.

"That is to say The fylde gold, a Cheveron Azure between three Roundles, or otherwise in blason Horts, and to his Crest upon the helme on a Wreath gold and Azure, out of a Crowne, a Flower de luce Silver, Mantled gules doubled Silver, as more plainly appeareth depicted in this margent.

"To have and to hold the said Armes and Crest to the said JAMES CLEPOLE, Gentleman and to his posteritie, with their due differences and they the same to use and enjoy for ever without irapediment lett or Interruption of any person, or persons according to the antient Laws of Arms. In witness whereof I the said Clarencieulx King of Armes have sett hereunto my hand and seale of office the 17th day of June in the year of Our Lord God 1583 and in the 25 year of the Reign of Our most gracious Sovereign Lady Queen Elizabeth etc*.

"Signed ROBT COOKE *alias* Clarencieulx Roy Darnes."

"Transcribed from y^e Original Grant in the hands of George Leafield of Longthorpe, Esq^r, produced at Peterborough 26 July A^o 1681 and compared therwith by me

"GRE^{at} King Rougedragon"

"He [James Claypoole] purchased in 1571, for 440 pounds, of Edmund Elves of Walton, in Northamptonshire, gent. Walham-parks, containing about 75 acres of fenny lands, lying in the parish of East-Deeping, alias Deeping St. James's, in that county; and in the following year he bought for 500 pounds, of John Brown of London, draper, the Manor of Norborough, or Northborough, in Northamptonshire with certain premises belonging to and lying in that lordship, which he had occupied long before;¹ it is singular, that in the title deeds to

¹ In confirmation of which we find the following: "In the second year of Queen Elizabeth died John Browne, Esq., seized of a manor in

these estates he is called only yeoman, when in 1588, in the grant of arms, he was styled gentleman. Besides these estates he added some inconsiderable purchases within the manor of Norborough. In the latter part of his life he was appointed receiver of taxes of a great part of the county of Northampton; in the commission for which he was complimented with the title of esq. He was buried at Norborough, October 16th, 1599. By Joan his wife,¹ who was buried at Norborough November 14th, 1598, he had two sons and four daughters; Sir James Claypool, who was sworn in 1594, surveyor of the royal stables, under the Earl of Essex, and was knighted by King James 1st, at Greenwich, June 18th, 1604: in the following year he conveyed the estates which his father had possessed, and left to him, to his brother Adam, it is therefore reasonable to suppose that he either never married or at least had no children; probably he died at London attending the Court.”²

Norborough, and of diverse messuages and lands in Maxey, Nunton, Lolham, and Deepingate, held by knight's service of the bishoprick of Peterburg, which he left to Charles Browne, his son & heir, a minor, 15 years old. On his death without issue, in the sixth of same reign, the premises came to John Browne, his brother and heir, who sold them to James Cleypole, Esq.”—*History and Antiquities of Northamptonshire*, by John Bridges, Esq., vol. ii. p. 519.

¹ Bridges gives Henson as the surname of Joan, the wife of James Claypoole.—*Ibid.*, p. 529.

² “On his [James Claypoole's] death in the 45th year of this reign [Queen Elizabeth's], the manor of Norborough, with the rest of his estate, came to John Cleypole, his eldest son. Sir John Cleypole, for he appears to have received the honor of knighthood, married Frances, dau. of John Osborne of Kelmarsh, but leaving no issue was succeeded by Adam Cleypole, his brother and heir.” The Sir John here mentioned is evidently intended for the Sir James Claypoole who left his estates to his brother.—*Ibid.*, p. 529.

THIRD GENERATION.

2. JAMES CLAYPOOLE,² yeoman, son of John Claypoole¹ and — Medcalf, married Joan Henson, who was buried November 14, 1598. He was buried October 16, 1599. Children :

3. Sir James Claypoole, *d.* 1605.
4. Adam Claypoole, *d.* 1634; *m.* 1st, Dorothy Wingfield, 2ndy, Jane Bird.
5. Ann Claypoole, *m.* October 19, 1593, John Norton, Esq.
6. Dorothy Claypoole, *m.* September 30, 1577, Maurice Blount.
7. Bonye Claypoole, *d.* 1567, unmarried.
8. Hella Claypoole, *d.* 1575, unmarried.

“Adam Claypoole, Esq., the second son of James, and heir to his brother, Sir James, was of Gray’s-Inn, where he sometimes resided during the former part of his first marriage; at others at Norborough or Maxey. Upon an inquisition taken upon his death in 1634, it appears he possessed not only the manor of Norborough and estate of Waldram-parks, but also the manor of Lolham. His first wife was Dorothy, daughter of Robert Wingfield of Upton, in Rutlandshire, Esq. (by Eliza, daughter of Richard Cecil, Esq., and sister of William Lord Burleigh), a connection which led the Claypooles to have interest at Court; she was buried at Norborough November 7, 1619. His second wife was Jane Bird, whom he married at Norborough September 25, 1620. By the former he had ten children, and by the latter three: 1, James, born in 1588, who died in his father’s lifetime, leaving no child; 2, Edward, the eldest surviving son, who was at the time of his father’s death more than thirty-six years of age: it is reasonable to suppose that he had displeased his father, as Norborough was left from him, but it is supposed he had Lolham, but perhaps only that for life: as, upon his death, without issue,

the whole of his estates devolved to his next brother; 3, John, of whom below; Wingfield, born in 1593-94; Richard, born in 1594, who died 1673; Robert, born in 1599, he died an infant; Joanna, born in 1602; Dorothy, born 1605; Henry, born 1608-9; second Robert, born 1613; James, born in 1621. Adam Claypoole of West-Deeping, in Lincolnshire, Esq., was born in 1622. He was a loyalist, and was fined for his delinquency six hundred pounds. He died in 1660. Jane was born 1623."¹

FOURTH GENERATION.

4. ADAM CLAYPOOLE³ (James,² John¹).

He married first, Sept. 30, 1586, Dorothy Wingfield, daughter of Robert Wingfield of Upton, and Elizabeth Cecil, sister of William Cecil, Lord Burleigh, Prime Minister of England under Queen Elizabeth. Adam Claypoole's first wife was buried November 7, 1619. He married secondly, September 28, 1620, Jane Bird, and died in 1634.

Children of first marriage:

9. James, *b.* 1588, *d.* —.
10. Edward, *b.* —, *d.* —.
11. John, *b.* —, *m.* Mary Angell, *d.* 1660/1.
12. Wingfield, *b.* 1593/4, *d.* —.
13. Richard, *bap.* June 5, 1597, *d.* 1673.
14. Robert, *bap.* May 20, 1599, *d.* inf.
15. Joanna, *bap.* Aug. 24, 1602, *d.* —.
16. Dorothy, *b.* 1605, *d.* —.
17. Henry, *b.* 1608/9, *d.* —.
18. Robert, *bap.* Nov. 14, 1613, *d.* —.

Children of second marriage:

19. James, *b.* 1621, *d.* —.
20. Adam, *bap.* July 24, 1622, *d.* 1660.
21. Jane, *b.* Nov. 1, 1623, *d.* —.

¹ The above dates of birth and death are taken from the registers of Norborough and Maxey, Noble's *Memoirs of the Protectorate House of Cromwell*, vol. ii. pp. 372, 373.

“John Claypoole, of Gray’s-Inn, esq., where he chiefly resided, which accounts for the baptisms of his children not appearing in the registers of Norborough or Maxey; it plainly appears that he was the favored son, as his father in 1622, upon his marriage with Mary, the daughter of Will. Angell of London, esq., conveyed to him in fee, with power to settle upon his wife, the manor and lands of Norborough, and 32 acres, part of Waldram-parks; the whole of which was worth about 200 pounds per an. The lady’s fortune was 1500 pounds.

“The sentiments he [John Claypoole] entertained respecting the then state of the nation, were probably the same as those which Mr. O. Cromwell (afterwards protector) possessed when he first gained a seat in the long-parliament; and as he had suffered hardships from King Charles First’s despotism, it might have occasioned an intimacy that ended in an alliance between the families; it is not unlikely that he and Oliver might have been students of the law together. He was summoned in 1637 before the star-chamber, and the attorney general was ordered to commence a prosecution against him for refusing to concur in the payment of ship-money, which the Court demanded; it cannot therefore be wondered at that he declared for the parlement. In 1643, 1644, and 1647, he was appointed one of the assessors for the county of Northampton; he was a justice of the peace, and, probably sheriff for his own county in 1655, as major general Boteler recommends him to Thurlow, in a letter to him, dated November 16th. He was member of parlement in 1654 for the county of Northampton, and Carmarthenshire in 1656: in the following year he was made a commissioner with his son, for levying the taxes upon the county of Northampton. The protector appointed him clerk of the Hanaper in the Court of Chancery, created him a knight, and soon afterwards gave him a patent for a baronet, dated July 16th, 1657; and March 13th, 1659–60, he had a new grant, jointly with Dr. Tho. Clarges, M.D., of the place of clerk of the Hanaper during their lives, and the survivor of

them. The whole of his estates were worth about 450*l.* per an. and the same premises do not now bring in more. He survived his wife, who died Apl. 10th, 1661, and was buried the day following at Norborough: his name appears on the court rolls of that place until the year 1664, three or four years before which he had granted his manor of Norborough to his eldest son John. Mr. Claypoole is supposed to have died and been buried in London; he left eight sons and four daughters."

Noble gives the names and dates of birth of the children of John Claypoole and Mary Angell; but as his statements do not agree with those contained in a letter written by Benjamin Claypoole, youngest son of John, it seems safe to throw aside Noble's testimony in the matter, and give Benjamin Claypoole's letter, taking it as the ultimate authority, as it contains the record of his own brothers and sisters:

"LONDON, 22nd March 1706/7

"LOVING COUSIN,—

"This comes by the hand of a gentleman my very good friend a hopeFull young man of a plentiFull fortune, I supposed he may have ventured one third of it this voyage. I have recommended him to you for advice, this being his first going to sea, not but that he has a very honnest Gentleman to his friend, one Mr Palmer who proceeds the voyage with him, & has promised that he will assist in his affairs, but If he should apply himself to you pray advise him cordially as you value me for heartily wish his welfare. To requite your compliance with my curiosity in writing me a particular account of your family, I here send you an account of ours. My Grandfather and your great Grandfather was a Knight,¹ he had many children. My father

¹ In a letter written to Mr. Townsend Ward, of Philadelphia, in 1880, by Mr. Joseph L. Chester, one of the highest English authorities on genealogical subjects, he says, "I am very much obliged to you for sending me a copy of the letter of Benjamin Claypole, which is exceed-

and your Grandfather was the third son of his first wife, to whom he left an estate of £900 p' ann. & to his eldest son by his second wife he gave £600 p' annum. My father married Mary Angell, her father was fishmonger to King Charles I. My father was a Justice in corum & member in parliament. they had 14 children 8 sons & 6 daughters I mention them in order of birth, Mary who married William Scild Esquire he was a justice of the Peace, Member in parliament & Captain of Militia, John married Oliver Cromwell the protector's daughter; Elizabeth who married Doctor Alexander Staple an english Knight but his estates was in Ireland, Robert a linnen draper but died a batchelor; Wingfield a Captain of Horse, Graneley a Cornet, Dorothy married a parson with a good temporal estate none living but a granddaughter lately married to one Jones a linnen draper, Frances married to a rich gentleman in lincolshire and died of her first child, James your good father, Edward a Captain of foot but went to Barbadoes & there married a rich widow by whom had two Daughters—vizt Mary & Frances, Martha died a child, second Martha died

ingly interesting and valuable. He was, however, mistaken in saying that his *grandfather* was a *Knight*, and it was an odd mistake to make, which can only be attributed to the forgetfulness of old age. His grandfather was Adam Claypole, *Esquire* only, whose elder brother James was knighted in 1604 and died in 1615, unmarried, when Adam succeeded to his estates. As I now understand it, this Benjamin was the youngest brother of James, whose Letter-Book you have,—the friend of William Penn, and Benjamin's letter of 1706 was written to James's son. The Letter-Book James therefore was the fifth son and ninth child of John Claypole, Esq., J. P. and M. P., by his wife Mary, daughter of William Angell, citizen and fishmonger of London, and hence younger brother of John Claypole who married Cromwell's daughter. James was born, according to his own letter, an extract from which you send me, in October, 1634, and you may safely accept his testimony in preference to that of Noble. . . .

"Although Benjamin Claypole erred as to his grandfather, we may pretty safely assume that he knew his own brothers and sisters, and gave them accurately. They vary frightfully from the account of them given by Noble, which is an additional proof to me of his untrustworthiness."

unmarried, Norton & myself the youngest, all Happiness attend you here & hereafter is the hearty desires & daily prayers of your affectionate uncle

“ BENJAMIN CLAYPOOLE.

“ Our predecessors coat of arms
The crest a fleur de luce” [Arms]¹

FIFTH GENERATION.

11. JOHN CLAYPOOLE⁴ (Adam,³ James,² John¹), m. June 8, 1622, Mary Angell, at St. Thomas the Apostle, London; died April 10, 1660/1. Their fourteen children were:

22. Mary, *m.* Dec. 26, 1655, William Sheild, Esq.
23. John, *m.* Elizabeth Cromwell.
24. Elizabeth, *m.* Dr. Alexander Staple, *d.* 1681.
25. Robert, *d.* unmarried.
26. Wingfield, Captain of Horse.
27. Granely, Cornet.
28. Dorothy.
29. Frances.
30. James, *b.* 8 mo. 1624, *m.* Helena Mercas, *d.* June 6, 1687.
31. Edward, *d.* Barbadoes, September 11, 1699.
32. Martha, *d.* young.
33. Martha, *d.* unmarried.
34. Norton, *m.* 1677, *d.* 1688.
35. Benjamin, *bap.* Feb. 15, 1642-3.

John Claypoole, the eldest son and heir of John Claypoole and Mary Angell, was bred to the law. In 1645/6 he married Elizabeth, the second and most favored daughter of Oliver Cromwell, then of Ely in Cambridgeshire, afterwards Lord Protector of the kingdom. “ With this lady,” says Noble, “ he had a fortune of 1250£. His father, at the same time, gave him the manor of Lolham, with the lands and tenements appertaining thereto, and seven acres and three roods of meadow adjoining, called Nunton-Holm, which now is worth about 200£ per ann. This was settled upon

¹ To be found also in Pennsylvania Magazine, vol. x. p. 354.

Miss Cromwell, in case she survived him, and as a provision for the eldest son of the marriage. He was certainly very young when he married (but more than fifteen, as the Annual Register for 1738 mentions); however, probably, he was not twenty." The first mention of him in a public capacity is his having permission, August 20, 1651, to raise a troop of horse in the counties of Northampton and Lincoln, if we except the fact that he was one of the Parliament Committee from Northampton in 1647. When his father-in-law was invested with the title of Protector, Mr. Claypoole received from him the office of Master of the Horse, and as such led the horse of state at the inauguration, walking bareheaded on one side of the Protector's body-coach, with Strictland, captain of the guard to his Highness. Mr. Claypoole acted in the same capacity at the second and more magnificent investment, when he stood directly behind the Protector during the ceremony. He was a member of Cromwell's Parliament in 1654 for Northampton, and again in 1656, in the latter opposing the power of the major-generals, the particulars of which will be found in histories of the time. Mr. Claypoole was also appointed one of the Lords of the Bed Chamber, Ranger of Whittlewood or Wittlebury forest, in Northamptonshire, where he built himself a lodge, which afterwards belonged to the Duke of Grafton,¹ and to raise him still further above the rank of a private gentleman he was made one of the lords and placed in his father-in-law's

¹ "The seat of the Claypooles at Norborough is in part standing [1787], and used as a farm-house, but the wings are pulled down; the gateway, which is the entrance to the house, conveys the idea of great antiquity: the north view shews that the mansion is as ancient as the gateway and was built probably long before the Claypooles owned it. Two of the windows are very large and have stone divisions, and are in the manner of our gothic churches, the stables have been very elegant, and spacious enough to contain more than twelve horses with convenience."—Noble's Protectorate House of Cromwell, ii. 386, 387.

other-house. Mrs. Claypoole died in 1658, during the lifetime of her father, and after his death Mr. Claypoole offered a home to his mother-in-law, who died at his house, as is proved by the records of Norborough church.¹ Although he married a rich widow in 1670, Blanche, widow and executrix of Launcelot Stavely, of London, merchant, Mr. Claypoole's affairs were in so bad a condition in 1682 that he was obliged to dispose of Lolham Manor, with the estate belonging to it, for the sum of five thousand six hundred pounds. When, says Noble, "the court and country vied with each other which could invent the most improbable and ridiculous plots, he, the most unlikely man in the three kingdoms, was fixed upon to be the head and contriver of one against the royal family, in concert with the old republican party." Upon this pretence he was apprehended in June, 1678, and sent to the Tower: obtaining an habeas corpus to the King's-Bench, he thought to procure bail; but though many persons, to whom no objections could be made, offered themselves for that purpose, Chief-Justice Scroggs set the penalty so high, that his friends thought proper to decline it, and Mr. Claypoole was removed back to the Tower. The next term, as no evidence appeared against him, a counter plot began to work and he was discharged. 'His only (political) crime,' says an historian, 'seems to be his having married one of Cromwell's daughters, which King Charles II. would gladly have done, if he could by it have recovered his crown.' " After Mr. Clay-

¹ "At the entrance of the town [Norborough] from Elton is the old manor house, now [1791] Lord Fitz Williams', in which Oliver Cromwell's wife died, and John Claypoole, his son-in-law, resided," while in the Parish Register is the following entry: "Eliz. the relict of Oliver Cromwell sometimes Pro: of England was buried Novemb. the 19th 1665."—History and Antiquities of Northamptonshire, vol. ii. pp. 527, 531.

poole's release, he spent the remainder of his life in London. He seems to have had a taste for study, was fond of mathematics, and probably of architecture, as he numbered Sir Christopher Wren among his associates. At the time of his death, June 26, 1688, Mr. Claypoole was of the Middle Temple, London, and was no doubt buried in that city near his father and other relatives. In religious sentiments he was a Presbyterian, and in that communion died. By the Protector's daughter Mr. Claypoole had three sons and a daughter. Cromwell was the eldest of these, to whom his father resigned the manor of Norborough, with Waldram-Parks, which, however, was heavily mortgaged, and, as the sum of fifteen hundred pounds was to be paid as a consideration, it seems to have been a very moderate favor. He was buried May 28, 1678, in the chancel of Norborough church, as near to the body of his grandmother Cromwell as convenience would admit, according to his own express directions. There is a gravestone with some remains of a rude inscription upon it. Cromwell Claypoole died a bachelor, and, after bequeathing the bulk of his estates to his father, bequeaths legacies to his uncles "Gravelly" and Norton Claypoole, leaves his "young bald horse" to his cousin Oliver Cromwell of Hurfley, with his pistols and holster, and, being of a kindly nature, instructs that ten pounds be distributed among the poor of Norborough.

Henry, the second son of John Claypoole, entered the army, where he died, presumably before the death of his brother Cromwell, as no mention is made of him in the latter's will, which fact also indicates that he had no children. The third son, Oliver, died a short time before his mother, while of the only daughter of John Claypoole we find the following copied from the records of Norborough church:

"Martha the dau. of John Claypole Esq; was buried June the 14th An. Dom. 1663."¹

The above data, if we had not already sufficient proof that the American family of Claypoole is descended from James, a brother of John, would establish the fact that John Claypoole and Elizabeth Cromwell were not the ancestors of the Claypooles who came to this country in 1683 and identified themselves with the early history of the Province of Pennsylvania. This claim has been so frequently advanced that it seems expedient to disprove it authoritatively by giving the above record of the early death of the children of the Cromwell marriage. By his second marriage John Claypoole had a son John, who died young, and a daughter Bridget, who married, June 4, 1697, Aubury Price, a colonel in the Guards.² She died October, 1738, in the sixty-fourth or sixty-fifth year of her age.

Noble speaks of numerous Claypooles in Lincolnshire [in 1787], families of no especial note, those of Tallington, in that county, spelling their name Claypon.³

¹ History and Antiquities of Northamptonshire, vol. ii. p. 531.

² Northamptonshire Notes and Queries, vol. iii. p. 239.

³ For additional Claypoole material that has come to hand since writing the above, see Appendix.—ED.

CHAPTER II.

THE CLAYPOOLES IN AMERICA.

30. JAMES CLAYPOOLE⁵ (John,⁴ Adam,³ James,² John¹), b. 8 mo. 1634.

The history of the Claypooles in America begins with James, son of John Claypoole of Norborough, and brother to John Claypoole who married Elizabeth Cromwell. A brother Norton Claypoole emigrated to America as early as 1678, and a brother Edward Claypoole was living in the Barbadoes previous to 1681; but James, as their senior and a man of considerable importance in the Province of Pennsylvania, naturally takes precedence of these, as the head of the Claypoole family in America. In a London Directory of 1677 James Claypoole's name is given as merchant of Bush Lane, Scot Yard. We also learn that he was a member of the Bull and Mouth Friends' Meeting, and a memorandum in his own handwriting records the date of his marriage with Helen Merces:

"I James Claypoole and Helen Merces were Joyned in Marage the 12 day 12 month 16 $\frac{2}{7}$ at Bremen in Germany by Conradus Lelius, a Calvin Minister."

Proud, in his "History of Pennsylvania," says that on the publishing of Penn's proposals in 1681 for the planting of a colony, a great number of purchasers soon appeared in London, Liverpool, and especially about Bristol; among these were James Claypoole, Nicholas Moore, Philip Ford, and others, who formed a company called the Free Society of Traders in Pennsylvania. In his letters to his brother

Edward, in the Barbadoes, Samuel Clarridge, Benjamin Furley, John Goodson, Gawen Lowrie, and others, Mr. Claypoole gives a valuable outline of the formation of the Free Society of Traders, and of many other events connected with the settlement of the Province.¹ These letters are interesting not only historically, but also because of the light they throw upon the character of the writer, which abundantly justifies the high estimation in which he was held by the founder of the Commonwealth, an estimation which was reciprocated by sincere admiration and respect on the part of James Claypoole.

In a letter written from London 5th 12th 1681, he says,—

“I have begun my letter on too little a ps. of pap. to give thee my Judgmt of Pensilvania, but in short I & many others wiser than I am. doe very much approve of it: & doe Judge Wm Penn as fitt a man as is any in Europe to plant a Country: When he comes to towne I shall treat with him for 5000 Acres for thee: I know £100 is ye purchase thereof: and if thou dost not conclude soon, it may be too late: for wee suppose in a few weeks hee will be gone thither.”

A little earlier he wrote to his brother, Edward Claypoole, London, 16th 10th mo., 1681,—

“I am glad to hear that my sister is delivered of a daughter, and is well in health, the Lord is the Author of all our mercies and blessings, and he is worthy of our whole heart and affection, and all reverence and obedience, and praises forevermore. . . . I have bought some land in Pennsylvania, 5000 acres, and shall want some advice how to improve it.² I have some thoughts of sending one of my

¹ From MS. Letter-Book of James Claypoole in possession of the Historical Society of Pennsylvania.

² William Penn, Proprietary and Governour of the Province of Pennsylvania and the Territories thereunto belonging At the Request of James Claypoole that I would Grant him to take up one Thousand acres

sons over wth some servt^s and a little stock to build a house and get cattle and corne &c. Pray let me have a few lines from the about this Particular. With mine, and my wifes true love to thee, and thy wife."

On the 26th of the same month, in a letter to Samuel Clarridge, he refers to papers Penn gave him about Pennsylvania, and says,—

"I would have had some discourse with him, but yt hee was in such extra haste to be gone towards Bristol yt wee could not have time; but hee said hee had writt to thee & would discourse mee fully in a few dayes: There is great encouragemet both as to ye Country and Governour who I believe will establish good lawes as near as hee cann. . . . if I had a mind to buy Land there, I would forbear till I saw that he was not interrupted by Baltimore in his taking possession, for this Baltimore is a great Governor in Maryland, that borders on Pensylvania, and has rece^d Rent for some yeares past, of the Inhabitants thereof, and its like it does so to this day by Connivance; but keep this to thyselfe."

of Land in Part of his Purchase in the County of Bucks. These are to will and Require thee forth with to Survey or Cause to be surveyd unto him the said number of acres in y^e aforementioned County Where not already taken up according to the method of Townships appointed by me he seating and Improving the same within one year after the Date of Survey and make returns thereof into my secretaries office.

Given at Philadelphia the 12th of the 5 month 1684.

WILLIAM PENN.

To THOMAS HOLMES } The 23^d of y^e 7th ocd J T to lay it out.
Surveyor Gen^l

A true copy

p. JACOB TAYLOR.

James Claypoole was also patentee of a tract where Manayunk now is, half a mile wide, fronting on the Schuylkill, by one and one-half miles long, crossing the Wissahickon, then called Whipaine Creek, also of a tract one and one-eighth miles wide by one and three-eighths in Montgomery County, also of one on the Neshaminy Creek about one and five-eighths miles square.

This statement is confirmed in a letter written 10th of 7th month 1681, also to Samuel Clarridge, by James Claypoole, who became largely interested in land in the colony. He says,—

“William Penn does not intend for Pennsylvania till spring, and then tis like there will be many people ready to goe from England, Scotland and Ireland: He is offred great things; 6000£, for a Monoply in Trade: weh he refuses: and for Islands and Particular places, great sums of Money, but he designs to doe things equally betweene all parties, and I believe truely does aime more at Justice and righteousness and spreading of truth, than at his owne Particular gaine: I try’d him about thy proposalls to take 100£, for 5000 Acres, and abate ye quitt Rent, weh. he refused, intending to do equally by all. If thou wilt be concerned ye halfe of 5000 Acres, I will have the other halfe, and make as good tearmes for thee as for myselfe.”

Again he writes,—

“There is a ship going for Pensilvania from Bristoll, and W^m Pen is gone thither to take his leave of ye Friends, and there is another ship going thither from hence, and may be ready in a fortnight, but W^m Penn goes not till spring.”¹

In most of Mr. Claypoole’s letters, family matters, items connected with his own preparations for emigration to America, and the departure of several members of his family are incorporated with so many facts of historical interest that we frequently give the letters entire, and as far as possible in the order in which they were written. Writing to his brother Edward, 5th mo. 1681, Mr. Claypoole says,—

“My Son James has more mind to be abroad, than at

¹ Claypoole Letter-Book.

home, and thinks he shall do better with another, than with me, he writes a good hand, and has Arrethmetick very well, and I have proposed to him to be with thee as a writer, &c to wch let me have thy answer, and upon what terms I may send him, he will be 17 years old next month, My sister Staples is lately dead, in Ireland, all our relations else are well, so far as I know, wth my love to thyselfe, and my sister I rest.”¹

Again, in the same year he writes,—

“A ship is going for Pennsylvania; the passengers go away to-mo-row, and in the spring William Penn intends to be there himself. . . .

“Ships come pretty often from New York, New Jersey, or Maryland, almost every month in the summer.”

As an evidence that great prudence and deliberation were observed prior to removal to this country, another extract from the same letter is given :

“I desire thee to write at large what encouragement there is to remove from hence with a family, to dwell in those parts, and in what time a man may, if he arrive there in the seventh month, with the help of three or four servants, clear ground enough to afford corn and feed cattle for a family of fifteen or twenty. What safety or hazard may be expected from the Indians. In what time, and with what charge, a house, with ten or twelve rooms, and barn and stables, &c, may be built. In what time an orchard will bear. What sorts of trade is now amongst them, and what like to be, as the people increase; but especially give me advise of merchandise; what quantities and what sorts are most saleable and what returns may be expected; and whether New Jersey or Pennsylvania be most advisable to settle in. I desire the more particular and large account, because I have purchased of William Penn 5000 acres in his country, and I know not how I may be disposed in my

¹ Claypoole Letter-Book.

own mind, in a year or two's time, to remove thither with my family; however, in the mean time, I purpose to send over my attorney, with some servants, to build and plant, &c., and to provide cattle and all other necessaries, that if ever I come there, my land may be still improving, or some part of it, and not lie wholly waste; and if I should send over one of my sons as overseer, and some servants, what sort of servants may be most profitable; and any thing else thou canst think of, may be for direction, and how the country is as to heat and cold, how long winter and summer; what fruits grow, with plenty of all things; and what inconveniences there is which we know not here, as hazards by wild beasts, snakes, serpents, or flies for biting or poisoning, that we know beforehand what may be expected of good or bad. So not doubting but thee will be both able and willing to give me a satisfactory account of these particulars, and much more than I can mention," etc., etc.¹

In another letter, written to Samuel Clarridge, 9 mo. 27th 1681, Mr. Claypoole says,—

"Thomas Rudyard is agreeing here [in London] with a great shipp for Pennsillvania: and I hear there is another goeing from Bristol: and in y^e begining of y^e Summer it is expected there will goe 3 or 4 more shippes from here: I must send some servants to Improve my land, if I could tell where to gett some that were likely to doe well, & should be glad of a little advice from thee.² . . .

"William Penn is extraordinary busy about his new country, and purchasers present daily."

In February, 1681, he writes.—

"The method of Friends taking up land of Wm. Pen is by deeds of conveyance, for wch the Purchaser pays about 12s. If it be for 5000 Acres, wch is called a whole share or *Propriety*: for that we pay 100 £, and 50 s, *per annum* quit-rent, to begin in 83 or 84, (I cannot tell wch.)

¹ Hazard, p. 533.

² Claypoole Letter-Book.

they that will pay no rent, must pay 120 £ prest., and so for a lesser quantity proportionable, and he that can settle some few families, I think about 6, may have his land altogether, and every purchaser of 5000 Acres is to have 100 Acres by lot in ye first city. The concessions or fundamentals for government are to be perfected this day, and then to be Ingrossed, and signed and sealed by ye governor and purchasers, web if it may be permitted, I shall send you a Copy of, and then may write you more at large, if you intend to be concerned as also about our Pennsylvania Compa.”¹

The “fundamentals for government” here referred to probably allude to the “frame,” which, however, was not completed and signed until April 25, 1682.

The first notice we have seen of a “company” is in the above extract, and no doubt refers to the “Free Society of Traders,” respecting the progress of which James Claypoole gives an interesting account in several of his letters.

In a London letter of 1st mo. 14th 1681-2, he writes,—

“As to ye settling of a Compa. in Pennsylvania² we have

¹ Claypoole Letter-Book.

² This is the Free Society of Traders, sometimes spoken of as the Pennsylvania Company, to whose founders William Penn granted chartered rights and privileges in the following terms:

“And whereas I have, by my several indentures of lease, bearing date the two and twentieth day of the first month, called March, in the four and thirtieth year of the said now King's reign, granted unto Nickolas Moore, of London, medical doctor, James Claypoole, merchant, Philip Ford, William Sherloc, of London, merchants, Edward Peirce of London, leather-seller, John Symcock, and Thomas Brassey, of Cheshire, yeoman, Thomas Barker of London, wine-cooper and Edward Brookes, of London, grocer, and their heirs, to the use of themselves, and their heirs and assigns, twenty thousand acres of land, parcel of the said province of Pennsylvania, in trust nevertheless, for the ‘Free Society of Traders,’ in Pennsylvania, and their successors, as soon as the said Free Society should be by me incorporated or erected, as in and by the said indentures, (relation being thereunto had,) more fully doth appear.

“Now know all men by these presents, that I the said William Penn,

had many meetings, and debated about it, and brought matters now so to bear as we think will give generall content. The proposalls or Articles are transcribing, and next week we shall come to a conclusion either to desist or send copies abroad, and then I shall advise you further."

A little later he writes to Francis and George Rogers,—

"The Articles for the Pensilvania Compa. are printing, & I hope will be done by next post, and then either Philyp Ford or my selfe will send you one, I cannot tell wt. to write you abt. the deeds for Land, but yours will be like mine and others wch. are approved on by men skilled in the law, and as to improving of land there I can say little at present but do find my selfe more and more Inclined to goe, so that I believe it will be my lot to remove wth. my family before a year be past, whereof I shall write you further." . . . "I have subscribed 100 lb in y^e Compa. stock, hope y^e same of you and others."

according to the powers given by the said letters-patent, do erect the said twenty thousand acres into a manor, and do constitute, make, and confirm the same to be henceforth a manor, by the name of the manor of Frank, to all intents and purposes; and I do hereby authorize, give power, and grant to the said Nicholas Moore, James Claypoole, Philip Ford, William Sherloe, Edward Peirce, John Symcock, Thomas Brassey, Thomas Barker, and Edward Brookes, and to such other persons as they shall hereafter receive into their society, by the name of 'The Free Society of Traders,' in Pennsylvania, and to their successors, whom I hereby erect and constitute a corporation by that name, to all intents and purposes, for the better improvement of trade, to sue and be sued, and to answer and be answered by that name, and by that name to give and grant to any person or persons, such part or parcel of the said Manor of Frank as to them shall seem meet, to be holden of them and their successors, in free and common soccage, by such rents, customs, and services, as to them and their successors shall seem meet, so as the same be consistant with the said tenure in free and common soccage. And also, that the said Free Society of Traders, in Pennsylvania, and their successors, shall and may, from time to time, and at all times hereafter, receive, take, and enjoy, all such rents, customs, and services reserved as aforesaid, together with all other services incident to the said tenure, and all the fruits and consequents thereupon, to their own use and behoof."—Hazard's Register, p. 542.

"The first meeting of the Free Society of Traders was held in London, May 29, for choosing officers; the following were elected—Nicholas Moore, of London, medical doctor, president; John Symcock, of Pennsylvania, yeoman, deputy president; James Claypoole, of London, merchant, treasurer; all to continue for seven years: John Boy, of Wilts, surveyor, and the following committee of twelve, to reside in Pennsylvania, Thomas Brassey, Robert Turner, Thomas Holmes, John Bezer, Francis Plumstead, Griffith Jones, Anthony Elton, James Harrison, John Blunston, Isaac Martin, Walter King, William Haige: Joseph Martin, of London, merchant, chief agent; Philip Ford, of London, merchant, deputy agent; William Sherlow, merchant, John Sweetapple, goldsmith, Thomas Barker, wine-cooper, Edward Pelrod, oilman, all of London, assistants."¹

In the following letter to his brother Norton, London, 5 mo. 14th 1682, we find some further information respecting the Society, its scope and powers under the charter, and the writer again alludes to the *capital city*:

"I have 100 Acres where our Capitall City is to be upon y^e River near Schoolkill & Peeter Cooks, there I intend to plant & build my first house wee have Erected a Society for trade in Pensylvania. . . . if there be any friend or acquaintance of thine y^e is inclined to Joyne wth. us I desire thee to encourage it, for y^e greater or. Stock y^e more easily will it bear y^e Charge, for wee could very well imploy 20000 lb stocks, One Doctr. Moore a very worthy ingenious person is Chosen presedent, John Symcock of Pensylvania Deputy president, I am Chosen Treasurer, they allow y^e president 150 lb y^e dept. & Treasurer, each 100 lb p^{a} annum agreed for 7 yeares to come we are to send over a 100 servts. to build houses, to plant & improve land and for Cattle & to set up a glass house for Bottles drinking glass & window glass, to supply y^e Islands & continent of America & we hope to have wine & oyle for Merchandize, & some linon however hemp

¹ Hazard's Register, p. 576.

for Cordage, & for Iron Lead & other Mineralls we have no doubt off so y^e through y^e blessing of god wee may hope for a great increase. And it may come to be a famous Compy. We have sent a messenger to y^e Emperour & Kings to settle a Constant friendship & trade between us & have sent y^m divers Presents in y^e name of y^e Society & do reserve about 2000 lb for y^e Beaver & Furr trade & Skins we have bought 20000 Acres of land & shall have 400 Acres of it y^e Capitall City where our house must be built wth. divers warehouses & offices, As for the governour Wm. Penn he has bin and will be very kind to us, besides his Subscription wch. is Considerable he has given us y^e quitt rent of all or. land and most ample pattent or Charter to be Confirmed by the first generall Assembly in Pensylvania wth. as many priveledges as wee could desire, whereby we are a Corporation a Lordship & mannor having a magistracy & Governmt. wth or selves, y^e 3 principall officers aforesad. being Justices of y^e Peace. . . . I thank thee for thy advice about goods y^e may be proper to send, and I desire thee give mee what farther advice and direction thou canst, wch. may be very beneficiall to me, so be not sparing of thy Paines but lett thy advice be large and full.”¹

From London, April, 1682, Claypoole writes,—

“Since writing the above I have been at Gravesend with My son John who has gone per the Amity, Richard Dimond, Master for Pennsylvania, to be assistant to the general surveyor, whose name is Thomas Holmes, a very honest, ingenious worthy Man. . . .

“Have fitted John out with all things necessary, and his employment is very creditable, and if he be diligent, and sober, may come in a few years time to be profitable however it will be a present maintainance, & keep him from ill company. I have bought 5000 Acres of land of Wm. Pen & we are endeavouring to settle a Society for trade, according to this—Inclosed book of Articles, there has been subscriptions allready for near 10000 lbs but we laid that

¹ Pennsylvania Magazine, vol. x. p. 196.

aside; not having agreed on all Particulars & now the next week we shall begin to subscribe according to this booke Divers Persons have desired that if the stock be considerable, so as yt. we shall Proceed, that I might be one of y^e Principall Officers as Deputy, for there are 2 Chosen for President & Treasurer; wch. I am Inclined to accept of if they chuse me, however I have a great drawing in my mind to remove wth. my family thither, so that I am given up if the Lord clears our way to be gone next spring, it may be about a year hence, I know not of any sooner time, in ye mean time I am verry willing & desirous to serve my Correspondents here, & shall do it wth. ye same care & diligence as formerly, and thee in Particular Brother, I hope thou wilt not lessen or wth. draw thy business, for I shall be writing thee almost every mon. how my mind stands as to this matter, and if anything should come near ye time of our going away, I shall certainly leave a letter of Attorney wth. some very honest sufficient man, to answer all bills, & to make full returns both to thee & all others, so that none shall have any cause to complain of me, for I shall doe Justly & honestly by all people, . . . Advise in thy next wt. I might have 2 negroes for, that might be fit for cutting down trees, building ploughing or any sort of labor, that is required in ye 1st planting of a country, I hope to carry 10 or 12 servts. from hence, & many people that love us well are Inclined to goe wth. we goe Wm. Pen himselfe & family goes this summer, & Probably abt. 1000 people & he is so much my friend that I can have anything in reason I desire of him, so that I have as much encouragement as any man whatever, but I look not at all that, but at the hand of ye Lord, who I believe will bless us this way. I had a letter from Brother Norton this week dated ye 16th 10^{mo} from new Deal in Delaware bay where he is settled in a Plantation, he writes his wife and child was come, and he was going to fetch them home; Brother Wingfield is like to goe wth. us to Pensilvania, & has Promised to subscribe 50 lb in y^e Compa. stock, & I hear my Brother Jno. is much inclined to it. Pray Brother in thy next give me wt advise thou canst abt.

carrying things necessary for our first settling, & planting, & consider if there may not probably be a trade between Berbados & Pensilvania, we hope to have Corne & wine & Cattle, if the Lord blesses us, in a few years."

To Edward Claypoole, London, 16 11mo. 1682-3:

"Here have come letters from Wm. Penn above a month since that he was well in health and was settling the countrey and they had began to build a City wth they call Philodelphia and there had been that summer 21 sayl ships arrived there wth Passingers."

After all his doubts and uncertainty, Mr. Claypoole finally decided to remove to Pennsylvania, in accordance with which intention he wrote to his brother, 4 mo. 1682,—

. . . "I am still in the same mind of removing with my family to Pennsylvania in ye spring, about the first month, and shall ord^r. my busyness accordingly, and as soon as I cann fix upon an Attourney with whom to leave my concerns here, I shall advise thee thereof: I have a trusty servant that is very dilligent and capable to do busyness, and has about 3 yeares to serve, but wee are not yet fully agreed about his staying here, or goeing with mee, and my sonne James who is now near 18 yeares old has an inclination to stay here, and I and his mother are willing hee should: but wee shall consider further, and in a few months come to a Conclusion. The pennsylvania society hath chosen mee treasurer & propose to allow mee £100 start p^{a} annum and to dwell and dyett in their house to keep their effects of all sorts, and to oversee servants and buy & sell &c. wee have about £8000 subscribed, and do expect it will bee made up £10000 the $\frac{1}{2}$ of wth wee take in at present: and ye other $\frac{1}{2}$ as wee shall have occasion next year or afterwards: . . . I think I must have 2 Negroe men stronge fellows and a boy and Girle, so I desire thee yt. when thou meets with such as may be pro^o for ye Country and my occasions to keep them for mee."

From London, 21 7 mo. 1682, he writes to John Goodson,—

“Dear Friend I hope by this time you are safe in ye Downes which I should be glad to heare by a few lines ffrom thee and how you all doe on borde and what order they keep we pleaded with ye master for abatem^t for thee either in . . . or that $\frac{1}{2}$ passinger but could not prevail he said thy accomodation in the Gun room was worth as much as the Presidents in ye Cabbin he promised that Edward Cole should keep his place with thee all ye voyage so I desire thee to insist upon it that he may not be turned out for he is a Civill man and will not wrong any but may be wronged by others: I gave the Boatswaine halfe a crowne to be kind to him, and spake to the mates and to the President the like: So I hope he will be well used, here is ye Indenture for Edw^d. Cole who is to serve mee 4 yeares; which I desire thee to lay up safe for mee till I come to Pennsylvania: and here is the bill of parcells for the goods in the Chest and bundle being Iron mongers Ware: tooles, for workinge and some matterialls towards ye building of a house: w^{ch} lett him take a Coppie of, and the other things were committed to his care being in his name. Chest, and a case a bundle and an Iron pott: here is also one of the bills of ladeing for fre^t and passage. Hee arriving in health in ye Country I expect he should ent^r upon my land, where ye first Citty is intended to bee built. And there with the advise of W^m. Penn Doct^r Moor Tho: Holmes, Ralph Withers and thyselfe: I would have him to beginn to build a house that may receive us, If it please ye lord wee arrive there in the 2nd or 3rd month next: If it bee but a sleight house like a barne with one floore of two Chambers: and will hold us and our goods and keep us from ye sunn & weath^r it may suffice: I would also have some trees planted at ye right season for an orchard between the trees growinge, w^{ch} may be either Lowp^d or sawed of near ye topp or roote as is most adviseable: but for Grubbing up, I think that may be left till I come with more help: I need not name the fruite trees but

I would have all such sorts as o' neighbours there do plant : But principally I would have him look out for Earth to make Bricks and prepare as much as he cann in ye most convenient place to work upon in Springe. I write to my Broth^r Edward Claypoole of Barbadoes to send mee one or 2 good stout negroes in ye Spring, and I hope to bring a Carpent. a husbandman & some other servants with mee : I would have a sellar und^r ye house if it may bee, as to his maintenance till I come I know not how to advise, but must leave y^t to him, and to ye advise of my good friends there : I hope hee will be wise & save & do what hee cann for my advantage, and then I shall be ye more ~~Þ~~engaged to do for him ; and ye more peace & satisfaction he will have in his owne minde : Truly my desire is y^t we may all have an Eye to ye Lord in all o' undertakings, who is the great provider for all and ye preserver of all ; that we may soe live in his fear y^t we may honn^r his name and truth and in our whole conversation answ^r his wittness in all people so shall righteousness establish our Nation, and our habitations be in peace and safety even in Jerusalem, that is a quiet habitation and has Salvation for walls, and bulwarks, I know ye Lord will keep us both from our inward, and outward enemies, if we trust in him, and walk in His Counsell. We have found it so that in all our troubles, and trialls and exercises he hath bin with us, and has not forsaken us, and his name has bin, and is our strong tower, where we fly for safety, as ye righteous did in all ages. So my friend, let us look to ye Lord, and trust in him, and wait for his presence, y^t wee may feel the renewing of life daily, and so live in ye dominion of his power, over y^t wth would not have him to raigne, y^t he may be glorified by us, for wch. we were created, and thus being kept we may have access into his presence, and are sensible of his care over us, and preserving power who commands ye windes, & ye seas and they obey him, and is a deliverer in ye mighty waters. It may be well if all y^t profess truth on board, and others y^t are willinge, might meet together two or three times in a week, to waite upon ye Lord, that you may be comforted together, as we

have bin many times, and can say we never sought his face, in vaine. So y^t you will be kept in ye Savory life, and bee a good example to others, and keep down badd spirits, y^t they shall not have power. My love to Isaac Wheelidon, Nathan Watson, thy wife and maid Mary and what other friends there is with my true love to thyself. I rest thy friend, and brother in the truth.

“Post—Remember my love to ye President and his wife, and Capⁿ Arnall . . . Mary Pennington, Wm Pen’s wife’s mother is dead, and this day to be buried.”

To Edward Claypoole, London, 23 7mo. 1682 :

“My purpose of going to Pennsylvania with my family is still ye same as advised in my last, I purpose to be ready to go on shipp board, about ye end of ye 1th mo or beginning of ye second month, in ye mean time I shall be looking out for servants, w^{ch} may be proper to take with mee, as two Carpenters, a bricklayer, a husbandman, and two labourers, I have sent by Capⁿ Arnall (who is in ye Downes bound for Pennsylvania) an honest man to build mee a slight house and plant an Orchard and clear some ground with the help of a carpent^r who is goeing with another friend: my Man is a Brickmaker, but has skill in planting and husbandrie and ap^t of a Carpent^r, he is an honest industrious solid man of about 47 yeares old, and one called a Quaker: for his assistance and for my use and service I desire thee to provide me 2 good stout negroes men, such as are like to be plyable and good natured: and ingenious: I question not but thou knowes better than I doe w^{ch} may be fittest for me: And I hope thou wilt be so kind as to lett mee have those w^{ch} are good likely men: for some I hear are so ill natured and surrly, that a man had bett^r keep a Bear, and some again, so ingenious dillig^t and good natured, that they are a great comfort and Benefitt to a man and his family: And my family is great and I have 3 young Children: so that it may bee very prejudiciall to mee to have bad negroes: I would also have a boy and a girl to serve in my house: I would not have either of them

und' 10 yeares or above 20: but principally observe their nature and Capacity: If I have them in ye 3rd or 4th mo in Pennsylvania may be well, but ye men I would have sent by ye first oppertunity in ye Spring, directed to Jno Goodson at Upland, In Pennsylvania Chyrrurgeon to the Society of traders, or in his absence to Ralph Withers, to whom I have given a lett' of attourny to be deputy Treasurer to ye Society till my Arrivall.

"In ye shipp bound for Pennsylvania in ye Downes is ye President of ye Society, [Nicholas Moore] with about 60 or 70 serv^{ts} besides many other passengers. It is a great shipp, about 500 tunns, and never was at sea, we reckon there may be near 1000 people gone this year. There is some probability of my brother Wingfield going with us to Pennsylvania, he is resolved upon it, if hee can get his concerns from Ireland. As for our coming to Barb^{ts} for 3 or 4 weeks, he likes that well, but I know not yet how it may bee. I have endeavored to get thee a serv^t or two, but as yett I cannot, but I doubt not to get some before I go away."

We find no mention of Wingfield Claypoole in this country, and so conclude that he did not carry out his idea of emigrating to America. Among the most interesting of Mr. Claypoole's letters is one written to the Proprietary about this time, which reveals the intimate and friendly relations existing between the writer and the founder of Pennsylvania:

"LONDON 1st 2nd month 1683

"DEAR WM. PENN.

"In the pure heavenly love by which we are brought nigh unto the Lord, and unto one another I salute thee, feeling as I have done oftentimes since thou went hence the streams here flowing to our mutual comfort.

"I writ to thee at large the 5th 11^{mon} by Thomas Singleton who has a good word for many days, and so that we hope he might arrive with you above a month hence. I had the

light of two letters from thee, one to G. F. and one to A. P. and Q. P. which were very acceptable to us, after the many lying reports that were spread about concerning thee, and indeed it was very comfortable to us to hear and see of the goodness of the Lord to you, and how eminently he did appear to your refreshment, and how his wisdom and authority was with thee and other friends. So that the spirits of the people both high and low were bowed, and truth shined over all and the name of the Lord was manifested, to him be the praises forever who fits his people for his service and honereth those that honor him, and he will still keep you and prosper your ways and increase his love, and life, and power, and wisdom, among you, as you keep low in his counsel, and have an eye to his glory above and beyond all. I know the Lord never did forsake such, nor ever will, but attends them with his presence and carrys them through all difficulties, but if we look out and have an eye to self, and take any part of Gods honor he will suffer us to be abased. Oh I have found it to be a great hinderance, and hurt when I have had precious gifts, and openings, and an utterance has been given for the service of the Lord, looking a little at self I have been shut up, and sorrow has come over me, and I have travailed in spirit, and prayed to the Lord many a time that, that might be removed out of the way that would exalt self, and thus hinder the work in the simplicity, in tenderness, in fear, and true humility, and be nothing but what the Lord will, that I may be as low as the dust of the earth as to his truth and service, and allways empty unless the Lord fills me.

“I know it is allways best with us if we are kept low for the Lord beautifies ye meek with salvation, and he teaches the humble his ways, and the high and lofty one that inhabits eternity, and dwells in the highest heavens, he dwells also in the humble, and contrite heart, and the beauty of humility shines most, and is most amiable in persons that are set in high places, and this is a defence upon our glory which can never be stained while we keep here, so my prayer to the Lord is that thou, and I, and all good people

may be preserved in this tender, humble contrite state that we go on in the work, and service of the Lord to his praise, and glory, and finish our testimony with Joy keeping always the assurance of an immortal crown of life that is laid up for us, and for all the true Israel of God.

“Two days since I received thine to me, and my wife dated 29th 10th m which was a great refreshment to us, and I take it very kindly that in the midst of such great concerns thou should remember us, and write two sides with thine own hand, for I believe thou hast but little time to spare, and many people to write to, truly I value thy love, and do hope I shall never lose that place, I have in thine, and the hearts of friends, for it is part of my best treasure, and I prize it beyond all outward things.

“The 20th inst my wife, and I, with G. F. and Bridget Ford came to thy house at Worminghurst where we were very kindly entertained by thy dear wife, and stayed there till the 26th then came away, and that morning she, and thy 4 children were in good health. We had a comfortable time of it with George, I believe I shall never forget it, the benefit of his society is highly to be valued, that innocent pure heavenly seasoning savoury life that appears always in him, is a continual meeting. Thou and the friends in those parts are much indebted to him for his fatherly care for your good and the good of the country, and is so glad when he meets with any thing of good advice that may be beneficial either inwardly or outwardly, we left him at John Rouses at Ilingston where he is I suppose at this time. Our meetings are kept in the street still, and almost every day the informers, and constables are at friends houses to strain, but I shall tell thee less because Wm Gibson goes in this vessel, and Rich Lowry and can give thee a more full account: I have not had one letter from Pennsylvania, but thine. I wonder that neither my Son John, nor Edward Cole, my servant, nor Thomas Holmes, John Goodson, R. Withers, Dr. Moore, would not write me one line yet, I cannot tell what to think unless some letters be miscarried, or gone far abt. thou says thou hast written to G. Ford about

the society, but he tells me little, but that the Charter was not confirmed by the assembly, and that the President wanted assistance to carry on the affairs of the company, so that we are like to suffer both in our stock and reputation when it comes among the people, I am afraid they will say they are all cheated, for the Charter or Patent which thou signed was a great inducement to many to subscribe and to others to pay in their money that had subscribed and we did not doubt, but according to our desire, and thy promise the first Assembly would confirm the charter and choose assistants to manage the business.

“As to the President, he has no power but by a committee or court of assistants, and he, and the other officers must see that their orders be performed, but if thou leave him alone and will not afford him help he may be disgusted and let the concerns go to ruine and that will greatly redound to the dishonor of truth and the reputation of friends both as men and Christians (thee as well as others) and be a great hurt to the country, so Dear Wm. I entreat thee do not slight it, but get all things done in relation to the company to answer our engagements, and the peoples expectations, if the charter be uneasy let it be mended if it cannot be mended lay it aside, and make another for a charter there must be, or the company can not subsist, and then as to assistants if some refuse others may be chosen and if not so many as the articles express, yet some there ought to be that may have the power, and carry on the business to the peoples satisfaction.

“I know it not, but I doubt there is some feud to which the height of the President possibly might occasion, but thou knowest that it is meekness must overcome haughtiness, and love must overcome Enmity, he is a man may be won, and governed in love, but if he would not be persuaded, but be adverse, and stubborn to the prejudice of the Society, he may be according to our first constitution and agreement laid aside, and another chosen in his room, if R. Withers would not act in my stead he should not have taken it upon him, and then we should have taken another.

"I think it is very unkindly done, and I know not how he can answer it, but I do not conclude it to be so till I hear furthur.

"I am still preparing to get away, and many have been my excersices and troubles with unreasonable men but I have ended most of them, the greatest bur in my way at present is about 700 £ I have at Bremen and Hamberg, most of it in goods unsold, and my correspondent at Bremen lately dead, and another there has played the knave with me, so but for that I would have been ready at this time, but I can not well discharge all concerns here to go away with good repute unless I have at least $\frac{1}{2}$ of that home, which I am now in good hopes of in 2 or 3 weeks, having sent a letter of attorney &c. so I have agreed with one Wm Jeffries, master, of the Concord a ship of 500 tons a brave strong good ship every way, and the master an experienced man that has been 7 or 8 times at Virginia he is to be ready to sail from Gravesend the 16th next month. I am glad to hear our son John is employed in surveying, and take very kindly thy counselling him I hope he will reform, and be a comfort to us at last. I and my Wife and 7 children are in good health, and very well assisted in our intended voyage still believing that the Lord will bless us and carry us through to our joy, and comfort. With mine and my Wifes dear sincere love to thee I rest thy friend and brother in the blessed truth.

"My dear love to C Taylor and his wife, J. Harrison, R. Withers &c. Sir J. Chitterbuck is dead.

"I have several letters lately from dear Robert Lodge, in one dated the 5th 12th mo he writes that his wife was deceased, and that the priest was so envious that he had invited him and some other friends at the sessions for the burial, and the 21st 1 month he writes that he would gladly come to see us before we go away, but he has not freedom to stir much from home, being in daily expectation to be taken to prison, he desires me in his letters to mind his dear love to thee

J. C."

In a letter written to his steward in 1684, William Penn refers as follows to James Claypoole, whom he had made register: "Tell me how he does; watch over him, his wife and family," etc.

The following letter, written by James Claypoole a short time before his embarking for Pennsylvania, was addressed to Robert Turner, who came over in the same vessel:

"I rec^d yesterday thine 29th past, as to our intended voyage for Pennsylvania, we hope to be ready to imbarq ab^t ye end of the 1st month, and are looking out for a good vessell to carry us, I am in Treaty wth one Jefferies m^r of a shipp of 500 Tunn, w^{ch} will require 2^{mo}. time to gett ready in, he has used the Virginia trade and may be very fitt for us both ship, and M^r if we can but procure company and goods enough to make a bargain wth him to engage him into Delaware River directly w^{ch} we suppose ab^t 80 Passingers and 50 Ton of goods may doe she is by report for I have not yet seen her a very brave ship as not many Merch^t ships in England exceeds her so if thou knowst of any friends in Ireland that have a purpose of going to Pensylvania or New Jarsy, and will take this opportunity it may be a great accommodation to them as well as to us if thou hears of any I desire thee write to me ab^t it, as for any news for Pensylvania we have of late none but good, there had been 21 sail ships arrived last summer in Delaware and the country is very well liked for Pleasantness by the people, W^m Penn was well and things was like to be settled to content and was received wth a great deal of love and respect and had held a Court in Pensylvania and was gone to hold another at New Castle, and there also the people readily subjected to him and there was like to be a good understanding, and a fair settle^{mt} of the bounds between Baltimore and him, I suppose thou heard long since of 31 friends that dyed in Wm. Pen's ship of the small pox, but as for other reports, w^{ch} we believe are lyes, it is in vain to mention them, we are in dayly expectation of another ship from

New York wth will bring us more ample acc^t of all things, wth I may advise thee of. In the mean time I desire to hear from thee w^a and how thou intends to goe and any other advise that thou thinks may be serviceable. wth my true love to thee I am, &c."

On June 15, 1683, Mr. Claypoole writes from London to Benjamin Furley,—

"I have according to thy ord^r of wth I advised in my last agreed possitively wth Cap^t Jeffries M^r of the Concord for the passage of the 33 Dutchmen."

While waiting for the Crefeld pilgrims,—the "33 Dutchmen" mentioned in the preceding extract,—James Claypoole wrote the last English letter of which we find any record. To Benjamin Furley, London, July 10, 1683:

"Yesterday I rec^d thine dated the 9th Ins^t. It troubles me much that the friends from Creville [Crefeld] are not yet come and the wind being still contrary, I doubt we shall goe away without them, the ship went to Gravesend the 7th and intends for the Downs the 17th and then to be gone wth the first fair wind, we have loytered severall days on their account, and shall doe still, wth may be 50^{lb} damidge to the ship, but we cannot blame them, but if it were the will of the Lord I should be heartily glad they might come before we goe, for it troubles me to think w^t a great disappointment it will be to the poor friends besides the loss of their money w^c I have p^d to the M^r long since, this stay of the ship is by consent on both sides but if I detayn him beyond the time agreed upon, I must pay 5^{lb} 3^s dium demarage, I send my son again this day to Gravesend to see for them we goe all this week. I have acquainted Tommans wth w^t thou writes there is another great ship near 500 Tonn bound for Pennsylvania, wth friends have agreed for, and is to be ready the next month, her name is the Jefferies, Thos. Arnold, M^r, If the wind should be westerly w^a we come into the Downs we must stay, and if it be possible I

will get him to stay 2 days for them wth a fair wind but I cannot promise it, I may write again from Gravesend, we have many convenient Cabins made and private rooms for familys and 14 Excellent Oxen killed and 30 Tonn beer & abundance of bread and water so that we are victualled for 120 people, & may want $\frac{1}{2}$ them for w^t I see yet, wth is a great disappointm^t to ye M^r & owners.”¹

The ship Concord arrived in Phil^a 8th 8th 1683, and in the following letter, written from Philadelphia, 10th 2nd 1683, to his brother Edward, Mr. Claypoole writes an account of his voyage and his arrival in the Province :

“ My last to thee was the 10 5 mo. wth I Sent from Gravesend by Captain Manly, wth 6 Aggat Knives wth I hope are come Safe to hand If I can I will upon this sheet Send thee Copy of the said letter, As to our voyage from England to this place, we went on board the Concord at Gravesend the 24 5 mo. and after we lost sight of England wth was in about 3 weeks time, we were 49 days before we saw land in America, and the 1 8mo some of us went ashore in Pennsylvania: the blessing of the Lord did attend us so that we had a verry comfortable passage, and had our health all the way: We came to this City the 8th or 10th 8 mo. where I found my servant had builded me a house like a barne without a Chimney 40 foot long and 20 broad, wth a good dry Cellar under it which proved an extraordinary conveniency for securing our goods and lodging my family, Although it stood me in very dear, for he had run me up for dyat—& work—near 60^{lb} Starling which I am paying as mony comes in for goods to this I built a kitchen of 20 foot squar where I am to have a double Chimney, wth I hope will be up in 8 or 12 days,² I writt to thee to send me 4 blacks viz

¹ “ Despite the forebodings of Claypoole,” says Judge S. W. Pennypacker, “the emigrants reached London in time for the Concord, and they set sail westward on the 24th of July, 1683.”—*The Settlement of Germantown*, p. 19.

² Although Mr. Claypoole's letter proves that he did not live in a cave during his first winter in the Province, the following from Mr. Watson

a man, a woman, a boy, a Girl but being I was so disappointed in England as not to send thee those goods thou wrote for; I could not expect thou wouldst send them, If they had been sent I should have taken it verry kindly & have ballanced n^{oot} with thee in some reasonable time. Now my desire is that if thou dost not send them all however to send me a boy between 12 & 20 years: . . . My lott in this place, proves to be Especially for trade one of the [best] in the Citty & though I imploy my time in serveing the Society being treasurer for w^{ch} I have a 100^{lb} start yet my wife & Children with my direction shall mannage the business as well as if I did it myself, & I will be accountable for all, so I desire thee let us have a little trade together, & as I writt formerly if thou will take for thyself or for any other 1000 or 2000 Acres of land in this Country the sooner y^e better for people come in so fast that it is like to be much dearer in a little time its Judgd about 1000 people come in 6 weeks so that it is already worth double what it was 1000 Acres being now at 40^{lb} starl Samu'll Carpenter is next but one to me, & is lickly to get a great Estate quickly—W^m fram-

is interesting, and the fact that the Claypoole house boasted no chimney may have led Mr. Watson to think that he and his family dwelt in a cave. In speaking of a Miss Claypoole, whom he met at Timothy Matlack's, he says, " Her ancestor in this country came out with Penn, and is often mentioned among the earliest officers of the government. His name was James Claypoole—was a merchant, a partner in the Free Traders' Company, and a public character in Friends' Meeting. I once saw the certificate for himself and three daughters from Friends' Meeting at Bull and Mouth, England. He passed his first winter in a cave in the bank of Front Street, with his family and servants. In the spring following he built his house, the same afterwards known as the Rattle Snake Inn, No. 37 Walnut Street, north side, a few doors east of Second Street. It was a double two-story brick house, had four leaden-framed windows in front, and the same in the rear. The late Miss Claypoole was born in that house, and her grandmother [probably a great-aunt], Deborah Claypoole, told her that when that house was built, their dogs used to go up to the woods, at and about the Second Street court-house (built in 1707), and there catch rabbits and bring them home. Their house long had a beautiful south exposure, down a descending green into the pleasant Dock Creek."—Watson's *Annals of Philadelphia*, vol. i. p. 558.

ton is one the other side of me building a great brew house, If I had time and could write for cold having no Chimney I would have fild some sheets of paper in giving thee acc^t of the Country & our settlem^t trade & laws &c but now I must be excused till another time, only this in short I do believe it will prove a verry healthy Country & that great improvements may be made in a few years by Industry & skill: . . . I could not git 1s. of Brother Claypoole at parting towards the money he owed me & my Brother Norton is not able at present to pay me anything I have trusted him with above 30lb more since I came, so that now he owes me above 200 he is in a thriveing way and the governor has given him a place that may be worth to him 40th or 50th £ anum he does intend to sell his land and houses whear he lives & come to dwell at this towne & then he will pay me he sayes what he owes me, . . . I have a great deal more to write, but time failes for the boat is going quickly so must Conclude.

“Thy Assured Loving Brother”

Again Mr. Claypoole writes :

“PHYLADELPHIA 24th 12^{mo} 1683/4

“DEAR FRIEND GAWEN LAURIE,—I was very glad to hear of thy safe arrivall in East Jarsey and should have written to thee by W^m Hage, but about the time of his going hence, I had business in hand that required necessity of dispatch, and sometimes it falls out so here, that one has not an hour to spare in severall days but I hope when this summer & the next winter is past, we shall have more rest and quietness, I long to see thee and to have some discourse with thee, which to attain I must break through difficulties, and lay aside my business, and I think it will not bee many weeks first the weather being also encouraging, . . .

“After we lost sight of England, that day 7 weeks we got sight of American land, and the 1st. 8mo. (which was the month I was borne in Just 49 year) I went ashore in Pennsylvania, about the 10th we came to this place staying on board 7 or 8 days to get our goods out of the ship. We had

before we came here the carcass of a house finished 40 feet long & 20 broad with a cellar, and we have added 20 foot to it, and have been from that day to this sitting it to dwell in, my lott proves to be one of the best in the Town, having 102 foot to the River & 396 long & abt. 1½ acre in the high street, there is a swamp runs by the side of my lott, that with a small charge might be made navigable, and a brave harbour for sloops and small ships, here are divers ways to improve a stock of 1 or 2000 lb to very great advantage, but I am not for striving or making hast to be rich, but my Intent and desire is to goe on quietly and moderately and to have a regard to the Lord in all my ways and Proceedings and principally and above all to seek the kingdome of God and the righteousness thereof. . . .

“We have noe cause to repent our coming hither, but to bless the Lord for his leading hand and counsell, we have here verry precious heavenly meetings, and many Friends have a blessed living testimony, and we are united in sincere love, so that we have the mark upon us of the disciples of Christ Jesus W^m Penn our Governour has been Exceeding kind, and is so still to me & my Family as if we were his nearest relations, and I hope his love will continue, & I know it will, as wee abide in Christ Jesus the heavenly vine the root of life from whom we receive nourishment, for that is the spring & fountaine of the Everlasting love & fellowship: Truly he is very pretious in his Testimony, and conversation, and we may be sure he takes counsell of the Lord, for there is much of the wisdom that is from above manifest in his conduct & manidgem^t of affairs here, by w^{ch} he is made a fit instrument in the hand of the Lord for the work and service he is called to, and I wish with all my heart that all the Governours upon the Earth were such as he is.

“ . . . I and my wife and 8 children are all at this place in good health, and soe have been mostly since we came, John my Eldest writes for the Register, James is book keeper to the Society, so with mine & my wives dear love in the truth to thee I rest

“Thy Endeared Friend, &c.”

The first mention that we find of the Claypoole family in the Province is 8th mo. 26th 1683, when John Claypoole, son of James, was foreman of a jury. This was about two months before James Claypoole's first Philadelphia letter was written.

Before coming to America Mr. Claypoole was, as stated in numerous records of the time, Treasurer and an interested member of the Free Society of Traders. Soon after his arrival in Pennsylvania we find him filling various positions of public trust.

At a council held at New Castle the 19th of 6th mo. 1684, a commission was read, empowering Thos. Lloyd, James Claypoole, and Rob^t Turner to sign Patents and grant warrants, while at a meeting of Council especially appointed for the nominating of Judges at the Council Room at Phila. the 14th of 7th mo. 1685, it was agreed that a commission be drawn for three Judges,—viz., James Claypoole, James Harrison, and Arthur Cook.¹ In consequence of severe illness, Mr. Claypoole was not able to serve, but soon after, 9th mo. 6th 1685, we find the following:

“Ordered that James Claypoole, Rob^t Turner, Sam^l Carpenter, John Jones, Wm. Frampton, Patrick Robinson, John Test, John Songhurst, be writ to desiring them to come forthwith to the Council, they having urgent business with them about the subscriptions. The persons alluded to above, all came to the Council, where they discoursed about the subscriptions—concluded amongst themselves to meet together in the afternoon, to consult about method, how to proceed, in order to discharge their obligations, and give an account thereof, at the next sitting of the Council. At the same meeting it was ordered that a general commission of peace be drawn up for the County of Phil^a. and to put in these persons—viz., James Clapoole, Wm. Frampton, H[umphrey]

¹ Colonial Records, vol. i. pp. 66, 102.

Murrey, Wm. Salway, John Revan [Bevan], Lucy Cock, Wm. Wardner Sr., Rob^t Turner and John Moon."¹

Again, at a meeting of Council held at Phila., Aug. 22, 1684, it was ordered that James Claypoole, Samuel Carpenter, and William Frampton be commissioned to dispose of the French ship forthwith.

On further consultation of the records we find that James Claypoole was commissioned Justice of the Peace and Court for the County of Philadelphia, 9th mo. 6th 1685, and was returned for the Assembly to represent the same county, 3rd mo. 10th 1686, with John Songhurst, Griffith Owen, John Goodson, Andrew Bankson, Thomas Duckett.

At a meeting of Council 3rd mo. 11th 1686, we find both James and Norton Claypoole, in company with John Blunston, William Biles, and other members of the Assembly, petitioning the Council for an alteration of the style of promulgating bills according to the charter, &c.² Again in the same year we find James Claypoole with Thomas Holmes and James Harrison recommended to the Council as judges to sit in the ensuing Provincial Court.³

At a meeting of Council on the 18th of 9th mo. 1686, "The commission upon y^e Death of Wm. Frampton, one of y^e persons Commissionated for ye managem^t of ye Registry Office, and upon the Application of Wm. Southersoby to be Excused for being Concerned therein as joynt Commissioners and Robert Turner also not Desiring to Continue therein, it was unanimously [agreed] that ye Gen^l Registry be proposed to the acceptation of James Claypoole, Sr. having lately Requested ye same; upon his Consent thereunto,

¹ Colonial Records, vol. i. p. 112.

² Ibid., vol. i. pp. 128, 130.

³ The Court of Pennsylvania in the Seventeenth Century, Lawrence Lewis, Jr., Pennsylvania Magazine, vol. v.

a Commission to be Drawne to Impowre him to act therein During ye Gov^r Pleasure."¹ In connection with this we find the following letter to Christopher Taylor, 12th 12mo. 1683:

"Concerning my deputation from thee to serve in the Register office &c. I have considered that it will not be for the Credit. of the Governour nor neither of us for me to Act as a Deputy in that w^{ch} is but the business of one man, neither is there any need of a Deputy but by reason of thy removing from hence, where the office must be kept, And this way of getting grants for offices, and putting in deputies for a share of the gain may be an ill President, and made use of to the peoples wrong in times to come, w^{ch} we must be carefull of for truths honour & our own, and further I believe the Governour would not have conferred that office upon thee, had he expected thou wouldst have removed from thence, so this I have to propose that thou consent in answer to this to let me (if the Governour please to grant it) have a Pattent for the office in my own name, and I will signe and seale to thee any obligation that is p^{er} to pay to the y^e $\frac{1}{2}$ pt. of the Profit of the sd. office, w^{ch} wth my true love to thee & thy wife."

In the ensuing year, 1687, we find James Claypoole in the Governor's Council, commissioned to serve three years, dating from 1 mo 30th.² He is recorded as having been present at each meeting of Council up to the 18th of 3rd mo. 1687. From this time until the 17th of 6th mo. there appear to have been no meetings.

At a meeting which took place 6th 17th 1687, it was "Ordered that a writt be sent to ye Sheriff of Phila. County for ye Choosing of a member to serve in Prov^l Council in

¹ Colonial Records, vol. i. p. 149; Pennsylvania Archives, vol. ix. p. 627.

² Colonial Records, vol. i. p. 149.

the Roome of James Claypool deceased, and that ye election be on ye 26th Inst."

At a meeting on the 18th of 6 mo., a resolution was ordered, "That those persons who were Constituted Deputies by James Claypool, late Register Gen^l of ye Province and Territories, doe Continue in ye Said Office until further Ord^r." It was further ordered that John Eckley be constituted Register General in the room of James Claypoole, deceased, until the Governor's pleasure be further known in the matter, and at a meeting of the Council the following month Samuel Carpenter was appointed to serve in the Council in the place of James Claypoole during the remainder of his term.¹

James Claypoole died August 6, 1687, and was buried in the Friends' ground, Mulberry Street, Philadelphia.

His wife Helena died August 19, 1688, and was buried in the same ground.

James Claypoole, it is seen, always held an honorable position among the inhabitants of Philadelphia. He was eminently successful in his business, but what fortune he left is not stated in his will, which was dated 1686. In it he mentions his sons John (the eldest), James, Nathaniel, George, Joseph (the youngest), and his daughters Mary (the eldest), Helena, and Priscilla (the youngest), also his brother, Norton Claypoole. His executors were his son, John Claypoole, and his son-in-law, Francis Cooke.

Extract from record in Records Office, Philadelphia, Exemplification Record No. 8, page 110, etc.:

"Division of James Claypool's Lot.	To all christian people to whom these presents may come—John Claypool and Francis Cooke Admin ^r of the Estate of James Claypool, late of Phila., merchant deceased, send greeting—Know
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¹ Colonial Records, vol. i. pp. 161-163.

ye that at the request of James Claypool of — in Delaware river [illegible], to whom of right belongs the quarter part of a certain lot of ground in Phila., being bounded to the Eastward with Delaware, Front St., to the southward with a lot formerly belonging to Francis Baker, to the Westward with the Dock & Second St. and to the Northward with Chestnut St., which said lot was left by the said James Claypool Deceased, by will, bearing date the fifth day of Dec. 1686, to such of his children as should remain unmarried at the decease of his wife, and the said James Claypool as eldest of the said children requesting his part to be set out and divided from the rest &c. &c. we do therefore as the most proper & convenient way to divide it for the good of the four legatees agree and consent that the quarter part thereof—viz., in breadth before and behind containing fifty one feet, and in length one hundred and ninety eight feet, bounding to the Eastward with the front street and to the Northward with Chestnut St. and to the Southward and Westward with the remaining parts of said lot, as likewise the improvements on said quarter part do and shall belong unto the said James Claypool as his share & proportion in right of the said will, and in confirmation whereof we have hereunto set our hand at Phila. this 9th of August 1689

“Signed JOHN CLAYPOOL
FRANCIS COOKE”

The following record in Mr. Claypoole's own handwriting has been preserved among family papers :

“I, James Claypoole and Helena Mercus were Joyned in Marriage the 12 day 12 month 1657 at Bremen in Germany by Conradus Lelius, a Calvin Minister.

“1. The 15th day 9 month 1658 my sonne John was borne at London in Nicholas Lane between 2 & 3 of ye Clock in ye Morning.

“2. My Daughter Mary was borne the 14th day 8 month 1660 near 8 of ye Clock at night in Minsing Lane in London.

"3. My Daughter Helen was borne ye 6 day 9 month 1662 about 9 of ye Clock in the Evening in Scots yard near London stone.

"4. My sonne James was borne ye 12th day 6 month 1664 about 8 of ye Clock in the morning in Scots yard near London stone.

"5. My Daughter Priscilla was borne ye 25th of ye 2 month 1666 at $\frac{3}{4}$ past 4 in the Morning in Scots yard as above.

"6. My sonne Nathaniel was borne the 23^d Day 7 month 1668 at 2 of ye Clock in ye afternoon at the signe of the Still upon Horsly Downe in Southwark.

"7. My sonne Josiah was borne ye 9th Day of 9 month 1669 about half an hour past 9 at night in Scots yard as above.

"My sonne Josiah departed this life the 2^d Day 3 month 1670 about 7th hour at night at Kingston upon Thames, & was there buried in our friends burying place.

"8. My sonne Samuel was borne ye 19th 1 month 1671 about $\frac{3}{4}$ past 2^d hour in the Morning in Scots yard as above.

"9. My second sonne Nathaniel was borne ye 4th day 8 month 1672 about $\frac{3}{4}$ past 6th hour in the Evening in Scots yard as above.

"10. My sonne Georg was borne ye 14th day 11 month 1674 about ye 9th hour in the Evening in Scots yard as above.

"11. About the End of the year 1673 my wife was Delivered of a Sonue that Dyed in the birth & was not named.

"12. My sonne Joseph was borne ye 29th day of 1st. month 1676 at $\frac{3}{4}$ past one of ye Clock in the Morning in Scots yard.

"My sonne Joseph Departed this lyfe the 30th 6 month 1676 about 3 in ye afternoon at Lambeth & was buried in friends burying place by Moorfields.

"13. My second sonne Joseph was borne the 14th day 5 month 1677 at $\frac{3}{4}$ past 8th hour at night in Scots yard as above.

"14. My Daughter Elizabeth was borne the 25th day 5 Month 1678 at halfe an hour past 6 in the Morning in Scots Yard.

"My Daughter Elizabeth departed this life the 31st. 5 month 1678 about the 9th hour at night & was buried in friends burying place by Moorfields.

"My sonne Samuel departed this life the 11th 1 month 1688¹ about 10th hour at night at Edmonton & was buried ye 13th at friends burying place by Moorfields."

With James Claypoole and his family came five servants, Hugh Masland and his wife to serve four years, Sisvilla, Mooley, four years, and Edward Cole, Jr., to serve seven years.

SIXTH GENERATION.

James and Helena Claypoole had thirteen children :

36. John, *b.* 9, 15, 1658; *d.* Nov. 8, 1700; *m.* Mary —.
37. Mary, *b.* 8, 14, 1660; *d.* 5 mo. 1681; *m.* Francis Cooke.
38. Helen, *b.* 6, 9, 1662; *d.* —; *m.* William Bethell.
39. James, *b.* 6, 12, 1664; *d.* probably in New Castle, 1706; *m.* —.
40. Priscilla, *b.* 2, 25, 1666, in Scots Yard, London, & sailed in Ship Concord with her parents; *m.* — Clapp; *d.* 1698, & was buried in Friends' burying place Phil^a, 2, 10, 1698.¹
41. Nathaniel, *b.* 7, 23, 1668; *d.* y.
42. Josiah, *b.* 9, 9, 1669; *d.* 3rd 2nd 1670.
43. Samuel, *b.* 1, 19, 1677; *d.* 1, 11, 1688¹.
44. Nathaniel, *b.* 8, 4, 1672; *d.* before 1726.
45. George, *b.* 11, 14, 1674; *d.* Dec. 21, 1730; *m.* 1st Mary Righton, 2nd Martha Hoskins, 3^d Deborah Hardiman.
46. Joseph, *b.* 1, 29, 1676; *d.* 6, 30, 1676.
47. Joseph, *b.* 5, 14, 1677; *d.* before May 3, 1744; *m.* 1st Rebecca Jennings, 2nd Edith Ward.
48. Elizabeth, *b.* 5, 25, 1678; *d.* 5, 31, 1678.

31. EDWARD CLAYPOOLE⁵ (John,⁴ Adam,³ James,² John¹).

In his brother Benjamin's letter Edward Claypoole is spoken of as next in age to James, who emigrated to Pennsylvania in 1683, as being a Captain of Foot, and as having gone to Barbadoes, where he married a rich widow, and had two children,—Mary and Frances,—whose descendants

¹ J. de W. Cookman.

are not known.¹ Edward Claypoole's name appears in the first tax-list of Philadelphia for the sum of £100 8s. 4d., yet he was in Barbadoes prior to 1681, and is spoken of in the Parish Register of St. George's, Barbadoes, as owning "325 acres, 12 white servants, 86 negroes (more white servants by 4 than anybody)," from which it appears that his circumstances were comfortable, while from his brother James's numerous letters to him, consulting him upon subjects of importance and asking his advice, he seems to have been a man of judgment, well acquainted with public affairs.

34. NORTON CLAYPOOLE⁵ (John,⁴ Adam,³ James,² John¹).

From one record we learn that Norton Claypoole sailed from England February 22, 1678, in the ship *Bachelor's Delight*, for New York,² while elsewhere we find the following: "Tickets granted from Barbadoes Feb 22nd 1678 in ship *Bachelor's Delight* for New York Robert Greenway, commander, Norton Claypoole." The conflict between these statements is more seeming than actual, as many emigrants came to the Northern Colonies by way of the Barbadoes, and the date recorded by Hotten as that of the sailing from England is really that of the granting of tickets, which were doubtless for the entire voyage.

Norton Claypoole was in Lewes, Sussex County, Delaware, the same year, 1678. His wife joined him September, 1681, having sailed from Gravesend, with their son James, 6th mo. 1681.

In a letter to his brother Edward, written from England 5th 13th 1681, James Claypoole says,—

¹ The records of St. George's Parish give two daughters of Edward Claypoole—Sarah and Elizabeth—who died in Barbadoes.—*Monumental Inscriptions, British West Indies*, Lawrence Archer, p. 371.

² *Lists of Persons of Quality, Emigrants, &c., who went from Great Britain to the American Plantations, 1600–1700.* By J. Camden Hotten. London, 1874.

"My sister Norton and her son James are to imbarque this month for New Jersey to my brother."

Writing a little later, James Claypoole says,—

"LONDON 28th 8 mo. 1681

"DEAR BROTHER NORTON CLAYPOOLE

"I writ to thee by my sister thy wife, who went hence abt. 10 weeks since who I hope with your son James is safe arrived long before this time at Burlington to your mutuall joy & comfort. . . .

"My cozen Cromwell has given thee 50£ as a legacy w^{ch} my brother Claypoole is to pay."¹

Norton Claypoole was "Clerk of the Peace Quarter Sessions of Peace" for Sussex Co. May 12, 1683, and member of Assembly for the same county 3rd 10^{mo} 1686,² but we do not find his name in the votes of Assembly the following year.³

At his death, in 1688, Norton Claypoole was in debt to his brother James's estate, as is shown in the Records of Kent County, Delaware. On March 22 of the same year James, son of Norton, with his brother Jeremiah and sister Mary Cooper, signed a quit-claim unto James Armitage, who purchased from James Steel, who purchased from Mary Cooke, daughter of the emigrant James and widow of Francis Cooke, who was administrator of James the emigrant to Philadelphia.⁴

Norton Claypoole was married about 1677. His children were:

49. James Claypoole, *b. Eng. ab. 1677, m. Jean* —.

50. Jeremiah Claypoole—will dated Dec. 10, 1744—*m. 1st Sarah Shepard and 2nd Mary Daroch.*

¹ This is evidently Cromwell Claypoole, son of John, who died in 1678.

² Pennsylvania Archives, second series, vol. ix. p. 664.

³ Votes of Assembly, vol. i. p. 36.

⁴ For that same land, on May 18, 1727, George and Joseph Claypoole, fourth and fifth sons of the emigrant James, also executed a quit-claim to the same James Armitage.

51. Mary Claypoole, m. Richard Cooper.

52. Robert Claypoole, d. prior to Mar. 22, 1727.

SEVENTH GENERATION.

36. JOHN CLAYPOOLE ⁶ (James, ⁵ etc.), b. 9, 15, 1658, in Nicholas Lane, London, England, ¹ m. before 1687 Mary —.

John Claypoole sailed on the ship *Amity* from the Downs for Pennsylvania, 2nd 23rd 1682, to fill the duties of assistant to William Penn's surveyor, Captain Thomas Holmes.

In a letter written to Joseph Grove, London, 2nd 19th 1682, James Claypoole says,—

“My eldest sonne is goeing away this week in the *Amity* ² Richard Diamond for Pennsylvania to bee an assistant to Wm. Penn's surveighor. I have bought 5000 acres of land, and may probably be concerned in the Comp^a or society ³ of w^{ch} I send thee a book Inclosed, and one of Wm. Loddington's: See if the Lord clears up our way, I hope I may remove next year with my whole family thither, but in the mean time I am willing to serve my correspondency here . . . we have a prospect of a considerable trade between Barbadoes & Pennsylvania wee calculate there will go thither from hence above 1000 friends this year: after Mid-summer then 2 or 3 shippes will go from London, then Wm. Penn and his family goes: Thomas Rudyard Chris^m Taylour and his family and many others, Then two shippes from Bristoll and 5 from Wales: so that if y^e Lord bless us and prosp^r our way, the Country will be planted in a little time. I may write thee more at large by another shipp, being in some haste now preparing for Gravesend with my sonne.”

¹ Elsewhere we find the name worded “Scots Yard near London Stone.”

² In another letter of James Claypoole's there appears conclusive proof of the incorrectness of the statement “that the *Amity* was blown off to the West Indies on this voyage; that she did not arrive until spring or summer is more true.”—*Hazard's Register*, p. 558.

³ Society of Free Traders. See article upon, *Pennsylvania Magazine*, vol. v., and list of subscribers to, *ibid.*, vol. xiii.

In another letter, written a few days later, Mr. Claypoole says, "Have fitted John out with all things necessary, and his employment is very creditable, and if he be diligent, and sober, may come in a few years time to be very profitable; however it will be a present maintainance, and keep him from ill company." That the son fulfilled his father's expectations appears from the fact of his being put in positions of trust soon after his arrival in Pennsylvania.

At a meeting of the Council held at Philadelphia, August 26, 1683, inpanelled on a petty jury was "John Claypoole, son of James," as foreman of the jury. His name is given in the first tax-list of Philadelphia for the sum of £100 8s. 4d. In 1685-86 he was Puisne Judge,¹ and 12^{mo} 28th 1688/9 he was appointed Clerk of Assembly, having previously served;² of this Assembly James Claypoole Senior was a member. John Claypoole was sworn in High Sheriff of the city and county of Philadelphia 9th mo. 18th 1687, and served until 1689. He was again appointed in 1693,³ when he was also appointed collector of "supply money" for Philadelphia County,⁴ from both of which positions he was subsequently removed in consequence of certain complaints made against him, whether justly or unjustly it is difficult now to ascertain.⁵ John Claypoole d. Sept. 8, 1700.

53. Mary Claypoole, *m.* John Brighthurst. ⁶

37. MARY CLAYPOOLE ⁶ (James,⁵ etc.) was born 8, 14, 1660, in Minsing Lane, London. She came to Pennsylvania in

¹ Pennsylvania Archives, second series, vol. ix. p. 630.

² *Idem*, p. 637.

³ *Idem*, p. 697.

⁴ Colonial Records, vol. i. pp. 384, 388.

⁵ *Idem*, i. 555; ii. 21.

⁶ "Mary, wife of John Brighthurst, was daughter of James Claypoole, merchant, of London, and Mary his wife."—Historical Collections of Gwynedd, H. M. Jenkins.

1683, with her father, on the ship Concord; married 4, 24, 1686, in Phila., Francis Cooke, who also came over with James Claypoole and was associated with him in the affairs of the Province. She died a widow in 1726, and apparently without children, as her estate is divided among her relatives. Her will is of much value, as it names so many members of the family, and is here given entire.

“MARY COOK, WILL, WIDOW.

“That all my just debts be paid herein named, I nominate my loving brother, George Claypool, of the City, to be the executor of this my last will.

“I give and bequeath unto my Brother Joseph Claypool 15lbs worth of household goods. I give unto his wife, Idith, my best silver tankard, marked Fc. M.

“I give and bequeath unto the seven children, now living, of my Brother Joseph the sum of six pounds each when they shall come of age, respectfully. The son's age 21 years, the daughter's 18 years or day of marriage.

“I give unto Jeremiah Claypool, son of Uncle Norton Claypool, five pounds worth of house hold goods.

“I give unto James, Nathaniel and William, sons of my Brother, Nathaniel Claypool, the sum of six pounds each at the age of 21 years.

“I give unto Mary, John and Elizabeth, the children of Cousin Mary, wife of John Bringham, the sum of five pounds each.

“I give unto Elizabeth, the daughter of my Brother, James Claypool, 8 pounds in house-hold goods.

“I give unto Martha, the daughter of Brother Nathaniel Claypool, the sum of six pounds, paid at 18 years of age or day of marriage, which shall first happen.

“I give unto Lemuel Cook, my husband's brother and unto Mary, sister of Lemuel and unto Lemuel's daughter the sum of 20 pounds.

“I give unto Eliza Hill and Eliza Teague, of the City of

Philadelphia, member of the monthly meeting thereof of the people called Quakers, the sum of six pounds.

"I give unto my sister Deborah, wife of George Claypool, my biggest Silver Tankard, marked Fc. M.

"I give unto all the children of my Brother George Claypool, already born and to be born before the term of my decease, the sum of six pounds, to be equally divided among them.

"I give unto my Brother George Claypool, his heirs, assigns for ever all that my messuage or tenement and lot of ground in High St., the appurtenances of which I bought of Joseph Richardson.

"I give unto George Claypool of the rest and residue of my estate.

"Dated Murch, 1726.

Signed MARY COOK."

38. HELEN CLAYPOOLE⁶ (James,⁵ etc.), b. 9, 6, 1662, in Scots' Yard, London, married 11, 27, 1687, in Phila., William Bethell. She d. in Barbadoes 1691. They had two children, who died in Barbadoes, to which place the family had removed.

39. JAMES CLAYPOOLE⁶ (James,⁵ etc.), b. 6, 12, 1664, in Scots' Yard, London, d. in or before 1706, in New Castle, Del. He came to Philadelphia with his father in 1683, and was made clerk of the Society of Free Traders, which position he filled until made Clerk of the Court in 1693, then held in New Castle, Del.¹ He married and had children :

54. Elizabeth Claypoole, d. 9, 26, 1767, aged about 70 years.?

55. James Claypoole, of Sussex, Del., mentioned in his uncle George's will.

¹ Pennsylvania Archives, vol. ix. p. 646.

A curious case is to be found of James Claypoole acting as interpreter between the Proprietary and a certain woman who was accused of bewitching her daughter's cow. This may, however, have been James Claypoole Sen.—Colonial Records, vol. i. p. 40.

40. PRISCILLA CLAYPOOLE⁶ (James,⁵ etc.), m. Dr. John Crappe, of Philadelphia, and had one daughter:

56. Jane Crappe, m. Aug. 2, 1721, Gibbs Jones.

44. NATHANIEL CLAYPOOLE⁶ (James,⁵ etc.), b. 8, 4, 1672, at Scots' Yard, London, d. before 1726. He married, and his wife d. 8, 14, 1714.

Children:

57. James Claypoole, m. Mary Hood,¹ and d. s. p.

58. Nathaniel Claypoole, m. Katharine —.

59. William Claypoole, b. 1711, d. 12, 16, 1799, m. Elizabeth Hall.

60. Martha Claypoole.

45. GEORGE CLAYPOOLE⁶ (James,⁵ etc.), b. 11, 14, 1674, in Scots' Yard, London, d. 1730, in Philadelphia. He was married three times: on 12, 23, 1699, to Mary Righton, who d. 2, 28, 1702; on 4, 1, 1704, to Martha Hoskins,² daughter of Dr. Richard Hoskins, dec., who d. 6, 1, 1714; on 9, 2, 1715, to Deborah Hardiman, daughter of Abraham Hardiman, dec. Deborah Claypoole d. 5, 26, 1785, aged 93 years and 3 months.³

¹ Marriage recorded in Pine and Orange St. Mtg. Records, 3, 19, 1726. Witnesses, George, Joseph, Edith, and Elizabeth Claypoole. Mary was dau. of Thomas Hood, of Phila. She d. 6 mo. 1735.

² Isaac Norris writes to Jonathan Dickinson, Phila. 6, 8, 1703,—

"Our place is, considering the time of the year, very healthy. Thy children are well, & our family. G.[eorge] Claypoole applies himself to Martha [Hoskins] I know not how it will go, who with her two sons, are still with us; we expect brother to fetch her at our yearly meeting."

Richard Hill to Jonathan Dickinson, Phila. 3, 14, 1704,—

"I gladly embrace this opportunity, being the first & only that I conceive shall have from this place before my departure for Maryland which I expect may be about two weeks hence, which time is also appointed for G. C. & M. H. to consummate their marriage."

James Logan to J. Dickinson, 4th. 12th. 1704,—

"This day fortnight . . . thy wife's good friend & acquaintance Martha Hoskins changed that name to Claypoole."

³ "The late Mrs. Logan possessed a lively recollection of this Deborah Claypole; she was the wife of George Claypole and daughter of Abraham Hardiman. She lived to be upwards of ninety years of age; had

George Claypoole was a successful merchant and acquired considerable estate. In 1705 he was fined £5 for refusing to serve as constable. In 1708 he was a member of the Common Council, and at the time of his death an alderman of Philadelphia.¹

Mr. Claypoole and five of his children died within a few days of one another of small-pox. A letter of Benjamin Franklin gives the following account of his death:

"We have had the small-pox here lately, which raged violently while it lasted. There have been about fifty persons inoculated, who all recovered except a child of the doctor's, upon whom the small pox appeared within a day or two after the operation, and who is therefore thought to have been certainly infected before. In one family in my neighborhood there appeared a great mortality. Mr. George Claypoole (a descendant of Oliver Cromwell)² had, by great industry, acquired a great estate, and being in excellent business, a merchant, would probably have doubled it, had he lived according to the common course of years. He died first, within a short time died his best negro man, then one of his children, buried at the same time; then two more; so that I saw two double burials come out of the house in one week. None were left in the family but the mother and one child, and both their lives till lately despaired of so that all the father's wealth which everybody thought a little while ago had heirs enough and no one would have given a sixpence

told Mrs. L. of the original arborescent state of Market Street, etc. Her history was remarkable for having buried her husband and five children in the course of a few weeks, of the very mortal small-pox of the year 1730. . . . Dr. Franklin, too, has said something; he has said she had one child [Abraham Claypoole] which survived the mortality, but as that also died, she was left a lone widow. There is, however, another branch of the family name still among us in Philadelphia."—Watson's "Annals of Philadelphia," vol. i. p. 558.

¹ "Last night died at his house in this city, George Claypoole, Esq., one of our aldermen."—*American Weekly Mercury*, Jan. 19, 1730/1.

² This we have seen was a mistake.

for the reversion, was in a few weeks brought to the greatest probability of being divided among strangers, so uncertain are all human affairs. The dissolution of this family is generally ascribed to an imprudent use of quicksilver in the cure of itch—Mr. C. applying it as he thought proper without consulting a physician for fear of charges; and the small-pox coming upon them at the same time made their case desperate.”¹

In his will George Claypoole mentions, in addition to his wife and children, his nephew James Claypoole (currier), his nephew James Claypoole of Sussex, Delaware, his brother Joseph and sister Mary Cook. His only surviving child, Abraham Claypoole, died unmarried in 1750.²

Children of first marriage :

61. William Claypoole, *d.* 2, 28, 1706.

62. Martha Claypoole, *d.* 6, 1, 1704³

Children of third marriage :

63. Deborah, *b.* 8, 1, 1716, *d.* 12, 12, 1730.

¹ Sparks's *Life of Franklin*, vol. vii. p. 4.

² “Before the aforesaid Justices the Petition of Joseph Claypoole, Executor of George Claypoole dec^d, David C. Claypoole, Administrator of James Claypoole, and Miers Fisher, Administrator of Abrm. Falconer, was read setting forth that Abrm. Claypoole late of the city of Phila. dec^d made his will in which he devised the Residue of his Estate to his mother Deborah Claypoole during her lifetime and after her death that the same should be Equally divided between the said George Claypoole, James Claypoole and Abrm. Falconer, and thereof constituted John Swift and others, since deceased, Executors that she Deborah Claypoole is lately dead whereby the petitioners are entitled to distribution of the residue of the said Abrm. Claypoole's Estate.

“Orphans Court.”

Deborah Claypoole's will (1785) mentions her cousins Joseph Morris, Phebe Morris, Martha Mifflin, Deborah Mifflin, Grace Potts, Hannah Fairlamb, Deborah Claypoole Wharton, Rachel Carpenter, Hannah Commeges, Deborah Blackshaw, Sarah Evans, Deborah Potts, Deborah Foulke, Abrm. Falconer, James Morns, and Mary Pemberton, dau. of her cousin Esther Pemberton.

³ Philadelphia Friends' Meeting Records.

- 64. Mary, *b.* 12, 21, 1718, *d.* 12, 18, 1730.
- 65. Hannah, *b.* 10, 3, 1719, *d.* 5, 2, 1721.
- 66. Samuel, *b.* 2, 6, 1721, *d.* 9, 1, 1728.
- 67. Hannah, *b.* 2, 24, 1722, *d.* 12, 12, 1730.
- 68. Abraham, *b.* 1, 20, 1723, *d.* unmarried, 1750.
- 69. John, *b.* 7, 5, 1724, *d.* 3, 18, 1725.
- 70. Isaac, *d.* 12, 22, 1730.
- 71. Elizabeth, *d.* 12, 22, 1730.

46. JOSEPH CLAYPOOLE^a (James,^b etc.), *b.* 5, 14, 1677, in Scots' Yard, London, and came to America with his parents in 1683; will proved 1744, in which he is styled joiner; m. 1st, July 20, 1703, Rebecca Jennings of Charlestown, S.C., who d. Nov. 30, 1715.¹ He m. 2dly, Apr. 10, 1716, Edith

¹ "This May Certify whome it May Concern that: I: Joseph Claypoole & Rebecca Jennings Ware Married According to the Manor & forme of ye Curch of England Prayer Book July ye 20 dy. 1703 By Mr. Edward Maston Minister of Charles towne in South Carolinah.

"1. Philadelphia, March ye 30th dy, 1704, on Thursday at 6 in ye morning Was Borne Mary my first dafter in ye house of Mary Cook My Eldest sister Living in ye high Streete. & dyed aged Six Yeres, & 8 Months.

"2. Philadelphia, March ye 1 dy, 1705, James My first Son Was Born on thursday, aboute two in ye morning, at My house in Wallnut St. dyed aged 14 yers & 5 Month.

"3. Philadelphia, December ye 14th dy. 1706; George, My Second Son Was borne on Saturday aboute Nine in ye Morning at My hous in Wallnut Street.

"4. Munday Phil^a Oct ye 24 dy. 1709 Joseph, My third Son Was borne aboute three in ye afternoone at My house in Wallnut Street.

"5. Philadelphia, November ye 26 dy. 1711, Rebecca My Second dafter was Borne on Munday, aBoute three quarter Past twelve in ye Morning at my house in Wallnut Streete.

"6. Philadelphia, May ye 11 dy., 1714, Jehu My fourth Son Was Borne on Tusday about teen a'Clock in ye Morning, at My house in Wallnut Street.

"7. Philadelphia, Nov. ye 19 dy. 1715, Josiah, My fifth Son Was Born, on Saterday a-boute Nine in ye Morning, at My hous in Wallnut Streete Dyed in Nine Months.

"Philadelphia, Dec. ye 21 dy. 1710, On thursday about Nine in the Morning Mary My first dafter died and Was Buried in Christs Church-yard, aged six yers and Eight Months.

"Philadelphia, Nov. ye 30 dy, 1715, on Wednesday aboute a quarter Past twelve in the afternun My Most Dere and well Beloved Wife, Re-

Ward, dau. of John and Sarah Ward of Phila. She was buried Jan. 13, 1736/7. He was first warden of Christ Church, Phila. Mr. Claypoole bought town lots in what is now Philadelphia, and was a large property-holder; was "concerned in the promoting & assisting in the building of Christ Church, & contributed much towards it." He d. in Phila. prior to May 3, 1744.¹

Children of first marriage :

72. Mary Claypoole, *b.* March 30, 1704, *d.* December 21, 1710.

73. James Claypoole, *b.* March 1, 1705, *d.* August, 1719.

74. George Claypoole, *b.* December 14, 1706, *d.* 1770, *m.* 1st, Hannah —; 2dly, Mary Morris.

75. Joseph Claypoole, *b.* October 24, 1709, *m.* July 30, 1730, Ann Griffiths.

76. Rebecca Claypoole, *b.* November 26, 1711, *d.* August 1, 1762, *m.* Henry Pratt.

77. Jchu Claypoole, *b.* May 11, 1714.

78. Josiah Claypoole, *b.* November 19, 1715, *d.* August, 1716.

Children of second marriage :

79. Josiah Claypoole, *b.* January, 1717, *m.* Sarah Jackson.

80. Joshua Claypoole, *b.* 1719.

81. James Claypoole, *b.* January 22, 1720, *m.* 1st, Rebecca White; 2dly, Mary Chambers.

82. Edith Claypoole, *b.* August, 1723, *d.* February 27, 1800, *m.* 1st, David Chambers; 2dly, Wm. Archibald McRae; 3dly, — Ruston, at Christiana Creek, Md.

49. JAMES CLAYPOOLE⁶ (Norton,⁵ John,⁴ Adam,³ James,² John¹), *b.* in Eng. about 1677, *m.* Jean —. They had at least one son.

83. James Claypoole (Pilot), who became possessed of $\frac{2}{3}$ of 30 acres at Lewes, May 3, 1742.

50. JEREMIAH CLAYPOOLE⁶ (Norton,⁵ John,⁴ Adam,³ James,² John¹), *m.* 1st, Mar. 10, 1730, Sarah Sheppard; 2dly, prior

becca Claypool Dyed, at my house in Walnut Streete and was Buried in ye auld Bering Ground by My Relations and on Saterdag Dec. ye 17 dy, 1715, I had my Dau Mary Removed from ye Church yard and Laid in My Wife's Grave With her.

¹ Mr. J. de W. Cookman.

to May 25, 1732, Mary Duroch. He was Justice of the Peace for Sussex Co. July 25, 1726.¹ His will is dated Dec. 10, 1744, probated May 9, 1745. His children were :

84. Comfort Claypoole.
85. George Claypoole, *d.* prior to 1765.
86. Jehu Claypoole, *d.* 1777.
87. Joseph Claypoole.
88. Mary Claypoole, *m.* — Fowler.
89. Sarah Claypoole, *m.* Jacob Gum.
90. Rachel Claypoole, *m.* William Conwell.
91. Elizabeth Claypoole, *m.* — Conwell.
92. An infant —.

EIGHTH GENERATION.

53. MARY CLAYPOOLE⁷ (John,^a James,^b etc.), *m.* 8, 30, 1718, in Phila., John Bringhurst, *b.* 12, 25, 1690/1, *d.* 7, 20, 1750. He was the eldest son of John Bringhurst who married in London, 4, 2, 1682, Rosina, widow of John Matern. They had two sons and two daughters, all born in Holland. John Bringhurst, Jr., "was an elder, active and serviceable in the church, and demonstrated a sincere regard for the prosperity thereof; exemplary in attending religious meetings, and in the careful education of his children." He died in Barbadoes, whither he had gone for his health. She died in Philadelphia, 6, 2, 1761.

Children :

93. Mary Bringhurst, *b.* 11, 18, 1720/21; *d.* Jan. 22, 1798; *m.* Judan Foulke.
94. John Bringhurst, *b.* 9, 9, 1722; *d.* 10, 15, 1789, unm.
95. Elizabeth Bringhurst, *b.* 12, 4, 1723/4; *d.* 12, 25, 1790, unm.
96. James Bringhurst, *b.* 10, 7, 1730; *d.* 2, 27, 1810; *m.* 1st, Anna Pole; 2dly, Hannah Peters; 3dly, — Barker.
97. Thomas Bringhurst, *b.* 11, 17, 1731; *d.* 11, 19, 1731.
98. Joseph Bringhurst, *b.* 1, 20, 1732/3, unm.
99. Deborah Bringhurst, *b.* 10, 21, 1734; *d.* 11, 15, 1734.
100. Deborah Bringhurst, *b.* 7, 15, 1736; *d.* 2, 16, 1737.²

¹ Pennsylvania Archives, second series, vol. ix.

² For the above Bringhurst data, see Genealogy of the Sharpless Family, edited by Gilbert Cope. For sketch of Bringhursts, see Appendix.

56. JANE CRAPPE⁷ (Priscilla,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), m. Aug. 2, 1721, Gibbs Jones of Phila.

Child :

101. Blaithwaite Jones, m. Mary Morris.

58. NATHANIEL CLAYPOOLE⁷ (Nathaniel,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), of Eastburn, Chester Co., cooper, m. Katharine —.

Children :

102. Thomas Claypoole.

103. Elizabeth Claypoole.

104. Ann Claypoole.

105. Alice Claypoole.

106. Jane Claypoole.

107. Katharine Claypoole.

108. Mary Claypoole.

109. James Claypoole.

110. Elisha Claypoole.

59. WILLIAM CLAYPOOLE⁷ (Nathaniel,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. 1711, was by trade a tanner or currier. He carried on the business for a time in Burlington, and married there Elizabeth, dau. of John Hall, mariner. She was b. Oct. 12, 1718; d. May 3, 1805, and was buried at Christ Church. He returned to Phila., and d. there Dec. 16, 1779.

Children :

111. Susannah Claypoole, b. Dec. 11, 1749.

112. Martha Claypoole, b. Dec. 5, 1750, at Mt. Holly, N.J.

113. John Claypoole, b. Aug. 15, 1752; m. Elizabeth Ashburn.

114. Clarissa Sidney Claypoole, b. Feb. 27, 1757; d. 1810; m. 1st, John Hastings; 2dly, James Trimble.

74. GEORGE CLAYPOOLE⁷ (Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. Dec. 14, 1706; d. 1770,—called in his will “of Phila. joiner;” m. 1st, Hannah —, who d. Feb. 1744; 2dly, Feb. 2, 1746, Mary Morris.

Children of first marriage :

115. Rebecca Claypoole, b. July 1, 1730; m. Nov. 2, 1752, William Fisher Conwell.

116. George Claypoole, b. Mar. 1733; m. Mary Parkhouse.

- 117. Joseph Claypoole, *b.* July, 1734; *m.* Mary Wilkinson.
- 118. John Claypoole, *b.* July 26, 1738; *bu.* July 30, 1738.
- 119. Hannah Claypoole, *bap.* June 5, 1740.

Children of second marriage:

- 120. Mary Claypoole, *b.* July 22, 1747.
- 121. Deborah Claypoole, *b.* Feb. 17, 1751.
- 122. William Claypoole, *b.* July 31, 1758; probably *d. y.*

76. REBECCA CLAYPOOLE⁷ (Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* in Phila., Nov. 26, 1711; *d.* Aug. 1, 1762; *m.* at Christ Church, Phila., May 1, 1729, Henry Pratt of Phila., son of Henry Pratt and Hannah Hobart.¹ He was *b.* Apr. 30, 1708; *d.* Jan. 31, 1748.

Children:

- 123. Hannah Pratt, *b.* Apr. 3, 1732; *m.* Enoch Hobart.
- 124. Matthew Pratt, *b.* Sept. 23, 1734; *m.* Elizabeth Moore.
- 125. Rebecca Pratt, *b.* Aug. 27, 1736; *d.* 1796; *m.* — Wetherill.
- 126. Joseph Pratt, *b.* Mar. 11, 1739; *d.* 1795.
- 127. Deborah Pratt, *b.* Oct. 22, 1741; *d. y.*
- 128. Charles Pratt, *b.* Nov. 14, 1743; *d.* 1758.
- 129. Thomas Pratt, *b.* Jan. 29, 1745; *d.* 1800.
- 130. Deborah Pratt, *b.* Apr. 7, 1746; *d.* 1795; *m.* Rev. Daniel Ruff.

81. JAMES CLAYPOOLE⁷ (Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* Jan. 22, 1720; *m.* 1st, May 24, 1742, Rebecca White; 2dly, Mary Chambers. He was sheriff of Phila. after the Declaration of Independence, 1777–1780.²

Children, all of second marriage:

- 131. Elizabeth Claypoole, *b.* July 17, 1751; *m.* 1st, Capt. Norris Copper; 2dly, Timothy Matlack.
- 132. Mary Claypoole, *b.* July 27, 1753; *d.* June 27, 1829; *m.* James Peale.

¹ From a quaint family record we learn that "Rebecca Claypoole and Henry Pratt were married at the communion table of Christ Church, May 1, 1729, by the Rev. Archibald Cummings, followed to and from the church in grand procession by a long string of relatives and friends. It being at the particular request of the old man [Joseph Claypoole, aged about 51], who prided himself as a pillar of the church."—J. de W. Cookman.

² Colonial Records, vol. xi. pp. 217, 502, 595, 614.

133. Abraham George Claypoole, *b.* 1756; *d.* Feb. 11, 1827; *m.* 1st, Elizabeth P. Falconer; 2dly, Elizabeth Steele.

134. David Chambers Claypoole, *b.* June 14, 1757; *d.* Mar. 9, 1849; *m.* 1st, —; 2dly, —; 3dly, Sarah —.

135. Temperance Claypoole, *b.* June 12, 1759.¹

82. EDITH CLAYPOOLE⁷ (Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* Aug. 1723; *d.* Feb. 27, 1800; *m.* 1st, Dr. David Chambers; 2dly, Archibald McRae; 3dly, — Ruston or Rushton.

Children of first marriage:

136. Joseph Chambers, *b.* Feb. 12, 1746.

137. Edith Chambers, *b.* Oct. 3, 1747; *d.* July 16, 1748.

138. Rebecca Chambers, *b.* Sept. 2, 1751; *d.* June 19, 1834; *m.* Robert Wallace.

139. Deborah Chambers, *b.* July 27, 1753; *d.* July 30, 1754.

140. Hannah Chambers, *b.* Feb. 20, 1755; *d.* Oct. 29, 1756.

141. Alexander Chambers, *b.* Feb. 8, 1757; *d.* Aug. 23, 1759.

86. JEHU CLAYPOOLE⁷ (Jeremiah,⁶ Norton,⁵ etc.); will dated Nov. 28, 1777, probated Dec. 1, 1777; *m.* —.

Children:

142. George Claypoole; will dated June 12, 1798, probated Dec. 16, 1798; *d. s. p.*

143. Anne Claypoole.

144. Elizabeth Claypoole.

145. Rachel Claypoole.²

NINTH GENERATION.

93. MARY BRINGHURST⁸ (Mary,⁷ John,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* 11, 18, 1720/1; *d.* Jan. 22, 1798; *m.* 12, 16, 1743, Judah Foulke.³

Children:

146. John Foulke, *b.* 1757; *d.* 1796; *m.* Eleanor Parker.

¹ There were doubtless other children besides Elizabeth, Mary, Abraham, David, and Temperance as given in Christ Church Records, children of James and Mary. An article in the *Philadelphia Ledger* gives also Helen, Joseph, Rebecca, and Hetty.

² For the above data relating to the descendants of Norton and Edith Claypoole we are indebted to Mr. Martin B. Ewing, of Cincinnati.

³ See Appendix.

147. Elizabeth Foulke, *b.* 9, 28, 1758; *d.* Oct. 19, 1820, unmarried, at Burlington, N.J.

148. Mary Foulke, *d.* April 5, 1807.

149. Deborah Foulke, *b.* 9, 28, 1764; *m.* 1st, William Pearsons; 2dly, Isaac Tyson.

96. JAMES BRINGHURST⁵ (Mary,⁷ John,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* 10, 7, 1730; *d.* 2, 27, 1810; *m.*, 2 mo. 1761, Anna Pole, *b.* 3, 22, 1737, daughter of Dr. John and Rachel Pole.

Children, all *b.* in Phila.:

150. John Bringhurst, *b.* 1762; *d.* inf.

151. John Bringhurst, *b.* 4, 25, 1764; *d.* 6, 14, 1800; *m.* Mary Lawton.

152. James Bringhurst, *b.* 3, 4, 1766; *d.* 4, 3, 1818; *m.* 1st, Rachel Bettie; 2dly, Ann Carroll.

153. Joseph Bringhurst, *b.* 10, 6, 1767; *d.* 7, 26, 1834; *m.* Deborah Ferris.

154. Jonathan Bringhurst, *b.* 5, 8, 1769; *d.* 11, 9, 1818, near Kennet Square, unm.

155. Edward Bringhurst, *b.* 12, 16, 1770; *d.* 9, 26, 1794, unm.

156. Rachel Bringhurst, *b.* 1775; *d.* 1777.

101. BLAITHWAITE JONES⁸ (Jane Crappe,⁷ Priscilla,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *m.* Mary Morris.

Child:

157. James Morris Jones, *m.* Martha Levy.

113. JOHN CLAYPOOLE⁸ (William,⁷ Nathaniel,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), "b. August 15, 1752, in Mt. Holly, N.J. (his parents were of Philadelphia, temporarily residing in that place), was the son of William Claypoole, whose father, Nathaniel, was the son of James the Immigrant.

"There appear to be no records of his early life, but the recollections of him after he had arrived at maturity represent him to have been possessed of a marked degree of intelligence, a good memory, with pleasing and interesting powers of conversation, exhibiting in a fair measure the moderate educational advantages of his time. He was a keen observer of events, and had considerable ability as a writer, although, unfortunately, but few of his letters, and

only fragmentary scraps of his literary efforts, have been preserved. His ready expression was sometimes shown in rhyming phrase, and some of his compositions in song and poem were of no mean order.¹

"Notwithstanding John Claypoole's descent from well-known Quaker ancestry, his parents were not, nor was he, a member of the Society of Friends. He was still quite a young man at the commencement of the Revolutionary War, and whatever troublesome particles of hereditary peace principles may have been floating in his Quaker blood, they proved but as straws in the current, and, for a time at least, were lost in the patriotic outburst which carried our forefathers on to American Independence. This impulse led him into the service of his country, and we find on record (in '*Pennsylvania in the Revolution, 1775-1783*,' vol. i.) that he received his commission as Second Lieutenant September 13, 1777.

"He was wounded at the battle of Germantown by the flying fragments of a gun-carriage, which at the time he made light of, but the results of which may have increased the infirmity from which he suffered in later years.

"At Red Bank he was the bearer of important dispatches to Washington. Here he came in contact, as he rode over the field, with numbers of wounded and dying Hessians, whose appeals for care and safety awakened his pity and commiseration. Upon questioning some of these miserable hirelings in their sad plight, as best he could, as to why they had left their homes to assist in the war and try to kill the Americans, who were their friends, he received an answer he was fond of frequently repeating: '*Hesse no kill; Hesse shoot low.*'

"After completing a term in the army, he took position on board the '*Luzern*,' an armed cruiser of eighteen guns, and sailed under letters of marque November 7th, 1780, for Port L'Orient, France. The '*Luzern*' on her return voyage was captured by an English privateer, the '*Enter-*

¹ The contents of a torn diary, or memorandum-book, kept by him during his incarceration in Mill Prison are very interesting.

prise,' mounting thirty-two guns, on April 4th, 1781. He, with other prisoners who refused to enter the English service, was landed at Limerick, on the river Shannon, in Ireland, sent under guard across country to Cork, placed on board a guard-ship, and then conveyed to Plymouth, England, where he was committed to Old Mill Prison, July 6th, 1781, 'charged before a Justice of the Peace with High Treason, being found in arms, and in open rebellion against his King upon the High Seas.'

"Amongst the recollections of interest which were narrated by him, were incidents concerning his military and other experiences, his capture and travels above alluded to, the varied scenes and events of his prison life, with the sufferings endured in the presence of an alarming sickness which broke out and extended with fearful rapidity. One incident, which has been recorded by others and is worth repeating here, was the manner in which the joyful news of the surrender of Lord Cornwallis was conveyed into the prison by a newspaper concealed inside a loaf of bread which a sympathizing baker had furnished with his usual supply. The tumultuous demonstrations of delight, awakened in the hitherto saddened hearts of the prisoners, completely mystified their keepers, who, ignorant of the cause of the sudden outburst of wild glee and mad behavior, evinced by tearing off and whirling their coats, throwing their hats up in the air and making a deafening din by their shouting, had good reason for supposing that the Yankees had all become suddenly insane.

"Shortly after John Claypoole's commitment to Mill Prison, his friend Captain Joseph Ashburn, who had left his young wife in Philadelphia, was also brought there a prisoner. Of Captain Ashburn's wife and her interesting career it is proper, in this connection, that an extended notice should be given. She was Elizabeth, the seventh daughter of Samuel Griscom and Rebecca (James), and was born January 1st, 1752. She had previously married John Ross, a son of the Rev. Æneas Ross, of New Castle, Delaware, who died within two years of his marriage from the

effects of an injury he received whilst guarding powder on the wharf, was buried in Christ Church burying ground at Fifth and Arch Streets, January 20th, 1776, leaving her quite a young widow, without children. She was familiarly known as 'Betsy Ross,' and lived in a small two-and-a-half-story brick house, still standing, on the north side of Arch Street, below Third Street, present number 239. Here she heroically persisted in continuing the business of upholstering, with which, with her late husband, she had become familiar, and it was here that she was called upon by a Committee of the Continental Congress, accompanied by General Washington, about the first of June, 1776, to make the *first flag of the United States*.

"The simple story of her shrewd tact and services in connection with this important historical event is a very interesting one. It happened that her late husband's uncle, Col. George Ross, one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence, and a member of the Continental Congress, was appointed one of the above-mentioned Committee, which, aided by General Washington, was required to have made, for approval, a flag, as a suitable emblem of the infant Republic. Betsy was a great favorite with her uncle, and he, well acquainted with her ability in such handiwork as would be required, escorted General Washington and the Committee to her house. A drawing made by General Washington, supposed to have been his own conception of a design, with thirteen stars, and thirteen stripes, representing the original thirteen Colonies of the Union, was shown to the bright little lady, with the inquiry as to whether she thought she could, through her peculiar skill in needle-work, reproduce the same in bunting, and secure an effective arrangement of the red, the white, and the blue. She replied, with becoming modesty, that she 'did not know, but would try.' Then, with quick appreciation, noticing that the *stars*, as drawn, showed *six points*, she told General Washington and the other gentlemen present that the *correct star* should have *five points*. To the answer given her, that they understood that, but that a great number would be required, and

the more regular form with *six* could be more easily made than one with five points, she promptly responded in a most practical way, by deftly folding a scrap of paper in a way readily remembered as one of the little arts of her trade, and then with a single clip of her scissors, which in the quaint old fashion were hanging ready at her side, she displayed to the astonished eyes of the august Committee a true symmetrical *five-pointed star*.

"This at once, for the time, decided not only that *point* in her favor, but other suggestions of hers were agreed to, and after the design was partially redrawn, on the table in her little back parlor, she was left to make her sample flag, according to her own idea of the arrangement of the stars, the proportion of the stripes, and the general form of the whole.

"Upon its completion it was presented to Congress, and the Committee very soon thereafter had the pleasure of reporting to Betsy Ross that her flag was accepted as the national standard, and she was authorized to proceed at once to the manufacture of quite a large number for disposal by the Continental Congress. After the Committee had left her, such a sudden and unexpected good fortune in her modest business undertaking seemed for the moment almost too much for the brave little woman's courage. As she was silently and thoughtfully considering her ability to meet this seemingly too great a responsibility, her uncle, Col. Ross, soon after having parted from the other members of the Committee, returned alone, and, laying down a note of a large denomination on her table, cheerily told her how useful he knew money would be to her, and advised her to purchase immediately all the bunting she could get hold of in Philadelphia. The reception of so large an amount of money (large at least for those days), and her uncle's good words of encouragement, dispelled her momentary trepidation, and from that time on, her busy hands, and those of her assistants, found no idle moments.

"It will thus be seen that 'Betsy,' during the time she was the widow of John Ross, made the *first* United States

flag, say in June, 1776. The flag, however, as accepted, presumably in secret session, and in actual use, was not publicly adopted by resolution of Congress, *i.e.*, placed on record, until June 14th, 1777.

"At this day, in view of the very many inquiries, and the frequent accounts which have been published from time to time of all sorts of curiously mixed statements of meagre fact and redundant fiction, it is indeed most unfortunate that absolutely nothing is known of what became of the *original first made Flag*. According to a tradition in the family, it was first run up and floated to the breeze, as an experiment, from the mast-head of a merchant ship lying at or near Race Street wharf. But of the circumstances attending it we have nothing authentic. When we remember the disordered condition of public affairs at that time, and the great diversity of feeling which existed in the minds of even serious-minded folks in regard to the important events transpiring, it is not to be wondered at, that little note was made of interesting events, the actors in which did not realize their historical importance. It is, however, an important fact to chronicle that the business of flag-making, as established at that time by Betsy Ross, was continued by her and her immediate family for some sixty-odd years.

"It is also to be regretted that, except to the writer's mental vision and to the very few of her grandchildren now living who remember her, no semblance of her personality exists. Photography then was not known, and in her palmy days she was too busy a woman to take the time to sit for her portrait. A picture which has been repeatedly placed before the public and is being constantly reproduced in newspapers and other publications is altogether a most ridiculous and absurd pretence.

"On June 15, 1777, at the 'Old Swedes' Church,' in Philadelphia, Betsy Ross married Captain Joseph Ashburn, who was engaged in the merchant marine service, his duties keeping him at sea, whilst his wife continued the upholstering and flag-making business at her old home. Here she bore him two children: Zilla, born September 15th, 1779,

who died young, and Eliza, born February 25th, 1781, who grew up, married Captain Isaac Silliman, had several children, was left a widow, and died in 1833.

"As before stated, Captain Ashburn was captured by the English and thrown into Mill Prison, where he fell a victim to the prevailing contagion, and after a short illness died, March 3d, 1782. In his unfortunate captivity, in company with and cared for in his sickness by his old friend John Claypoole, he naturally had much to say of his far-away, busy and faithful wife, and in his dying moments confided to him his final farewell messages to her. These, on his release and return to Philadelphia, John Claypoole hastened to deliver in person, and was obliged to break to her the first sad tidings of her husband's death.

"It was said that before Betsy Ross became the wife of Captain Ashburn, John Claypoole had already formed a strong attachment for her, so that it is not difficult to understand, aided by the tender sympathies elicited through the above-mentioned circumstance, that the gentle graces of the still young woman should have completely captivated his heart. He therefore earnestly pressed his suit and received her early consent to their union.

"John Claypoole and Elizabeth Griscom (first, Ross; second, Ashburn; third, Claypoole) were married May 8th, 1783.

"Elizabeth Claypoole continued her upholstering and flag-making business. Her husband received an appointment for a time in the U.S. Custom House, and was known as a 'Custom House Officer;' exactly in what capacity is not at present understood. They continued to live at the little Arch Street house for some three years after their marriage, when they removed to Second Street above Dock, and afterwards to Front Street, where their growing family of daughters was reared.

"John Claypoole's health, never robust after the experiences heretofore related of his early years, completely broke down at, perhaps, the age of forty-five, when, after a stroke of paralysis, he was left a confirmed invalid and a cripple to

the end of his life. This was the only condition in which his youngest daughter, the writer's mother, born in 1792, remembered him. She was fond of affectionately recalling incidents of his genial disposition, and had many pleasant little anecdotes to tell in relation to her father, and how he ever endeavored to brighten the affliction under which he suffered. She especially took pleasure in repeating, amongst other things, some homely lines of a verse, which she used to say her father composed in his sleep, or, to speak more reverently, were given to him in a dream to help reconcile him to his invalid condition. Although suffering and unable to work, or to attend to business, he was able to walk about, and was in the habit of strolling abroad for exercise, and to while away the time. One night he dreamed that he was walking through a country neighborhood and drawing near to a place of worship, from which came the sound of voices singing, and as he paused somewhere close by and listened, there came to his ear these words:

“ ‘Why should we mortals vex ourselves with trouble, care and woe,
When so much pleasure we can find in walking to and fro?’ ”

“His daughter used to say that he found these lines a solace ever afterwards in moments of unrest and annoyance on account of his helplessness.

“John Claypoole's bold signature and the small delicate one of his wife, Elizabeth Claypoole, are inscribed in the Record Book to the ‘Declaration of Principles’ of the Society of Free Quakers, of which they became members. The quaint old Meeting House (now leased to the Apprentices’ Library Co.) at the S.W. corner of Arch and Fifth Streets was erected in the year they were married (1783). Elizabeth Claypoole used to relate that upon this lot, when she was young, was located her favorite ‘blackberry-patch.’

“John Claypoole died August 3d, 1817, within a few days of being sixty-five years old, and his wife, Elizabeth Claypoole, died January 30th, 1836, at the age of eighty-four years, one month, and ten days.

“Their remains were buried in the Free Quaker Burying

Ground, on the west side of Fifth Street, south of what is now Locust Street, where they remained until the autumn of 1857, when they were removed to a lot in Mount Moriah Cemetery, purchased by their eldest daughter, Mrs. Clarissa Sidney Wilson, who, left a widow in 1812, had succeeded to the flag-making business of her mother, which had never been interrupted, and which she did not entirely abandon until a short time before her removal to Fort Madison, Iowa (1857), where she died, July 10th, 1864."—G. C.¹

The genealogy of the descendants of John and Elizabeth Claypoole is as follows:

- 155. Clarissa Sidney Claypoole, *b.* Apr. 3, 1785; *d.* July 10, 1864; *m.* Jacob Wilson.
- 159. Susan Claypoole, *b.* Nov. 15, 1786; *m.* Abel Satterthwaite.
- 160. Rachel Claypoole, *b.* Feb. 1, 1789; *m.* 1st, Edward Jones; 2dly, John Fletcher.
- 161. Jane Claypoole, *b.* Nov. 13, 1792; *d.* Jan. 4, 1873; *m.* Caleb H. Canby.
- 162. Harriet Claypoole, *b.* Dec. 20, 1795; *d.* inf.

114. CLARISSA SIDNEY CLAYPOOLE⁸ (William,⁷ Nathaniel,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* Feb. 27, 1757; *m.* 1st, John Hastings, son of John and Grace Hastings. He was killed in battle, 1780, during the war of the Revolution, on board a vessel, being cut in two by a chain-ball. Mrs. Hastings married secondly the Hon. James Trimble,² and died in 1810 from injuries

¹ For the above sketch of John and Elizabeth Claypoole we are indebted to Mr. George Canby, of Philadelphia.

² "These are to Certify, That on the 22^d Day of April in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and Eighty two James Trimble et Clarissa S. Hastings are joined together in holy Matrimony by License

"As witnessith my Hand

"CASPERUS WEIBERG

"Protestant Minister."

Casperus Weiberg was a Swiss by birth, and came to Pennsylvania in 1762. He was first in charge of the German Reformed Church at Easton, and later took the Race Street German Reformed Church, Philadelphia, November 13, 1763. When the British had possession of the city

received during an accident to a stage-coach in which she was travelling in Lancaster.

Children of first marriage :

163. William Claypoole Hastings, *b.* Dec. 15, 1778; *d.* July 29, 1779.
164. John Hastings, *b.* June 20, 1780; *d.* Oct. 1, 1813, in Richmond, Va.

Children of second marriage :

165. Alexander Trimble, *b.* Mar., 1783; *d.* 1784.
166. Elizabeth Trimble, *b.* Oct. 13, 1784; *d. y.*
167. Elinor Trimble, *b.* July 5, 1786; *d.* Nov. 2, 1809; *m.* William Boyd.
168. Maria Trimble, *b.* Aug. 3, 1788; *d.* Sept. 12, 1790.
169. James Trimble (M.D.), *b.* Apr. 18, 1790; *d.* June 22, 1838; *m.* Eliza V. P. Gemmill.
170. Clarissa Sidney Trimble, *b.* Jan. 31, 1792; *d.* June 21, 1832; *m.* Daniel Reigart.
171. Mary Trimble, *b.* Jan. 20, 1794; *d.* July 3, 1797.
172. Eliza Trimble, *b.* Dec. 23, 1795; *d.* June 14, 1797.
173. Susannah Trimble, *b.* Nov., 1797; *d.* 1798, at Germantown.
174. Thomas Rogers Trimble, *b.* Aug., 1799; *d.* Sept. 8, 1868; *m.* Catherine M. Albright.
175. William Claypoole Trimble, *b.* Jan., 1802.

116. GEORGE CLAYPOOLE⁸ (George,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* Mar., 1733. In his will, made 1793, he calls himself "George Claypoole of Phila., cabinet-maker." He *m.* Oct. 13, 1756, Mary Parkhouse, *b.* Dec., 1736, *d.* Aug. 19, 1765, daughter of Richard and Mary Parkhouse. Their children were :

176. William Claypoole, *b.* July 31, 1758.
177. Ann Claypoole, *b.* June 8, 1760; *m.* Alexander Mebane.
178. Mary Claypoole, *m.* Peter Yorke.
179. Parkhouse Claypoole, *b.* 1762; *d.* July 10, 1763.

117. JOSEPH CLAYPOOLE⁸ (George,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* July, 1734; ¹ *m.* Oct. 13, 1756, Mary Wilkinson.

180. Sarah Claypoole, *b.* July 12, 1757; *d.* June, 1787; *m.* James Withey.
181. Hannah Claypoole, *b.* Sept. 5, 1758.
182. Mary Morris Claypoole, *b.* June 14, 1760.

he was imprisoned and his church used as a hospital. He died in Philadelphia, August 21, 1790. For sketch of the Hon. James Trimble, see Appendix.

¹ See Appendix.

123. HANNAH PRATT^s (Rebecca,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. Apr. 2, 1732; m. May 3, 1755, her cousin Enoch Hobart, of Phila., a descendant of Edmund Hobart, who came to Massachusetts and settled in Hingham in 1633. Enoch Hobart d. Oct. 27, 1776.

Children :

- 183. Mary Hobart, *b.* Mar. 8, 1756; *d.* —, unm.
- 184. Rebecca Hobart, *b.* July 20, 1757; *bu.* July 29, 1758.
- 185. Mary Hobart, *b.* May 3, 1759.
- 186. Rebecca Hobart, *b.* Aug. 5, 1760; *d.* July 7, 1802; *m.* 1st, Nathaniel Potts; 2dly, Robert Smith.
- 187. Robert Enoch Pratt Hobart, *b.* Sept. 30, 1761.
- 188. Deborah Pratt Hobart, *b.* Sept. 12, 1763.
- 189. Robert Enoch Hobart, *b.* Apr. 25, 1768; *d.* Mar. 21, 1826; *m.* Sarah May Potts. 12 children.
- 190. John Henry Hobart, *b.* Sept. 14, 1775; *d.* Sept. 12, 1830; *m.* Mary Goodwin Chandler.

124. MATTHEW PRATT^s (Rebecca,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. Sept. 23, 1734; d. 1805; ¹ m. Dec. 11, 1756, Elizabeth Moore, dau. of Charles Moore. She was b. May 24, 1739; d. July 7, 1777.

Children :

- 191. Henry Charles Pratt, *b.* May 14, 1761; *d.* Feb. 6, 1838; *m.* 1st, Frances Moore; 2dly, Elizabeth Dundas; 3dly, Susanna Care.
- 192. Charles Pratt, *b.* Sept. 10, 1763; *d.* Aug., 1764.
- 193. Charles Pratt, *b.* Feb. 18, 1769; *d.* Aug., 1770.
- 194. Thomas Phyle Pratt, *b.* Oct. 1, 1773.
- 195. Elizabeth Pratt, *b.* Aug. 2, 1776.

130. DEBORAH PRATT^s (Rebecca,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. Apr. 7, 1746; d. 1795; m. Rev. Daniel Ruff, of Maryland.

Children :

- 196. John Ruff.
- 197. James Ruff.
- 198. Henry Ruff.
- 199. Daniel Ruff.
- 200. Hannah Webster Ruff, *b.* June 14, 1780; *d.* Nov. 16, 1807; m. James Robertson.

¹ For sketch see Appendix.

131. ELIZABETH CLAYPOOLE⁸ (James,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. July 17, 1751; m. 1st, Nov. 19, 1774, at St. Paul's Church, Phila., Captain Norris Copper, who was commander of a merchant vessel during the Revolution and was engaged for a short time in carrying supplies for the U. S. service, but was eventually lost with all his crew in a furious storm in the Bay of Biscay. She m. 2dly, Aug. 17, 1797, at Christ Church, Timothy Matlack.¹ There were no children of this last marriage. Of the first marriage there were:

201. George Abraham Copper, *d.* aged 14 yrs.; buried in St. Paul's churchyard.

202. James Claypoole Copper, *m.* Elizabeth Chambers.

132. MARY CLAYPOOLE⁸ (James,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. July 27, 1753; d. Jan.-11, 1829; m. James Peale, b. 1749; d. May 24, 1831.

Children:

203. Jane Peale, *b.* —; *m.* Samuel Simes.

204. Maria Peale, *b.* 1787; *d.* Mar. 27, 1866, unm.

205. James Peale, *b.* Mar. 6, 1789; *d.* Oct. 27, 1876; *m.* 1st, Anna Dunn; 2dly, Sophonisba Peale.

206. Anna Claypoole Peale, *b.* 1791; *d.* Dec. 25, 1878; *m.* 1st, Rev. Dr. Wm. Staughton; 2dly, Gen. Wm. Duncan; *d. s. p.*

207. Margaretta A. Peale, *b.* Oct. 1, 1795; *d.* Jan. 17, 1882, unm.

208. Sarah M. Peale, *b.* May 19, 1800; *d.* Feb. 4, 1885, unm.

133. CAPTAIN ABRAHAM GEORGE CLAYPOOLE⁸ (James,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. 1756; d. Feb. 11, 1827; was an officer in the Continental Army, being Captain-Lieutenant of Col. John Patton's Regt., which served Jan. 11, 1777, to Jan. 13, 1779. Promoted Captain, June 10, 1778. Captain of New 11th Penna. Regt., from Patton's transferred to 3d Penna. Regt. Jan. 17, 1781. He was one of the original members of the Pennsylvania branch of the Society of

¹ For sketch see Appendix.

the Cincinnati. He resided in Philadelphia, whence, July 24, 1775, he wrote the following interesting account of war-like movements in and about that city :

"I wrote by Stansbury the 19th Inst., Mrs. Fullerton would also write by this Opp^y but we did not know of it in time. She desires to be remembered to you as usual. The Children likewise send their love to Papa & are all well. Nothing material has happened lately, but we daily expect to hear of a General Engagement at the Camp. The Provincials by all Accts. have rendered themselves almost impregnable & wish for another Action, we are told there is a Man of War actually at New Castle. The Committee of Safety are employing Methods & will soon be prepared to prevent any coming further than Red Bank. Last week two Row Gallies were launch'd and more are building. They row with 24 or more Oars and are to have an 18 or 24 p^{er} in the stern. It is expected they will be of great Service.—Our Assembly voted £35,000 to defray the Exegencies of this Province & resolved to raise 4500 Minute Men, who are to have 1/10/2 ^{Pr}em. Capt. Copper is going out in 3 days in Mrs. Duncan's Scow for Chester in Marylan and thence to F—— He desires his Compliments to you. We have had no late news from London, but Captⁿ Thompson from Suna says he spoke a ship from London to Charleston who told him there was bad news but could not learn more."

Mr. Claypoole m. Feb. 4, 1789, Elizabeth Popplewell Falconer,¹ who d. 1794; 2dly, Nov. 23, 1795, Elizabeth Steele, who d. Nov. 1818.²

¹ So given by the family. The marriage is recorded in the Second Presbyterian Church, Philadelphia, and the name there is Elizabeth Popwell Thompson.

² The following obituary notice quaintly describes the virtues of the deceased :

"Departed this life at Chillicothe, Ohio, on the evening of the fourth instant, Mrs. Elizabeth Claypoole, consort of A. G. Claypoole, Esquire, Cashier of the office of Discount and Deposit of the United States Bank in Chillicothe, of a very distressing and lingering illness, which she bore

Children of first marriage :

209. Mary Claypoole, *b.* Nov. 16, 1790; *d.* Mar. 2, 1878; *m.* Thomas Cadwalader Rockhill.
210. James Thompson Claypoole, *d.* 1862; *m.* Eliza Allibone.
211. Eliza Falconer Claypoole, *m.* William Carson.

Children of second marriage :

212. Jane Byrne Claypoole, *m.* Thomas James.
213. Alice Ann Claypoole, *b.* Dec. 7, 1798; *d.* Sept. 30, 1822; *m.* David Gwynne.
214. Sarah Claypoole, *b.* Feb. 9, 1801; *d.* Jan. 31, 1870; *m.* Wm. David Lewis.
215. Abraham George Claypoole, *b.* March 26, 1803; *d.* Aug. 24, 1827.

The following is an obituary notice of Abraham Geo. Claypoole which appeared in one of the journals of the day :

“If uncommon excellence demands that the living should record the merits of the dead, the virtues of the deceased whose name precedes these remarks require an obituary notice. Mr. Claypoole was a native of the city of Philadelphia, whence he removed to Chillicothe, Ohio, some years ago, with his highly respected father, Abraham Claypoole, late cashier of the Branch Bank of the United States at Chillicothe. From Ohio the subject of this notice emigrated to Natchez in January, 1826, and commenced the practice of law. He was beginning to reap the fruits of professional success, when he was taken from us by the hand of death. His estimable character, his correct and unassuming deportment, his well regulated mind and spot-

with all the constancy and patience of suffering which was to be expected from one who had long and faithfully been learning the lessons of resignation to the divine will in the school of Christ. If a faithful discharge of all the duties devolving upon a wife, a mother, and a friend—if exemplary piety, manifested by all the charities of life, and a constant attention to her christian duties in the church of Christ, could have secured any from the arrest of death, then had Mrs. Claypoole never died. But such is the lot of all, and from her life and death, those who move in the humbler walks of life may learn much—that the human character is still incomplete without the christian virtues of Faith, Hope and Charity, and that with these, life is sanctified, death is conquered, and heaven is the happy possessor's reward.”

less honor, greatly endeared him to society. By the members of his profession he was esteemed as a lawyer of fair promise, and greatly beloved as a man. He was emphatically the favorite of the bar, and his death has excited that feeling of deep regret which is occasioned by the decease of a near relative or a very dear friend.

"No more his manly form will be seen amongst us. No more his friendly voice will salute our ear. His pure and spotless spirit has ascended and left few, but very few, worthy to receive the mantle of his virtues.

"Mr. Claypoole died in his 24th year on the night of the 24th inst. of a bilious congestive fever. During his illness he received every attention which friendship and affection could bestow. His funeral was attended by the Bar in a body and by a numerous concourse of most respectable citizens. Immediately after his interment, resolutions highly approbatory of the character and conduct of the deceased were unanimously adopted by a meeting of the members of his profession."

134. DAVID CHAMBERS CLAYPOOLE⁸ (James,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. June 14, 1757. He was one of the proprietors of the *Pennsylvania Packet and Daily Advertiser*, the first daily newspaper set up in Philadelphia, afterwards *Poulson's Daily Advertiser*.¹ He was Lieut. in 1781 of the 5th Regt. Foot, Penna. Militia; Lieut. 1st Batt., Col. James Reed's Regt., and ensign of Capt. Hood's company under Col. Wm. Bradford. Mr. Claypoole gives in his own words an account of his army experiences, and of the first printing of President Washington's Farewell Address, which we transcribe from family MSS.:

"Agreeable to your friendly Recommendation, I will endeavor to state, as well as I can from recollection, the humble Services, of a military nature, which I rendered during the American Revolution.

¹ *Eminent Philadelphians*, by Henry Simpson, p. 209.

“The Battle of Lexington and Concord, in Massachusetts, on the 19th of April 1775, was the Signal for the American People to arise, and repel by force of Arms, those unjust claims of the English Government, which they had already so long resisted, in vain, by Petition and Remonstrance. And accordingly, but one spirit appeared to actuate every part of the Community, in town and country, and Associations were almost everywhere entered into, and as soon as possible, by the election of Officers &c. formed into military Companies. An elder Brother and myself, then 19 years old, converted our fowling Pieces into Muskets, by the addition of bayonets and iron ram-rods; and providing ourselves with the necessary accoutrements, &c. at our own expence,—were amongst the first to enrol ourselves as Privates in Captain (afterwards General) Mifflin’s Company of Infantry in the city of Philadelphia; after which we were regularly marched out, every morning and evening during that Spring and Summer, for the purpose of being drilled, until the several Companies were sufficiently disciplined to be formed into battalions. The Company I belonged to was incorporated with the third Battalion of Philadelphia Militia, commanded by Colonel (afterwards Genl.) Cadwalader, and I received an Ensign’s Commission in it.

“The Seat of War being as yet at the Eastward, the Militia in this quarter were not much in requisition, except occasionally as guards for Prisoners and Stores &c and particularly, we were mustered, and ordered to hold ourselves in readiness, on one occasion, to march down the Delaware, to near Wilmington, where the British man of war *Roe-buck* had ran on shore; but we were saved the trouble by her getting off again.

“When the British Army showed an intention of taking the City of Philadelphia, a battalion of the City Militia was ordered down to garrison the Fort which had been erected at Billingsport on the Jersey shore. I was attached to that Battalion, and we marched from Philadelphia on the 19th September 1777, just one week before the English took

possession of it—The adjutant of the battalion having deserted, Col. Will appointed me in his place, and I continued to do the Duties of it until the battalion was discharged. Soon after the English took the City, they sent a strong detachment into Jersey, for the purpose of attacking Billingsport, in the rear of which they appeared about the first of October; and as we were but about 300 strong,—to man Works which would require 3000 men to defend them, it was thought most prudent to evacuate the Fort. The English appearing on the Bank soon after we had embarked, began to fire on us, and one man in the boat I was in, was wounded, having received a bullet in the thigh. We retreated to Fort Mifflin, and from thence, by Gloucester, proceeded through Jersey, to the Head Quarters of the Army commanded by General Washington, and remained with it until near the close of the Campaign, when we were discharged, and I retired to Lancaster, where I assisted in the publication of a News Paper, which, I flatter myself, contributed essentially to the forwarding of the great and good cause in which we were all so heartily engaged.

“It may not be amiss to mention here, a Night Rencounter at which I was present.—It was the practice to send out every evening, Parties from the American Camp, to reconnoitre the Country in the neighbourhood of the Enemy’s Lines at Germantown. On one of those occasions a detachment from our Corps left the Camp about dusk in the evening, and had proceeded some miles, when about ten o’Clock, a body of men were indistinctly seen, marching on another road, but in the same direction with us.—The Officer in our front hailed them, to enquire who they were;—and was answered ‘*Friends to Government*,’ (meaning the British Government, of which appellation they were very proud, and it was assumed by the Tories of the day.)—Upon which the Officer immediately drew up his platoon, and fired on them across the meadow between the two roads, which was directly followed by the Fire of the whole detachment, by platoons in succession.—As our Fire was not returned by our supposed Enemies, and a dead silence en-

sued,—after some consultation among the Officers, small parties were sent out to reconnoitre,—one of which soon after returned with a Prisoner, who belonged to a detachment of Maryland Militia, which had been sent from the Camp, on the same duty with ourselves, but had mistaken their road, and were now completely dispersed by our unfriendly treatment.—This unlucky Occurrence occasioned much alarm and confusion in the American Camp, where the firing was heard, but could not possibly be accounted for until the arrival of some Videttes,—who hastened to Head Quarters, and explained the Cause.—The Country People in the neighbourhood were also much disturbed, by the idea that the English Troops were near them, and it was with much difficulty they could be pacified.

“In the year 1780 I received a Lieutenant’s Commission, and was afterwards on duty; but as the War was chiefly confined to the South, the Militia of the Middle States were not so often called into active service, but were employed in Garrison Duty, as Escorts, Guards, &c.

“I might add, that I served as a Private in the Cavalry (the first Troop of Light-horse, of Philadelphia) on the Western Expedition of 1794, and in 1799 on the Northern Expedition,—for putting down the Insurrections in those Parts of Pennsylvania.

“(Signed) DAVID CHAMBERS CLAYPOOLE.”

“Having been requested by the Historical Society of Pennsylvania to give an Account of the Circumstances attending the first Publication of the Valedictory Address of the late President Washington to the People of the United States,—I will now state them as accurately as my Memory enables me.

“A few days before the appearance of this memorable Document in Print, I received a Message from the President by his Private Secretary signifying his desire to see me. I waited on him at the appointed time, and found him sitting alone in the Drawing Room. He received me kindly, and after paying my Respects to him, desired me

to take a seat near him;—then, addressing himself to me, said, that he had for some time past contemplated retiring from Public Life, and had at length concluded to do so at the end of the (then) present Term;—that he had some Thoughts and Reflections on the Occasion, which he deemed proper to communicate to the People of the United States, in the form of an address, and which he wished to appear in the Daily Advertiser,—of which I was Editor.—He paused, and I took the opportunity of thanking him for having preferred that Paper as the channel of his Communication with the People, especially as I viewed this Selection as indicating his approbation of the Principles and Manner in which the Work was conducted. He silently assented and asked when the Publication could be made.—I answered that the time should be made perfectly convenient to himself,—and the following Monday was fixed on:—he then told me that his Secretary would bring me the copy on the next (Friday) morning,—and I withdrew.

“After the Proof Sheet had been compared with the Copy and corrected by myself, I carried another Proof and then a *Revise*, to be examined by the President, who made but few alterations from the Original, except in the Punctuation, in which he was very minute.

“The Publication of the Address (dated ‘United States, Sept. 17. 1796’) being compleated on the 19th, I waited on the President with the Original, and in presenting it to him, expressed my Regret at parting with it, and how much I should be gratified by being permitted to retain it:—upon which, in an obliging manner, he handed it back to me, saying that if I wished for it,—I might keep it:—and I then took my Leave of him.

“Any Person acquainted with the handwriting of President Washington would, on seeing this Specimen, at once recognize it. And, as I had formerly been honored by written Communications from him, on Publick Business, I may say that his hand Writing was familiar to me, and I think I could at any time, and without hesitation identify it.—The

manuscript Copy of the Address consists of 32 Pages of Quarto Letter Paper, sewed together as a Book, and with many Alterations,—as in some places whole Paragraphs are erased, and others substituted, in others, many lines struck out—in others, Sentences and Words erased and others interlined in their Stead.—the 10th, 11th & 16th Pages are almost entirely expunged,—with all its numerous corrections saving only a few lines;—and one half of the 3rd Page is also effaced. A critical examination will show, that the whole, from first to last, was the work of the same hand;—and I can confidently affirm that no other Pen ever touched the Manuscript now in my Possession, than that of the great and good Man whose Signature it bea.s.

“(Signed) D. C. CLAYPOOLE.

“Philadelphia. }
February 22 }
1826.” }

Mr. Claypoole was m. three times: 1st, —; 2dly, —; 3dly, Sarah, — who died April 20, 1848, aged fifty-nine years.

He had thirteen children, and survived his last wife and all his children, dying March 9, 1849, aged ninety-two; is buried in the Rockhill vault, St. Stephen's Church, Philadelphia, with his third wife Sarah, his children George and Mary, and his brother Abraham George Claypoole.

138. REBECCA CHAMBERS^s (Edith,^r Joseph,^s James,^s etc.), b. in Phila. Sept. 2, 1751; d. in Cincinnati, Ohio, June 19, 1834; m. Mar. 3, 1768, Robert Wallace from Parish Lifford, County Donegal, Ireland.

Children :

216. Edith Wallace, b. Jan. 17, 1769; d. Apr. 18, 1831.

217. Elizabeth Wallace, b. Dec. 13, 1770; d. Jan. 1, 1832; m. Charles Green.

218. James Wallace, b. Sept. 26, 1773; d. June 9, 1775.

219. Rev. Matthew Wallace, b. Jan. 19, 1776; m. 1st, Deborah Spencer; 2dly, —.

220. Ann Somerville Wallace, *b.* Apr. 27, 1782; *d.* Dec. 15, 1864; *m.* Martin Baum.
 221. David Chambers Wallace, *b.* May 12, 1784; *d.* Nov. 1, 1861 unm.
 222. Mary Wallace, *b.* May 15, 1787; *d.* Aug. 22, 1812; *m.* Samuel Perry.
 223. Robert Wallace, *b.* Sept. 10, 1789; *m.* Jane E. Sterret.
 224. Margaret Wallace, *b.* May 23, 1792; *d.* Apr. 24, 1833; *m.* Nehemiah Wade.
 225. Rebecca Wallace, *b.* Aug. 23, 1778; *d.* Jan. 3, 1867; *m.* Hon. Jacob Burnet.

TENTH GENERATION.

146. JOHN FOULKE⁹ (Mary Bringhurst,⁸ Mary,⁷ John,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* 1757. Dr. Foulke was a physician, a man of learning, and of high repute in his profession, while concerning his generous practical humanity and thorough accomplishments much interesting testimony exists. He was one of the first elected members of the College of Physicians, and at his residence, at 107 North Front Street, he carried on a private school for medical instruction, where he educated many distinguished members of the profession. Dr. Foulke visited Europe in 1780, and on his return, May, 1784, delivered a lecture on Pneumatics at the old Hall of the College, Fourth Street below Arch, and exhibited to his friends the first balloon seen in this country. He was elected a member of the American Philosophical Society in 1784, and in 1786 became one of its Secretaries, Benjamin Franklin being President. Dr. Foulke married, May 8, 1788, Eleanor Parker, daughter of Richard¹ and Lydia Parker, deceased, of Philadelphia. He died in 1796, and his wife lived until the summer of 1860, her married life being a little more than eight years, her widowhood sixty-four years.

¹ Richard Parker was the son of Richard Parker, who was the son of another Richard Parker, who came to America in 1684.—Proud's History of Pennsylvania, vol. i. p. 218, note.

Children :

226. Richard Parker Foulke, *b.* Apr. 5, 1789; *d.* Aug. 22, 1860; *m.* Anna Catherine Ströhn.

227. Mary Foulke, *b.* Aug. 1, 1790; *d.* unm.

228. Eleanor Parker Foulke, *b.* Apr. 6, 1792; *d.* 1882; *m.* Burgess B. Long; no children.

149. DEBORAH FOULKE⁹ (Mary Bringhurst,⁸ Mary,⁷ John,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* 9, 28, 1764; *m.* 1st, Oct. 16, 1788, William Pearson, son of William and Ann, deceased, of Northern Liberties; *m.* 2d, 11, 2, 1809, Isaac Tyson, of Phila., son of James and Sarah of Springfield, Del. Co. By her first marriage she had one child :

229. Mary Pearson, *b.* Feb. 10, 1791; *d.* Feb. 2, 1813, unm.

151. JOHN BRINGHURST⁹ (James Bringhurst,⁸ Mary,⁷ John,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* 4, 25, 1764; *d.* June 14, 1800; *m.* 1787, Mary Lawton. They had one child :

230. John Bringhurst, Jr., *b.* 1789; *d.* unm.

152. JAMES BRINGHURST^{9 1} (James Bringhurst,⁸ Mary,⁷ John,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* 3, 4, 1766; *d.* 3, 4, 1818; *m.* 1st, 1789, Rachel Bettle; 2dly, Ann Carroll.

Children :

231. Joseph Bringhurst, *b.* 2, 18, 1790; *m.* Elizabeth Evans.

232. James Bringhurst, *b.* 4, 4, 1792; *m.* Rebecca Ryan.

233. Sarah Ann Bringhurst, *b.* 7, 3, 1794; *m.* William Gregory.

234. Eliza Bringhurst, *b.* 11, 8, 1802; *m.* William Maddock.

235. Mary Bringhurst, *b.* 10, 14, 1805; *m.* William W. Longstreth.

236. John Bringhurst, *b.* 10, 12, 1810; *m.* Rebecca Greaves.

153. JOSEPH BRINGHURST^{9 2} (James Bringhurst,⁸ Mary,⁷ John,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* Philadelphia, 10, 6, 1767; *d.* Wilmington, 7, 26, 1834; *m.* 7, 11, 1799, Deborah Ferris,

¹ The Burlington Smiths, by R. Morris Smith.

² Sharpless Genealogy, by Gilbert Cope.

b. 3, 2, 1773; d. 8, 20, 1844; dau. of Zibu and Edith (Sharpless) Ferris.

Children :

237. William Bringhurst, *b.* 9, 25, 1800; *d.* 6, 14, 1818.

238. Mary Dickinson Bringhurst, *b.* 7, 4, 1806; *d.* 1, 12, 1886; *m.* George V. Moody.

239. Joseph Bringhurst, *b.* 9, 26, 1807; *d.* 3, 14, 1880; *m.* Anna Richardson.

240. Edward Bringhurst, *b.* 5, 22, 1809; *d.* 2, 8, 1884; *m.* Anna M. Shipley.

241. Ziba Ferris Bringhurst, *b.* 9, 19, 1812; *d.* 3, 6, 1836; *m.* Amy Dixon.

157. JAMES MORRIS JONES⁹ (Blaithwaite Jones,⁸ Jane Crappe,⁷ Priscilla,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *m.* Martha Levy.

Child :

242. Martha Levy Jones, *m.* Robert Adams.

158. CLARISSA SIDNEY CLAYPOOLE⁹ (John,⁸ William,⁷ Nathaniel,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* Apr. 3, 1785; *d.* July 10, 1864; *m.* June 4, 1805, Jacob Wilson.

Children :

243. { Elizabeth Griscom Wilson, *b.* Jan. 23, 1806; *m.* James Cam-
pion.

244. { Sophia Berg Wilson, *b.* Jan. 23, 1806; *d.* May 8, 1891; *m.*
Charles Hildebrand.

245. Aquilla Bolton Wilson, *b.* Feb. 18, 1808; *d.* Sept. 23, 1856; *m.* Sarah Ghriskey.

246. Clarissa S. Wilson, *b.* Aug. 9, 1809; *m.* James Hanna.

247. Susan C. Wilson, *b.* Dec. 1, 1810; *d.* Aug. 30, 1868; *m.* Abraham Sellers.

248. Rachel Jones Wilson, *b.* June 16, 1812; *m.* Jacob W. Albright.

159. SUSAN CLAYPOOLE⁹ (John,⁸ William,⁷ Nathaniel,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* Nov. 15, 1786; *m.* 11, 12, 1822, Abel Satterthwaite, son of William and Mary Satterthwaite of Falls twp., Bucks Co. Married at Mulberry St. Meeting, Phila.

Children :

249. James Satterthwaite, *b.* 12, 25, 1813; *d.* 2, 9, 1885.

250. John Satterthwaite, *b.* 7, 29, 1815; *m.* Mary Brown.

251. Sidney Satterthwaite, *b.* 2, 27, 1817; *d.* 3, 25, 1858; *m.* Cyrus G. Kinsey.

252. Edwin Satterthwaite, *b.* 10, 25, 1818; *m.* Martha Hallowell.

253. Abel Satterthwaite, *b.* 4, 5, 1822; *m.* Mary S. Burton.

254. Mary Satterthwaite, *b.* 11, 25, 1824, unm.

255. Susan Satterthwaite, *b.* 4, 30, 1827; *m.* David Newport.

160. RACHEL CLAYPOOLE⁹ (John,⁸ William,⁷ Nathaniel,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* Feb. 1, 1789; *m.* 1st, Edward Jones; 2dly, John Fletcher, 4, 10, 1823.

Child of first marriage:

256. Edward Jones, *b.* Oct. 22, 1807.

Children of second marriage:

257. Margaretta Butler Fletcher, *b.* 10, 18, 1824; *d.* 6, 14, 1874, unm.

258. Mary Fletcher, *b.* 6, 20, 1827; *m.* Arthur Wigert.

259. Daniel Fletcher, *b.* 12, 15, 1829; *d.* 10, 3, 1853.

161. JANE CLAYPOOLE⁹ (John,⁸ William,⁷ Nathaniel,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* Nov. 13, 1792; *d.* Jan. 4, 1873, at Coloma, Md.; *m.* at Arch St. Meeting, Phila., 7, 2, 1818, Caleb Harlan Canby of Mansfield, Burlington Co., N.J., son of Thomas and Catharine Canby of Phila. He *d.* 4, 9, 1852, aged 62 years.

Children:

260. Catharine Canby, *b.* 5, 16, 1819; *d.* 2, 10, 1884; *m.* Lloyd Balderston.

261. Elizabeth Canby, *b.* 10, 10, 1820, unm.

262. Charles Canby, *b.* 8, 6, 1822; *d. s. p.* June 17, 1851; *m.* Susan N. Kirk.

263. John Canby, *b.* 10, 9, 1823; *m.* Elizabeth A. Boustead.

264. William Jackson Canby, *b.* 8, 1, 1825; *d.* 1, 10, 1890; *m.* Caroline Louise Prescott.

265. Caleb Canby, *b.* 5, 7, 1827; *d.* 12, 10, 1859; *m.* Mary D. Preswick.

266. George Canby, *b.* 4, 13, 1829; *m.* Matilda Curtis Goodwin.

267. Jane Canby, *b.* 3, 8, 1831; *d.* 4, 30, 1881; *m.* Abel J. Hopkins.

268. Mary Canby, *b.* 4, 20, 1833; *m.* Robert S. Culin, of Phila., June, 1854.

167. ELINOR TRIMBLE⁹ (Clarissa S.,⁸ William,⁷ Nathaniel,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* July 5, 1786; *d.* in Phila., Nov. 2, 1809;

m. William Boyd, son of Samuel Boyd and Sydney Foster,¹ b. about 1772, in Lancaster Co. ; in State Senate from Phila., 1828 ; d. at Spring Grove Forge, Pa., Oct. 15, 1847.

Children :

269. Clarissa Sidney Boyd, b. Sept. 25, 1806 ; d. May 2, 1875 ; m. Samuel O. Jacobs.

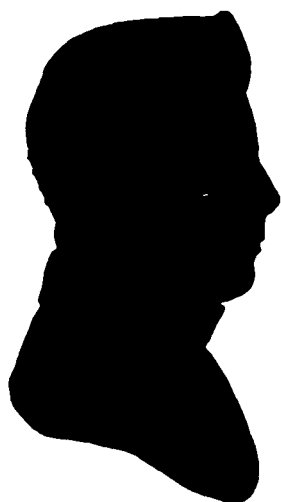
270. Mary Ann Boyd, b. Oct. 7, 1808 ; d. Dec. 12, 1883, unm.

One of Mary Ann Boyd's relatives in writing of her says, "Her life was quiet and comparatively uneventful. She was born October 7th, 1808, at what was then No. 18 South Front Street, Philadelphia. In childhood her health was delicate, and at no period of her life was she an especially vigorous woman, although she accomplished so much in the lines of study and active benevolence. Her mother having died in her infancy, a large portion of her early life was spent with her sister, Clarissa Sidney, in Lancaster, under the care and affectionate protection of the Misses Juliana and Rebecca Jordan. Later the sisters lived with their father in Philadelphia, and after the marriage of her elder sister to Mr. S. O. Jacobs, Miss Boyd spent her summers at Mr. and Mrs. Jacobs' residence, Spring Grove, in Lancaster County. Miss Boyd passed a couple of winters in Harrisburg with her father while he was a member of the State Senate, and in 1858 accompanied Bishop Alonzo Potter and his family to Europe, where she spent a year or more in travel and sight-seeing. In the spring of 1867 Mrs. Jacobs and her son removed to Philadelphia, and here, at the corner of 18th and Pine Streets, she resided with them until her death in 1883.

"During her whole life Miss Boyd was a hard student, devoted to the acquisition of knowledge, an able linguist, at home in French and German, and having considerable acquaintance with Italian and Spanish, while very little good literature in her own language was unknown to her.

"All who knew Miss Boyd intimately unite in speaking

¹ Mr. Charles P. Keith of Philadelphia.



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of her superior mental gifts, which, with a character of remarkable loveliness, combined to form a more than ordinarily attractive personality. A liberal giver to any object that commended itself to her judgment,¹ for she always used discrimination in her charities, she was eminently just in her dealings with others, not merely in pecuniary matters, but in her opinions and in her expression of them. A friend, in speaking of Miss Boyd, says that she was not only a very intellectual woman, but a bright and entertaining companion, with a fine vein of humor, which even when it run into personalities never wounded, but rather charmed by its genial kindliness. While entering into the joys of life to the fullest extent, she lived near to the unseen world, and met with patience and fortitude the severe and prolonged suffering that marked the close of her mortal career."

169. JAMES TRIMBLE * (Clarissa S.,³ William,⁷ Nathaniel,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. Apr. 18, 1790; m. Nov. 29, 1821, Eliza Violetta Porter Gemmill, daughter of Rev. John Gemmill and Rebecca Irwin. Dr. James Trimble was the son of the Hon. James Trimble, First Deputy Secretary of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and Clarissa Sidney Claypoole. Of Dr. Trimble's early childhood we know little, except that it was spent in Philadelphia until the year 1799, when the seat of government of the State of Pennsylvania was removed to Lancaster and his parents' residence was changed to that place. In 1812, after having pursued his studies, preparatory and classical, he graduated in medicine, at the age of twenty-two, in the University of Pennsylvania. Soon after graduation he entered the army, first as surgeon's mate, in which capacity he served two years. In 1814 he was promoted to the position of surgeon, and continued in active service throughout the war of 1812.

¹ Deeply interested in the founding of the Episcopal Hospital, Miss Boyd early contributed a large sum to this worthy charity.

In proof of Dr. Trimble's diligence as a student, and also of his valuable services in the army, we refer to the following testimonials :

"UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA, June 16th, 1814.

"I do hereby certify that Doctor James Trimble has attended three courses of lectures on Anatomy.

"CASPER WISTAR, M.D.,

"*Professor of Anatomy.*"

"I hereby certify that James Trimble of Philadelphia, having attended during the requisite number of years the various lectures in the University of Pennsylvania, and having performed all other preparatory exercises, received the degree of Doctor of Medicine at a commencement held in the year 1812.

"JOHN S. DORSEY, M. Doctor,

"*Adj. Professor of Surgery & late Dean
to the Medical Faculty.*

"PHILADELPHIA, 28th June, 1814."

"SIR, I hereby certify that you are appointed to act as Surgeon of the Artillery under the command of Colonel Mitchell at his Post you will report to him, and receive his instructions.

"SACKETTS HARBOUR, May 29th, 1814.

"W. M. ROSS,

"*Hospital Surgeon, U. S. Army.*

"Approved E. P. GAINES,

"*B. Gen. Commandr.*

"DR. JAMES TRIMBLE."

"MAY 29th, 1814.

"SIR :

"From a knowledge of Dr. Trimble's talents, information and experience as a Surgeon and Physician, of his arduous services on the frontiers; and his character as a Gentleman, I with much pleasure join in recommending

him to the Honorable Secretary at War as well qualified, and very worthy of promotion. I have the honor to be very respectfully,

“GEO. MITCHELL.

“THE HONORABLE SECRETARY AT WAR.”

“NEW YORK, June 13th, 1814.

“SIR :

“I beg to recommend Dr. James Trimble, late a Surgeon's Mate in the third Regiment of Artillery as a Gentleman in every respect qualified for the appointment of Regimental Surgeon in the Army. Doctor Trimble received the Degree of Medicine from the University in 1812, and I consider his medical acquirements equal to any Gentleman of his age in the Army. He served with his Regiment last summer at Fort George, and I considered him very attentive to his duty. With great consideration, I have the honor to be very respectfully your obedient servant,

“JAMES C. BRENAUGH,

“*Hosp'l. Surg' U. S. Army.*

“HONORABLE JOHN ARMSTRONG,

“*Secretary at War.*”

“SIR: I am well acquainted with Dr. James Trimble, a young Gentleman of merit, whom I had the honor to Educate. He has received with credit the Degree of Doctor of Medicine in the University of Penna. He wishes the Station of a Surgeon in the Army for which in my opinion he is amply qualified. You will find that Doctor Trimble is well recommended by Dr. James Brenaugh. I shall feel myself honored by your attention to my request. I have the honor to be Sir, with great consideration, your obedient servant,

“BENJAMIN SMITH BARTON, M.D.,

“*Professor, &c.*

“JULY 28th, 1814.

“TO THE HONORABLE JOHN ARMSTRONG,

“*Secretary at War.*”

"WAR DEPARTMENT. July 20th 1814

"DEAR SIR

"Your letter of the tenth instant accompanied by one from Mr Boileau, and sundry other papers has been received. The law organizing a new the Corps of Artillery has omitted to provide for the appointment of Surgeons.—What in this case can be done is to appoint Doctor Trimble a Hospital Surgeons Mate (the emoluments being equal to those of a Regimental Surgeon) and attach him to the Artillery for field or garrison duty until the omission in the law be supplied.—This has been done and the letter of appointment sent to General Gaines at Sacketts' Harbour. The Certificates and diploma are enclosed herewith

"I am dear sir with great respect and regard

"J. ARMSTRONG

"JAMES TRIMBLE ESQ.

"*Deputy Secy. of the State of Pennsylvania.*"

Dr. Trimble was in the regiment in which Captain Winfield Scott (afterwards Major-General Scott) commanded a company, and in this early experience of military service a friendship was formed that lasted through life.¹

At the close of the war Dr. Trimble settled on a farm, given him by his father, in the Great Valley, Chester County, Pennsylvania, which is still in the possession of the children of his brother. There he practised medicine, and there he first met Eliza Violetta Porter Gemmill, daughter of the Rev. John Gemmill and Rebecca Irvin, whom he afterwards married. Six children were the fruit of this union: one died in infancy, and the other five, surviving their father, arrived at maturity, married, and have families of their own. Mrs. Trimble was very young at

¹ I have frequently heard my father relate incidents of his many experiences with General Scott, and of pleasant intercourse and stories told around their camp-fires.

the time of her marriage, but she early evinced a deep interest in spiritual matters, and endeavored to train her family in the fear of God, especially enjoining upon them the strict observance of the Sabbath day. Her love for that day was so strong that it clung to her all through a long life, and when the shadow began to darken her mind, she fancied that every day was the Sabbath and lamented what she considered its desecration by those about her.

After several years devoted to the practice of medicine in Chester County, Dr. Trimble removed to Alexandria, Huntingdon County, Pennsylvania. He left Alexandria about 1831-32 to settle in Williamsburg of the same county.

Dr. Trimble devoted much of his leisure time to the study of geology and natural sciences, of which he was passionately fond, and collected a large number of specimens of minerals, precious stones, and shells, as well as of animals, birds, and reptiles, all classified by himself. He received the degree of Corresponding Member of the Academy of Natural Sciences in 1836, having already contributed a number of specimens, among which was a variety of the Trilobite family which he discovered, and which was named in his honor *Trimblei* by the Academy of Natural Sciences.

As a geologist Dr. Trimble was much esteemed. Persons engaged in iron and coal industries in the mountainous districts of Pennsylvania often journeyed forty or fifty miles to show him specimens of rock and coal, and to consult him about locating mines and making investments. He also anticipated the weather bureau and telegraph by many years, and the writer well remembers in 1832, when she was a child of nine, his having a person out in the hills with compass and other instruments to note the direction and velocity of the wind, and also Dr. Trimble's prediction, from certain

indications, of a storm within forty-eight hours. The storm occurred at the time indicated, and with such violence that nearly all the window-glasses in the village were broken by the hail-stones. The circumstance of the prediction and its prompt fulfilment were indelibly impressed upon the writer's childish mind. Another prediction was that before ten years Philadelphia would speak with New Orleans, which, as we know, was an accomplished fact.

Dr. Trimble's experience of five years in the army gave him a reputation, at that time, rarely equalled, and his practice extended over a large portion of the country. He died June 22, 1838, and was buried in Williamsburg, then in Huntingdon County, now in Blair County, Pennsylvania.

Children:

271. Rebecca Irwin Vanuxen Trimble, *b.* Oct. 22, 1822; *m.* Paul Graff.

272. James Trimble, *b.* Feb. 13, 1824; *m.* Sarah Fruit.

273. Elinor Boyd Trimble, *b.* Feb. 18, 1828; *d.* Mar. 3, 1883; *m.* 1st, John Taylor; 2dly, Rev. James A. Marshall.

274. Amelia Gemmill Trimble, *b.* July 7, 1829; *m.* Robert B. Johnston.

275. Cuvier Trimble, *b.* Aug. 18, 1835; *d.* July 19, 1836.

276. John Gemmill Trimble, *b.* June 8, 1837; *d.* June 21, 1884; *m.* Sabilla Kirk.

170. CLARISSA SIDNEY TRIMBLE⁹ (Clarissa S.,⁸ William,⁷ Nathaniel,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* Jan. 31, 1792; *d.* June 21, 1832; *m.* Apr. 16, 1812, Daniel Reigart, who was *b.* Apr. 17, 1785, *d.* Feb. 10, 1831.

Children:

277. John Franklin Reigart, *b.* Mar. 18, 1813; *d.* Apr. 3, 1884; *m.* Caroline A. White.

278. Clarissa Sidney Reigart, *b.* Oct. 6, 1815; *d.* July, 1841; *m.* William Riley, M.D.

279. Elizabeth Eleanor Reigart, *b.* Dec. 1, 1820; *d.* May 7, 1876; second wife of William Riley, M.D.

280. Mary Emmeline Reigart, *b.* Oct. 28, 1821; *d.* June 29, 1884; *m.* George Alexander Miller.

281. Sarah Catherine Reigart, *b.* Dec. 23, 1822; *d.* Jan. 28, 1889, unm.

174. THOMAS ROGERS TRIMBLE⁹ (Clarissa S.,⁸ William,⁷ Nathaniel,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. Aug. 1799; d. Sept. 8, 1868; m. Feb. 17, 1822, Catherine M. Albright, who was b. Aug. 6, 1803, d. Nov. 13, 1882. Both were buried in Chester County, Pennsylvania.

Children :

282. Thomas Albright Trimble, m. Sarah M. Pierce.

283. Clarissa Sidney Trimble, unm.

284. Mary C. Trimble, d. unm.

285. James Trimble, d. Nov. 17, 1824.

286. Philip A. Trimble, m. 1st, Lizzie Nelms; 2dly, Georgie Sherwood.

287. George Trimble, m. Mar. 17, 1868, Mrs. Anna Elizab. Taylor.

288. Eleanor Trimble, unm.

289. Anna L. Trimble, unm.

290. John H. Trimble, m. July 12, 1887, Phebe Emma Harlan.

291. James Trimble, m. Hannah Beitler.

292. William Boyd Trimble, d. Feb. 8, 1838.

293. Paul Trimble, d. Nov. 4, 1844.

180. SARAH CLAYPOOLE⁸ (Joseph,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. July 12, 1757; d. June 10, 1787; m. Sept. 21, 1775, James Withey.

They had nine children, of whom :

294. Mary Withey, m. Jan. 2, 1798, Daniel B. Knight.

186. REBECCA HOBART⁹ (Hannah Pratt,⁸ Rebecca,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. Aug. 5, 1760; d. July 7, 1802; m. 1st, Nathaniel Potts; he died 1784; they had two children, who died young; m. 2dly, July 6, 1791, Robert Smith of Philadelphia, b. Nov. 20, 1752, d. Apr. 15, 1838. She was his second wife.

Children :

295. Robert Hobart Smith, b. Apr. 23, 1792; d. Aug. 10, 1858; m. Sept. 23, 1813, Mary Potts; nine children.

296. Anna Potts Smith, b. Dec. 14, 1793; d. July 23, 1875; m. Daniel Lamot.

297. William Alexander Smith, b. Mar. 23, 1795; d. May 8, 1845; m. Sarah Emlen Griffiths.

298. Rebecca Hobart Smith, *b.* Oct. 6, 1796; *d.* May 1, 1835; *m.* Wm. Fishbourn Griffiths.
 299. Henry Hobart Smith, *b.* Nov. 19, 1797; *d.* Apr. 26, 1843; *m.* May, 1838, Mary S. Brown, *d. s. p.*
 300. Mary Robertson Smith, *b.* Dec. 1, 1798, *d.* unm.
 301. Helen McDougal Smith, *b.* Mar. 4, 1800; *d.* Oct. 28, 1870; *m.* July 21, 1824, Wm. Fishbourn Griffiths, *d. s. p.*
 302. Edward Smith, *b.* Aug. 27, 1801; *d.* Sept. 20, 1827, unm.

190. JOHN HENRY HOBART³ (Hannah Pratt,⁵ Rebecca,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁸ etc.), *b.* Sept. 14, 1775; entered Princeton College in 1791, was graduated 1793, studied divinity, and was ordained by Bishop White in June, 1798, after which he had charge successively of Trinity Church, Oxford, Pa., All Saints' Church, Pegunstan, and Christ Church, New Brunswick. In 1800 he was assistant at Trinity Church, New York, where, May 29, 1811, he was consecrated Bishop of the diocese of New York.¹ Bishop Hobart was the author of a number of devotional and theological works. His character and career are too well known to require more than brief mention. His history is inseparably associated with that of the church which he loved and served, while his attitude toward the American Church and that of England, during a controversial period, is clearly defined in his own words: "I love and revere England and its church; but I love my own church and country better." Bishop Hobart married, May 6, 1800, Mary Goodin Chandler, who died April 4, 1847. She was the daughter of Rev. Thomas Bradbury Chandler and Jane Emott. He died September 12, 1830, at Auburn, N.Y., while upon an episcopal visitation.

Children:

303. Jane E. Hobart, *d.* Oct. 7, 1832.
 304. Rebecca S. Hobart, *d.* Aug. 3, 1864; *m.* Levi Silliman Ives, LL.D., D.D.

¹ The Chandler Family, by George Chandler, p. 492.

306. William H. Hobart, *d.* Jan. 27, 1857.
 306. Dayton Hobart, *d.* Oct. 24, 1870.
 307. Elizabeth C. Hobart, *b.* Jan. 27, 1810; *d.* May 26, 1883; *m.* Rev. G. Emlen Hare, D.D.
 308. Mary G. Hobart, *d. s. p.* Mar. 10, 1879; *m.* Samuel Verplanck.
 309. Rev. John Henry Hobart, D.D., *b.* Oct. 1, 1817; *m.* Elizabeth Riggs.

191. HENRY C. PRATT⁶ (Matthew,⁸ Rebecca,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* May 14, 1761; *d.* Feb. 6, 1838; *m.* 1st, June 22, 1778, Frances Moore, dau. of Richard Moore, *b.* 1757, *d.* May 9, 1785; 2dly, Oct. 27, 1785, Elizabeth Dundas, dau. of James Dundas¹ and Elizabeth Moore, *d.* Aug. 31, 1787; 3dly, Susanna Care.

Children of first marriage :

310. Thomas Pratt, *b.* Sept. 16, 1779; *d.* June 18, 1812.
 311. Elizabeth Pratt, *b.* May 24, 1781.
 312. Henry Pratt, *b.* Nov. 1, 1782.
 313. Frances Henrietta Pratt, *b.* Aug. 22, 1784.

Children of second marriage :

314. Mary Anne Pratt, *b.* Aug. 3, 1786.
 315. Anna Maria Pratt, *b.* Sept. 5, 1787.
 316. James Dundas Pratt, *b.* Apr. 23, 1789; *m.* Ann —.
 317. Sarah Clementina Pratt, *b.* Dec. 1, 1791; *d.* Dec. 31, 1836; *m.* Thomas McKean.

200. HANNAH WEBSTER RUFF⁶ (Deborah Pratt,⁸ Rebecca,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* June 14, 1781; *d.* Nov. 16, 1807; *m.* June 12, 1800, James Robertson of Scotland.

Children :

318. Margaretta Robertson, *b.* Mar. 14, 1801; *d.* May 22, 1872.
 319. Rebecca Smith Robertson, *b.* Dec. 29, 1802; *d.* Mar. 19, 1861.
 320. Helen Robertson, *b.* Mar. 14, 1805; *d.* Oct. 1, 1881; *m.* Rev. Robert E. Croes.
 321. Mary Robertson, *d.* in inf., Dec. 1807.

202. JAMES CLAYPOOLE COPPER⁵ (Elizabeth,⁸ James,⁷ Jo-

¹ James Dundas, born 1734; came to Philadelphia 1757; died January 10, 1788.—Augustus M. Scriba.

soph,⁴ James,⁵ etc.), m., about 1797, Elizabeth Chambers, dau. of James Chambers of Trenton.

Children :

- 322. Elizabeth Claypoole Copper, unm.
- 323. George Copper, lost at sea, aged 14 years.
- 324. Susan Chambers Copper, m. William Rogers Smith.
- 325. Thomas Copper, m. 1st, Martha Hall; 2dly, Louisa Culver.
- 326. Norris Copper, d. aged 21.
- 327. Annie Copper, d. y.
- 328. Emma Copper, d. 1890, unm.
- 329. John Chambers Copper, d. 1891; m. 1st, Mary Ryal; 2dly, Mary Trego.

203. JANE PEALE⁹ (Mary,⁸ James,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), m. Samuel Simes.

Children :

- 330. Virginia Simes.
- 331. Edgar Simes.
- 332. William Simes.
- 333. Emma Simes.

205. JAMES PEALE⁹ (Mary,⁸ James,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. Mar. 6, 1789; d. Oct. 27, 1876; m. 1st, Dec. 18, 1813, Anna Dunn; 2dly, Sophonisba Peale, dau. of Raphaele and Martha (McGlathery) Peale, b. May 15, 1801, d. Aug. 3, 1878.

Children :

- 334. James Godman Peale, b. Feb. 11, 1823; d. Aug. 9, 1891; m. Ellen Q. M. Field.
- 335. Washington Peale.
- 336. Howard Peale.
- 337. Virginia Peale.
- 338. Harry Peale.

209. MARY CLAYPOOLE⁹ (Abraham Geo.,⁸ James,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. Nov. 16, 1790; d. Mar. 2, 1873; m. Apr. 9, 1818, Thomas Cadwalader Rockhill, b. Dec. 17, 1790, d. Mar. 10, 1855.

Children :

339. Thomas Cadwalader Rockhill, *b.* Feb. 20, 1820; *d.* Apr. 1, 1849; *m.* Dorothea A. Woodville.

340. Mary C. Rockhill, *b.* Feb. 16, 1823; *m.* June 2, 1851, Judge Craig Biddle; *d.* May 4, 1852, leaving a dau., Mary Rockhill Biddle, who *d.* Feb. 1, 1853.

210. JAMES THOMPSON CLAYPOOLE⁹ (Abraham Geo.,⁸ James,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *d.* in Columbus, Ohio, 1862; *m.* Eliza Allibone, dau. of Thomas Allibone and ——. She was *b.* —; *d.* —.

They had one child :

341. James Claypoole, *m.* Mary Antoinette Curtis.

211. ELIZA FALCONER CLAYPOOLE⁹ (Abraham Geo.,⁸ James,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* March 18, 1794; *m.* Nov. 30, 1824, William Carson, of Cincinnati; *d.* Dec. 16, 1864.

"Died in this city, on Thursday evening, Mrs. Eliza F. Carson, in her seventy-first year, daughter of Abraham G. Claypoole, formerly cashier of the United States Branch Bank, and relict of the late William Carson, long an eminent and successful merchant of this place. Born in Trenton, New Jersey, she migrated with her father's family and settled in Chillicothe at an early day. Educated and of cultivated tastes, having an excellent judgment, with sufficient firmness and decision of character, she was yet singularly mild and amiable, and in all her deportment and character was a true, humble, and confiding Christian. Her death will long be lamented by her immediate family, and remembered with saddened hearts by her intimate friends. Of her it may be emphatically written, Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord, yea, saith the Spirit, for their works do follow them."

Children :

342. William Carson, M.D., *m.* 1st, Louisa Jane Findlay Whiteman; 2dly, Esther Allibone Irwin.

343. David Carson, *m.* Elizabeth Jane Hyde, and had children.

344. Jane Oliver Carson, *m.* Samuel Findlay McCoy, and had children.

345. Erskine Carson, *m.*, 1866, Mary Poindexter, and had children.

346. Mary Alice Carson, *unm.*

212. JANE BYRNE CLAYPOOLE⁹ (Abraham Geo.,⁸ James,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *m.* June 21, 1819, Thomas James, of Chillicothe, Ohio.

Children :

347. Abraham James.

348. Elizabeth James.

349. William James.

350. Anvil James.

351. Lewis James.

352. Alice James.

353. Jane James.

354. Gertrude James.

355. Mary James.

356. Edward James.

213. ALICE ANN CLAYPOOLE⁹ (Abraham Geo.,⁸ James,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* Dec. 7, 1798; *d.* Sept. 30, 1822; *m.* David Gwynne, of Cincinnati, First Lieut. 19th Infantry, U.S.A., Mar. 12, 1812; Captain, Mar. 30, 1813; Major Second Rifles, Feb. 21, 1814; Major and Paymaster, Apr. 29, 1816; resigned from Army May, 1830, and *d.* at his country seat, Fair Hope, near Louisville, Ky., Aug. 21, 1849, leaving one son :

357. Abraham Evan Gwynne, *d.* March 18, 1863; *m.* Cettie Moore Flagg.

214. SARAH CLAYPOOLE⁹ (Abraham Geo.,⁸ James,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* Feb. 9, 1801; *d.* Jan. 31, 1870; *m.* June 28, 1825, William David Lewis, of Phila., *b.* Sept. 22, 1792, *d.* Apr. 1, 1881. He was Collector of the Port 1851.

Children :

358. William David Lewis, *b.* 1827; *d.* Jan. 19, 1872; *m.* Clara Fassitt.

359. Sarah Claypoole Lewis, *m.* Thomas Neilson.

360. Amelia Lewis, *m.* Robert Le Roy.

361. Mary Alice Lewis, *b.* Nov. 26, 1832; *d.* Apr. 9, 1866.

362. Julia Lewis, *m.* Ephraim Clark.

363. Ellen Jane Lewis, *m.* 1st, J. M. Cash, 1860; 2dly, D. C. Jackson, 1873.

220. ANN SOMERVILLE WALLACE⁹ (Rebecca Chambers,⁸ Edith,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* Apr. 27, 1782; *d.* Dec. 15, 1864; *m.* Nov. 14, 1804, Martin Baum, *b.* June 15, 1765, *d.* Dec. 14, 1831.

Children :

364. Robert Wallace Baum, *b.* Sept. 14, 1805; *d.* Feb. 17, 1807.

365. Jacob Baum, *b.* Aug. 1, 1807; *d.* Nov. 6, 1841, unm.

366. Martin Baum, *b.* Nov. 26, 1809; *d.* Sept. 23, 1832, unm.

367. Mary Perry Baum, *b.* Aug. 1, 1812; *m.* Alexander Hamilton Ewing.

368. David Chambers Baum, *b.* Mar. 30, 1815; *d.* June 7, 1839.

369. Kershner Baum, *b.* Apr. 5, 1818; *d.* Sept. 10, 1838.

370. Eleanor Baum, *b.* Sept. 23, 1820; *m.* Charles Hartshorn.

222. MARY WALLACE⁹ (Rebecca Chambers,⁸ Edith,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* May 15, 1787; *m.* Oct. 3, 1809, Samuel Perry; *d.* Aug. 22, 1812, leaving one son :

371. Edward Wallace Perry, *b.* Aug. 22, 1810, unm.

223. COLONEL ROBERT WALLACE⁹ (Rebecca Chambers,⁸ Edith,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *m.* Jane E. Sterret.

Child :

372. Lucy Wallace, *d.* July 24, 1890; *m.* William Howard Neff.

225. REBECCA WALLACE⁹ (Rebecca Chambers,⁸ Edith,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *m.* Judge Jacob Burnet, of Cincinnati, son of Dr. William Burnet, Delegate to the Continental Congress from New Jersey, and the first Surgeon-General of the Army.

Children :

373. Elizabeth Burnet, *d.* 1889; *m.* William S. Groesbeck, M.D.

374. Robert Wallace Burnet, *m.* Margaret A. Groesbeck.

375. Caroline Burnet, *m.* Nathaniel C. McLean.

376. William Burnet, *m.* 1st, Margaretta R. Currie; 2dly, Susan M. Clark; 3dly, Mary Schooley.

377. Ann Burnet, *d.* 1859; *m.* Vachel Worthington.

ELEVENTH GENERATION.

226. RICHARD PARKER FOULKE¹⁰ (Dr. John Foulke,⁹ Mary Bringhurst,⁸ Mary,⁷ John,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. Apr. 5, 1789; d. Aug. 22, 1860; m. Aug. 6, 1812, Anna Catherine Ströhn, dau. of Philip and Anna Catherine Ströhn, b. May 17, 1792, d. Jan. 30, 1856. They had eleven children, all of whom died young except—

378. Elizabeth Foulke, 2d dau., b. Mar. 25, 1814; d. May 4, 1864; m. Patrick Beirne.

379. William Parker Foulke, b. May 31, 1816; d. June 18, 1865; m. Julia de Veaux Powel.

380. Francis Edward Foulke, youngest child, b. May 17, 1834.

231. JOSEPH BRINGHURST¹⁰ (James Bringhurst,⁹ James Bringhurst,⁸ Mary,⁷ John,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. 2, 18, 1790; m. 8, 5, 1811, Elizabeth Evans.

Children :

381. Samuel Bringhurst, b. 12, 21, 1812.

382. Thomas Bringhurst, b. 8, 10, 1814.

383. Joseph Bringhurst b. 11, 11, 1816.

384. William Bringhurst, b. 11, 18, 1818.

385. Elizabeth Bringhurst, b. 10, 9, 1820; m. Azariah Corson.

386. John Bringhurst, b. 9, 25, 1823; m. Rebecca Williams.

387. Susan Bringhurst, m. Milton Burns, New York.

388. Anna Bringhurst, m. Adam Stayley.

232. JAMES BRINGHURST¹⁰ (James Bringhurst,⁹ James Bringhurst,⁸ Mary,⁷ John,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. 4, 4, 1792; m. 4, 28, 1818, Rebecca Ryan.

Children :

389. James Bringhurst, b. 2, 24, 1819.

390. Hannah Bringhurst, b. 2, 13, 1821.

391. Sarah Bringhurst, b. 9, 27, 1823.

233. SARAH ANN BRINGHURST¹⁰ (James Bringhurst,⁹ James Bringhurst,⁸ Mary,⁷ John,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. 7, 3, 1794; m. 1, 24, 1821, William Gregory.

Child :

392. Rachel B. Gregory, *b.* 1, 20, 1823.

234. ELIZA BRINGHURST¹⁰ (James Bringhurst,⁹ James Bringhurst,⁸ Mary,⁷ John,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* 11, 8, 1802; *m.* 1823, William Maddock.

Children :

393. Anna Maddock, *m.* Samuel Baugh.

394. Mary Maddock, *m.* Edward Crippen.

395. William Maddock, *d.* —.

396. John Maddock, *d.* —; *m.* —.

397. Edward Maddock.

235. MARY BRINGHURST¹⁰ (James Bringhurst,⁹ James Bringhurst,⁸ Mary,⁷ John,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* 10, 14, 1805; *m.* 9, 21, 1835, William W. Longstreth.

Children :

398. Joseph Longstreth, *b.* 1828; *m.* 1849, Sarah Atlee.

399. William Longstreth, *b.* 4 mo., 1832; *m.* 1866, Ada Smith.

400. Margaret Longstreth, *b.* 1, 12, 1835; *m.* 1857, Horace J. Smith.

236. JOHN BRINGHURST¹⁰ (James Bringhurst,⁹ James Bringhurst,⁸ Mary,⁷ John,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* 10, 12, 1810; *m.* Rebecca Greaves.

Children :

401. Mary Bringhurst, *m.* M. Dawson Evans.

402. William Bringhurst, *m.* —.

403. Rebecca Bringhurst.

238. MARY DICKINSON BRINGHURST¹⁰ (Joseph Bringhurst,⁹ James Bringhurst,⁸ Mary,⁷ John,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* 7, 4, 1806; *d.* 1, 12, 1886; *m.* in Cincinnati, Ohio, 6, 28, 1842, George Vernon Moody, *b.* Portland, Maine, 2, 12, 1816, *d.* Port Gibson, Miss., 1866.

Children :

404. George Edward Moody, *b.* 4, 28, 1843; *d.* 1, 9, 1844.

405. George Vernon Moody, *b.* 2, 27, 1846; *d.* 6, 21, 1847.

239. JOSEPH BRINGHURST¹⁰ (Joseph Bringhurst,⁹ James Bringhurst,⁸ Mary,⁷ John,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. Wilmington, Del., 9, 26, 1807; d. there 3, 14, 1880; m. Oct. 6, 1842, Anna Richardson, b. Aug. 11, 1816, dau. of John Richardson and Margaret Paxson¹ of Rockwell, near Wilmington, Del.

Children :

406. John R. Bringhurst, *b.* 1, 8, 1845; *m.* 1st, Elizabeth Tatnall; 2dly, Annie S. Stokes.
 407. Margaret R. Bringhurst, *b.* Nov. 13, 1847.
 408. Anna Bringhurst, *b.* Oct. 9, 1856; *d.* Mar. 16, 1878, unm.

240. EDWARD BRINGHURST¹⁰ (Joseph Bringhurst,⁹ James Bringhurst,⁸ Mary,⁷ John,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. Wilmington, Del., 5, 22, 1809; d. 2, 8, 1884; m. 5, 8, 1832, Sarah Shipley, *b.* 5, 28, 1812.

Children :

409. Samuel Bringhurst, *b.* 5, 27, 1833; *d.* 10, 26, 1834.
 410. Edward Bringhurst, *b.* 10, 10, 1835; *m.* 1st, Anna J. Webb; 2dly, Mary H. James.
 411. Ferris Bringhurst, *b.* 10, 10, 1837; *d.* 3, 16, 1871; *m.* Mary W. Betts.

241. ZIBA FERRIS BRINGHURST¹⁰ (Joseph Bringhurst,⁹ James Bringhurst,⁸ Mary,⁷ John,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* 9, 19, 1812; *d.* 3, 6, 1836; *m.* 1832, Amy Dixon, *d.* 11, 3, 1842.

Children :

412. William Bringhurst, *b.* 4, 20, 1833; *m.* Amanda Malvina James.
 413. Margaret Roberts Bringhurst, *b.* 9, 28, 1834; *d.* 7, 12, 1857, unm.

242. MARTHA LEVY JONES¹⁰ (James Morris Jones,⁹ Blaitwaite Jones,⁸ Jane Crappe,⁷ Priscilla,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *m.* Robert Adams.

¹ Margaret Paxson was descended from John Rodman of Barbadoes, whose sons Thomas and John came from that place and settled in Newport, R.I., in 1675 and 1682. See Genealogy of the Rodman Family.

Children :

- 414. Robert Adams, *m.* 1st, Matilda M. Hart; 2dly, Clara H. McDonough.
- 415. Bushrod Washington Adams, *m.* 1st, Sarah Hutchinson; 2dly, Phebe A. Hutchinson.
- 416. William Horner Adams, *d.* unm.
- 417. Martha L. Adams, *m.* Francis Amedie de Pau.
- 418. Arabella Jones Adams, *m.* Charles Moran.
- 419. James Adams, *d.* unm.

243. ELIZABETH GRISCOM WILSON¹⁰ (Clarissa S.,⁹ John,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nathaniel,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* Jan. 23, 1806; *m.* Apr. 8, 1829, James Campion.

Child :

- 420. Sophia Wilson Campion, *b.* Dec. 29, 1830; *m.* Southwick Guthrie.

245. AQUILLA BOLTON WILSON¹⁰ (Clarissa S.,⁹ John,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nathaniel,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* Feb. 18, 1808; *d.* Sept. 23, 1856; *m.* Dec. 24, 1836, Sarah Ghriskey.

Children :

- 421. Clarissa Sidney Wilson, unm.
- 422. Sarah Markley Wilson, unm.
- 423. Mary Porteus Wilson, *d.* y.
- 424. Charles Ghriskey Wilson, *d.* s. *p.* 1889; *m.* 1889, Alice Warwick.
- 425. William Clark Wilson, *b.* Sept. 16, 1849; *m.* Mary Lavinia Noble.
- 426. Jacob Markley Wilson.

246. CLARISSA SIDNEY WILSON¹⁰ (Clarissa S.,⁹ John,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nathaniel,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* Aug. 9, 1809; *m.* Apr. 8, 1829, James Hanna.

Children :

- 427. John Hanna, *b.* Jan. 4, 1830; *m.* Sarah A. Bumm.
- 428. Elizabeth Patterson Hanna, *b.* Oct. 31, 1831; *m.* Henry Kingston.
- 429. Clara Sidney Hanna, *m.* Lewis K. Wood.
- 430. Aquilla Wilson Hanna, *m.* Harriet Houghton.
- 431. Gertrude Hanna, *d.* y.
- 432. William Patterson Hanna.
- 433. Ella Sophia Hanna, *m.* Wm. H. Font Le Roy.
- 434. James Claypoole Hanna, *m.* Catharine Lothian.

435. Florence Hanna, *m.* William P. Heustis.

436. Alice Mary Hanna, *m.* Charles Liscome.

The Hanna family all settled in California and married there, except William.

247. SUSAN C. WILSON¹⁰ (Clarissa S.,⁹ John,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nathaniel,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* Dec. 1, 1810; *d.* Aug. 30, 1868; *m.* Abraham Sellers.

Children :

437. Abraham Sellers, *b.* 1836; *d.* Dec. 19, 1890; *m.* Josephine de Vendell.

438. William Boker Sellers, *b.* 1839; *d.* 1884; *m.* Sarah Stillwell.

439. Henry Sellers, *b.* 1841; killed in the war, Aug. 30, 1862, battle of Manssas.

440. George Sellers, *b.* Dec. 25, 1842; *m.* Mary Julia Michel.

441. Susan Sellers, *b.* Sept. 8, 1845; *m.* David Cooper.

442. Charles Sellers, *b.* Dec. 1, 1847; *d.* Feb. 13, 1891.

443. Catharine Sellers, *d. y.*

248. RACHEL JONES WILSON¹⁰ (Clarissa S.,⁹ John,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nathaniel,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* June 16, 1812; *m.* July 22, 1840, Jacob W. Albright.

Children :

444. Mary Catharine Albright, *b.* June 29, 1841; *m.* Oct. 23, 1860, Isaac Robinson, *d. s. p.* Jan. 18, 1861.

445. Clarence Albright, *b.* June 14, 1847.

446. Jacob W. Albright, *b.* Mar. 16, 1851.

447. Daniel Albright, *b.* June 9, 1853.

250. JOHN SATTERTHWAITE¹⁰ (Susan,⁹ John,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nathaniel,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* 7, 29, 1815; *m.* 11, 2, 1847, Mary Brown.

Children :

448. Franklin S. Satterthwaite, *b.* Aug. 18, 1848; *d.* Sept. 24, 1852.

449. Mary Satterthwaite, *b.* July 24, 1851; *m.* Emmet McChesney.

450. Susan Satterthwaite, *b.* May 16, 1854; *d.* Nov. 13, 1887; *m.* William Baynes.

451. Sidney Satterthwaite, *b.* Mar. 23, 1857; *m.* Wm. T. Marshall.

251. SIDNEY SATTERTHWAITE¹⁰ (Susan,⁹ John,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nath.,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. 2, 27, 1817; d. 3, 25, 1858, at Keokuk, Iowa; m. 1, 3, 1854, Cyrus G. Kinsey.

Child:

452. Charles S. Kinsey, b. 11, 5, 1856; m. Henrietta Sill.

252. EDWIN SATTERTHWAITE¹⁰ (Susan,⁹ John,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nath.,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. 10, 25, 1818; m. 4, 17, 1845, Martha Hallowell, dau. of John R. and Ann Hallowell.

Children:

453. Anna Satterthwaite, b. 2, 2, 1846; m. Joseph S. Williams.

454. James Satterthwaite, b. 12, 11, 1850; m. Anna B. Sill.

455. Lydia Satterthwaite, b. 2, 1, 1854; m. Oliver Parry.

253. ABEL SATTERTHWAITE¹⁰ (Susan,⁹ John,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nathaniel,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. 4, 5, 1822; m. 3, 18, 1847, Mary S. Burton, dau. of Wm. Burton.

Children:

456. William H. Satterthwaite, b. 12, 31, 1847; m. Hannah T. Hallowell.

457. Charles B. Satterthwaite, b. 2, 19, 1854; m. Josephine —.

255. SUSAN SATTERTHWAITE¹⁰ (Susan,⁹ John,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nathaniel,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. 4, 30, 1827; m. 4, 8, 1847, David Newport.

Children:

458. William C. Newport, b. 1, 9, 1848; m. Anna Briggs.

459. Emma C. Newport, b. 2, 2, 1851; m. Canby S. Tyson.

260. CATHARINE CANBY¹⁰ (Jane,⁹ John,⁸ William,⁷ Nathaniel,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. 5, 16, 1819; d. 2, 10, 1884; m. 11, 9, 1843, Lloyd Balderston of Colora, Md., son of Mark and Elizabeth Balderston.

Children:

460. Anne Balderston, b. 9, 7, 1844.

461. George Balderston, b. 6, 23, 1846; m. Myra A. Atwater.

462. Caleb Canby Balderston, b. 8, 24, 1847; m. Mary Anna Brown.

463. John L. Balderston, b. 2, 22, 1849; m. Anna E. Marshall.

464. Jane Canby Balderston, *b.* 1, 16, 1851; *m.* Samuel Morris Jones.
 465. Charles Balderston, *b.* 3, 17, 1852; *m.* 2, 7, 1882, Effie V. Dillaye.
 466. Catharine Balderston, *b.* 5, 14, 1854; *d.* 7, 3, 1858.
 467. William Balderston, *b.* 8, 30, 1856; *m.* Stella Saine.
 468. Elwood Balderston, *b.* 6, 9, 1858; *m.* Sarah E. Atwater.
 469. Mark Balderston, *b.* 5, 25, 1860; *d.* 5, 30, 1860.
 470. Alice Balderston, *b.* 9, 20, 1861; *d.* 12, 5, 1864.
 471. Lloyd Balderston, *b.* 7, 3, 1863; *m.* Mary F. Alsop.

263. JOHN CANBY¹⁰ (Jane,⁹ John,⁸ William,⁷ Nathaniel,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* 10, 9, 1823; *m.* 4, 4, 1848, Elizabeth A. Boustead.

Children :

472. Caroline B. Canby, *b.* May 19, 1849.
 473. Isabella Little Canby, *b.* Jan. 13, 1854; *d.* Jan. 15, 1857.
 474. Anna E. Canby, *b.* Sept. 8, 1856.
 475. James B. Canby, *b.* Sept. 22, 1859; *d.* 6, 8, 1861.
 476. Charles Canby, *b.* Mar. 16, 1865.

264. WILLIAM JACKSON CANBY¹⁰ (Jane,⁹ John,⁸ William,⁷ Nathaniel,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* 8, 1, 1825; *d.* 1, 10, 1890; *m.* Sept. 20, 1855, Caroline Louise Prescott, at the Old Court House, Dresden, Maine.

Children :

477. Louise Prescott Canby, *b.* Nov. 19, 1856.
 478. Henry Pratt Canby, *b.* Nov. 17, 1858.
 479. Augusta Prescott Canby, *b.* Sept. 8, 1861.
 480. William Warren Canby, *b.* July 10, 1865.
 481. Oliver Claypoole Canby, *b.* July 13, 1869.

265. CALEB CANBY¹⁰ (Jane,⁹ John,⁸ William,⁷ Nathaniel,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* 5, 7, 1827; *d.* 12, 10, 1859; *m.* Oct. 18, 1853, Mary D. Preswick, at Brooklyn, N.Y.

Children :

482. Mary Preswick Canby, *b.* Oct. 10, 1854; *m.* Edgar C. Fuller.
 483. Caleb Harlan Canby, *b.* Dec. 7, 1856; *m.* Jane Lynch.
 484. Charles Canby, *d.* y.

266. GEORGE CANBY¹⁰ (Jane,⁹ John,⁸ William,⁷ Nathaniel,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* 4, 13, 1829; *m.* June, 1853, in Phila., Matilda Curtis Goodwin.

Children :

485. Fanny Canby, *b.* 1854; *d.* 1860.
486. Alice Canby, *b.* 1858; *d.* 1860.
487. { George Canby, *b.* May 5, 1861; *d.* May 29, 1871.
488. { Robert Culin Canby, *b.* May 5, 1861.
489. Lloyd Balderston Canby, *b.* Nov. 3, 1870; *d.* Oct. 2, 1871.

267. JANE CANBY¹⁰ (Jane,⁹ John,⁸ William,⁷ Nathaniel,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* 3, 8, 1831; *d.* 4, 30, 1881; *m.* Mar. 10, 1861, Abel J. Hopkins, of Baltimore, Md.

Children :

490. John A. Hopkins, *b.* Feb. 13, 1862; *m.* 5, 4, 1893, Ellen J. Walker.
491. Caleb Canby Hopkins, *b.* June 7, 1863; *m.* Clara E. Derrickson.
492. Arthur Hopkins, *b.* July 26, 1865; *d.* Apr. 8, 1878.
493. Robert Lawrence Hopkins, *b.* Aug. 19, 1867; *d.* Apr. 21, 1878.
494. Mary Elizabeth Hopkins, *b.* Apr. 14, 1869.
495. Catharine B. Hopkins, *b.* June 27, 1871; *d.* Apr. 17, 1878.

269. CLARISSA SIDNEY BOYD¹⁰ (Elinor Trimble,⁹ Clarissa S.,⁸ William,⁷ Nathaniel,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* Sept. 25, 1806; *d.* May 2, 1875; *m.* Dec. 27, 1826, Samuel O. Jacobs of Spring Grove, Lancaster Co., Pa.

The following beautiful tribute to the character of Mrs. Jacobs appeared in one of the journals of the time :

"JACOBS.—In Philadelphia, on May 2d, 1875, CLARA SIDNEY JACOBS, widow of the late Samuel O. Jacobs, of Spring Grove, Penna.

"With this brief record closes a life of singular purity and sweetness, clouded for many years by repeated sorrows, but distinguished among them all by a serene and unswerving faith and a tender and tireless devotion to the happiness and well-being of others.

"Mrs. Jacobs was early left with the burden of large responsibilities, which she was called upon to confront almost alone. For many years the centre of the little community in which she lived, it fell to her lot to be the teacher of the

young, the minister to those in sickness, and the counsellor of those in trouble. How wisely, faithfully, and unselfishly she performed these various duties, there are those in many widely-scattered homes who, to-day, will gratefully testify. Gifted by nature with a most winning and engaging presence, she added to every other grace the unaffected simplicity of a transparent Christian character. 'Without guile,'—this was the thought that sprang unbidden to the lips whenever any one recalled her. And yet this tenderness and simplicity of character was qualified by a directness of insight and an unswerving fidelity to principle, which made her discern the path of duty with almost unerring clearness and follow it with instant and unhesitating fidelity. No one could ever be in any doubt as to her position as a disciple of her Master, and her very presence was a rebuke to all meanness and unfaithfulness. To few women has it ever been given to preach more powerfully or more persuasively, by an exalted Christian life; and, looking back upon it now, that life stands forth as a monument to His grace, who so transformed and ennobled it.

"The Church in Lancaster County for a period of more than thirty years, the neighborhood in which she resided, and the city in which she spent the closing years of her life, are all alike, to-day, witnesses to her active missionary spirit and to the silent influence of her beautiful Christian character. And yet all that she did was accomplished with such modest and unpretentious delicacy and simplicity, that when she came to die, those nearest to her were, almost more than any others, surprised at the widely-uttered testimony which was borne to her character and influence. It was the 'beauty of holiness' making itself owned wherever it was seen.

"He who writes these lines may not continue to intrude upon the sanctities of that home which, most of all, this sorrow has darkened, nor lay bare those sacred relationships of which Mrs. Jacobs was the centre, even as she was to that home itself, at once the light and stay. Enough to say that God gave to her a great power of loving, and that the story of her domestic life was simply the record of an un-

tiring and unsparing self-forgetfulness. Her sunny nature, which uttered itself in a rippling laughter, which none who ever heard it will forget, illuminated every company into which she came, and every task and service to which she set herself. But it was never a 'dry' light, devoid of sympathy or careless, even for one moment, of the feelings or happiness of others. To the very last, the one thought of her daily life was how she might minister to those about her, and how, careless of herself, she might spend and be spent in the Master's service. And so standing in her lot and waiting for that rest 'which remaineth for the people of God,' suddenly she 'fell asleep,' and 'was not, for God took her.'

"Such a departure quenches not a little of their sunshine from whose midst God has taken this mother and sister and friend. But no bitterness of grief will quite stifle the gratitude with which, beside her new-made grave, those who learned to love and revere her will say, 'Thanks be to God for such a friend, and for the hallowed and inspiring memories of such a life.'—H.

"NEW YORK, Whit-Monday, 1875."

Children :

496. William Boyd Jacobs, *b.* Nov. 1, 1827; *m.* Dec. 4, 1879, Abby Bolton, dau. of John Bolton and Katharine Schuyler. She *d.* June 24, 1885.
497. Cyrus Washington Jacobs, *b.* Jan. 27, 1830; *d.* Mar. 23, 1849.
498. Eliza Rodgers Jacobs, *b.* June 7, 1832; *m.* Rt. Rev. Henry C. Potter.
499. Edward Coleman Jacobs, *b.* Oct. 12, 1834; *d.* Dec. 11, 1879; *m.* Katherine E. Moore.

271. REBECCA IRWIN VANUXEN TRIMBLE¹⁰ (James Trimble, M.D.,⁹ Clarissa S.,⁸ William,⁷ Nathaniel,⁶ James,⁵ etc.).

Rebecca Trimble was born October 9, 1822, on her grandfather's farm in Chester County. Her childhood and early girlhood were spent in Williamsburg and Blairs-

ville. In speaking of her early years, she recalls many hours spent with her father while he was engaged in his favorite study, natural history, often reading over his shoulder pages of Lyell's "Geology" and other scientific works. Thus entering into his pursuits and watching him while he arranged his specimens, the daughter acquired an interest in the subjects so dear to her father. On January 21, 1841, Miss Trimble was united in marriage to Paul Graff of Blairsville, who was born May 31, 1815. Mr. Graff is the eighth son of John and Barbara Graff; his father coming to America shortly after the formation of the government, married Barbara Baum, 1793, and settled in Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania.¹ Mr. and Mrs. Paul Graff removed immediately to Hollidaysburg, where the first twelve years of their married life were passed, and in 1853 came to Philadelphia, which city has been their home ever since. Mr. Graff has been, like his wife, for many years, a devoted and consistent member of the Presbyterian Church and an earnest worker in its Sabbath-schools. He was an active agent in establishing the Alexander Presbyterian Church, and in helping it through the early and struggling years of its existence; afterwards he and Mrs. Graff united with the Second Presbyterian Church, Twenty-First and Walnut Streets, where he served as trustee and elder for a number of years. There is usually one person in a generation who takes an interest in collecting the genealogical data of his or her family. Mrs. Graff is the one of the Claypoole line in her generation who has had this work at heart, and it is to her disinterested zeal in gathering together data, memorials,

¹ John Graff was born at Neuwied, Germany, 1763; emigrated to America 1793; was m. 1793, and d. 1818. His parents were Henry Graff and Mary Friedl.—History of the Graff Family, by Paul Graff.

and traditions of a most distinguished family that present and future generations of Claypooles, by whatever surname represented, are indebted for this volume. A. H. W.

Children :

- 500. Albert Graff, *b.* Oct. 21, 1841; *m.* Jane M. Audenried.
- 501. James Trimble Graff, *b.* May 22, 1843; *m.* Susan E. Aumont.
- 502. Cuvier Graff, *b.* Nov. 11, 1844; *d.* Dec. 7, 1846.
- 503. Clara E. Graff, *b.* Sept. 16, 1852.
- 504. Paul Francis Graff, *b.* Mar. 1, 1857; *d.* Oct. 31, 1859.

272. JAMES TRIMBLE¹⁰ (James Trimble, M.D.,⁹ Clarissa S.,⁸ William,⁷ Nathaniel,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* Feb. 13, 1824; *m.* Apr. 3, 1845, Sarah Fruit, *b.* Oct., 1826, dau. of William Fruit of Mercer Co., Penna. They reside in Phila.

Children :

- 505. Carrie Trimble, *b.* June 11, 1850; *d.* Mar., 1854.
- 506. Ida Trimble, *b.* Oct. 21, 1852; *m.* Jan. 5, 1887, Dr. Chas. L. Green.
- 507. James Trimble, *b.* June, 1854; *d.* June, 1876.
- 508. William Trimble, *b.* Dec., 1858; *d.* 1860.
- 509. Charles Trimble, *b.* Jan., 1860; *d.* July, 1860.
- 510. Sallie Trimble, *b.* Mar., 1863; *d.* July, 1863.
- 511. Albert H. Trimble, *b.* Sept., 1867.
- 512. Frank W. Trimble, *b.* Oct., 1868.
- 513. May Trimble, *b.* May 1, 1871.

273. ELINOR BOYD TRIMBLE¹⁰ (James Trimble, M.D.,⁹ Clarissa S.,⁸ William,⁷ Nathaniel,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* Feb. 18, 1828; *d.* Mar. 3, 1883; *m.* 1st, 1847, John Taylor, who *d.* 1849; 2dly, 1860, Rev. James A. Marshall.

Children, all of second marriage :

- 514. { Mary R. Marshall, *b.* Apr., 1861; *d.* July, 1861.
- 515. { Ella M. Marshall, *b.* Apr., 1861; *d.* Aug., 1861.
- 516. Cuvier Robb Marshall, *b.* Oct. 24, 1862; *m.* Mary Richmond.
- 517. Edwin I. Marshall, *b.* July, 1864; *d.* Dec., 1873.
- 518. James Trimble Marshall, *b.* Aug., 1865; *m.* Jennie Gayley.
- 519. Thomas Chalmers Marshall, *b.* Oct. 20, 1868.

274. AMELIA GEMMILL TRIMBLE¹⁰ (James Trimble, M.D.,⁹ Clarissa S.,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nathaniel,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* July 7, 1829;

m. June, 1849, Robert B. Johnston, son of Thomas Johnston, of Hollidaysburg, Blair Co., Pa.

Children :

520. Walter Johnston, *b.* 1850; *d. y.*

521. Jennie Johnston, *b.* 1851; *d. y.*

522. Thomas C. Johnston, *b.* 1852; *d.* 1886; *m.* Estelle Liggett.

523. Ella Johnston, *b.* 1856; *d. y.*

276. JOHN GEMMILL TRIMBLE¹⁰ (James Trimble, M.D.,⁹ Clarissa S.,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nathaniel,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* June 8, 1837; *d.* June 21, 1884; buried in Phila.; *m.* Aug. 15, 1859, Savilla Kirk, who lives in Mifflin Co., Pa.

Children :

524. Martha Eliza Trimble, *b.* May 7, 1860.

525. Jennie Mary Bell Trimble, *b.* June 24, 1864.

526. Rebecca Eleanor Trimble, *b.* Feb. 27, 1873.

277. JOHN FRANKLIN REIGART¹⁰ (Clarissa S. Trimble,⁹ Clarissa S.,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nathaniel,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* Mar. 18, 1813; *d.* Apr. 3, 1884; *m.* Oct. 11, 1836, Caroline A. White, *b.* Aug. 10, 1815, *d.* Apr. 8, 1891.

Children :

527. Rev. Samuel White Reigart, *b.* July 29, 1837; *m.* Annie Elizabeth Hodgson.

528. Clara Sidney Reigart, *b.* Dec. 15, 1838; *m.* Rev. Geo. Snyder, of Harrisburg.

529. John Musser Reigart, *d.* Dec. 23, 1882; *m.* Fannie M. Washington.

530. Anna McMurtrie Reigart.

531. Daniel Reigart, *b.* Aug. 12, 1851.

278. CLARISSA SIDNEY REIGART¹⁰ (Clarissa S. Trimble,⁹ Clarissa S.,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nathaniel,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* Oct. 6, 1815; *d.* July, 1841; *m.* July 6, 1836, William Riley, M.D., *b.* Feb. 17, 1807, *d.* Aug. 15, 1887.

Children :

532. Henry T. Riley, *d. inf.*

533. William Boyd Riley, *b.* 1839; *d.* 1849.

270. ELIZABETH ELEANOR REIGART¹⁰ (Clarissa S. Trimble,⁹ Clarissa S.,⁸ William,⁷ Nathaniel,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. Dec. 1, 1820; d. May 7, 1876; m. May 7, 1840, William Riley, M.D., as his second wife, and lives in Baltimore, Md.

Children :

- 534. Clara Sidney Riley, *b.* Mar. 21, 1847; *m.* Edward Rushmore.
- 535. Mary Emmeline Riley, *d.* —.
- 536. Elizabeth B. Riley, *b.* Dec. 28, 1850; *m.* William Mowley, M.D.
- 537. Sarah C. Riley, *b.* Feb. 12, 1852; *m.* Robert M. Matthews.
- 538. Charles H. Riley, *b.* Apr. 16, 1856; *m.* Laura B. Simmons.
- 539. William B. Riley, *b.* May 6, 1859; *m.* Letitia Armiger.
- 540. Ellen A. Riley, *b.* Aug. 28, 1862; unm.

280. MARY EMMELINE REIGART¹⁰ (Clarissa S. Trimble,⁹ Clarissa S.,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nathaniel,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. Oct. 28, 1821; d. June 29, 1884; m. Nov. 21, 1847, George A. Miller, b. Mar. 8, 1818, d. Oct. 4, 1880.

Children :

- 541. Clarissa Sidney Miller, *b.* Oct. 10, 1848.
- 542. Edward Shriver Miller, *b.* Dec. 28, 1849; *d.* June 21, 1880.
- 543. George A. Miller, *b.* July 3, 1851; *m.* Sarah Catherine Austin.
- 544. Mary Anna Miller, *b.* Apr. 28, 1853; *d.* Feb., 1858.
- 545. William Riley Miller, *b.* Nov., 1855; *d.* July, 1858.

282. THOMAS ALBRIGHT TRIMBLE¹⁰ (Thos. R. Trimble,⁹ Clarissa S.,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nathaniel,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), m. 1852, Sarah M. Pierce, who d. Oct. 30, 1861.

Children :

- 546. Mary C. Trimble, *m.* Wm. C. Prince; seven children.
- 547. Clarissa Sidney Trimble, *d.* Oct. 30, 1863.
- 548. Frank P. Trimble, *m.* March 29, 1889, Mary C. Caslin; one child.

286. PHILIP A. TRIMBLE¹⁰ (Thomas R. Trimble,⁹ Clarissa S.,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nathaniel,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), m. 1st, Oct. 30, 1873, Lizzie Nelms, who d. Apr. 7, 1883; 2dly, Georgie Sherwood. The three children of the first marriage died young.

Child of the second marriage :

- 549. Thomas R. Trimble.

290. JOHN H. TRIMBLE¹⁰ (Thomas R. Trimble,⁹ Clarissa,⁸ Win.,⁷ Nathaniel,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), m. July 12, 1887, Phoebe Emma Harlan.

Child:

550. Thomas R. Trimble.

296. ANNA POTTS SMITH¹⁰ (Rebecca Hobart,⁹ Hannah Pratt,⁸ Rebecca,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. Dec. 14, 1798; d. July 23, 1875; Dec. 2, 1819, became second wife of Daniel Lammot, of Wilmington, Del., son of Daniel La Motte and his wife Elizabeth, dau. of Philip and Elizabeth (Shoets) Forney, of Hanover, York Co., Pa., son of John Adam Forné, who settled in Phila. in 1721.

Children:

551. Daniel Lammot, *d.* 1883; *m.* Dolores de Murquiondo.

552. Eugenia Victorine Lammot, *b.* Aug. 24, 1822; *d.* Sept. 8, 1839.

553. Robert S. La Motte, *d.* Dec. 16, 1888; *m.* Ellen Cist.

554. William A. La Motte, unm.

555. Anna R. La Motte, unm.

556. Harry D. La Motte, *m.* Catharine Clayton.

557. Francis Forney La Motte, *b.* June 23, 1833; *d.* Oct. 17, 1835.

558. Alfred V. La Motte, *m.* Susan Formahls.

559. Charles Eugene La Motte, *d. s. p.*

297. WILLIAM ALEXANDER SMITH¹⁰ (Rebecca Hobart,⁹ Hannah Pratt,⁸ Rebecca,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. Mar. 23, 1795; d. May 8, 1845; m. Dec. 30, 1828, Sarah Emlen Griffiths, b. Apr. 20, 1798, d. Nov. 19, 1863.

Children:

560. Mary Griffiths Smith, *b.* Oct. 20, 1829.

561. Rebecca Hobart Smith, *b.* Jan. 21, 1831.

562. Sarah Griffiths Smith, *b.* May 19, 1832; *d.* Dec. 29, 1836.

563. Abby Wells Smith, *b.* Aug. 14, 1834; *d.* Feb. 22, 1851.

564. Robert William Smith, *b.* Apr. 11, 1836; *m.* 1st, Mary Grace Austin; 2dly, Mary Moore Penington.

565. Samuel Griffiths Smith, *b.* May 10, 1838; *d.* July 1, 1839.

566. William Fishbourn Smith, *b.* Sept. 2, 1839; *m.* Emily C. Stotesbury.

567. Samuel Griffiths Smith, *b.* May 15, 1842; *d.* Aug. 11, 1862.

298. REBECCA HOBART SMITH¹⁰ (Rebecca Hobart,⁹ Hannah Pratt,⁸ Rebecca,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. Oct. 6, 1796; d. May 1, 1835; m. May 18, 1824, William Fishbourn Griffiths, son of Samuel Powel Griffiths and Mary Fishbourn.

Children :

568. Samuel Powel Griffiths, *d. inf.*

569. Robert Smith Griffiths.

570. Helen Smith Griffiths.

571. Rebecca Smith Griffiths.

572. Mary Griffiths, *m.* July 8, 1858, Francis A. Jackson.

304. REBECCA SMITH HOBART¹⁰ (John Henry Hobart,⁹ Hannah Pratt,⁸ Rebecca,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), d. Aug. 3, 1864; m. Levi Silliman Ives, D.D., LL.D.

Child :

573. John Henry Hobart, *d. y.*

307. ELIZABETH CATHARINE HOBART¹⁰ (John Henry Hobart,⁹ Hannah Pratt,⁸ Rebecca,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. Jan. 27, 1810; d. May 26, 1883; m. June 22, 1830, Rev. G. Emlen Hare, D.D., LL.D., b. Sept. 4, 1808, d. Feb. 15, 1892.

Children :

574. John Henry Hobart Hare, *b.* Aug. 26, 1831; *m.* Marianna Clark.

575. Anna Emlen Hare, *b.* Feb. 28, 1833; *m.* E. Spencer Miller.

576. Charles Willing Hare, *b.* Aug. 31, 1835; *m.* Mary S. Widdisfield.

577. George Emlen Hare, *b.* Dec. 1, 1836; *d.* Aug. 1, 1848.

578. William Hobart Hare, *b.* May 17, 1838; *m.* Mary Amory Howe.

579. Chandler Hare, *b.* Feb. 4, 1840; *d.* Jan. 19, 1893; *m.* C. E. Greene.

580. J. Montgomery Hare, *b.* Jan. 20, 1842; *m.* Mary E. Meredith.

581. Mary Hobart Hare, *b.* Dec. 3, 1844.

582. Robert Emott Hare, *b.* July 19, 1847; *m.* 1st, Jeanie P. Williams; 2dly, Heloise V. Guillou.

583. Elizabeth C. Hare, *b.* Oct. 10, 1849.

309. JOHN HENRY HOBART, D.D.¹⁰ (John Henry Hobart,⁹ Hannah Pratt,⁸ Rebecca,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. New York City, Oct. 1, 1817; m. Elizabeth Riggs.

Children :

584. Mary Collins Hobart, *b.* May 12, 1845 ; *d.* 1889.

585. John Henry Hobart, *d.* 1890.

317. SARAH CLEMENTINA PRATT¹⁰ (Henry C. Pratt,⁹ Matthew Pratt,⁸ Rebecca,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* Dec. 1, 1791 ; *d.* Dec. 31, 1836 ; *m.* Sept. 14, 1809, Thomas McKean, Jr., *b.* Nov. 20, 1779, *d.* May 5, 1852, son of Gov. Thomas and Sarah (Armitage) McKean. He was appointed adjutant-general of the State militia July 23, 1808, holding the office about three years, when the appointment was vacated.

Children :

586. Henry Pratt McKean, *b.* May 3, 1810 ; *m.* Phœbe Elizabeth Warren.

587. Sarah Ann McKean, *b.* Aug. 10, 1811 ; *m.* George Trott.

588. Elizabeth Dundas McKean, *b.* Mar. 3, 1815 ; *d. s. p.* Mar. 29, 1886 ; *m.* May 23, 1839, Hon. Adolphe E. Borie,¹ *b.* Nov. 25, 1809, *d.* Feb. 5, 1880.

589. Clementina Sophia McKean, *b.* May 27, 1820 ; *m.* Charles Louis Borie.

320. HELEN ROBERTSON¹⁰ (Hannah W. Ruff,⁹ Deborah Pratt,⁸ Rebecca,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* Mar. 14, 1805 ; *d.* Oct. 1, 1881 ; *m.* Rev. Robert B. Croes, youngest son of Rt. Rev. John Croes, first Protestant Episcopal Bishop of New Jersey.

Children :

590. Mary Robertson Croes.

591. John James Robertson Croes.

592. Helen Robertson Croes.

324. SUSAN CHAMBERS COPPER¹⁰ (James C. Copper,⁹ Elizabeth,⁸ James,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *m.* William Rogers Smith.

Child :

593. Susan N. Smith.

¹ For sketch see Appendix.

325. THOMAS COPPER¹⁰ (James C. Copper,⁹ Elizabeth,⁸ James,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), m. 1st, Martha Hall; 2dly, Louisa Culver.

Children, both of first marriage :

594. Emma Copper.

595. Annie Copper.

329. JOHN CHAMBERS COPPER¹⁰ (James C. Copper,⁹ Elizabeth,⁸ James,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), d. 1891; m. 1st, Mary Ryal; 2dly, Mary Trego.

Only child, and of first marriage :

596. Norris Copper, *d. unm.*

334. JAMES GODMAN PEALE¹⁰ (James Peale,⁹ Mary,⁸ James,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. Feb. 11, 1823; d. Aug. 9, 1891; m. June 2, 1846, Ellen Q. M. Field, b. May 14, 1827. He was a member of the Pennsylvania Society of the Cincinnati.

Child :

597. Washington James Peale, *b.* Jan. 11, 1847; *m.* Mary Megary.

339. THOMAS CADWALADER ROCKHILL¹⁰ (Mary,⁹ Abraham G.,⁸ James,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), m. 1st, —; 2dly, Dorothea Anne Woodville, of Baltimore.

Children :

598. Thomas Cadwalader Rockhill, *d.* Paris, 1873.

599. William Woodville Rockhill, of Baltimore, *m.* Miss Tyson, of Baltimore.

341. JAMES CLAYPOOLE¹⁰ (James T.,⁹ Abraham G.,⁸ James,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), m. 1851, Mary Antoinette Curtis.

Names of children known :

600. Berdsey Curtis Claypoole, of Columbus, Ohio, *b.* 1856; inherits membership in the Society of the Cincinnati from his great-grandfather, Capt. [Abraham G.] Claypoole, of Phila.

601. Antoinette Claypoole, *m.* W. H. Hearne.

602. Alice Claypoole.

603. Charlotte Lake Claypoole.

604. Bessie Smith Claypoole.

605. Curtis Claypoole.

606. Franklin Stan Claypoole.

607. Albert Claypoole.

342. WILLIAM CARSON, M.D.¹⁰ (Eliza F.,⁹ Abraham G.,⁸ James,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), m. 1st, Louisa Jane Findlay Whiteman, of Cincinnati; d. 1859; 2dly, 1863, Esther Allibone Irwin, dau. of Archibald Irwin, of Cincinnati.

Children of first marriage :

608. Jane Findlay Carson.

609. Eliza Carson.

610. Lewis Whiteman Carson.

Children of second marriage :

611. Archibald Irwin Carson.

612. Mary Claypoole Carson.

357. ABRAHAM EVAN GWYNNE¹⁰ (Alice Anne,⁹ Abraham G.,⁸ James,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), m. Cettie Moore Flagg, dau. of Henry Collins Flagg, who was b. St. Thomas Parish, near Charleston, S.C., Jan. 16, 1792, and was Mayor of New Haven, Conn., 1836-41. He died Mar. 18, 1863.

Children :

613. Mary Gwynne.

614. David Eli Gwynne.

615. Alice Claypoole Gwynne, m. Cornelius Vanderbilt.

616. Abraham Evan Gwynne.

617. Cettie Moore Gwynne, m. William Edgar Shepherd.

618. Edith Olivia Gwynne, m. William Fearing Gill.

358. WILLIAM DAVID LEWIS¹⁰ (Sarah,⁹ Abraham G.,⁸ James,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. 1827; d. Jan. 19, 1872; m. 1852, Clara Fassett, who d. 1871.

Child :

619. William David Lewis, 3d, b. Oct. 21, 1854; d. Sept. 30, 1855.

359. SARAH CLAYPOOLE LEWIS¹⁰ (Sarah,⁹ Abraham G.,⁸ James,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), m. Oct. 11, 1849, Thomas Neilson, of Phila.

Children :

- 620. William Delaware Neilson.
- 621. Robert Henry Neilson, *m.* Emily Souder Linnard.
- 622. Sarah Neilson, *d.* July 10, 1892.¹
- 623. Thomas Rundle Neilson, *M.D.*
- 624. Lewis Neilson, *m.* Feb. 8, 1893, Clara Augusta Rosengarten.
- 625. Emma Florence Neilson.
- 626. Mary Alice Lewis Neilson.
- 627. Frederick Brooke Neilson.

360. AMELIA LEWIS¹⁰ (Sarah,⁹ Abraham G.,⁸ James,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *m.* Sept. 9, 1851, in Phila., Robert

¹"At a meeting of St. Anne's Guild, held in St. Stephen's Church, Florence, N.J., July 26, 1892, the following preamble and resolutions were adopted :

"WHEREAS, It has pleased our Heavenly Father, in His Divine wisdom and love, to call to the rest of Paradise Miss Sarah Neilson, our founder and our beloved secretary and treasurer; be it

"*Resolved*, That we record our appreciation of her worth and of the faithful, earnest, and capable way in which she filled so many positions among us.

"Endowed with great talents, she used them all, freely and willingly, for the glory of God. A true and devoted daughter of the Church, her life was marked by loving obedience to its every precept. As in her life, so in her death the spirit of obedience prevailed; willingly and joyfully she accepted the summons of her Master.

"She has left us an example of showing our faith by our works and of living the precept, 'Be not weary in well doing.'

"*Resolved*, That we do cherish the memory of the departed, and are sensible of the great loss which her death brings to this parish for which she labored so continually and so lovingly.

"*Resolved*, That what is our loss we feel to be her gain, and make our prayer :

'Grant her, O Lord, eternal rest
With the spirits of the blest.'

"*Resolved*, That we, feeling deep sorrow, do sympathize with her family, so suddenly and sorely bereaved.

"*Resolved*, That these resolutions be entered upon the minutes of the meeting, and that a copy of them be sent to the family of the departed.

"*Resolved*, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to *The Churchman* for publication.

"Signed, by order of the Guild.

"EDWARD RITCEYE, *President.*"

Le Roy, of New York, Captain and Assistant Adjutant-General New York Volunteers, d. Mar. 5, 1865.

Children :

628. Jacob Rutgers Le Roy, of New York City.

629. Herman Le Roy-Lewis, *m.* 1888, Kathleen Teresa Turner Newcomen.

367. MARY PERRY BAUM¹⁰ (Ann S. Wallace,⁹ Rebecca Chambers,⁸ Edith,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. Aug. 1, 1812; *m.* June 10, 1833, Alexander Hamilton Ewing, b. Feb. 10, 1803, d. Aug. 28, 1847.

Children :

630. Col. Martin Baum Ewing, *b.* Mar. 18, 1834; *m.* Adelaide Strobbridge.

631. George Washington Ewing, *b.* May 1, 1836; *d.* Apr. 5, 1837.

632. William Alexander Ewing, *b.* May 15, 1838; living in Chicago, Ill.; *m.* Gertrude Baldwin Smith.

633. Charles Kershner Ewing, *b.* Apr. 10, 1841; *d.* Jan. 24, 1843.

634. Mary Ewing, *b.* Oct. 9, 1842; *d.* Jan. 7, 1843.

635. Edith Wallace Ewing, *b.* Dec. 19, 1843; *d.* Jan. 10, 1845.

636. Alexander Hamilton Ewing, *b.* Oct. 6, 1846; *d.* May 3, 1890, unm.

370. ELEANOR BAUM¹⁰ (Ann S. Wallace,⁹ Rebecca Chambers,⁸ Edith,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. Sept. 23, 1820; *m.* Dec. 1, 1841, Charles Hartshorn. He d. Dec. 7, 1871.

Children :

637. Martin Baum Hartshorn, *b.* May 1, 1843; *d.* Aug. 19, 1846.

638. Anna Baum Hartshorn, *b.* Oct. 8, 1845; *d.* Jan. 3, 1860.

373. ELIZABETH BURNET¹⁰ (Rebecca Wallace,⁹ Rebecca Chambers,⁸ Edith,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), d. 1889; *m.* William Slocum Groesbeck, M.C., of Cincinnati.

Children :

639. Mary Groesbeck.

640. William Slocum Groesbeck.

641. Caroline Thew Groesbeck.

642. Rebecca Burnet Groesbeck, *m.* Col. Robert Hale Ives Goddard.

643. Elizabeth Burnet Groesbeck, *m.* Kenelm Henry Digby.

644. Herman John Groesbeck, *m.* Elizabeth Perry.

645. Julia Groesbeck, *m.* Robert Ludlow Fowler.

646. Telford Groesbeck, *m.* Louise Bulkeley Cox.

374. ROBERT WALLACE BURNET¹⁰ (Rebecca Wallace,⁹ Rebecca Chambers,⁸ Edith,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), of Cincinnati; *m.* Margaret A. Groesbeck.

Children :

647. Jacob Staats Burnet, *m.* Annie E. Stubbs.

648. Edith Burnet, *m.* Charles C. Pomeroy.

649. Mary Groesbeck Burnet, *m.* Joseph F. Stone.

375. CAROLINE BURNET¹⁰ (Rebecca Wallace,⁹ Rebecca Chambers,⁸ Edith,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *m.* Nathaniel McLean, of Cincinnati.

Children :

650. Jacob Burnet McLean, of Red Wing, Minn.

651. Dr. John McLean, of Moorhead, Minn.

376. WILLIAM BURNET¹⁰ (Rebecca Wallace,⁹ Rebecca Chambers,⁸ Edith,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *m.* 1st, Margaretta R. Currie, dau. of Dr. James Currie, of Richmond, Boone Co., Ky., formerly of Richmond, Va. She d. 1835. He *m.* 1840, Susan M. Clark, who d. 1853. His third wife, whom he *m.* 1858, was Mary Schooley.

Children of first marriage :

652. Jacob Burnet, *m.* Mary Scott Duncan.

653. James Currie Burnet, *d. s. p.*

654. Caroline M. Burnet, *d.* 1864; *m.* Peter Rudolph Neff.

Children of second marriage :

655. John Chamberlain Clark Burnet, *d.* June 6, 1891; *m.* Mary C. Poindexter.

656. William Burnet, *d.* 1888; *m.* Anna Hauser.

657. Josephine Clark Burnet, *m.* Peter Rudolph Neff.

658. Edward Warren Burnet, *m.* Alice A. Dana.

Child of third marriage :

659. Edith Burnet.

TWELFTH GENERATION.

378. ELIZABETH FOULKE¹¹ (Richard P. Foulke,¹⁰ John Foulke,⁹ Mary Bringham,⁸ Mary,⁷ John,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. Mar. 25, 1814; d. May 4, 1864; m. May 12, 1855, Patrick Beirne, of Lewisburg, W. Va., b. in County Roscommon, Ireland.

Children :

660. Richard Foulke Beirne, b. 1856; m. Clara Haxall Grundy.

661. William McDermott Beirne, b. 1858; d. 1859.

379. WILLIAM PARKER FOULKE¹¹ (Richard P. Foulke,¹⁰ John Foulke,⁹ Mary Bringham,⁸ Mary,⁷ John,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. May 31, 1816; d. June 18, 1865; m. Apr. 26, 1855, Julia de Veaux Powel, dau. of Col. John Hare Powel,¹ of Phila. She d. Apr. 30, 1884. He studied law and practised for a time at the Philadelphia Bar. He was a man of philanthropic spirit, was an active member of the Philadelphia Society for Alleviating the Miseries in Public Prisons, Member of the Pennsylvania Colonization Society, of the Pennsylvania Historical Society, of the Academy of Natural Sciences, of the American Philosophical Society, etc.

Children :

662. Julia Catharine Foulke, b. Jan. 22, 1856; m. Henry Carvill Lewis.

663. William de Veaux Foulke, b. June 9, 1857.

664. Richard Parker Foulke, b. Aug. 30, 1858; d. Jan. 7, 1865.

665. Lisa de Veaux Foulke, b. Mar. 8, 1860.

666. John Francis Foulke, b. Nov. 26, 1861; B.A. and B.L., Univ. of Penna.; Mem. Phila. Bar.

667. Sara Gwendolen Foulke, b. June 26, 1863.

668. George Rhyfedd Foulke, b. Aug. 16, 1865.

¹ His name was originally John Powel Hare, but as the adopted son of his mother's sister, Mrs. Powel, he caused it to be changed by Act of Assembly to John Hare Powel. His father, Robert, who was the son of Richard Hare, of Limehouse, near London, England, came to Pennsylvania June 4, 1773.—See Keith's Provincial Councillors of Pennsylvania, pp. 129, 133, 134.

406. JOHN R. BRINGHURST¹¹ (Joseph Bringhurst,¹⁰ Joseph Bringhurst,⁹ James Bringhurst,⁸ Mary,⁷ John,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. in Wilmington, Del., Jan. 8, 1845; m. 1st, Feb. 17, 1870, Elizabeth Tatnall, dau. of Joseph Tatnall and Sarah Richardson (dau. of Ashton Richardson). She was b. Sept. 29, 1847; d. Jan. 19, 1874. He m. 2dly, June 16, 1881, Annie S. Stokes, who d. Apr. 23, 1882; he m. 3dly, —.

Children of first marriage:

669. Joseph Bringhurst, *b.* Sept. 15, 1871.

670. Frederick Bringhurst, *b.* Feb. 12, 1873.

Child of second marriage:

671. Margaret Bringhurst, *b.* Apr. 1, 1882.

410. EDWARD BRINGHURST, JR.¹¹ (Edward Bringhurst,¹⁰ Joseph Bringhurst,⁹ James Bringhurst,⁸ Mary,⁷ John,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. 10, 10, 1835; m. 4, 22, 1862, Anna J. Webb, b. 4, 13, 1843, dau. of Thomas D. Webb and Mary H. James.

Children:

672. Elizabeth Shipley Bringhurst, *b.* 10, 8, 1863; *m.* 6, 1, 1886, John Galt Smith, of N.Y.

673. Mary T. Bringhurst, *b.* 6, 25, 1866.

674. Edith Ferris Bringhurst, *b.* 3, 30, 1874.

675. Edward Bringhurst, *b.* 7, 4, 1884.

414. ROBERT ADAMS, JR.¹¹ (Martha L. Jones,¹⁰ James Morris Jones,⁹ Blaithwaite Jones,⁸ Jane Crappe,⁷ Priscilla,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), m. 1st, Matilda Maybin Hart, dau. of Captain William H. Hart; 2dly, Clara H. McDonough.

Children of first marriage:

676. William Hart Adams, *d.*

677. Col. Robert Adams, 3d, State Senator and U.S. Minister to Brazil, 1889-91.

678. Blaithwaite Adams, *d.*

679. Harry Carlton Adams, *m.* Elizabeth Dawson Morris.

Child of second marriage:

680. Martha A. De Pau Adams.

415. BUSHROD WASHINGTON ADAMS¹¹ (Martha L. Jones,¹⁰ James Morris Jones,⁹ Blaithwaite Jones,⁸ Jane Crappe,⁷ Priscilla,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), m. 1st, Sarah Hutchinson; 2dly, Phœbe Ann Hutchinson.

Children of first marriage:

681. Martha Morris Adams.

682. Elizabeth Hutchinson Adams.

683. Sarah H. Adams, m. Henry F. Y. Freeman, of England.

Child of second marriage:

684. Arabella Jones Adams.

417. MARTHA L. ADAMS¹¹ (Martha L. Jones,¹⁰ James Morris Jones,⁹ Blaithwaite Jones,⁸ Jane Crappe,⁷ Priscilla,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), m. Francis Amedie De Pau, of New York.

Child:

685. Francis De Pau, of New York, unm.

418. ARABELLA JONES ADAMS¹¹ (Martha L. Jones,¹⁰ James Morris Jones,⁹ Blaithwaite Jones,⁸ Jane Crappe,⁷ Priscilla,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), m. Charles Moran, of New York.

Children:

686. Martha A. Moran.

687. Daniel C. Moran.

688. Frances Berger Moran.

689. Charles F. Moran.

690. Amedie D. Moran.

420. SOPHIA WILSON CAMPION¹¹ (Elizabeth G. Wilson,¹⁰ Clarissa S.,⁹ John,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nath.,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. Dec. 29, 1830; m. Dec. 6, 1858, Southwick Guthrie.

Children:

691. Edwin Guthrie, b. Aug. 30, 1859.

692. Sidney Guthrie, b. Aug. 9, 1861; d. May 27, 1890; m. Cyrus Townsend Brady.

693. Grant Guthrie, b. Dec. 27, 1864; m. Belle Robinson.

694. Paul Guthrie, b. June 10, 1867; d. July 12, 1869.

425. WILLIAM CLARK WILSON¹¹ (Aquilla B. Wilson,¹⁰ Clarissa S.,⁹ John,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nath.,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. Sept. 16, 1849; m. Sept. 30, 1875, Mary Lavinia Noble.

Children :

- 695. Sarah Wilson, *b.* Feb. 20, 1877.
- 696. Elizabeth Sophia Wilson, *b.* Sept. 5, 1878.
- 697. { Gertrude Wilson, *b.* Oct. 27, 1880.
- 698. { Lewis G. Wilson, *b.* Oct. 27, 1880.

427. JOHN HANNA¹¹ (Clarissa S. Wilson,¹⁰ Clarissa S.,⁹ John,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nath.,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. Jan. 4, 1830; m. Sarah A. Bumm.

Children :

- 699. Margaret B. Hanna, *m.* George Hopps.
- 700. James McMinn Hanna, *m.* Hattie Dunbar.
- 701. George B. Hanna.
- 702. John McElwee Hanna.
- 703. Daniel Norcross.

428. ELIZABETH PATTERSON HANNA¹¹ (Clarissa S. Wilson,¹⁰ Clarissa S.,⁹ John,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nath.,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. Oct. 31, 1831; m. Henry Kingston.

Children :

- 704. John Kingston, *m.* Lillian McCann.
- 705. Sophie Campion Kingston.
- 706. James Hanna Kingston.

429. CLARA SIDNEY HANNA¹¹ (Clarissa S. Wilson,¹⁰ Clarissa S.,⁹ John,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nath.,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), m. Lewis K. Wood.

Children :

- 707. Emma Scudder Wood, *m.* Leon Stinson.
- 708. Ella Sophia Wood, *m.* Percy Duer.
- 709. Clara Sidney Wood, *m.* Daniel Foley.
- 710. David Wood.
- 711. Mary Wood.
- 712. Lewis K. Wood.
- 713. Alice Hanna Wood.

430. AQUILLA WILSON HANNA¹¹ (Clarissa S. Wilson,¹⁰ Clarissa S.,⁹ John,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nath.,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), m. Harriet Houghton.

Children :

714. Carrie Pratt Hanna, m. Alman Hickley.

715. William Stow Hanna, m. Jessie Bell.

716. Clara Sidney Hanna.

433. ELLA SOPHIA HANNA¹¹ (Clarissa S. Wilson,¹⁰ Clarissa S.,⁹ John,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nath.,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), m. William H. Font Le Roy.

Children :

717. Virginia Peyton Font Le Roy.

718. Sophia Hildebrandt Font Le Roy.

719. Joseph Font Le Roy.

720. Sidney Font Le Roy.

434. JAMES CLAYPOOLE HANNA¹¹ (Clarissa S. Wilson,¹⁰ Clarissa S.,⁹ John,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nath.,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), m. Catharine Lothian.

Children :

721. Olive Eddy Hanna.

722. Clara Sidney Hanna.

723. Catharine Louise Hanna.

435. FLORENCE HANNA¹¹ (Clarissa S. Wilson,¹⁰ Clarissa S.,⁹ John,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nath.,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), m. Wm. P. Heustis.

Children :

724. George W. Heustis.

725. Edward Heustis.

726. Elizabeth P. Heustis.

436. ALICE MARY HANNA¹¹ (Clarissa S. Wilson,¹⁰ Clarissa S.,⁹ John,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nath.,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), m. Charles Liscome.

Child :

727. Charles James Liscome.

437. ABRAHAM SELLERS¹¹ (Susan C. Wilson,¹⁰ Clarissa S.,⁹ John,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nath.,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. 1836; d. Dec. 19, 1890; m. 1858, Josephine de Vendell, of Mobile, Alabama.

Children :

728. Susan Emily Sellers.

729. Harry Hall Sellers.

438. WILLIAM BOKER SELLERS¹¹ (Susan C. Wilson,¹⁰ Clarissa S.,⁹ John,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nath.,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. 1839; d. 1884; m. 1861, Sarah Stillwell.

Child :

730. Harry Sellers.

440. GEORGE SELLERS¹¹ (Susan C. Wilson,¹⁰ Clarissa S.,⁹ John,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nath.,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. Dec. 25, 1842; m. June 1, 1871, Mary Julia Michel.

Children :

731. Anna Julia Sellers.

732. Cecile Michel Sellers.

733. Susan Marie Sellers.

734. Pauline Laura Sellers.

735. Katharine Hortense Sellers.

736. Clara Colladay Sellers.

737. George Sellers.

441. SUSAN SELLERS¹¹ (Susan C. Wilson,¹⁰ Clarissa S.,⁹ John,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nath.,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. Sept. 8, 1845; m. Dec. 19, 1871, David Cooper.

Children :

738. Anna Roberts Cooper, b. Nov. 11, 1872; d. May 16, 1893.

739. Samuel Rakestraw Colladay Cooper, b. Feb. 27, 1878.

449. MARY SATTERTHWAITE¹¹ (John Satterthwaite,¹⁰ Susan,⁹ John,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nath.,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. July 24, 1851; m. Nov. 28, 1882, Emmet McChesney.

Child :

740. Sidney Roy McChesney, b. Dec. 11, 1883.

451. SIDNEY SATTERTHWAITE¹¹ (John Satterthwaite,¹⁰ Susan,⁹ John,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nath.,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. Mar. 23, 1857; m. Nov. 15, 1879, William T. Marshall.

Children :

741. Carl Satterthwaite Marshall, *b.* Mar. 14, 1882.742. Daisy Marshall, *b.* July 21, 1883; *d.* July 21, 1883.

453. ANNA SATTERTHWAITE ¹¹ (Edwin Satterthwaite,¹⁰ Susan,⁹ John,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nath.,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* 2, 2, 1846; *m.* 12, 25, 1866, Joseph S. Williams.

Children :

743. Charles Stokes Williams, *b.* 10, 13, 1868.744. Edwin S. Williams, *b.* 2, 4, 1870.745. Morris S. Williams, *b.* 2, 16, 1872.746. Albert J. Williams, *b.* 11, 4, 1873.747. Clarence Williams, *b.* 8, 4, 1875.748. Lydia P. Williams, *b.* 6, 12, 1877.

454. JAMES SATTERTHWAITE ¹¹ (Edwin Satterthwaite,¹⁰ Susan,⁹ John,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nath.,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* 12, 11, 1850; *m.* Dec. 25, 1873, Anna B. Sill.

Children :

749. Edwin Satterthwaite, *b.* Sept. 29, 1874.750. Martha Satterthwaite, *b.* July 4, 1876; *d.* Sept. 16, 1879.751. George Satterthwaite, *b.* July 16, 1880.752. Howard Satterthwaite, *b.* May 31, 1883.753. Mary S. Satterthwaite, *b.* Dec. 13, 1886.754. Oliver P. Satterthwaite, *b.* Mar. 31, 1891.

455. LYDIA SATTERTHWAITE ¹¹ (Edwin Satterthwaite,¹⁰ Susan,⁹ John,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nath.,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* 2, 1, 1854; *m.* 3, 25, 1877, Oliver Parry, who was *b.* Oct. 10, 1853.

Children :

755. Edwin S. Parry, *b.* 1, 8, 1879.756. Mary S. Parry, *b.* 5, 10, 1881.

456. WILLIAM H. SATTERTHWAITE ¹¹ (Abel Satterthwaite,¹⁰ Susan,⁹ John,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nath.,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* 12, 31, 1847; *m.* 5, 25, 1871, Hannah T. Hallowell.

Children :

757. John Hallowell Satterthwaite, *b.* 9, 18, 1872.758. Edwin Burton Satterthwaite, *b.* 10, 18, 1873.

759. Tacie Anna Satterthwaite, *b.* 1, 14, 1875.

760. William Satterthwaite, *b.* 8, 13, 1883.

761. J. Paul Satterthwaite, *b.* 6, 15, 1887.

457. CHARLES B. SATTERTHWAITE¹¹ (Abel Satterthwaite,¹⁰ Susan,⁹ John,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nath.,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* 2, 19, 1854; *m.* Josephine —.

Children :

762. Arthur L. Satterthwaite, *b.* 6, 23, 1881; *d.* 7, 25, 1881.

763. Mary B. Satterthwaite, *b.* 5, 26, 1882.

764. Anna Satterthwaite, *b.* 11, 18, 1885.

458. WILLIAM C. NEWPORT¹¹ (Susan Satterthwaite,¹⁰ Susan,⁹ John,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nath.,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* 1, 9, 1848; *m.* 5, 30, 1873, Anna Briggs.

Children :

765. Mary Newport, *b.* 3, 2, 1874.

766. Rodman Newport, *b.* 12, 16, 1875.

459. EMMA C. NEWPORT¹¹ (Susan Satterthwaite,¹⁰ Susan,⁹ John,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nath.,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* 2, 2, 1851; *m.* 4, 15, 1873, Canby S. Tyson.

Child :

767. Elwood Tyson, *b.* 11, 18, 1874; *d.* 8, 14, 1881.

461. GEORGE BALDERSTON¹¹ (Catharine Canby,¹⁰ Jane,⁹ John,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nath.,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* 6, 23, 1846; *m.* Dec. 1878, Myra A. Atwater.

Children :

768. Mary A. Balderston, *b.* 10, 16, 1879.

769. Edward Balderston, *b.* 3, 21, 1881.

770. Alice Balderston, *b.* 11, 22, 1883.

771. Catherine Balderston, *b.* 8, 9, 1884; *d.* 5, 9, 1886.

772. Jane Canby Balderston, *b.* 4, 21, 1886.

773. Bertha Balderston, *b.* 1, 4, 1888.

774. Anne Balderston, *b.* 9, 11, 1889.

775. Levi Balderston, *b.* 5, 8, 1891.

776. Sarah Balderston, *b.* 9, 26, 1892.

462. CALEB CANBY BALDERSTON¹¹ (Catharine Canby,¹⁰ Jane,⁹ John,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nath.,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. 8, 24, 1847; m. 10, 9, 1873, Mary Anna Brown.

Children :

777. Henry Lloyd Balderston, *b.* 7, 3, 1881.

778. Walter Peaslee Balderston, *b.* 10, 31, 1883.

779. Marianna Balderston, *b.* 3, 24, 1886.

780. Edith Catharine Balderston, *b.* 6, 11, 1888.

463. JOHN L. BALDERSTON¹¹ (Catharine Canby,¹⁰ Jane,⁹ John,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nath.,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. 2, 22, 1849; m. 3, 17, 1881, Anna E. Marshall.

Child :

781. Robert Walter Balderston, *b.* 6, 25, 1882.

464. JANE CANBY BALDERSTON¹¹ (Catharine Canby,¹⁰ Jane,⁹ John,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nath.,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. 1, 16, 1851; m. 4, 14, 1880, Samuel Morris Jones.

Children :

782. Lloyd B. Jones, *b.* 9, 30, 1882.

783. Catharine B. Jones, *b.* 5, 20, 1884.

784. Charles Barclay Jones, *b.* 1, 16, 1886.

785. Marion Jones, *b.* 5, 27, 1889.

786. Edward Morris Jones, *b.* 3, 10, 1893.

465. CHARLES BALDERSTON¹¹ (Catharine Canby,¹⁰ Jane,⁹ John,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nath.,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. 3, 17, 1852; m. 2, 7, 1882, Effie V. Dillaye.

Child :

787. Stephanie Balderston, *b.* Mar. 20, 1893.

467. WILLIAM BALDERSTON¹¹ (Catharine Canby,¹⁰ Jane,⁹ John,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nath.,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. 8, 30, 1856; m. 6, 6, 1891, Stella Saine.

Child :

788. Elizabeth Canby Balderston, *b.* 4, 9, 1892.

468. ELWOOD BALDERSTON¹¹ (Catharine Canby,¹⁰ Jane,⁹ John,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nath.,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. 6, 9, 1858; m. 3, 14, 1883, Sarah E. Atwater.

Children :

789. William L. Balderston, *b.* 12, 26, 1883; *d.* 2, 10, 1885.

790. Elizabeth Canby Balderston, *b.* 7, 17, 1885; *d.* 12, 9, 1885.

791. Mark Balderston, *b.* 5, 2, 1889.

471. LLOYD BALDERSTON¹¹ (Catharine Canby,¹⁰ Jane,⁹ John,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nath.,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. 7, 3, 1863; m. 9, 16, 1886, Mary F. Alsop.

Children :

792. John Lloyd Balderston, *b.* 10, 22, 1889.

793. Esther Balderston, *b.* 4, 11, 1891.

794. Catharine Canby Balderston, *b.* 1, 28, 1893.

482. MARY PRESWICK CANBY¹¹ (Caleb Canby,¹⁰ Jane,⁹ John,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nath.,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. Oct. 10, 1854; m. Nov. 18, 1885, Edgar C. Fuller.

Child :

795. Edgar C. Fuller, *b.* June 25, 1888.

483. CALEB HARLAN CANBY¹¹ (Caleb Canby,¹⁰ Jane,⁹ John,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nath.,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. Dec. 7, 1856; m. Nov. 18, 1884, Jane Lynch.

Children :

796. Caleb H. Canby, *b.* Jan. 20, 1886.

797. Mary D. Canby, *b.* Sept. 17, 1887.

798. Joseph Canby, *b.* Mar. 8, 1889.

799. Lloyd Canby, *b.* Sept. 3, 1890.

498. ELIZA RODGERS JACOBS¹¹ (Clarissa S. Boyd,¹⁰ Elinor Trimble,⁹ Clarissa S.,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nath.,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. June 7, 1832; m. Oct. 8, 1857, Rt. Rev. Henry C. Potter.¹

¹ Rt. Rev. Henry Codman Potter, b. in Schenectady, N.Y., May 25, 1835, ordained Oct. 15, 1858. In 1883 he was elected Assistant Bishop of New York, which position he held until, upon the death of his uncle, Bishop Horatio Potter, Jan. 2, 1887, he became Bishop of the diocese of New York.

Children :

800. Clara Sidney Potter, *b.* Oct. 1858.
 801. Caroline Tibblitt Potter, *b.* May 27, 1862; *m.* Nov. 3, 1886,
 Winthrop Cowdin.
 802. Jane Brinsmade Potter, *b.* Jan. 19, 1864; *m.* May 7, 1890, Charles
 H. Russell.
 803. { Mary Boyd Potter, *b.* Feb. 22, 1868.
 804. { Sarah Lindsay Potter, *b.* Feb. 22, 1868.
 805. Alonzo Potter, *b.* June 6, 1872.

499. EDWARD COLEMAN JACOBS¹¹ (Clarissa S. Boyd,¹⁰
 Elinor Trimble,⁹ Clarissa S.,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nath.,⁶ James,⁵ etc.),
b. Oct. 12, 1834; *d.* Dec. 11, 1879; *m.* Sept. 15, 1861,
 Katharine E. Moore.

Children :

806. Jenny Jacobs, *b.* Feb. 4, 1863; *d.* Nov. 19, 1864.
 807. William Boyd Jacobs, *b.* Feb. 2, 1865; *d.* Nov. 18, 1878.
 808. John Irwin Jacobs, *b.* Oct. 21, 1866.
 809. Preston Jacobs, *b.* Jan. 17, 1869.
 810. Clara Sidney Jacobs, *b.* Jan. 18, 1872.
 811. { Catharine Jacobs, *b.* Mar. 26, 1875; *d.* Sept. 10, 1887.
 812. { Harriet Jacobs, *b.* Mar. 26, 1875; *d.* Apr. 1876.
 813. Gertrude Jacobs, *b.* Apr. 30, 1877.
 814. Mary Ellen Jacobs, *b.* May 5, 1878.

500. ALBERT GRAFF¹¹ (Rebecca I. V. Trimble,¹⁰ James
 Trimble,⁹ Clarissa S.,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nath.,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* Oct.
 21, 1841; *m.* Nov. 19, 1868, Jane Audenried, dau. of Wil-
 liam Audenried and Jane M. Wills.

Children :

815. Isabella Audenried Graff, *b.* May 7, 1870.
 816. Rebecca Trimble Graff, *b.* Nov. 1872.
 817. Anna Coates Graff, *b.* July 27, 1879.

501. JAMES TRIMBLE GRAFF¹¹ (Rebecca I. V. Trimble,¹⁰
 James Trimble,⁹ Clarissa S.,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nath.,⁶ James,⁵ etc.),
b. May 22, 1843; *m.* Apr. 27, 1871, Susan Elizabeth Au-
 mont, *b.* Sept. 1847, *d.* Sept. 28, 1877, dau. of James
 Edward Aumont and Annie Musser, of Phila.

Children :

818. James Aumont Graff, *b.* Aug. 10, 1872; *d.* Sept. 2, 1872.

819. Edgar Paul Graff, *b.* Oct. 30, 1876.

506. IDA TRIMBLE¹¹ (James Trimble,¹⁰ James Trimble, M.D.,⁹ Clarissa S.,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nath.,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* Oct. 21, 1852; *m.* Jan. 5, 1888, Dr. Charles L. Green.

Child :

819a. James Tudor Green, *b.* Dec. 8, 1892.

516. CUIVER ROBB MARSHALL¹¹ (Elinor B. Trimble,¹⁰ James Trimble, M.D.,⁹ Clarissa S.,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nath.,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* Oct. 24, 1862; *m.* May 11, 1887, Mary Richmond.

Children :

820. Ellen Rebecca Marshall, *b.* Feb. 22, 1889.

821. George Richmond Marshall, *b.* Apr. 9, 1893; *d.* May 4, 1893.

518. JAMES TRIMBLE MARSHALL¹¹ (Elinor B. Trimble,¹⁰ James Trimble, M.D.,⁹ Clarissa S.,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nath.,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* Aug. 1865; *m.* June 5, 1890, Jennie Gayley.

Child :

822. Anna Gayley Marshall, *b.* Mar. 22, 1891.

522. THOMAS C. JOHNSTON¹¹ (Amelia G. Trimble,¹⁰ James Trimble,⁹ Clarissa S.,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nath.,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* 1852; *d.* 1886; *m.* 1875, Estelle Liggett, of Pittsburg.

Children :

823. Hester Stewart Johnston, *b.* Nov. 1876.

824. Clara Liggett Johnston, *b.* 1879.

527. REV. SAMUEL WHITE REIGART¹¹ (John F. Reigart,¹⁰ Clarissa S. Trimble,⁹ Clarissa S.,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nath.,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* July 29, 1837; *m.* Dec. 31, 1860, Annie Elizabeth Hodgson.

Children :

825. Francis Hodgson Reigart, *b.* Nov. 3, 1861; *d.* Apr. 15, 1862.

826. John Franklin Reigart, *b.* Sept. 14, 1863; *m.* June 15, 1892, Lily Miffin.

827. Agnes Hodgson Reigart, *b.* Jan. 17, 1866.

828. Caroline White Reigart, *b.* Mar. 29, 1867; *m.* Apr. 12, 1892,
Charles Merkle, M.D.

829. Mary Hunter Reigart, *b.* June 22, 1870.

529. JOHN MUSSEY REIGART¹¹ (John F. Reigart,¹⁰ Clarissa S. Trimble,⁹ Clarissa S.,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nath.,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *d.* Dec. 23, 1882; *m.* Fannie Middleton Washington.

Children :

829a. Jennie Middleton Reigart.

829b. Clara White Reigart.

829c. John Routt Reigart.

534. CLARA SIDNEY RILEY¹¹ (Elizabeth E. Reigart,¹⁰ Clarissa S. Trimble,⁹ Clarissa S.,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nath.,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* Mar. 21, 1847; *m.* Feb. 6, 1873, Edward Rushmore, *b.* May 18, 1845.

Children :

830. Ellen Riley Rushmore, *b.* July 21, 1874.

831. Stephen Rushmore, *b.* Oct. 19, 1875.

832. Alice Rushmore, *b.* May 21, 1877.

833. William R. Rushmore, *b.* Dec. 1, 1878.

834. Edward B. Rushmore, *b.* Nov. 27, 1887.

536. ELIZABETH B. RILEY¹¹ (Elizabeth E. Reigart,¹⁰ Clarissa S. Trimble,⁹ Clarissa S.,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nath.,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* Dec. 28, 1850; *m.* May, 1879, William Moseley, M.D.

Children :

835. William E. Moseley, *b.* Dec. 1882.

836. Addie Emmet Moseley.

538. CHARLES H. RILEY¹¹ (Elizabeth E. Reigart,¹⁰ Clarissa S. Trimble,⁹ Clarissa S.,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nath.,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* Apr. 16, 1856; *m.* Oct. 3, 1882, Laura B. Simmons, *b.* July 15, 1858.

Children :

837. Charles W. Riley, *b.* July 21, 1883.

838. Mary Eleanor Riley, *b.* Jan. 23, 1885.

839. Helen Sidney Riley, *b.* Nov. 8, 1887.

840. Ernest B. Riley, *b.* Sept. 25, 1889.

841. Child not named, *b.* May 28, 1891.

539. WILLIAM B. RILEY¹¹ (Elizabeth E. Reigart,¹⁰ Clarissa S. Trimble,⁹ Clarissa S.,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nath.,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. May 6, 1859; m. Nov. 1888, Letitia Armiger.

Child:

842. Richard A. Riley, *b.* Dec. 17, 1890.

544. GEORGE A. MILLER¹¹ (Mary Emmeline Reigart,¹⁰ Clarissa S. Trimble,⁹ Clarissa S.,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nath.,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. July 3, 1851; m. June 30, 1879, Sarah Catherine Austin, b. March 23, 1860, d. Nov. 1, 1882, dau. of Rowland Austin, of Fulton Co., Pa.

Child:

843. Rowland Austin Miller, *b.* June 5, 1880.

551. DANIEL LAMMOT¹¹ (Anna P. Smith,¹⁰ Rebecca Hobart,⁹ Hannah Pratt,⁸ Rebecca,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), m. Dolores de Murquiondo.

Children:

844. Dolores Lammot, *m.* Edward Hazlehurst, of Phila.

845. Daniel Lammot (of Phila.), *m.* Elizabeth Borie Hazlehurst.

846. Charles M. Lammot (of Harrisburg).

847. Eugene Lammot (of Phila.).

848. Theodore R. Lammot (of Phila.).

849. Julia Lammot (of Phila.).

556. HARRY D. LA MOTTE¹¹ (Anna P. Smith,¹⁰ Rebecca Hobart,⁹ Hannah Pratt,⁸ Rebecca,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), of West End, Alameda, Cal., m. Catharine Clayton.

Children:

850. Robert La Motte, of San Francisco, Cal.

851. Harry C. La Motte, of San Francisco, Cal.

852. Eugenia La Motte, of West End, Alameda, Cal.

853. Emily S. La Motte.

854. William La Motte.

855. Anna La Motte.

558. ALFRED V. LA MOTTE¹¹ (Anna P. Smith,¹⁰ Rebecca Hobart,⁹ Hannah Pratt,⁸ Rebecca,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.),

Commissioner-General of Pisciculture, City of Mexico;
residence, Sonoma, Cal.; m. Susan Formahls.

Children:

- 856. Edith La Motte.
- 857. Victor La Motte.
- 858. Constance La Motte.
- 859. Gertrude La Motte.
- 860. Alfred La Motte.

564. ROBERT WILLIAM SMITH¹¹ (Wm. Alexander Smith,¹⁰ Rebecca Hobart,⁹ Hannah Pratt,⁸ Rebecca,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. Apr. 11, 1836; m. 1st, Oct. 12, 1865, Mary Grace Austin, d. Oct. 4, 1872; 2dly, June 3, 1878, Mary Moore Penington.

Child of first marriage:

- 861. Grace Austin Smith, b. Aug. 16, 1867.

574. JOHN HENRY HOBART HARE¹¹ (Elizb. C. Hobart,¹⁰ John H. Hobart,⁹ Hannah Pratt,⁸ Rebecca,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. Aug. 26, 1831; m. Mariaena Clark.

Children:

- 862. William Hobart Clark Hare, m. Helen Teynar.
- 863. George Emlen Hare, d. y.

575. ANNA EMLN HARE¹¹ (Elizb. C. Hobart,¹⁰ John H. Hobart,⁹ Hannah Pratt,⁸ Rebecca,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. Feb. 28, 1833; m. E. Spencer Miller.¹

Children:

- 864. Samuel M. Miller, b. 1854; m. Eliz. Barclay Biddle.
- 865. Elizabeth Hobart Miller, b. 1857; d. unm.
- 866. Emlen Hare Miller, b. 1859.
- 867. E. Spencer Miller, b. 1860.
- 868. Sarah Sergeant Miller, b. 1861; d. 1873.
- 869. Charles Willing Miller, b. —.
- 870. Hobart Miller, b. 1864.

¹ E. Spencer Miller, a distinguished member of the Phila. Bar, was b. in Princeton, N.J., Sept. 3, 1817; d. in Phila. March 6, 1879. He was a son of Rev. Samuel Miller, D.D., of Princeton, N.J., and Sarah Sergeant, dau. of Jonathan Dickinson Sergeant.

- 871. Edward Alden Miller, *b.* 1866.
- 872. Dickinson Sergeant Miller, *b.* 1868.
- 873. Anna Emlen Miller, *b.* 1870.
- 874. Dayton Hobart Miller, *b.* 1872.
- 875. J. Selden Miller, *b.* 1874.

576. CHARLES WILLING HARE¹¹ (Elizb. C. Hobart,¹⁰ John Hobart,⁹ Hannah Pratt,⁸ Rebecca,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* Aug. 31, 1835; *m.* Mary S. Widdifield.

Children :

- 876. Ida Hobart Hare.
- 877. George Emlen Hare.
- 878. Charles Willing Hare.
- 879. Christine Singer Hare, *m.* N. Allen Stockton.

578. WILLIAM HOBART HARE, D.D.¹¹ (Elizb. C. Hobart,¹⁰ John H. Hobart,⁹ Hannah Pratt,⁸ Rebecca,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* May 17, 1838; Bishop of South Dakota; *m.* Mary Amory Howe.

Child :

- 880. Hobart Amory Hare, M.D., *m.* Rebecca C. Pemberton.

579. CHANDLER HARE¹¹ (Elizb. C. Hobart,¹⁰ John H. Hobart,⁹ Hannah Pratt,⁸ Rebecca,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* Feb. 4, 1840; *d.* Jan. 19, 1893; *m.* Charlotte E. Greene.

Children :

- 881. Charlotte Wentworth Hare.
- 882. Wentworth Greene Hare.
- 883. Chandler Hare.

580. J. MONTGOMERY HARE¹¹ (Elizb. C. Hobart,¹⁰ John H. Hobart,⁹ Hannah Pratt,⁸ Rebecca,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* Jan. 20, 1842; *m.* Mary E. Meredith.

Children :

- 884. Marion Scott Hare, *m.* Kingbury Curtin.
- 885. J. Montgomery Hare.
- 886. Meredith Hare.
- 887. Wm. Hobart Hare.
- 888. J. Dennie Hare.

- 889. Elizabeth Emlen Hare.
- 890. Gouverneur Morris Hare.
- 891. Mary Meredith Hare.
- 892. Morin Scott Hare.

582. ROBERT EMOTT HARE¹¹ (Elizb. C. Hobart,¹⁰ John H. Hobart,⁹ Hannah Pratt,⁸ Rebecca,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. July 19, 1847; m. 1st, Jeanie P. Williams; 2dly, Heloise Guilloû.

Children :

- 893. René Guilloû Hare.
- 894. Emlen Spencer Hare.
- 895. Alfred Guilloû Hare.
- 896. Elizabeth C. Hare.
- 897. Phyllis Hare.

586. HENRY PRATT McKEAN¹¹ (Sarah C. Pratt,¹⁰ Henry Pratt,⁹ Matthew Pratt,⁸ Rebecca,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. May 3, 1810; m. July 8, 1841, Phœbe Elizabeth Warren, dau. of Stephen Warren and Martha Cornell Mabbett, of Troy, N.Y.

Children :

- 898. Thomas McKean, b. Phila., Nov. 28, 1842; m. Elizabeth Wharton.
- 899. Stephen Warren McKean, b. Phila., Feb. 4, 1844; d. Apr. 28, 1846.

587. SARAH ANN McKEAN¹¹ (Sarah C. Pratt,¹⁰ Henry Pratt,⁹ Matthew Pratt,⁸ Rebecca,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. Aug. 10, 1811; m. Nov. 5, 1833, George Trott, formerly of Boston, since of Phila.

Children :

- 900. Sarah McKean Trott, b. Dec. 8, 1835; m. James W. Hazlehurst.
- 901. George Boylston Trott, b. May 12, 1840; d. Mar. 11, 1842.
- 902. Henry Trott, b. Dec. 31, 1841; d. May 5, 1843.

589. CLEMENTINA SOPHIA McKEAN¹¹ (Sarah C. Pratt,¹⁰ Henry Pratt,⁹ Matthew Pratt,⁸ Rebecca,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. Phila., May 27, 1820; m. May 23, 1843, Charles

Louis Borie, b. Phila., Jan. 7, 1819, d. Nov. 7, 1886, son of John J. Borie and Sophiu Beauveau. Charles L. was a brother of Adolphe E. Borie.

Children :

903. Elizabeth McKean Borie, *b.* Mar. 4, 1844; *m.* John Thompson Lewis, Jr.

904. Beauveau Borie, *b.* May 9, 1846; *m.* Patty Duffield Neill.

905. Clementina Borie, *b.* April 28, 1849; *d.* July 15, 1850.

906. Emily Borie, *b.* Apr. 9, 1851; *m.* James Mauran Rhodes.

907. Sarah C. McKean Borie, *b.* Feb. 2, 1853; *m.* George Champlin Mason, Jr.

597. WASHINGTON JAMES PEALE¹¹ (James G. Peale,¹⁰ James Peale,⁹ Mary,⁸ James,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* Jan. 11, 1847; *m.* Dec. 23, 1868, Mary Megary, who was *b.* July 19, 1849. He is a member of the Sons of the Revolution and of the Society of the Cincinnati.

Children :

908. Lillian Peale, *b.* Feb. 13, 1871.

909. Joseph M. Peale, *b.* Sept. 13, 1872.

615. ALICE CLAYPOOLE GWYNNE¹¹ (Abraham G. Gwynne,¹⁰ Alice Anne,⁹ Abraham Geo.,⁸ James,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *m.* Cornelius Vanderbilt, of New York City, *b.* on Staten Island, Nov. 27, 1843; eldest son of William Henry Vanderbilt, of New York City, *b.* New Brunswick, N.J., May 8, 1821, *d.* New York City, Dec. 8, 1885; eldest son of Cornelius Vanderbilt,¹ of New York City, *b.* near Stapleton, N.Y., May 27, 1794, *d.* New York City, Jan. 4, 1877, who was descended from Jan Aertson Van der Bilt, of New Amsterdam, temp. 1650.

Children :

910. William H. Vanderbilt, *d.* unm. 1892.

911. Cornelius Vanderbilt.

912. Gladys Vanderbilt.

¹ For sketch of Cornelius Vanderbilt 1st and William Henry Vanderbilt, his son, see New York Genealogical and Biographical Records, vol. xvii. p. 61.

621. ROBERT HENRY NEILSON¹¹ (Sarah C. Lewis,¹⁰ Sarah,⁹ Abraham G.,⁸ James,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), m. Nov. 10, 1887, Emily Souder Linnard.

Child:

913. Dorothy Lewis Neilson, *b.* Apr. 27, 1892.

629. HERMAN LE ROY-LEWIS¹¹ (Amelia Lewis,¹⁰ Sarah,⁹ Abraham G.,⁸ James,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), m. 1888, Kathleen Teresa Turner Newcomen.

Children:

914. Ysoldt Le Loy-Lewis, *b.* 1889.

915. Amorel Le Roy-Lewis, *b.* 1890.

632. WILLIAM ALEXANDER EWING¹¹ (Mary P. Baum,¹⁰ Ann S. Wallace,⁹ Rebecca Chambers,⁸ Edith,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* May 15, 1838; m. May 1, 1867, Gertrude Baldwin Smith, *b.* Dec. 14, 1844. They are both now (1893) living in Chicago, Ill.

Child:

916. Edith Claypoole Chambers, *b.* Feb. 26, 1868.

THIRTEENTH GENERATION.

662. JULIA CATHARINE FOULKE¹² (Wm. Parker,¹¹ Richard P.,¹⁰ John Foulke,⁹ Mary Bringham,⁸ Mary,⁷ James,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* Jan. 22, 1856; m. May 3, 1882, Henry Carvill Lewis,¹ M.A., Univ. of Penna., Prof. of Mineralogy, Academy of Natural Sciences of Phila. He was *b.* Nov. 16, 1853, *d.* July 21, 1888.

Child:

917. Gwendolen de Veau Lewis, *b.* Mar. 21, 1883.

692. SIDNEY GUTHRIE¹² (Sophia W. Campion,¹¹ Elizb. G. Wilson,¹⁰ Clarissa S.,⁹ John,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nathl.,⁶ James,⁵

¹ Henry Carvill Lewis was the son of F. Mortimer, son of John F., son of Johann A. P. Ludwig (of Crailsheim, Würtemberg), who came to Phila. June 3, 1777, and Anglicized his name to Lewis.

etc.), b. Aug. 9, 1861; d. May 27, 1890; m. Sept. 10, 1884, Cyrus Townsend Brady.

Children :

918. Cyrus Townsend Brady, *b.* June 23, 1887.

919. Susan Elizabeth Brady, *b.* Sept. 8, 1888.

920. Sydney Guthrie Brady, *b.* May 20, 1890.

693. GRANT GUTHRIE¹² (Sophia W. Campion,¹¹ Elizb. G. Wilson,¹⁰ Clarissa S.,⁹ John,⁸ Wm.,⁷ Nathl.,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. Dec. 27, 1864; m. Aug. 1, 1884, Belle Robinson.

Child :

921. Edwin Guthrie, *b.* July 12, 1886.

864. SAMUEL M. MILLER¹² (Anna E. Hare,¹¹ Elizb. C. Hobart,¹⁰ John H. Hobart,⁹ Hannah Pratt,⁸ Rebecca,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. 1854; m. Elizabeth Barclay Biddle, dau. of Dr. John Biddle, of Phila., and Caroline Phillips. She d. Feb. 21, 1891.

Children :

922. Charlotte Barclay Miller.

923. John Biddle Miller.

924. Marian Miller.

925. Virginia B. Miller.

926. E. Spencer Miller.

879. CHRISTINE SINGER HARE¹² (Chas. Willing Hare,¹¹ Elizb. C. Hobart,¹⁰ John Henry Hobart,⁹ Hannah Pratt,⁸ Rebecca,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), m. N. Allen Stockton.

Children :

927. Mary Hare Stockton.

928. N. Allen Stockton.

880. HOBART AMORY HARE, M.D.¹² (Wm. Hobart Hare,¹¹ Elizb. C. Hobart,¹⁰ John H. Hobart,⁹ Hannah Pratt,⁸ Rebecca,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), m. May 8, 1884, Rebecca Clifford Pemberton, dau. of Clifford Pemberton, of Phila., and Helen Augusta Fryer.

Child :

929. Mary Amory Hare, *b.* Aug. 30, 1865.

884. MARION SCOTT HARE¹² (J. Montgomery Hare,¹¹ Elizb. C. Hobart,¹⁰ John H. Hobart,⁹ Hannah Pratt,⁸ Rebecca,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), m. Kingbury Curtin.

Child :

930. Mary Meredith Curtin, *d.* inf.

898. THOMAS McKEAN¹² (Henry Pratt McKean,¹¹ Sarah Clementina Pratt,¹⁰ Henry Pratt,⁹ Matthew Pratt,⁸ Rebecca,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* Nov. 28, 1842; *m.* Sept. 24, 1863, Elizabeth Wharton, *b.* Dec. 12, 1844, dau. of Hon. George M. Wharton and Maria Markoe.

Children :

931. Henry Pratt McKean, *b.* Jan. 12, 1866; *m.* Marian Shaw.

932. Thomas McKean, Jr., *b.* Apr. 29, 1869.

933. Maria Wharton McKean, *b.* Apr. 18, 1870.

934. George Wharton McKean, *b.* July 20, 1872; *d.* Phila., Jan. 20, 1875.

935. Phoebe Warren McKean, *b.* July 8, 1874; *m.* Apr. 12, 1893, Dr. Norton Downs.

900. SARAH McKEAN TROTT¹² (Sarah A. McKean,¹¹ Sarah Clementina Pratt,¹⁰ Henry Pratt,⁹ Matthew Pratt,⁸ Rebecca,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* Dec. 8, 1835; *m.* Dec. 1857, James W. Hazlehurst.

Children :

936. George Trott Hazlehurst, *b.* Phila., Oct. 18, 1858; *d.* Nice, France, Dec. 10, 1881.

937. Elizabeth Borie Hazlehurst, *b.* June 1, 1861; *m.* Daniel Lammot.

938. Henry McKean Hazlehurst, *b.* Dec. 27, 1867.

939. Alice Hazlehurst, *b.* May 20, 1871.

908. ELIZABETH McKEAN BORIE¹² (Clementina S. McKean,¹¹ Sarah Clementina Pratt,¹⁰ Henry Pratt,⁹ Matthew Pratt,⁸ Rebecca,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* Mar. 4, 1844; *m.* Phila., Dec. 11, 1872, John Thompson Lewis, Jr., son of Saunders Lewis.

Children :

940. Charles Borie Lewis, *b.* Oct. 12, 1873.
941. Phœbe Morris Lewis, *b.* Aug. 25, 1879.
942. Elizabeth Borie Lewis, *b.* May 8, 1882.

904. BEAUCVEAU BORIE¹² (Clementina S. McKean,¹¹ Sarah Clementina Pratt,¹⁰ Henry Pratt,⁹ Matthew Pratt,⁸ Rebecca,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* Phila., May 9, 1846; *m.* Dec. 3, 1868, Patty Duffield Neill, dau. of James P. Wilson Neill and Alice Renshaw, of Phila.

Children :

943. Charles Louis Borie, *b.* June 9, 1870; *m.* Nov. 22, 1892, Helen Sewell.
944. Emily Ewing Borie, *b.* May 9, 1872.
945. Beauveau Borie, Jr., *b.* Sept. 25, 1874.
946. Adolphe Edward Borie, *b.* Jan. 5, 1877.
947. Renshaw Borie, *b.* Apr. 30, 1883.

906. EMILY BORIE¹² (Clementina S. McKean,¹¹ Sarah Clementina Pratt,¹⁰ Henry Pratt,⁹ Matthew Pratt,⁸ Rebecca,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* Phila., Apr. 9, 1851; *m.* Jan. 5, 1871, James Mauran Rhodes, *b.* Dec. 25, 1848.

Children :

948. Clementina Borie Rhodes, *b.* Dec. 10, 1871.
949. Mary Aborn Rhodes, *b.* Apr. 23, 1874.
950. James Mauran Rhodes, Jr., *b.* July 31, 1876.
951. F. Mauran Rhodes, *b.* Nov. 20, 1878.
952. { Elizabeth McKean Rhodes, *b.* Oct. 22, 1880.
953. { Emily Borie Rhodes, *b.* Oct. 22, 1880; *d.* Mar. 22, 1881.
954. Emily Beauveau Rhodes, *b.* Feb. 17, 1882.
955. Charles Borie Rhodes, *b.* Apr. 7, 1883.
956. Sophia Beauveau Rhodes, *b.* July 7, 1885; *d.* Feb. 25, 1888.
957. Lawrence Mauran Rhodes, *b.* Mar. 24, 1887.

FOURTEENTH GENERATION.

931. HENRY PRATT MCKEAN¹³ (Thos. McKean,¹² Henry Pratt McKean,¹¹ Sarah Clementina Pratt,¹⁰ Henry Pratt,⁹ Matthew Pratt,⁸ Rebecca,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* Jan. 12, 1866; *m.* at Jamaica Plain, Mass., June 5, 1889, Maria

Shaw, dau. of Quincy Adams Shaw and Pauline Agassiz.
She was b. Jamaica Plain, Feb. 21, 1866.

Children :

958. Henry Pratt McKean, b. May 13, 1890.

959. Quincy Adams Shaw McKean, b. Nov. 1, 1891.

937. ELIZABETH BORIE HAZLEHURST¹³ (Sarah McK. Trott,¹²
Sarah Ann McKean,¹¹ Sarah Clementina Pratt,¹⁰ Henry
Pratt,⁹ Matthew Pratt,⁸ Rebecca,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b.
June 1, 1861; m. June 1, 1887, Daniel Lammot, b. Apr. 10,
1856.

Child :

960. Dorothy Lammot.

APPENDIX.

THE WINGFIELD FAMILY.

THE Wingfields have been traced back to several sovereigns of England, France, and Scotland. Through the marriage of Sir Robert Wingfield of Letheringham to Lady Elizabeth Gowsell, whose mother was a Fitz Alan and her grandmother a de Bohun,¹ the Wingfield family claims descent from the Plantagenet rulers of England, from William the Conqueror, from the Counts of Flanders through his wife Mathilda, and through them back to Charlemagne, Emperor of the West. Through a marriage of an earlier Humphrey de Bohun with Princess Margaret of Scotland, Mr. Browning traces the Wingfields back to the Princes of Scotland, and to Alfred the Great of England. Even prior to these honorable alliances the Wingfield family was one of considerable distinction. Lodge, in his "Peerage of Ireland," says,—

"This ancient noble family is denominated from the Manor of Wingfield, in the County of Suffolk, where they had a Seat before the Norman Conquest, called Wingfield-Castle, which tho' now in Ruins, denotes its ancient Grandeur; and Cambden writes, that this Manor gave both a Name and a Seat to a large Family in those Parts, famous for their Knighthood and ancient Gentility, which brought forth an Abundance of renowned Knights, and among the rest two celebrated Companions of the Order of the Garter under the Reign of King Henry VIII. . . . The Family came early to be divided into several eminent Branches, which from time to time afforded Knights of the Shire, and Sheriffs of the County of Suffolk; many of whom were likewise famous in Feats of War."

Sir Robert Wingfield, eldest son of Sir John Wingfield of

¹ Humphrey de Bohun, Earl of Hereford and Essex, married Princess Elizabeth Plantagenet.—"Americans of Royal Descent," Chas. H. Browning.

Letheringham, was knighted by Henry VI. at Hereford, on Whitsunday, in the fourth year of his reign, and, says Lodge, "attended on the Duke of Norfolk in an Embassy, of whose lands he was made Steward, for the good Service he had done to the noble Prince his Father and himself." This was the Sir Robert Wingfield who married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Robert Gowsell. It was another Sir Robert Wingfield, son of the first Sir Robert, who was in 1520 present at the memorable interview of Henry VIII. and Francis I. of France, between Guisnes and Ardres. "He had in the 35th of Henry VIII. a grant of the Manors of Upton and Ailesworth in the County of Northampton, with other lands thereabouts, having, as Camden relates, 'a fine house with lovely walks at Upton.' He married Margery, daughter of George Quarles of Norfolk, and was father of Sir Robert Wingfield of Upton, who married Elizabeth, daughter of Richard Cecil of Burleigh, Esq., sister to the Lord Treasurer Cecil, and by her, who remarried with Hugh Allington, had four sons and two daughters,"—Sir Robert, his heir, John, Richard, who died unmarried, Peregrine, Dorothy, married to Adam Claypoole of Latham in Lincolnshire, Esq., and Cicily."¹

THE BRINGHURST FAMILY.

"The motto of the Bringhurst family is 'For Truth and Freedom.' We have the coat of arms sent to my great-great-grandfather from the Heralds' office in London by Thomas Pole. The shield bears three shells, which tradition says were assumed by our ancestor when he went to the Holy Land with Richard Cœur de Lion.

"The family colors are blue and silver, meaning Faith and Purity, but the Anglo-Saxon of 'For Truth and Freedom' my great-aunt, from whom I learned all this, was unable to remember, though she used it in her youth.

"The family seat of the Brynghursts was in Leicestershire, where there is still a parish by that name, and from thence came John Bryngburst, a younger son, to London.

"He it was who wrote a pamphlet on the Imprisonment of

¹ For further genealogy of Wingfields, see Visitation of Huntingdonshire, pp. 125-131.

² Lodge's Peerage of Ireland, vol. iii. p. 347, and Visitation of Huntingdonshire, pp. 125-131.

the Bishops by Judge Jeffreys, which so excited the populace against the Judge that he, Jeffreys, was obliged to fly from the country. For this John Brynghurst was presented with the freedom of the city of London, in a gold box, but on Jeffreys's return to power he (Brynghurst) was obliged to leave England, and went to Holland, where he married Rosina Matern, widow of John Matern, and went into the mercantile business with some of her family. They were very wealthy, having a house in Barbadoes, one in Holland, and one in London. He and his wife (or their son) came to Philadelphia to establish a house there, and on the ship their son John met with Mary Claypoole, a grand-daughter or great-grand-daughter of Oliver Cromwell,¹ whom he married in 1718.

"We have in our possession some old letters written by Rosina Matern, and by her son, and some old parchments in Latin, but these I am unable to read, and my father has never allowed me to handle them very much. The name Bringhurst is mentioned in them very often, and the date (of some of them) is, I think, about 1534. There is also one in very old English. The Anna Pole who married James Bringhurst in 1761 (Philadelphia) was descended from the celebrated de la Poles of England, and there is shown in the Tower of London a room where a de la Pole, a nobleman, was murdered. Anna Pole's brother, Thomas Pole, was a beautiful penman, and we have some exquisite pen-and-ink portraits done by him.

"Anna Pole, wife of James Bringhurst, died, leaving five little boys. One little daughter died of small-pox, and at the funeral the mother took cold and shortly died. James Bringhurst's second wife was Hannah Peters, first-cousin of Judge Peters, a celebrated lawyer of Philadelphia. She died in three years of consumption. Thirdly, he married in Rhode Island Miss Barker, nicknamed 'the Duchess.' She was a designing, mercenary woman, and a very bad step-mother to the five little boys, who were fortunately brought up and educated by their father's brother, Joseph Bringhurst. He, Joseph, was a successful wine merchant in Philadelphia, but gave up his business for conscience' sake, being himself a 'Total Abstainer.' He had been engaged to be married and had passed one meeting, and before

¹ Once more we run against the family tradition. This Mary Claypoole is a grand-daughter of James, who came to America in 1683.

the second his sweetheart died. From that time he devoted himself entirely to his five nephews. He and their father, James, had a fine place at Newport, where they spent the summers, and a large house on Front Street, in Philadelphia. When the yellow fever broke out in Philadelphia they removed to Wilmington.

"During the Revolution no one was allowed to keep school who would not take the oath, and Uncle Joseph, being a Quaker, could not take the oath, so he taught his nephews and friends' children privately in his back rooms. He taught them Friends' principles and read Friends' books to them. This may have been during the occupation of Philadelphia by the British.

"Afterwards the nephews went to school to James Gibbons, who taught a classical school for Friends' sons. As he, Joseph, grew older he had little to do, and spent much time with his first-cousin, Betsey Foulke, who was, I fancy, a daughter of Judah Foulke and Mary Bringhurst."¹

JUDAH FOULKE.

Judah Foulke, born July 30, 1722, died January 24, 1776, was the son of Cadwallader Foulke of Gwynedd and Mary Evans,² and grandson of Edward Foulke, who was born in Wales, May 13, 1651, and died, 1741, at Gwynedd, Montgomery County. Judah Foulke came to this country with his family in 1698. His wife was Eleanor Hugh, daughter of Hugh Cadwallader. She died at Gwynedd, January, 1723. Their son Cadwallader was born, 1691, in Wales, and died in Philadelphia, 1743. He lived in Gwynedd until 1731, when he removed to Philadelphia,

¹ For the above sketch of the Bringhursts we are indebted to a member of the family.

² Mary Evans was the daughter of Robert Evans, who was the third son of Evan, ap Evan, ap Robert, ap Lewis, ap Griffith, ap Howell Gôch, ap Einion, ap Deikws ddu, ap Madoc, ap Ievan Gôch, ap David Gôch, ap Trahnarn Gôch, ap Madoc, ap Rhys Gloff, ap Rhys Vaughan, ap Rhys Mechyllt, ap Rhys Grûg, ap Rhys, ap Griffith, ap Rhys, ap Tewddur Mawr, ap Einion, ap Owen, ap Howel ddu, ap Calelh, ap Rodri Mawr, ap Mervyn Vrych. The mother of Mervyn Vrych, King of Man, was Nest, grand-daughter of Brockwell Yscithiog, Prince of Powis, who defeated Ethelred, King of Northumberland, on the Dee near Bangor, about the year 907. One of Brockwell's sons was Bishop Tyallis, the opponent of St. Augustine.—Hist. Coll. Gwynedd, by Howard M. Jenkins, pp. 214-216.

and was appointed Justice of the Peace for Philadelphia County November 22, 1738.

Judah Foulke was a prominent and active citizen, and that he loved letters the well-cherished and well-used volumes of classics which were owned by him attest. From 1745 to 1750 he was Collector of Excise for Philadelphia; in 1770 he was Sheriff of the city and county, and again in 1771 and 1772. A quaint document, dated December 11, 1773, recites that his Excellency John Penn, with the advice of the Council, constituted and appointed Judah Foulke, gentleman, Keeper of the Standards of Brass for weights and measures for the county of Philadelphia. He was, May 1, 1754, admitted to membership in Fort St. David's Fishing Company, which company was afterwards merged into the Schuylkill Fishing Company, a social club still active and flourishing, and said to be the oldest of the kind in the world.

Judah Foulke's will, written in 1774, constituted his wife sole legatee, "in full confidence of her maternal affection for our children;" he also appointed his brother-in-law Joseph Bringhurst, and his friends Abel James and Joseph Fox, executors. His dwelling was No. 34 Front Street, North, where his widow lived until January 22, 1798.

THE HONORABLE JAMES TRIMBLE.

James Trimble, first Deputy Secretary of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, was born in Philadelphia, July 19, 1755. Of his father Alexander Trimble, who is said to have come from the north of Ireland, we know little. We do know, however, that he was a member of the Second Presbyterian Church of Philadelphia, then under the care of the Rev. Gilbert Tennent. He married Elinor Rogers, of Abington, a sister of the Rev. John Rogers, Moderator of the first General Assembly in the United States.¹ This marriage was solemnized by the Rev. Richard Treat at Abington, June 20, 1754. Of the date of Alexander Trimble's death we have no exact knowledge. It was certainly prior to 1769, as it is recorded on the church books of the Second Presbyterian Church of Philadelphia that his widow, Elinor Trimble, was received into the membership of that church May 5, 1769.

¹ A daughter of John Rogers married the Rev. Wm. Tennent.

James was the eldest of several children, and, although very young at the time of his father's death, soon manifested qualities of mind and character that rendered him useful to his country through the best years of a long life. When a lad of thirteen or fourteen he assisted his mother in the care of a store on Arch Street near Third. One day Mr. James Tilghman,¹ Secretary of the Land Office under the Proprietors, called to make some purchases, and when young Trimble made out his bill, was so much pleased with his business style and handwriting, that he took measures to have him apprenticed as clerk in the office of Secretary of State. Mr. A. Boyd Hamilton states that he was apprenticed as a clerk in the Land Office in 1770, when he was about fifteen years of age.

The endorsement upon the archives of the Board of War and Council of Safety, recently recorded, indicates that he was a subordinate clerk in the State Council as early as 1775, and when Colonel Timothy Matlack became the first Secretary of the Commonwealth, March 6, 1777, under Governor Thomas Wharton, James Trimble became Deputy Secretary,² and so continued by successive re-appointments until January 15, 1836.

Pending some difficulties with the Council in regard to his accounts, Colonel Matlack resigned his position as Secretary on the 25th of March, 1783, and General John Armstrong, Jr., was appointed in his stead. General Armstrong was elected a Member of Congress in 1787, and on the 7th of November Charles Biddle took his place. Mr. Biddle remained in office until January 19, 1791, when Alexander Dallas, Esq., was commissioned by Governor Mifflin the first Secretary under the constitution of 1790, and on the 12th of March, 1791, when the Governor approved the act providing for a Deputy Secretary, Mr. Dallas appointed Mr. Trimble, which appointment was approved by the Governor.

Mr. Dallas remained in office until December 2, 1801, when he resigned, and Thomas McKean Thomson succeeded him. N. B. Boileau became Secretary of the Commonwealth December

¹ James Tilghman, born at the "Hermitage," Maryland, December, 1716, grandson of Richard Tilghman, M.D., of Maryland. He removed to Philadelphia in 1760, was appointed Secretary of the Land Office by Governor John Penn, 1765, which office he retained until the Revolution.—Provincial Councillors of Pennsylvania, Charles P. Keith.

² Colonial Records, vol. xi. p. 174.

20, 1808, and remained so during Governor Snyder's several terms, succeeded by Thomas Sargeant in 1817, by Andrew Gregg in 1820, by Molton Rogers in 1823, by Isaac D. Barnard in 1826, by Calvin Blythe in 1827, by Samuel McKean in 1829, and by William Findlay in 1833; yet during all those years and with all those changes a commission was issued regularly every three years to James Trimble as Deputy Secretary of the Commonwealth.

Mr. Trimble helped pack and remove the state papers to Germantown at the time the British occupied Philadelphia, and again when the seat of government was removed to Lancaster in 1799 and to Harrisburg in 1812. He was a member of the Second Presbyterian Church of Philadelphia, holding a pew and attending the religious services of that church during his residence in Philadelphia. After Mr. Trimble removed to Harrisburg he was chosen trustee and treasurer of the Presbyterian church of which the Rev. Dr. De Witt was pastor, which office he held with honor until a short time before his death.¹ Mr. Trimble died on the 26th of January, 1836, in his eighty-second year. He was removed from his position as Deputy Secretary on the 15th of January, having served his country faithfully for sixty-six years, his only fault being that he was on the opposite side in politics from the party then coming into power.²

"Surely party spirit must have been at fever heat to remove such a public servant without some sort of retired list position for him," says one of his biographers, which opinion is confirmed by all who knew Mr. Trimble. "He was not only a faithful public servant, but a man of unimpeachable integrity, of obliging manners, respected by the community at large, and beloved by his family, to whom he greatly endeared himself by his kindness and affection."

In speaking of Mr. Trimble's removal from office, his granddaughter, Mrs. Paul Graff, says,—

"The mortification was too great for him to bear; he died eleven days after, of a broken heart. I remember hearing my

¹ List of Trustees of Presbyterian Church of Harrisburg.

² "About that time [1836] James Trimble was ruthlessly dismissed from his official position by Governor Ritner. In the political heat of that time a Freemason had hard times."—A. Boyd Hamilton, Harrisburg, November 29, 1892.

father, the late Dr. James Trimble, say that he would rather pay his salary himself than that he should be removed from office, for he would not live long afterwards, and the sequel proved him to be correct in his opinion."

Mr. A. Boyd Hamilton, in a sketch of "The Trustees of the English Presbyterian Church at Harrisburg," says of Mr. Trimble, "His personal is very fresh in the memory of the writer of these lines; nay, it cannot fade from the recollection of those whose memory runs backward to 1830,—his slight stature in solemn suit of black, short clothes, queue, wide-brimmed stiff hat, long hose, buckled shoes, quick eye, brisk movement, and dignified address. He had been apprenticed a clerk in the Land Office about 1770, in the time of the Penns, and served the State continuously for upwards of sixty years. When he died Harrisburg lost its last gentleman of the old school, for Captain Alexander Graydon, his peer in dress and address, had gone before. His penmanship was very beautiful; I have some of his notes to a relative of my own that are models of care in the drafting." Another writer says that "Mr. Trimble's records are models of neatness and his papers elaborately endorsed, and filed with such great care that in the days of tallow candles he was wont to enter his office at night, and, without striking a light, lay his hand on any paper he wished."¹

Mr. Trimble's wife was Clarissa, widow of John Hastings. Mrs. Trimble died at Lancaster, February 6, 1810, as elsewhere recorded in this volume. Of their family of eleven children only two survived their parents,—James Trimble, who died in Huntingdon County in 1833, and Thomas R. Trimble, who died in Chester County in 1863.

JOSEPH CLAYPOOLE (117).

Joseph Claypoole was first known as a glazier and silversmith, and afterwards executed several etchings, notably one of the Pennsylvania Hospital, which bears the inscription "A Per-

¹ A portion of the above was copied (with some corrections as to dates) from an article published in a Harrisburg paper some time ago, on the occasion of a presentation, by the Hon. M. S. Quay, of a portrait of the first Deputy Secretary, to the Secretary's chamber. The painting was by Samuel Waugh, Esq., from an original by Eicholtz, now in possession of Mrs. Catharine Trimble, Glenlock, Chester County, Pennsylvania.—R. I. V. G.

spective View of the Pennsylvania Hospital with the Buildings as intended to be erected." From this inscription it is safe to conclude that the plate was executed prior to, or about, 1755, when the corner-stone of the Hospital was laid, and while Joseph Claypoole was still a very young man. An etching of the building was made by another engraver of the time, which may be confounded with Claypoole's work, although the latter's reputation as one of our earliest American engravers does not rest solely upon the Hospital plate. Several other plates of buildings were made by him, which, although crudely executed, have a certain value as examples of early American engraving.

MATTHEW PRATT (124).

Matthew Pratt was the son of Henry Pratt, and was born in Philadelphia, September 23, 1734. He received a common-school education, and at the age of fifteen was apprenticed to a relative, from whom he learned all the different branches of the painting business, particularly portrait-painting. In 1757 he embarked for Jamaica on some mercantile business, and the following year returned to Philadelphia and set up in business as a portrait-painter, not refusing, however, to take orders for pictorial signs. Many of these signs showed the hand of the true artist: among the best remembered are the "Cock in a Barn-yard," on a beer-house in Spruce Street, and "The Convention of 1787," at the corner of Fourth and Chestnut Streets, both of which once drew admiring crowds. In 1760 Pratt married Elizabeth Moore, and in 1764 went to England and studied with Benjamin West, being one of the first American students received into West's house. He painted some time in Bristol, and returned in 1768 to Philadelphia, where he opened a studio and found plenty of employment. In 1770 Mr. Pratt made a short visit to Ireland, where he painted a full-length portrait of Archdeacon Mann, of Dublin, in robes. Perhaps his best-known work is the full-length portrait of Cadwallader Colden, belonging to the Chamber of Commerce in New York, for which body it was painted in 1772 at a cost of thirty-seven pounds. He also painted a full length portrait of Governor James Hamilton, which belonged to the Spring Garden Institute, Philadelphia, but has been lost for many years. He died in Philadelphia, January 9, 1805.

TIMOTHY MATLACK.

Timothy Matlack was descended from William Matlack, who was born at Cropwell Bishop, near Nottingham, in 1657. He came in the ship *Kent*, Gregory Marlow, master, in a company of two hundred and thirty, mostly Quakers. They landed 6 mo. 16th, 1677, at Chester, then at Raccoon Creek, where the Swedes were settled; but, not finding sufficient accommodation, went on up the river to where Burlington was afterwards built, to Chygoes Island. William Matlack was the first man to set foot on the island.

Being a carpenter by trade, he engaged his services to Thomas Olive, for whom he worked four years, and helped to build the first houses in Burlington. In 1682 he married Mary Hancock, who was then only about sixteen years old, she having come with her brother Timothy in the ship *Paradise*, which arrived March 7, 1681.

William settled on land, which is still owned by his descendants, and lies between the two branches of Pensauken Creek. His children were John, George, Timothy, Joseph, Richard, Sarah, Mary, and Jane.

Although Timothy Matlack was a member of the Society of Friends, at the breaking out of the Revolution he soon identified himself with the Free Quakers, or "Fighting Quakers," as they were frequently called, and is spoken of by Christopher Marshall as "one of the most active spirits of the days of 1775-6." When he first wore his sword in the streets of Philadelphia, some of the orthodox Friends ridiculed him and inquired what its use was. "It is to defend my property and my liberty," he replied. He was one of the general Committee of Safety, 1776, a colonel of the battalion that served against the Delaware Tories who in June of that year had cut off the land communication to Dover. He was also a deputy with Benjamin Franklin, Thomas McKean, Colonel John Bayard, and others from Philadelphia to attend the State conference of June 14, 1776. He was a delegate from Pennsylvania to the Continental Congress in 1780-87, and for many years Master of the Rolls of the State. He resided in Lancaster, Pennsylvania, for some years, but upon becoming Prothonotary of one of the courts of Philadelphia he returned to that city. In 1783 the Committee of Safety of Philadelphia presented him with a silver urn "for his patri-

otic devotion to the cause of freedom, and the many services rendered by him throughout the struggle." With Benjamin Franklin, Robert Morris, and others he established and contributed the funds to build the Free Quakers' Meeting House of Philadelphia.¹ He lived to be ninety-nine years of age, and retained his faculties to the last. He was born at Haddonfield, New Jersey. 1730, and died near Holmesburg, Pennsylvania, April 15, 1829.²

THE REV. JOHN GEMMILL, V.D.M.

The Gemmill family, from which the Rev. John Gemmill was descended, belonged originally to Kilmarnock, Scotland, where the first John Gemmill, of whom we have any knowledge, suffered martyrdom at the hands of Claverhouse.

The John Gemmill who emigrated to America was of the sixth generation in which the eldest son was named John. He came over in early manhood, and settled in Mifflin County, Pennsylvania, where he bought a farm near Lewistown, which he named Kilmarnock after the place of his birth. In 1758 he married Elisabeth Porter. The eldest son of this couple, and the seventh John Gemmill, was born November 12, 1759. Mr. Gemmill's other children, all born on the Kilmarnock farm, were Thomas, Zachariah, Elisabeth, Marion, and Anna.

Mr. Gemmill died at Kilmarnock, and was buried at Lewistown. His wife died in Alexandria, Huntingdon County, and was buried in an old graveyard called Hart's Log, the site of an Indian fort, dating back to the early days of the settlement.

Like the worthy founder of the Province of Pennsylvania, Mr. Gemmill indited a letter of affectionate counsel to his family, which is so earnest and devout that we transcribe it, as it gives a clearer view of the character of the writer than any words of eulogy that could be written of him:

"One thousand seven hundred and seventy, June ye 18

"Now my dear children you have heard my last will respecting what the Lord has blessed me with, of the good things of this life, but I have *afar* of more importance to lay before you, and lyes nearer my heart on your behalf than all the temporal

¹ Appletons' Cyclopædia.

² Eminent Philadelphians, by Henry Simpson.

treasures of ten thousand worlds can afford, and that is what concerns your immortal souls.

"O remember your Creator in the days of your youth. Make yourselves acquainted with God by prayer. It was of God's free grace or gift I received you, and to him I recommend you again. O let none of you draw back on your part, by turning to the ways of sin and servis of the Devil. O beware of lying or swearing or taking the name of God in vain. Be careful how you spend your Sabbaths, and beware of that life-shortening sin of disobedience to your mother and your grandfather or any of your superiors. Beware of pride, passion, obscene discourse, of all sins whatsoever, whereby you may offend your God. Draw near to God and he will draw near to you, for he cannot fail of his promise; if you are praying children, it is a true mark of God's children, but if prayerless children, it is a shure sign of the Devils, and that you have not stood to the dedication I made of you to God, which will be a fearful drawing back in your account with God and reflection which your conscience will not bear, when you come within view of death, as I am at this present time, whilst writing these words to you. And now, my dear children, my last words to you and advise is that you will all observe to chuse good company, and as carefully shun bad company, and pray to God to grant you an acquaintance and covenant interest in Christ your redeemer. O pray, prayer is my last request that I require of you, and I pray that the Lord may grant you his blessing of the new covenant, well ordered in all things, and O that the Lord may grant each of you the shinings of his face, and lift on you the light of his reconciled countenance, and finally receive you into everlasting felicity. Amen.

JOHN GEMMILL.

"His last advice to his family, wrote by

"A true copy for	}	{ Elisabeth Gemmill,
Mary Ann McLain. }		

"Copied *verbatim et literatim* from a yellow and torn paper found filed away with grandmother McLain's papers.

"The original was the advice of my great-grandfather, and the copy from which I take this was written by his wife.

"FRANK D. McLAIN,

"Warren, Trumbull County, Ohio, Nov. 7, 1878.

"3402 N. 17TH ST., PHILA., June 8, 1891."

John Gemmill, the subject of this sketch, after passing his early years on his father's farm at Kilmarnock, went to Philadelphia in 1781 or 1782, making the journey thither on horseback. Here he entered the University of Pennsylvania, where he was graduated and subsequently occupied a position as instructor. Mr. Gemmill married, in Philadelphia, Sarah Knox,¹ widow of Colonel Robert Knox, of the Continental Army, a woman celebrated for her beauty and accomplishments. Mrs. Gemmill died within a year of her marriage, in 1787. After the death of his wife, Mr. Gemmill applied himself to the study of theology, and was ordained a Presbyterian minister in 1790. His first charge was in that portion of Chester County known as the Great Valley, where he purchased a farm on which was a fine and capacious house, which was his residence from 1790 until 1798, when he resigned his pastorate in order to accept that of the United Congregational Church of New Haven. During his residence in Chester County Mr. Gemmill, in 1795, had been invited to fill the chair of Divinity at Yale College,² which honorable position he declined to accept, presumably on account of his health, which was never robust, and which led to his resignation from the pastorate of the United Congregational Church of New Haven in 1801, and prevented his acceptance of any regular charge during the remainder of his life, although he was at this time still in the prime of manhood, in the early forties. After leaving New Haven Mr. Gemmill returned to the Great Valley, and two years later, October 11, 1803, married his second-cousin, Rebecca Irwin, of Greencastle, Franklin County.³ A family tradition, in connection with this marriage, relates that, after visiting the Irwin family in Franklin County, Mr. Gemmill, while staying with his brothers and sisters in Alexandria, Huntingdon County, advised his brother Zachariah to marry his cousin Becky, upon which "Zach," who had other matrimonial views for himself, speedily retorted, "Marry her yourself." Mr. Gemmill accepted seriously the ad-

¹ The maiden name of Sarah Knox was Hollingshead. She was baptized at the Second Presbyterian Church April 17, 1769, of which her father was a trustee.

² From a MS. letter of President Dwight of Yale College.

³ Rebecca Irwin was born in Greencastle, Pennsylvania, April 26, 1775, and died August 7, 1844. She was the daughter of Joseph Irwin and Violetta Porter, and grand-daughter of Archibald Irwin, who was born about 1700.

vice given jestingly, and the union proved a most happy one. The children of this marriage were:

John Gemmill, *b.* July 24, 1804; *d.* July 26, 1885.

Eliza Violetta Porter Gemmill, *b.* Aug. 12, 1805; *d.* July 19, 1884; *m.* James Trimble, Nov. 29, 1821.

Caroline Gemmill, *b.* March 29, 1807; *m.* Dr. John Brinton, of West Chester, Pa.; *d.* Dec. 26, 1829.

Amelia Sophia Gemmill, *b.* March 25, 1811; *m.* at Blairsville, by the Rev. Thos. Davis, to John B. Royer, March 11, 1834; *d.* July 3, 1836, and was buried July 4, in the Presbyterian Church near Hollidaysburg, Pa.

After his marriage Mr. Gemmill took his wife to his home in Chester County, where they resided until his death, which occurred December 14, 1814, in the fifty-fourth year of his age. As has been said, Mr. Gemmill declined to receive a pastoral charge after leaving New Haven, and occupied his time, when his health permitted, in giving classical instruction to young men, in patriotic service in the Senate of his native State at a most critical period of her history, and in writing upon religious and theological subjects. Mr. Gemmill's writings, in opposition to the teachings of Tom Paine, are said to have exerted considerable influence in their day and to have led to the suppression of some of the productions of Paine.

The following obituary notice, written by a learned contemporary,¹ taken in connection with the inscription upon his tombstone, reveals the estimation in which Mr. Gemmill was held by his friends and family:

"Departed this life at his residence in the borough of West Chester, on the 14th, the Rev. John Gemmill, aged 54 years.

"By the death of this gentleman our country has been bereaved of a most valuable and patriotic citizen. Learning and science have lost a successful cultivator and a distinguished ornament. Although naturally of a delicate constitution, Mr. Gemmill devoted many years of his life to the instruction of youth in classic literature and to the arduous duties of the pulpit. In both these departments he was conspicuous for the solidity and splendor of his abilities. Having for some years past chiefly declined the duties of his profession, which had become incom-

¹ William Darlington, LL.D., D.Sc., who resided in West Chester for many years, and there made a complete descriptive catalogue of the plants of that region, called the "Flora Cestrica."

patible with his health, he indulged in the sweets of domestic retirement, and enjoyed the *otium cum dignitate* to which none but men of science only can aspire, until called by his fellow-citizens to represent them in the Senate of his native State. His ardor and genuine patriotism, added to his other qualifications, pointed him out as a suitable advocate for the rights of freemen at that critical and momentous period of our national existence.

"Nor were his constituents disappointed. His integrity endeared him to all whose bosoms beat high for their country's honor; and his eloquence, while it excited the admiration of his audience, nobly vindicated the cause and gratified the just pride of his countrymen. Toward the close of his senatorial labors, he was attacked with a distressing disease, which his friends too justly apprehended would be fatal. Notwithstanding, on his return home from the seat of government, he for some time devoted all the powers of his mind to the superintendence of the classical department of the West Chester Academy,—an infant institution, of which for the most laudable reasons he consented to become the principal.

"His bodily powers, however, gradually sank under his disease. He was compelled to relinquish his benevolent purposes, and finally resigned his spirit unto the hands of that Almighty Power who gave it.

"A friend who knew his worth and ardently admired the elegant accomplishments of his expanded mind, has thus presumed to dedicate to his memory this humble tribute of affection and respect.

D.

"December 14, 1814."

Inscription on the tombstone of Rev. John Gemmill:

Sacred
To the Memory of the
Rev. John Gemmill. V.D.M.
Who departed this Life
December 14. 1814.
Aged 54 years.

His Eminent Abilities
As a teacher of the Religion of Christ,
His social virtues, his private worth, and
His superior attainments in Science,
Are enshrined in the fond recollections of
His numerous and bereaved admirers;
His patriotism and public Services, are recorded in
The Annals of his Country.

ADOLPHE E. BORIE.

"Adolphe E. Borie was the son of John J. Borie, a Frenchman who came to this country in 1805, entered into business as a merchant in Philadelphia, and in 1808 married Sophia Beauveau, by whom he had twelve children, of whom Adolphe Edward was the eldest, born November 25, 1809. The father associated his eldest son with him in business in 1833.

"Adolphe E. Borie graduated at the University of Pennsylvania in 1825, and subsequently took the degree of A.M. He went to France to continue his studies, returning in 1828. After this he entered the counting-house of his father, and about 1838 entered into partnership with Mr. McKean. He was Consul for Belgium, November 10, 1843, and about the same time acting consul for Sicily, but the latter does not appear upon the records of the State Department. In 1848, Mr. Borie was elected president of the Bank of Commerce, but relinquished the position in 1860 to take a trip to Europe. He was a director of the National Bank of Commerce, a member of the Board of Trade, a manager of the Philadelphia Savings Fund Society, and a liberal contributor to various benevolent associations.

"He was one of the founders of the Union Club at the beginning of the civil war, which afterwards became the Union League; and the first vice-president in 1862, retaining the position until his death. He was interested in the Academy of Sciences in Philadelphia.

"Upon General Grant's accession to the Presidency, he invited Mr. Borie to a seat in his Cabinet as Secretary of the Navy, which was accepted. Mr. Borie was nominated and confirmed March 5, and entered upon his duties March 9, 1869. His labors, however, proving too onerous for his age and health, he resigned June 25, 1869, and Mr. Robeson, who was appointed the same day, assumed charge on the 26th.

"In 1872, Mr. Borie was a Presidential Elector-at-large from Pennsylvania on the Republican ticket, and cast his vote for General Grant for President; and in 1878, after the expiration of General Grant's term of office, Mr. Borie accompanied him on part of his tour round the world, having joined him in Paris.

"Mr. Borie was a gentleman of cultivated tastes, and had collected one of the finest private galleries of paintings in Phila-

delphia, containing numerous pictures of the modern French and Spanish schools.

"He was a trustee of the University of Pennsylvania in 1858, and made a member of the American Philosophical Society in 1872.

"Mr. Borie died after a short illness, February 5, 1880, and was buried from St. Stephen's Church. The Union League adopted suitable resolutions, and appropriate honors were paid by the Secretary of the Navy, the Department building being closed on the day of the funeral, and draped in mourning for thirty days thereafter."¹

GENEALOGICAL DATA, UNCLASSIFIED.

"Claypole, John, was sub-sen(escallus), or sub-steward, of the Manor of Stamford, for the steward, John Hussey, esq., in Sept. 17 Hen. VII. (1501)."—*Notes and Queries*, vol. v. part xxxvi. p. 111.

"James Claypole (sub. Northampton's) was a contributor of 50 l. towards the defence of the country in 1588 against the Spanish invasion."—*Ibid.*

"Mistris Claypoll (wife of James) was one of the mourners present at the funeral of Lady Jane Cecil, mother of William, first Baron of Burleigh, K.G., in the church of St. Martin, Stamford Baron, 27 March, 1588." [Evidently Joan Henson, wife of James Claypoole.]"—*Ibid.*

"Adam Cleapole, Northampton, contributed to the royal loan to James I., 1611-12, 10 l. & Sir John Claypole, of Will'ton (? Wilborton), Cambs, 20 l.

"Adam Cleypoole, esq., 10 l., Northrton, John Angell of Crowhurst, Surrey, esq., 20 l., Robt. Angell, of Putney, Surrey, contributed 30 l. to the Royal loan Charles I., 1625-6." [Evidently Adam Claypoole,³ brother of Sir James.]—*Ibid.*, p. 110.

"Joane Claypoole married July 15th, 1624, to Roland Patrick, while a Joane or Jane of the same parents was baptized November 1st, 1623, which looks as if Adam Claypoole had

¹ Genealogy of the McKean Family. By Roberdeau Buchanan.

named a second daughter Jane after his wife Jane Bird, in view of the fact that his other daughter Joane or Joanna was about to change her name to Patrick."—*Notes and Queries*, vol. iii. p. 248.

"Joane Claypoole, who married Roland Patrick, was buried Dec. 5, 1661."—*Ibid.*, part xxv. p. 12.

"The names of the Justices of Peace in England and Wales As they stand in Commission in their several Counties this Michaelmas Terme, 1650. London printed for Thomas Walkley. (Nov. 27) 1650.

"p. 41 Northamptonshire
 "John Claypool
 "John Claypool Jun."
 —*Brit. Mus.* E. 1238/4.

"A Perfect List of all such Persons as by Commission under the Great Seal of England are now confirmed to be Custos Rotulorum, Justices of Oyer & Terminer, Justices of the Peace & Quorum, and Justices of the Peace in the several Counties, Cities, Towns & Liberties within England & Wales. London, 1660.

"p. 36 Justices &c. in the County of Northampton.
 "Jo. Claypoole, m."
 —*Brit. Mus.*, 1129 b. 39.

"In Notes and Queries of Northamptonshire, among extracts from Parish Registers of Maxy's, is a John Claypoole son of Adam, baptized Ap. 13, 1595. As an Adam Claypoole son of Adam is given as baptized on the same day, it is evident that Mr. Claypoole either had a son Adam by his first marriage who died young, or that Adam has been incorrectly written instead of John."—*Notes and Queries*, vol. iii. p. 246.

"John Claypole, Jr., esq., master of our Horse & John C., Senr., esq., appointed by order of the Protector & his Council, Commissioners of Militia in the County of Northampton, & John Shield, esq., for Rutland, to suppress insurrection & preserve the peace, 14 March, 1654-5."—*Ibid.*, vol. v. p. 111.

"Claypoole, John, Loleham, Northamptonshire, admitted to Gray's Inn, 30 June, 1651, & Edward Claypoole, Northborough, Northampton, 21 May, 1657."—*Harleian MS.*, 1912, ff. 98, 99, *Brit. Mus.*

"John Claypole, Jr., esq., signed a declaration of allegiance to the King, 5 June, 12 Car. II. (1660), before the Speaker of the House of Commons (Harbottle Grimston), in which he designates himself as 'John Claypoole the yonger, Esqr.,' & lays hold of the King's general pardon, dated Breda, April 4-14, in the same year."—*Notes and Queries*, vol. v. p. 111.

"Col. Wingfield Claypoole. Payments by warrant of Council of State, Nov. 12, 1650. For arrears of pay between 28th July and 4th November for Major Wallis' troop, on account £85 16s."—*Ibid.*, p. 248.

In the "American Magazine of History," vol. xxvii. p. 394, we find the following over Mr. Le Roy's signature:

"Release: James Claypoole, David Chambers & Edith Chambers to Samuel Faries' 'Between James Claypoole of the City of Philadelphia, Painter, & David Chambers of the said City Shopkeeper and Edith his wife (they the said James Claypoole & Edith Chambers being the residuary devisees of the last will and testament of their father Joseph Claypoole deceased by his will & testament) of the one part . . .'

"Whereas William Penn, the Proprietary of this Province having granted unto James Claypoole, the grandfather of the said James Claypoole, party hereto, and Edith Chambers, the quantity of five thousand acres of land to be located in this Province, did by his, the said Proprietaries Warrant of the 12th day of the 5th month 1684, cause to be surveyed unto the said James Claypoole the grandfather on the 30th day of the 7th Month in the same year, certain one thousand acres of land part thereof . . .'

"Thus Edith's grandfather was James Claypoole the emigrant (1683), and John was her great-uncle, and his wife Elizabeth Cromwell her great-aunt by marriage. My descent is through James Claypoole, the painter, a full brother to Edith.

"J. RUTGERS LE ROY.

"14 RUE CLEMENT-MAROT, PARIS, FRANCE."

THE CLAYPOOLES IN DIFFERENT STATES.

The following names and families are among those whose immediate connection has not been traced, and are here given as guides to others who may be at work upon the family history.

There seem to have been a number of the Claypoole name settled in Maryland and Virginia, whose descendants afterwards moved to the West, where many are still to be found.

There are also in Mount Holly, New Jersey, Claypooles known to be of the family, whose connection with those in this genealogy has never been definitely proved.

In a manuscript book in possession of the Historical Society of Pennsylvania is found the following:

"We have an old English family Bible . . . dated 1758 with dates and births of several of that name (Claypoole). One Joseph C., b. 1734, O. S. There are also births recorded by the name of Maddox."

Joseph Claypoole and Ann Woodhouse, *m.* Sept. 12, 1798.

William Woodhouse Claypoole, *b.* July 16, 1799.

George Claypoole, *b.* Apr. 23, 1801.

Hannah Claypoole, *b.* July 29, 1803. Resides Anaheim, Cal.

Rebecca Claypoole, *b.* Oct. 10, 1805. Resides Kansas.

Joseph Claypoole, *b.* July 9, 1810; *d.* Jan. 22, 1856.

Ann Claypoole, *b.* Dec. 31, 1812 (*d.* 1874?).

Harriet Matilda Claypoole, *b.* Dec. 29, 1816. Resides Cal.

{ Mary Claypoole, *b.* Nov. 29, 1820; *d.* —.

{ Jane Claypoole, *b.* Nov. 29, 1820. Resides Clayton, Indiana.

Elizabeth Claypoole, *b.* Mar. 16, 1822; *d.* in Cal.

James Claypool, *b.* 1701, of Rockingham Co., Va., moved to Lost River, now Hardy Co., W. Va.; *d.* Oct. 9, 1739. His wife was Jane.

Their children:

Jesse Claypool.

George Claypool.

Levi Claypool, son of George, above, *b.* May 9, 1801; *d.* April 19, 1874; *m.* Dec. 3, 1821, Mary Fravel, *b.* Mar. 7, 1801, *d.* Aug. 9, 1855; *m.* 2dly, Mary Ann, widow of Joseph Fravel, *b.* June 24, 1803, died March, 1885.

Children, all of first marriage :

Norton Fravel Claypool, *b.* July 1, 1822.
 Ellinda Claypool, *b.* Nov. 6, 1824; *d.* Ap. 15, 1861.
 Felix W. Claypool, *b.* Nov. 7, 1826; *d.* Sept. 10, 1856.
 Jane Claypool, *b.* Feb. 20, 1829; *d.* Aug. 15, 1836.
 Catherine Claypool, *b.* May 11, 1831.
 Joseph Claypool, *b.* Dec. 22, 1833; *d.* Sept. 20, 1835.
 Mary Claypool, *b.* Oct. 2, 1836; *d.* Aug. 5, 1839.
 Harrison H. Claypool, *b.* Feb. 8, 1839.
 Louisa Claypool, *b.* Dec. 9, 1841.
 Jacob M. Claypool, *b.* Mar. 5, 1844.
 Cecilia F. Claypool, *b.* Aug. 27, 1846.
 Rebecca B. Claypool, *b.* July 11, 1849.

Norton Fravel Claypool, *b.* July 1, 1822; *m.* Nov. 19, 1850,
 Julia F. Lynn, *b.* Oct. 30, 1829, *d.* Sept. 21, 1867.

Children :

Ella M. Claypool, *b.* Aug. 22, 1851.
 Edward A. Claypool, *b.* Aug. 7, 1854.
 Levi Claypool, *b.* Jan. 29, 1857.
 William O. Claypool, *b.* Sept. 20, 1859; *d.* Aug. 3, 1888.
 Charles N. F. Claypool, *b.* Oct. 11, 1865.¹

Jacob Barton Claypoole, *b.* Ap. 2, 1839; *m.* May 18, 1862,
 Elizabeth Rogers Kirkbride, *b.* Ap. 22, 1840.

Children :

William Kirkbride Claypoole, *b.* Feb. 4, 1863; *m.* Katherine Wright.
 Jacob Barton Claypoole, Jr., *b.* Aug. 23, 1864.
 Francena R. Claypoole, *b.* July 31, 1866; *m.* Stacy Bowen Lippincott.
 Elizabeth Kirkbride Claypoole, *b.* Dec. 31, 1868; *m.* William Taylor.
 Marion Harland Claypoole, *b.* May 8, 1871.

William Kirkbride Claypoole, son of Jacob B. Claypoole and
 Elizabeth R. Kirkbride, *b.* Feb. 4, 1863; *m.* Sept. 25, 1884,
 Katherine Wright, *b.* Jan. 2, 1862.

Children :

Ann Elizabeth Claypoole.
 William Stackhouse Claypoole.
 Marion Harland Claypoole.

¹ Supplied by Edward A. Claypool, of Nashport, Ohio, and Mrs.
 Elizabeth Claypoole Earl, of Indiana.

Francena R. Claypoole, dau. of Jacob B. Claypoole and Elizabeth R. Kirkbride, b. July 31, 1866; m. Mar. 18, 1890, Stacy B. Lippincott.

Child:

Stacy Orland Claypoole.

Elizabeth Kirkbride Claypoole, dau. of Jacob B. Claypoole and Elizabeth R. Kirkbride, b. Dec. 31, 1868; m. Feb. 29, 1888, William Taylor, b. Nov. 1867.

Child:

Bessie Claypoole, b. Mar. 16, 1890.¹

RECORDS.

Christ Church.

Comfort, dau. of Jeremiah and Sarah Clapole, May 31, 1713.

Mary, dau. John and Hannah Claypole, Mar. 12, 1732.

Josiah Claypoole, m. Feb. 13, 1738, Sarah Jackson.

Rebecca, dau. Josiah and Sarah, b. 1738.

Catherine Claypole, m. William Fagan, Nov. 6, 1783.

Hannah Claypole, m. Ephraim Clarke, Dec. 20, 1792.

Helen Claypole, m. Nathan Baker, Apr. 27, 1805.

James Claypoole, m. Lucia Garwood, Mar. 8, 1763.

Rebecca Claypoole, m. Joshua Maddox, Apr. 9, 1801.

Swedes' Church.

Catherine Claypool, m. James Pratt, Feb. 8, 1791.

Thomas Claypold, m. Jeane Ruth, Oct. 10, 1765.

St. Paul's Church.

George Claypoole, m. Catherine Dowers, Sept. 11, 1770.

David Claypoole, m. Margaret Britton, Oct. 8, 1791.

Ann Claypoole, m. Jacob Clark, Oct. 6, 1793.

Hester Claypoole, m. Joseph Allen, Dec. 16, 1789.

Friends' Records.

James Claypoole, m. Rachel Shenton, 5, 29, 1737.

Mary Claypoole, d. 6, 22, 1735.

James Claypoole, d. 6, 12, 1742.

¹ Supplied by Jacob B. Claypoole, of Mount Holly, N.J.

David Claypoole, d. 1785, aged 93.

Mary Claypoole, dau. of James, July 19, 1746.

Among Revolutionary records are the following:

Samuel Claypoole, ensign, 1779, Col. Hand's Regt.

William Claypoole, substitute, Col. Jonathan Bayard Smith's Regt.

John Claypoole, 2d lieut., 1777, Col. Johu Eyre's Regt.

Chamber Claypoole, ensign, Col. Delaney's Regt.

William Claypoole, private, Capt. Chas. Syng's Co., 2d Regiment Foot.

James Claypoole, private.

1. Thomas Claypole was born in 1772, at or near Spalding, England. He was brought up in the Church of England, but dissented and joined the Baptists. In 1806 he moved from Houghton-Regis, in Bedfordshire, and was later settled in Taunton, Somersetshire. His children were:

2. Edward Angel Claypole, *b.* Mar. 25, 1804; *d.* 1881; *m.* 1834, Elizabeth Mary Blunt.
3. Alfred Claypole, *b.* 1806-7; *d.* 1873; *m.* 1841, Emma Bryant.
4. Josiah Claypole, *d. s. p.* 8 or 10 years ago; *m.* —.
5. Selina Claypole, *d.* 1867.
6. Thomas Claypole, *d.* aged 21.

Edward Angel Claypole² was also a Baptist minister. He studied for his profession at Edinburgh and Bristol, between 1822 and 1826. He settled at Ross, Herefordshire, in 1828, and married in 1834. His children were all born at Ross. He died in 1881 at Weston-super-Mare, in Somersetshire, to which place he had removed in 1872.

Children:

7. Edward Waller Claypole, *b.* 1835; *m.* Jane Trotter.
8. Alfred Hughes Claypole, *b.* 1836; *m.* Annie Phillips.
9. Henry Thomas Claypole, *b.* 1838; *m.* 1891, Louise —.
10. Anna Elizabeth Claypole, *b.* 1842; *d.* 1858.
11. Mary Elizabeth Claypole, *b.* 1844; *m.* 1890, Leslie Batten Trotter, M.D.
12. Ernest Brown Claypole, *b.* 1846; *d.* 1878.

Alfred Claypole* married Emma Bryant and lived in Bristol, England.

Children :

13. Emma Mary Claypole, *d.* 1877-78; *m.* Oliver Ransford.
14. Alfred Claypole went to Cape of Good Hope, married and lives there.
15. Louisa Claypole, *m.* Charles Warren, of Bristol, Eng., and still lives there.
16. Oliver Claypole, *d.* unm. at Topeka, Kansas.
17. Clara Claypole, *m.* —.

Edward Waller Claypole,⁷ *b.* June 1, 1835; *m.* 1st, 1865, Jane Trotter, of Coleford, Gloucestershire, England, who *d.* 1870; *m.* 2dly, Kate Benedictæ Trotter, of Montreal, Canada. He received his education in England, taking his degrees at the University of London in 1862 and 1864, and came to America in 1872. From 1873 to 1881 he was Professor of Natural Sciences in Antioch College, Yellow Springs, Ohio; in 1881-83, paleontologist with the Geological Survey of Pennsylvania; and in 1883 appointed to fill the chair of Professor of Natural History in Buchtel College, Akron, Ohio. Prof. Claypole is a Fellow of the Geological Society of London and of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, and has published numerous papers on geological subjects in technical journals.¹

Children, all of first marriage:

18. Arthur Edward Claypole, *b.* Dec. 21, 1866; *d.* May 30, 1874.
19. { Edith Jane Claypole, *b.* Jan. 1, 1870.
20. { Agnes Mary Claypole, *b.* Jan. 1, 1870.

Alfred Hughes Claypole,* *b.* 1836; *m.* 1871, Annie Phillips, and is now living in Yorktown, Farnborough, England.

Children :

21. Edward Ernest Blunt Claypole, *b.* 1873.
22. Kathleen Frances Claypole, *b.* 1876.
23. Henry Miles Claypole, *b.* 1878.

Miss Edith J. Claypole,⁸ of Akron, Ohio, to whom we are indebted for most of the above data, and who is a post-graduate student in physiology and zoology, was unanimously elected to membership in the Sigma Xi Society of Cornell University, at

¹ Appletons' Cyclopædia of American Biography.

its recent annual election. This is an honorary society which chooses its members for their distinguished records in scientific studies, and election to membership is considered a high honor among the students and instructors of the university. The corresponding literary society includes many women, but as yet the number in the scientific Sigma Xi is small. Miss Claypole has the honor to represent the department of vertebrate zoology in the society.

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GENEALOGY
OF THE
CLAYPOOLE FAMILY
OF
PHILADELPHIA

APPENDIX II.

PHILADELPHIA

1894

PREFACE.

SINCE printing my genealogy of the Claypooles a year ago, several members of the family have sent me additional data, which I have concluded to print in order to preserve it in a form that will be convenient for insertion in the volume.

Some further notes with regard to earlier Claypoole ancestry will be found in these pages, and when possible new names have been so numbered as to connect them with their direct antecedents in the book. When mention of any page is made it always refers to "The Genealogy of the Claypoole Family."

R. I. V. G.

PHILADELPHIA, July, 1894.

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44. NATHANIEL CLAYPOOLE⁶ (James,⁵ etc.), b. 8, 4, 1672, at Scots Yard, London.

"In May 1714 brother Nathaniel Claypoole and his wife Elizabeth came up to Philadelphia to settle here with all his children. . . .

"26th day, 8th month 1714, Sister Elizabeth Claypoole, wife of Brother Nathaniel Claypoole, departed this life ye third day of the week about ye 8th hour at night, and was buried in ye old graveyard ye 2nd¹ day of October 1714.

"29th day of 8th month 1714, Brother Nathaniel Claypoole departed this life about ye 8th hour on ye 6th day of ye week, and was buried in ye old graveyard on ye 30th day of October 1714."

Their children were born in Saint Mary's County, Md.

Children :

57. James Claypoole, b. April 14, 1704; m. Mary Hood.

58. Nathaniel Claypoole, b. July 22, 1708.

59. William Claypoole, b. Oct. 12, 1710; d.——; m. Elizabeth Hall.

60. Martha Claypoole, b. Oct. 30, 1713.

57. JAMES CLAYPOOLE⁷ (Nathaniel,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. April 14, 1704, "between five and six in the evening, being Good Friday, and was baptized in Saint Mary's Church in Maryland, by Joseph Holt on ye 18th day of June 1704."

James Claypoole was probably married three times. The first marriage (see p. 59) is recorded, 3, 19, 1726, in the Friends' Records, Phila., to Mary, daughter of Thomas Hood. On 5, 29, 1737, the marriage of James Claypoole and Rachel Shenton is also recorded.

¹ Although there is an apparent discrepancy in these dates, they are copied as they appear upon the pages of an old family memorandum book.

In the old memorandum book from which the above quotations are made, in close connection with the names of the children of James and Mary, is the entry,—

“Nathaniel Claypoole, son of James and Rachel Claypoole, was born in Newtown, in Maryland, on the 14th day of September, being the 6th day of the week, at 12 o'clock.” The year is wanting.

It was probably this James Claypoole who was Judge of Kent County.

James Claypoole's will is dated Chestertown, Kent Co., Md., Dec. 24th, 1765. In it he mentions his wife, *Rebecca*; his children James, Mary Wilson and Ann Foreman, George, Rebecca and Elizabeth; the three younger children being under age. James Claypoole was made sole executor.

Children of first marriage, all born in Philadelphia:

1. Thomas Claypoole, *b.* May 7, 1727; *d.* 1738.
2. Ann Claypoole, *b.* May 3, 1729; *m.* — Foreman.
3. Mary Claypoole, *b.* 6, 19, 1730; *m.* — Wilson.
4. James Claypoole, *b.* Dec. 17, 1733; *m.* Mary Kemp.

Child of second marriage:

5. Nathaniel Claypoole, *b.* Sept. 14, —; (probably *d. y.*).

Children of third marriage:

6. George Claypoole.
 7. Rebecca Claypoole.
 8. Elizabeth Claypoole.
- } One of these daughters *m.* — Yardsley
and had a son James Yardsley, named
in his uncle James Claypoole's will.

4. JAMES CLAYPOOLE⁸ (James,⁷ Nathaniel,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* in Philadelphia, Dec. 17, 1733; *d.* 1795; married, 1769, Mary Kemp. In his will, proved July 14, 1795, he describes himself as “James Claypoole, of Chester Town, Kent County, and State of Maryland, Tanner and Currier.”

Children:

9. James Claypoole, *b.* May 3, 1770; *d.* Nov. 11, 1826; *m.* Elizabeth Morrison.
10. Mary Ann Claypoole, *m.* James Hodges.

9. JAMES CLAYPOOLE⁹ (James,⁸ James,⁷ Nathaniel,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. in Chestertown, Kent Co., Md., May 3, 1770; d. there Nov. 11, 1826; married Nov. 5, 1795, in Chestertown, Elizabeth Morrison. Elizabeth died July 31, 1846. James Claypoole was commissioned Collector of the Port of Chester, Kent Co., Md., Dec. 10, 1818.

Children:

11. James Claypoole, b. Jan. 9, 1797; d. Jan. 4, 1854; m. Hannah Labaugh.
12. Mary Ann Claypoole, b. Aug. 30, 1799; d. Aug. 21, 1824; m. Daniel Collins.
13. John Claypoole, b. Jan. 28, 1802; d. Aug. 23, 1802.
14. John Claypoole, b. June 23, 1803; d. Aug. 13, 1883; m. Martha Ann Browne.
15. George Anderson Claypoole, b. Jan. 16, 1806; d. Sept. 10, 1806.
16. George Anderson Claypoole, b. Oct. 1, 1807; d. June 11, 1811.
17. Septimus Claypoole, b. June 4, 1810; d. Aug. 6, 1865; m. Sarah Carnighan.
18. William Claypoole, b. June 4, 1813; d. May 18, 1866.

11. JAMES CLAYPOOLE¹⁰ (James,⁹ James,⁸ James,⁷ Nathaniel,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. Jan. 9, 1797, in Chestertown, Md.; d. Jan. 4, 1854, in Baltimore, Md.; married in New York City, Dec. 31, 1829, Hannah Labaugh. She died July 9, 1890.

Children:

19. Josephine Claypoole, b. Apr. 27, 1831; d. July 29, 1892.
20. James Claypoole, b. 1836; d. July 11, 1892.
21. Lucy Claypoole, b. Feb., 1840; m. April, 1869, George W. Hughes.

12. MARY ANN CLAYPOOLE¹⁰ (James,⁹ James,⁸ James,⁷ Nathaniel,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. Aug. 30, 1799, in Chestertown; d. Aug. 21, 1824; married, Jan. 6, 1818, Daniel Collins, of Chestertown.

Children:

22. Elizabeth Collins, b. Sept. 1, 1818; m. Edward B. Harris.
23. Margaret Kemp Collins, b. Sept. 18, 1821; m. Rev. Dr. Sutherland.
24. Mary Ann Collins, b. Aug. 12, 1824; m. 1st, Frank Kirby; 2d, Morgan Browne.

14. JOHN CLAYPOOLE¹⁰ (James,⁹ James,⁸ James,⁷ Nathaniel,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. June 23, 1803, in Chestertown; d. Aug. 13, 1883, in Baltimore; married, Nov. 25, 1828, Martha Ann Browne, in Kent County, Md. She died Jan. 26, 1876.

Children :

- 25. Edward Browne Claypoole, *b.* Aug. 30, 1829; *d.* Dec. 14, 1857.
- 26. Julia Ann Claypoole, *b.* Dec. 23, 1830; *d.* Dec. 27, 1832.
- 26½. Elizabeth Ann Claypoole, *b.* Sept. 24, 1832; *d.* Aug. 3, 1853.
- 27. James Yeardsley Claypoole, *b.* Jan. 13, 1839; *m.* Ellen G. McCormick.
- 28. Julia Ann Claypoole, *b.* Jan. 27, 1841; *m.* Isaac Freeman Rasin.
- 29. Mary Louisa Claypoole, *b.* Jan. 23, 1843; *d.* Oct. 7, 1867; *m.* James Alfred Merritt.

17. SEPTIMUS CLAYPOOLE¹⁰ (James,⁹ James,⁸ James,⁷ Nathaniel,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. June 4, 1810, in Chestertown; d. Aug. 6, 1865, in Baltimore; married, June 5, 1832, in Baltimore, Sarah Carnighan. She died April 14, 1860.

Children :

- 30. George W. Claypoole, *b.* Mar. 23, 1833; *d.* May 6, 1890.
- 31. Catharine Carnighan Claypoole, *b.* Apr. 25, 1835; *m.* 1st, Charles W. Bangs; 2d, Henry Frowl.
- 32. Elizabeth Claypoole, *b.* Jan. 25, 1837.

22. ELIZABETH COLLINS¹¹ (Mary Ann,¹⁰ James,⁹ James,⁸ James,⁷ Nathaniel,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. Sept. 1, 1818; married, Feb. 14, 1840, Edward B. Harris.

Children :

- 33. Rosabel Harris, *b.* Oct. 24, 1846.
- 34. William H. Harris, *b.* 1852.

23. MARGARET KEMP COLLINS¹¹ (Mary Ann,¹⁰ James,⁹ James,⁸ James,⁷ Nathaniel,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. Sept. 18, 1821; married, in 1841, the Rev. Dr. Sutherland.

Children :

- 35. Mary Sutherland.
- 36. Clarence Sutherland.
- 37. Hilda Sutherland.
- 38. Alice Sutherland.
- 39. Margaret Sutherland.
- 40. Bruce Sutherland.

24. MARY ANN COLLINS¹¹ (Mary Ann,¹⁰ James,⁹ James,⁸ James,⁷ Nathaniel,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. Aug. 12, 1824; married, 1st, Dec. 14, 1849, Frank Kirby; 2dly, April 8, 1856, Morgan Browne.

Child of 1st marriage:

41. William Collins Kirby.

Children of 2d marriage:

42. Edward Browne, b. 1857.

43. Elizabeth Browne, b. Aug. 1859.

44. Julia B. Browne, b. Mar. 1862.

27. JAMES YEARDSLEY CLAYPOOLE¹¹ (John,¹⁰ James,⁹ James,⁸ James,⁷ Nathaniel,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. Jan. 13, 1839; m. Sept. 13, 1864, Ellen G. McCormick. She died in Bagdad, Mexico, April 21, 1865. He married, 2dly, Nov. 18, 1873, Mary H. Green, of Baltimore.

Children:

45. Robert Garland Claypoole, b. Mar. 31, 1875.

46. James Yeardsley Claypoole, b. June 4, 1876.

47. Genevieve Claypoole, b. Nov. 10, 1879.

48. Martha Ann Claypoole, b. Oct. 13, 1881.

49. Edward Browne Claypoole, b. Dec. 20, 1883.

28. JULIA ANN CLAYPOOLE¹¹ (John,¹⁰ James,⁹ James,⁸ James,⁷ Nathaniel,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. Jan. 27, 1841; married March 4, 1862, in Baltimore, Isaac Freeman Rasin.

Children:

50. Martha Annie Rasin, b. Mar. 8, 1863; d. Sept. 28, 1865.

51. Genevieve Ringgold Rasin, b. Apr. 17, 1865; d. Mar. 27, 1877.

52. Howard Claypoole Rasin, b. July 24, 1866; d. Nov. 12, 1868.

53. John Freeman Rasin, b. Oct. 28, 1869.

54. Morris Claypoole Rasin, b. Feb. 11, 1872; d. Aug. 22, 1880.

55. Gertrude Browne Rasin, b. Mar. 22, 1876.

56. Julia Angela Rasin, b. Sept. 18, 1877.

57. Helen Ringgold Rasin, b. Aug. 17, 1879.

58. Carroll Wilson Rasin, b. June 4, 1881.

59. Alice Regina Rasin, b. July 5, 1883.

29. MARY LOUISA CLAYPOOLE¹¹ (John,¹⁰ James,⁹ James,⁸ James,⁷ Nathaniel,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. Jan. 23, 1843; d. Oct. 7, 1867; married, Jan. 17, 1866, James Alfred Merritt.

Child :

60. Julia Alberta Merritt, *b.* 1866.

31. CATHERINE CARRIGHAN CLAYPOOLE¹¹ (Septimus,¹⁰ James,⁹ James,⁸ James,⁷ Nathaniel,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* Apr. 25, 1835 ; married, 1st, Oct. 4, 1853, Charles W. Bangs ; 2dly, Sept. 1, 1863, Henry Frost.

Of 1st marriage :

61. Child *b.* July 18, 1864 ; *d.* Oct. 3, 1868.

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117. JOSEPH CLAYPOOLE⁸ (George,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* July, 1734 ; *d.* May 21, 1809 ; *m.* Oct. 13, 1756, at Christ Church, Philadelphia, Mary Wilkinson. The baptisms of the three older children are recorded at Christ Church.

Children :

1. Sarah Claypoole, *b.* July 12, 1757 ; *d.* June, 1787 ; *m.* James Withey.
2. Hannah Claypoole, *b.* Sept. 5, 1758 ; *d.* 1793 ; *m.* Ephraim Clark.
3. Mary Morris Claypoole, *b.* June 14, 1760 ; *d. unm.*
4. Deborah Claypoole, *b.* Dec. 1, 1762 ; *d. unm.*
5. Ann Claypoole, *b.* Oct. 1, 1764 ; *d.* Feb. 20, 1832 ; *m.* Jacob Clark.
6. Rebecca Claypoole, *b.* Jan. 18, 1769 ; *d.* — ; *m.* Joshua Maddox.
7. Joseph Claypoole, *b.* Aug. 14, 1770 ; *d.* 1834 ; *m.* Ann Woodhouse.
8. Elizabeth Claypoole, *b.* Nov. 11, 1772 ; *d. unm.*

5. ANN CLAYPOOLE⁹ (Joseph,⁸ George,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* Oct. 1, 1764 ; *d.* Feb. 20, 1832 ; married, 1793, Jacob Clark.

Children :

9. Jacob Clark, *b.* 1794 ; *d.* Feb. 1, 1819 ; *unm.*
10. Joseph Claypoole Clark, *b.* Mar. 12, 1796 ; *d.* Mar. 26, 1881 ; *m.* Elizabeth Coppuck.
11. Edmund Clark, *b.* Nov. 4, 1797 ; *d.* 1824 ; *unm.*
12. Samuel Clark, *b.* Aug. 14, 1799 ; *d.* Aug. 29, 1799.
13. Mary Ann Clark, *b.* Dec. 6, 1800 ; *d.* June 6, 1842 ; *unm.*
14. Matilda Clark, *b.* Nov. 16, 1802 ; *d. unm.*
15. George Clark, *b.* Apr. 28, 1805 ; *d.* June 18, 1858 ; *unm.*

7. JOSEPH ('CLAYPOOLE' (Joseph,^s George,^s Joseph,^s James,^s etc.), b. Aug. 14, 1770; d. 1834; married, Sept. 12, 1798, Ann Woodhouse.

Children :

16. William W. Claypoole, *b.* July 16, 1799; *d.* —; *m.* —.
17. Georgio Claypoole, *b.* Apr. 23, 1801; *d.* 1840 (?)
18. Hannah Claypoole, *b.* July 20, 1803; *d.* 1887; *m.* Ephraim Fithlam.
19. Rebecca Claypoole, *b.* Oct. 10, 1805; *d.* 1886; (?) *m.* Joseph Richardson.
20. Joseph Claypoole, *b.* July 9, 1810; *d.* Jan. 22, 1856; *m.* Mary Sexton.
21. Ann Claypoole, *b.* Dec. 31, 1812; *d.* 1875; *m.* R. K. Sexton.
22. Harriet M. Claypoole, *b.* Dec. 29, 1816; *m.* Daniel W. Fish.
23. { Mary Claypoole, *b.* Nov. 29, 1820; *d.* 1841.
24. { Julia Claypoole, *b.* Nov. 29, 1820.
25. Elizabeth Claypoole, *b.* Mar. 16, 1822; *d.* 1857.

10. JOSEPH CLAYPOOLE CLARK¹⁰ (Ann,^s Joseph,^s George,^s Joseph,^s James,^s etc.), b. Mar. 12, 1796; d. Mar. 26, 1881; m. Dec. 27, 1820, Elizabeth Coppuck.

Children :

26. Nancy Clark, *b.* Sept. 28, 1821; *m.* Samuel K. Killé.
27. Jacob Clark, *b.* Jan. 17, 1823; *m.* E. Louise Killé.
28. James Coppuck Clark, *b.* Aug. 4, 1824; *d.* Oct. 1891; *m.* R. A. Chapman.
29. Joseph Claypoole Clark, *b.* Nov. 28, 1825; *m.* Mary E. Godell.
30. Edmund Clark, *b.* Apr. 30, 1827; *m.* Cornelia Cornwell.
31. Henry Knight Clark, *b.* Jan. 29, 1829; *m.* 1st, Albina Preston; 2d, Adelaide —.
32. Elizabeth Coppuck Clark, *b.* June 21, 1831; *d.* Mar. 1, 1833.
33. Benjamin George Clark, *b.* June 27, 1833; *m.* Maria Hyde.
34. Mary Jane Clark, *b.* Mar. 12, 1835; *m.* Rev. T. H. Cullen.

20. JOSEPH CLAYPOOLE¹⁰ (Joseph,^s Joseph,^s George,^s Joseph,^s James,^s etc.), b. July 9, 1810; d. Jan. 22, 1856; m. Mary Sexton.

Children :

35. Nancy Claypoole, *b.* Jan. 17, 1836; *m.* George Eustis.
36. Joseph Sexton Claypoole, *b.* Apr. 23, 1838.
37. Ezekiel Claypoole, *b.* May 16, 1841; *d.* 1884 (?) *unn.*
38. Mary Claypoole, *b.* June 25, 1846; *d.* 1872 (?) *unn.*

29. JOSEPH CLAYPOOLE CLARK¹¹ (Joseph C. Clark,¹⁰ Ann,⁹ Joseph,⁸ George,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. Nov. 28, 1825; m. Nov. 8, 1852, Mary E. Godell. He graduated at the Military Academy, West Point, June, 1848, and was appointed 2d Lieut. U. S. Artillery; promoted 1st Lieut. Dec. 11, 1850, and Captain May 11, 1861. He was actively engaged in the Rebellion as Captain of Light Battery "E," 4th U. S. Artillery; and Chief of Artillery, Reno's Division, 9th Army Corps. He took an active part in the battles,—1st Winchester, Port Republic, 2d Bull Run, Kettle Run, Chantilly, South Mountain, and Antietam. He was severely wounded in the latter battle and completely disabled from further active service during the Rebellion. For gallant and meritorious services in the Shenandoah Valley and at Antietam he was brevetted major, lieut.-colonel, and colonel, and has been on the retired army list as major and brevet colonel since July, 1866.

Mary E. Godell was granddaughter of Daniel Haguénin, a Huguenot, who escaped with great difficulty from France during the persecution, and settled in Oswego, New York. She was also a descendant of Wealthy Howe, a niece of Lord Howe of Revolutionary memory, who married John Godell, grandfather of Mary Godell Claypoole.

Children :

39. W. Godell Clark, b. Aug. 28, 1853; m. Mary E. Wiltbank.

40. Josephine Killé Clark, b. May 5, 1857; m. Charles E. Kingston.

41. Louis Pelouze Clark, b. April 30, 1870.

35. NANCY CLAYPOOLE¹¹ (Joseph,¹⁰ Joseph,⁹ Joseph,⁸ George,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. Jan. 17, 1836; m. George Eustis.

Children :

42. George Dexter Eustis, b. July 16, 1871.

43. Jesse Baldwin Eustis, b. July 29, 1873.

44. Archibald K. Eustis, b. Nov. 12, 1874; d. Jan. 16, 1883.

45. Harold Claypoole Eustis, b. Apr. 25, 1878.

39. W. GODELL CLARK¹² (Joseph C. Clark,¹¹ Joseph C. Clark,¹⁰ Ann,⁹ Joseph,⁸ George,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. Aug. 28, 1853; m. July 23, 1879, Mary E. Wiltbank.

Children :

46. Roland Godell Clark, *b.* Dec. 23, 1880; *d.* Aug. 6, 1881.

47. Marion Wiltbank Clark, *b.* June 21, 1882.

40. JOSEPHINE KILLÉ CLARK¹⁰ (Joseph C. Clark,¹¹ Joseph C. Clark,¹⁰ Ann,⁹ Joseph,⁸ George,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* May 5, 1857; *m.* June 30, 1880, Charles E. Kingston.

Children :

48. C. Elliott Kingston, *b.* Apr. 10, 1881.

49. Mary Clark Kingston, *b.* Aug. 18, 1883.

50. Josephine Louise Kingston, *b.* May 15, 1888.

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295. ROBERT HOBART SMITH¹⁰ (Rebecca Hobart,⁹ Hannah Pratt,⁸ Rebecca,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* Apr. 23, 1792; *d.* Aug. 10, 1858; married Sept. 23, 1813, Mary Potts, *b.* Dec. 7, 1792; *d.* Feb. 11, 1878.

Children :

1. Rebecca Smith, *b.* July 18, 1814; *d.* Oct. 8, 1889; *unm.*

2. Robert Smith, *b.* July 4, 1816; *d.* Aug. 18, 1876; *unm.*

3. Joseph Potts Smith, *b.* June 5, 1818; *d.* Mar. 23, 1888; *unm.*

4. William Alexander Smith, *b.* Sept. 9, 1820; *m.* 1st, Clara Mary Bull; 2d, Margaret Jones.

5. Alfred Smith, *b.* Oct. 31, 1822; *d.* 1877; *m.* 1st, Mary Amelia Butler; 2d, Louisa C. Woodbridge.

6. Sarah Potts Smith, *b.* Sept. 29, 1824; *d.* Mar. 24, 1891; *unm.*

7. Hobart Smith, *b.* Oct. 4, 1826; *d.* Nov. 1862; *unm.*

8. Edmund Smith, *b.* Apr. 5, 1829; *m.* Arabella Barnes.

9. Corrin Smith, *b.* Sept. 19, 1831; *d.* May 5, 1883; *m.* Mary Elizabeth Garrett.

4. WILLIAM ALEXANDER SMITH¹¹ (Robert H. Smith,¹⁰ Rebecca Hobart,⁹ Hannah Pratt,⁸ Rebecca,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* Sept. 9, 1820; married May 3, 1847, Clara Mary Bull, dau. of Rev. Levi Bull, D.D. She died in New York, 1857. He married 2dly, Feb. 3, 1863, Margaret Jones, dau. of George and Serena (Mason) Jones.

Children of 1st marriage :

10. Robert Hobart Smith, *b.* Feb. 22, 1848; *m.* Dinah W. Dunn.
11. Levi Bull Smith, *b.* June 10, 1850; *d.* Jan. 22, 1855.
12. Clara Hunter Smith, *b.* Dec. 25, 1852; *m.* Oct. 20, 1881, Rev. Langdon C. Stewardson.
13. Mary Potts Smith, *b.* Mar. 27, 1855; *d.* Apr. 12, 1856.

Child of 2d marriage :

14. William Alexander Smith, *b.* July 20, 1873.

5. ALFRED SMITH¹¹ (Robert H. Smith,¹⁰ Rebecca Hobart,⁹ Hannah Pratt,⁸ Rebecca,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* Oct. 31, 1822; *d.* 1877; married July 10, 1851, Mary Amelia Butler, dau. of Walter and Maria Butler. She *d.* Sept. 7, 1859. He married 2dly, Louisa C. Woodbridge, dau. of Rev. John Woodbridge.

Child of 2d marriage :

15. Alfred Woodbridge Smith, *b.* July 3, 1870.

8. EDMUND SMITH¹¹ (Robert H. Smith,¹⁰ Rebecca Hobart,⁹ Hannah Pratt,⁸ Rebecca,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* Apr. 5, 1829; married Dec. 9, 1851, Arabella Barnes, dau. of Henry and Marilla (Weldon) Barnes.

Children :

16. Robert Hobart Smith, *b.* Oct. 29, 1852; *m.* Mary Burr (Shull) Rogers.
17. Helen Griffiths Smith, *b.* Oct. 9, 1854; *d.* July 31, 1869.
18. Alice Weldon Smith, *b.* Dec. 10, 1857.
19. Mary Belle Smith, *b.* Apr. 15, 1866; *m.* William McCawley.

10. ROBERT HOBART SMITH¹² (Wm. Alexander Smith,¹¹ Robert H. Smith,¹⁰ Rebecca Hobart,⁹ Hannah Pratt,⁸ Rebecca,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), *b.* Feb. 22, 1848; married July 3, 1873, Dinah Watson Dunn, dau. of Josias Dunn, of Airfield, County Dublin, Ireland.

Child :

20. Robert Hobart Smith, *b.* Mar. 30, 1876.

16. ROBERT HOBART SMITH¹² (Edmund Smith,¹¹ Robert H. Smith,¹⁰ Rebecca Hobart,⁹ Hannah Pratt,⁸ Rebecca,⁷ Joseph,⁶

James,⁸ etc.), b. Oct. 29, 1852; married Jan. 9, 1889, Mary Burr (Shull) Rogers.

Child:

21. Edmund Smith, b. Apr. 17, 1891.

19. MARY BELLE SMITH¹¹ (Edmund Smith,¹¹ Robert H. Smith,¹⁰ Rebecca Hobart,⁹ Hannah Pratt,⁸ Rebecca,⁷ Joseph,⁶ James,⁵ etc.), b. Apr. 15, 1866; married May 23, 1889, William M. McCawley.

Children:

22. Edmund Smith McCawley, b. Mar. 22, 1890.

23. Elizabeth Colegate McCawley, b. Feb. 25, 1891.

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75. Joseph Claypoole, b. Oct. 24, 1709; m. July 30, 1730, Ann Griffiths or Griffiths. The baptisms of their children are recorded at Trinity Church, Oxford, Phila. They were all, excepting the last, baptized the same day, Aug. 25, 1746. The ages are given as follows:

John Claypoole, 12 yrs., 7 days.

Edith Claypoole, 9 yrs., 11 mos.

Margaret Claypoole, 7 yrs.

Alice Claypoole, 5 yrs., 6 mos.

James Claypoole, 2 yrs., 3 mos.

Mary Claypoole, 4 weeks.

Mary Claypoole, 6 weeks, bap. Aug. 11, 1748.

