

GENEALOGY
OF THE
FULTON FAMILY

BEING DESCENDANTS OF
JOHN FULTON,
BORN IN SCOTLAND 1713. EMIGRATED TO AMERICA IN 1753.
SETTLED IN NOTTINGHAM TOWNSHIP, CHESTER
COUNTY, PENNA., 1762.

WITH A RECORD OF THE KNOWN DESCENDANTS OF
HUGH RAMSEY, OF NOTTINGHAM,
AND
JOSEPH MILLER, OF LANCASTER COUNTY, PA.

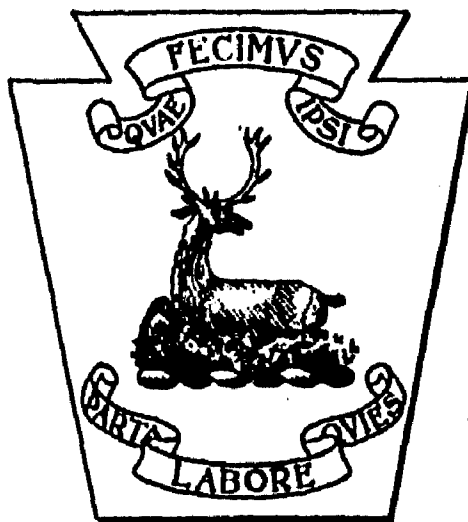
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TO THE DESCENDANTS OF
JOHN FULTON.**



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PREFATORY.

Justice Sharswood in his memoir of Sir William Blackstone says :

“ A sad and dreary thought would it be to a man, that of dying unwept by any one, unhonored by any survivor, and entirely forgotten as soon as removed from sight. If not an actor upon the more prominent theatre of the world's history, within some narrower circle of society, his neighborhood, his friends, his family, or at least his descendants, every one looks anxiously forward, in the hope that his memory will be respectfully cherished, his faults and foibles overlooked and excused, his virtues adorned in their fairest and loveliest colours.”

Macaulay, the great English historian, says : “ They who take no pride in the deeds of a remote ancestry, will hardly be likely to accomplish anything worthy to be remembered by a remote posterity.”

The Fulton family crest reproduced from Fairbairnes' Book of Crests, of Great Britain and Ireland, with the legend “ Things which we ourselves have done,” and the motto “ Rest is attained by labour,” cut on the Pennsylvania Keystone, is not used by the compiler of this little book with any spirit of boastfulness, for in our opinion, the Fultons have had to earn almost all they have ever had. They have, by Divine Providence, been blessed with the capacity for work, and, therefore, in this day and generation, as it seems must have been the case with our ancestors in the days gone by, we recognize the law, that rest comes only after labor, and now

even as then, we must do something in order that we may amount to anything.

We have, therefore, industriously gathered this list of names, and the biographical sketches of our people, that we may know, as we should know, who we are, where we are from, and what our people have been doing in the years that are past.

HUGH R. FULTON.

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CHAPTER I.

HISTORY OF THE FULTON FAMILY.

EVERY family has a history, every family has worthy and honored members who have been useful and respected and give occasion for a certain family pride, which, if not over-estimated, or held to in a spirit of boastfulness or haughtiness, is generally considered laudable.

The descendants of John Fulton have a family history which, although not voluminous or of dazzling brilliancy, is one which we need have no desire to suppress.

JOHN FULTON, our ancestor farthest back in reliable traditional history, was born in Lanarkshire, Scotland, in 1713. In 1743 he married a lady whose first name was Eleanore, but whose last name the writer has not learned.

Three children were born to them in Lanarkshire, Scotland: Mary in 1745, Elizabeth in 1748, and James on February 2, 1751.

When James, their son, was two years old, or in the year 1753, John Fulton and his wife Eleanore

gathered their little family, Mary eight years old, Elizabeth five years old, and James two years, and with their baggage set sail for a new home in America.

Grandfather James Fulton wrote a chapter of family history in 1832, in which he stated that he was born in Scotland on February 2, 1751. The presumption therefore follows that his father was also a native of Scotland, and was of full Scotch blood, and emigrated from Scotland to America.

Mr. Watt, of the firm of Watt & Shand of Lancaster, who is a native of the vicinity of Glasgow, Scotland, tells me that in his native neighborhood there are many families by the name of Fulton, and that in County Ayr, which lies southwest of Glasgow, there are several of the name who are well to do and prosperous people.

I take it as being most probable that John Fulton and family came from Lanarkshire in Scotland and set sail from the seaport town of Glasgow, as that place lay near by on the west coast and would afford a quicker and cheaper trip to America.

Tradition has it that the little family landed at New Castle, Delaware, or Baltimore, for James wrote that he had lived in Maryland for seven

years, where his son John was born in 1755. Then in 1762 he moved to Chester County, Pa., where he had resided ever since.

In 1772 he purchased a tract of 260 acres of land from John Hawthorn for five and fifty pounds, or about \$275.00.

This land lay on the Big Elk Creek and the Oxford and New London Road, and included what are now the properties of Job Pugh, Peter Caldwell, or the old Charles McDonald farm, and the Henry Way place.

John must have been a good business man and a good manager, for he built the fulling mill, the paper mill, and several farm buildings, and left a good estate, which is the best evidence of his industry and frugality.

His will was dated February 6, 1796, and proven at West Chester, March 24, 1796.

His sons, James and John Fulton, were the executors.

He was one of the elders of the Oxford Associate Presbyterian Church, and was one of the signers of a petition sent by that congregation in 1754 to the Associate Synod of Edinburgh for a minister to supply their pulpit.

He gave a part of the ground where the Presbyterian Church of Oxford now stands, the ground having been contributed by John Fulton, Matthew Wilson and a Mr. Calvin.

In the Forty-fifth Anniversary or Memorial Sermon of Rev. Wm. Easton, pastor of the United Presbyterian Church of Octoraro, I find the following :

“ At my installation over the congregation of Oxford (then called East Nottingham) there were only nineteen members, and of these there were six who had not, at the Union, joined the Associate Reformed Church, namely : James Fulton, Rachel Fulton, John Hutchinson, Fulton Hutchinson, Elizabeth Hutchinson and Agnes Thompson. The other thirteen were a remnant of the Associate Reformed Church in Oxford, who refused to follow Mr. Dickey into the General Assembly Presbyterian Church.

“ These faithful servants of God have now all been called home. At my installation the congregation of Oxford met for worship in the paper mill of James Fulton, Esq.

“ It was at the house of this venerable man, I was informed that Reverend Messrs John Anderson

and Thomas Beveridge lodged together, while the Declaration and Testimony of the Associate Presbytery was by them jointly written and arranged."

Of the petitioners for a Pastor for the Associate Presbyterian Church of Oxford, Mr. Easton says:

"A majority of the people who thus petitioned were emigrants from Scotland and Ireland, intelligent and faithful men, firmly attached to the principles of the Reformation, and of whom an historian has truly testified 'that a more intelligent, virtuous and resolute class of men than these Scotch-Irish, never settled any country.

" 'They were manly, pious, honest, honorable, full of love for truth and freedom, and willing to peril all, even to martyrdom itself, for what they believed to be the right.' "

The family as we find it in 1796, at the decease of John Fulton, was as follows:

Mary Proudfit, wife of Rev. James Proudfit, of Salem or Perth, N. Y.

Elizabeth Hutchinson, wife of James Hutchinson, Esq., of East Nottingham (Elizabeth, however, died before her father).

James Fulton, who married Margaret Miller, daughter of Col. Joseph Miller, of Bartville, Lancaster County, on November 25, 1781.

John Fulton, Jr., who married Margaret Dickey, and after her decease, Esther Cooper.

Susanna Clarkson, wife of Reverend James Clarkson, Pastor of the Hopewell United Presbyterian Church, York County, and

Jane Wilson, wife of Matthew Wilson, of East Nottingham.

In 1776, James Fulton, the eldest son of John Fulton, born in Scotland on February 2, 1751, entered the Colonial Army.

He served three terms of service, the first two terms as Lieutenant, and the last as a Lieutenant acting as Captain of a Company.

First: On July 3, 1776, he was commissioned by John Morton, Speaker of the House of Representatives of Pennsylvania, as Lieutenant of Militia for two months' service, in the company commanded by Capt. Joseph Gardner, in the regiment of Col. Wm. Montgomery, Lieut. Col. Evan Evans, of Chester County, Pa.

The Regiment joined Gen. Washington in New Jersey, marched to Trenton, to Princeton, to New

Brunswick, and to Perth Amboy, thence to Woodbridge.

Second: Mustered December, 1776, as a Lieutenant, and was under Gen. Putnam about Philadelphia, Pa. Was on duty at Burlington and Crosswicks, and in the battle of Trenton, N. J., in the Battalion of Col. Evan Evans. Gen. Mifflin, of Penna., was in command of the Brigade at Trenton. Jos. Gardner was Captain of the Company. Andrew Boyd was First Lieutenant.

Third: Lieutenant acting as Captain of the Company. Mustered October 1, 1777, under Gen. Potter, served at Reading, and Philadelphia, although at first only First Lieutenant, he passed muster and received pay and rations as Captain under orders of the Secretary of War.

The Regimental officers were, Col. George Pierce, Maj. John Culbertson.

An incident has been related of grandfather's army experience, which is told for truth, and is worth repeating here.

That story is, that John Watt, a Mr. Ewing, and James Fulton, were fighting side by side in the same company in the battle of Trenton, when a ball took a button from Watt's coat, Ewing was

killed, and another ball went through Fulton's cap and through his hair.

This we regard as a pretty spicy revolutionary war story, but those who went through some of the battles of the Rebellion will readily admit its probable truth.

Grandfather was a good scholar, was a public-spirited citizen, and took some part in local and state politics.

He belonged to the party known in his time as the Republican party. In 1802 they called themselves Republican Democrats, but the prefix was finally dropped and those of their political faith are now the Democratic party.

He was elected to the Legislature of Pennsylvania in the fall of 1802, and took his seat as a member of that body, on Tuesday, December 7th of that year.

The Legislature at that time held its sessions in the old Court House, Penn Square, Lancaster.

The Chester county delegation to that session, as shown by the House Journal found in the State Library at Harrisburg, was James Fulton, Joseph Park, Edward Darlington, Thomas Taylor, and Methuselah Davis.

He was also reëlected by the people of his county by a strong vote to the succeeding sessions of 1803 and 1804, and again in 1804 and 1805.

In his services as a legislator, he was active and aggressive. He served on several important committees, as shown by the Journal, and performed his duties according to the present ideas of good statesmanship.

John Fulton, the second son, who was the first of the family born in this country, was married twice.

The first wife was Margaret Dickey, by whom he had three children, Elizabeth, married to David La fevre, John who died young, and Mary who married ——— Ecles and lived in Steubenville, O.

By his second wife, Esther Cooper, there was issue five children, as follows: (1) Thomas; (2) James C.; (3) Andrew; (4) Jamima; (5) Jefferson C.; (6) George Washington; (7) Eleanor R.; (8) Matthew Wilson.

The similarity of names, James, Jefferson, and Matthew Wilson, indicating a disposition to cling to family names, is a matter too often overlooked in finding names for children.

John, No. 5, sold out his interest in the Fulling Mill on Elk Creek, East Nottingham, to his brother

James on May 6, 1805, and moved to Pittsburg. He is said to have lived at New Brighton, Beaver County, Pa., and is reported to have prospered in business and left a large estate.

George W. Fulton, No. 198, or 28 A, was the youngest son living, and went into the business of manufacturing buttons, and thereby amassed a fortune, and died wealthy.

Andrew Fulton, No. 26, established the brass and bell foundry business in Pittsburg in 1832, which has proven itself a wonderful enterprise. In 1883, it is said, that the establishment had almost a monopoly of the business of furnishing bells for the western river steamboats, and for schools and churches.

In the year 1883 I met a Mr. Bailey, a member of a firm of barge builders in Pittsburg, who said to me that he was well acquainted with old Andy Fulton, as he was familiarly called, and that he had had a long and successful business experience, and that Andrew (Dick) Fulton, a son of Samuel Fulton, had been mayor of Pittsburg, that he was married, and had two daughters.

Thomas C. Fulton, No. 204, George Washington Fulton, No. 218, and Louis B. Fulton, No. 208,



THOS. C. FULTON, No. 204.

were engineers in the U. S. Navy during the Civil War. James B. Fulton, No. 203, was chief engineer of the U. S. gunboat Louisville, in the Civil War, and afterwards Chief Engineer Mound City Navy Yard.

Louis B. Fulton, No. 208, is the president of the Chaplin, Fulton Mfg. Co., Bell and Brass Founders, at 28 Penn Avenue, Pittsburg, who are successors to A. Fulton's Son & Co.

Matthew H. Fulton, No. 221, served in the army during the Civil War, in the 9th Pennsylvania Reserves, and was wounded in the battle of Gaines' Mill. He was taken prisoner when wounded at Savage Station, and was held for three months a prisoner of war in Richmond. He went to Bucyrus, Ohio, in 1866, where he has been postmaster and mayor. His son, James Edward, served in the war with Spain.

Elizabeth Fulton, No. 3, who came over from Scotland with her parents when only five years of age, and who married James Hutchison, Esq., of East Nottingham, was a member of the Oxford Associate Reformed and of the United Presbyterian Church. They had seven children :

1. Eleanore, No. 9, married to James Wilson, of York County, Pa.

2. Jane Hutchison, No. 10 (unmarried).
3. Elizabeth, No. 11 (unmarried).
4. James Hutchison, No. 12, married to Elizabeth Watt.
5. John Hutchison, No. 13 (unmarried).
6. David Hutchison, No. 14, married to Fannie Watt.
7. Fulton Hutchison, No. 15, married to Eleanor Fulton.

Jane Fulton, No. 6, married Matthew Wilson, of East Nottingham, who was the grandfather of R. Frank Wilson, Matthew and John Wilson.

We have little record of the families of Susan Fulton, No. 7, who married Rev. James Clarkson, or of Mary Fulton, No. 2, who married Rev. James Proudfit.

James Fulton's children were: (1) John Fulton, No. 16; (2) Rachel Fulton, No. 17; (3) Joseph Fulton, No. 18; (4) Eleanore M. Fulton, No. 19; (5) Miller Fulton, No. 20; and (6) James Jefferson Fulton, No. 21.

John never married, was well educated; was said to be fine looking, and fond of dress, but somewhat extravagant. His father built him a paper mill on Muddy Run, Chester County, three

miles above Oxford. The mill caught fire and burned down. Grandfather built him another, but the business and the rebuilding of mills, and the lack of sufficient insurance in those days, proved disastrous, and run his father into financial embarrassment in 1818.

John then went South to Georgia, was fortunate in getting good positions and large salaries.

While in the South he occasionally visited his relatives in Pennsylvania, and being a polished and genial gentleman, was always gladly received.

The writer remembers his last visit to father's house in East Nottingham in 1854. He was then about 70 years of age. Was tall and straight, though beginning to show age. Shortly after this visit he returned to Petersburg, Va., where, after a short illness, he died, about 1854.

Joseph Fulton, No. 18, who married Martha Watt, had no children. He owned the John A. Kerr farm and the McHenry Mill in East Nottingham. He sold the mill, however some years before he died, and left the farm with considerable personal property to his wife. He died December 27, 1844, 60 years of age.

Eleanore M. Fulton, No. 19, married Fulton

Hutchison, No. 15, and lived on the old farm at J. Hervy Hutchison's near Elk Dale. Their children were: (1) Margaret Hutchison; (2) Rachel Hutchison, married Rev. Ephraim Stevenson; (3) Eliza Hutchison, married to John Patterson; (4) James Banks Hutchison, of California; (5) John Reed Hutchison; (6) David Stevens Hutchison; (7) Mary F. Hutchison, married to Joseph Hutchison.

8. Fulton Ankrim Hutchison, a minister of the U. P. Church at Noblestown, Pa.

9. Ellen Hutchison.

10. Joseph Hutchison, deceased.

11. Wm. G. Hutchison, who married Ann Eliza Campbell, both deceased.

James Jefferson Fulton, No. 21, was born on the old James Fulton homestead on the Big Elk Creek on February 18, 1801. He received a common school education, and learned the trade of paper making. An old day-book shows that James J. and Miller Fulton were in partnership in running the fulling mill and paper mill on Big Elk from 1823 to 1827.

Immediately on the dissolution of this partnership, James J. found another partner and married

Nancy Ann Ramsey, a daughter of Hugh Ramsey, of East Nottingham.

He continued to manufacture paper at Elk mills, McCrery's mill, and Eshleman's mill in Lancaster county.

In 1831, 1832 and 1833, he and Samuel Bahill formed a copartnership and carried on the business of making wall paper by the old fashioned hand presses in the two-storied frame building which stood on the corner of East King and Duke Streets, Lancaster, where the Court House now stands.

They drew a length of paper into the press by hand; they rolled the colors on the form by hand; they pushed around a large lever by hand to press down the form on the paper; then it was thrown back and another length drawn through. It took hard work all day to run off a few hundred lengths of paper.

What would that good old man think, if he should step into one of our modern printing offices to-day, and see the Goss perfecting press doing practically the same kind of work and running off ten thousand pieces an hour, fold them, and hand them out to the boys?

He saw the first locomotive stand at the Lancaster station in 1835.

The Baldwin compound locomotive of to-day is as unlike the original engine now in the National Museum at Washington, as the old screw down or lever press is unlike a Goss perfecting press.

The Pennsylvania railroad was built only sixty-seven years ago. The development of manufacturing, printing, and public conveyance in that time has been wonderful.

The telegraph, telephone, and electric power have all been developed to great perfection within the last seventy years. I heard father say the first time he went to Pittsburg, which, I think, was about 1841, he had to go by packet boat on the canal for some distance. When John Fulton went west in 1805, Pittsburg and Beaver were on the frontier.

When father and mother lived in Lancaster, they were members of the Presbyterian church here.

In the pastor's book of the church we find this entry :

James J. Fulton admitted to membership September 30, 1831. Nancy Ann Fulton admitted to membership same date, both on certificate.

October 2, 1832, certificates of dismissal at their request, granted both.

In an old family Bible I find that Margaret Jane and Rachel Mariah, the only daughters, both died in Lancaster, the former on August 16, 1831, 10 months old, the latter on June 19, 1832, 4 years and 2 months old.

Father and mother, while living in Lancaster, occupied a two-story stone house on East King Street, some half a dozen doors east of the Leopard Hotel.

Mother has told the writer that the children were buried in the lower end of the old Presbyterian graveyard in Lancaster City.

On leaving the City they removed to Eshleman's, now David W. Jackson's, mill, on the west branch of the Octoraro, in Bart Township, at which place Dr. James Fulton was born, November 12, 1832.

In conclusion, we may, by way of a tribute of respect to our parents, as well as historical fact, remark that they did not in the least degree fall short of the standard of integrity and honor set up by our great-grandfather, John Fulton.

Father was a man of more than ordinary natural talent. His memory had an iron grasp. For him to read a book was to know its contents when he was through. As an historian, there were few in our section of the county who could equal him.

The history of America, the French and Indian War, the struggle of the colonies for freedom, the battles fought, the movements of the armies, and the meritorious conduct of the different officers appeared as familiar to him as if he had been on the ground and knew the facts personally. He enjoyed the discussion of, and sometimes grew severe in criticism, of national and local political affairs. He had a large and long square head, he wore a $7\frac{1}{2}$ hat, and was a man of remarkable nerve power. The blackest plug tobacco and the strongest coffee were suitable to his taste and nerves. He was cool and deliberate, and was a good penman. His day-books are to this day a model of neatness and accuracy. He was pushed forward by his neighbors at one time for the Legislature. He declined, however, to electioneer for the office. His opponent, Mark Hudson, canvassed the county in his eagerness to get the office, and secured the nomination by a majority of one vote.

He was a trustee and an elder of the West Nottingham Presbyterian Church for twenty-five years, and was always attentive and consistent in the performance of his duties.

Mother, however, has the credit of being the financial success of our family.

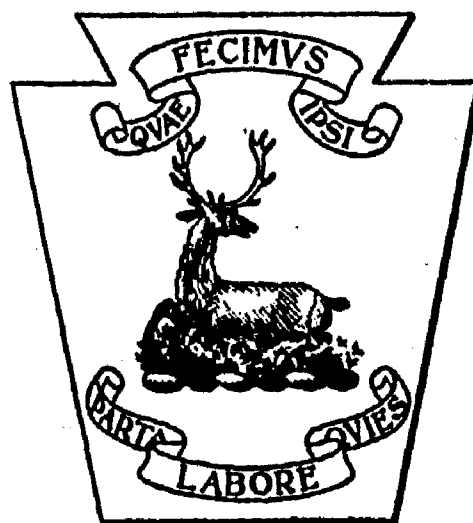
She was a good manager, and could gather up \$5 or \$10 worth of marketing when many a woman would fail to see anything, and she would make the proceeds buy the most useful things. She was the cashier of the family, and, although she never had a big bank account, there was always money to pay the pew rent and buy clothing and school books.

Mother was a politician. She was the bitterest opponent of human slavery I ever knew, and had many heated discussions about the time of the breaking out of the Rebellion with her lady acquaintances of pro-slavery and secession ideas on the border lands. (We lived within half a mile of Mason and Dixon's line.) The unreasonable conduct and bad language of a Catholic neighbor in Lancaster city while living there had the effect of making her a very zealous Protestant and skillful in debate on that subject.

She and father were both radical on all questions. They never allowed an opportunity to escape for stamping their condemnation of rum drinking and gambling. They were certainly

true Christians, and were respected by all who knew them.

The Scotch Fulton Crest, taken from Fairbarnes' book of Crests of Great Britain and Ireland, found in the State Library at Harrisburg, is authority for the conclusion that our ancestors in Scotland had considered the matter of Crest or Coat of Arms,



very carefully, and had adopted what seemed to them appropriate.

The Stag lodged on a mount regardant, resting, yet watchfully looking around, and with the legend, "Things which we ourselves have done," and the motto, "Rest is attained by labor," are very suggestive of laborious watchful industry,

and of safe escape from the hounds of the enemy.

There is a work on Heraldry in America, by Eugene Zerber, published by Bailey, Banks & Biddle, Philadelphia, which says that the fact that arms were borne here in Colonial times creates of them American arms, and a sufficient authority for their use by descendants of the old families.

That there is no reason why any individual should be deterred from preserving for himself or his children the heraldic devices which were borne by his ancestors, even though in our own land such devices have no governmental recognition and are not of official record in any herald's office.

Cussans, in his work, remarks that "It is no matter of surprise that Americans, particularly those in the Eastern States, with all their veneration for republican principles, should be desirous of tracing their origin to the early settlers, and of proving their descent from these single-hearted God-fearing men, who sought in a foreign land that religious liberty which was denied them at home."

JOHN FULTON. No. 1.

BY MRS. ELIZA J. KERR.

Came to Chester County from Scotland; was a fuller by trade; must have come to America about 1753; gave a part of the grounds where the Presbyterian Church and the old graveyard, in Oxford, now stands. The grounds being contributed by John Fulton, Matthew Wilson and a Mr. Calvin. The papers for this ground were lost by his son John on his way to Pittsburgh.

John Fulton owned a large tract of land, 260 acres, between Oxford and New London Cross Roads. All that section along Elk Creek by Finley Crowl's later Theodore Kirk's and now Henry Way's and Charles McDonald's old place, including the mill property, now Job Pugh's mill, and had in his time a paper mill and fulling mill. He was one of the Elders of the Oxford Associate Presbyterian Church one hundred and twenty-four (124) years ago (1877), when the first call was sent to Scotland for an associate Presbyterian preacher.

In answer to this urgent request the Synod sent to Pennsylvania in 1753 two ordained ministers as

missionaries, Rev. Alexander Gellatley and Andrew Arnot. Mr. Gellatley was to remain permanently in this country ; Mr. Arnot was to return after two years. These faithful men left Scotland in the summer of 1753 and arrived here near the close of the year.

See Rev. Easton's memorial sermon. Was considered wealthy ; was a smart, shrewd Scotchman, of full Scotch blood.

COPY OF JOHN FULTON'S (NO. 1) WILL.

Recorded in the Office of the Register of Wills of Chester County in Book 9, page 397.

John Fulton's } Know all men by these presents
Will. } that I, John Fulton, of East Nottingham Township being weak in body but of perfect and sound mind and memory, calling to mind the mortality of my body, and that it is appointed unto all men once to die. Do make this my last will and testament, and as touching my worldly Estate wherewith God hath blessed me I dispose of in the following manner: First. I give and devise unto my son James Fulton all my land and tenements on the west side of the creek now in his possession with the appurtenances to him, his heirs,

and assigns, as also all that land lying on the East side of the Creek. Beginning at the Creek, at the place the State Road crosses the Creek, thence along the course the State Road was laid out until the new Race along the new race until the waste gate, thence a straight course to a post at the west end of the Fenders four perches North of the tail Race, thence up the tail race and between the paper mill and the fulling mill along the trunk and two perches East of the mouth of the trunk, Thence to an apple tree south of the Great Road nigh the paper mill and from thence a straight course to a white oak on Robert Currey's line and thence to the creek westward with the Paper Mill and all the appurtenances to him, his heirs, and assigns.

I give a Devise unto my son John Fulton all the remainder of my lands and fulling mill, Houses, and Tenements, with the appurtenances to him, his heirs, and assigns forever, allowing to each of my sons the benefit of the waters to the fulling mill and paper mill as formerly.

I Give and bequeath unto my son-in-law, Rev. James Proudfoot the sum of three Pounds Current money. I give a Bequeath unto my son-in-law James Hutchinson Three Pounds Current money. I give a bequeath unto my daughter Susanna, Eight pounds Current money and as much furniture and property as my daughter Jennet has gotten from me. I give and Bequeath to my son-in-

law Mathew Wilson Three Pounds. I give and Bequeath unto my Daughter Jennet Wilson, Forty Seven Pounds current money. I give and Bequeath unto my Deceased Daughter Elizabeth's Children the sum of Forty Seven Pounds to be equally divided amongst them, or such of them as will be living, to be paid four years after my Decease. I give and Bequeath to my Grand Daughter Mary Proudfoot the sum of Forty Seven Pounds Current money to be paid to her when she arrives at the age of Eighteen years, and if she dies before she arrives at that age, my will is, that her part be equally divided among my Children that will be living at the time of her decease. I give and Bequeath unto my Loving Wife Eleanor one full Third of the lands and tenements Devised to my son John or the profits thereof during her natural life and that In lieu of Dower out of the lands and appurtenances Devised to my son James, my will is that he pay her Five Pounds Current money, Annually, During her natural life; and further my will is, and I do hereby allow that the Furniture Bequeathed to my Daughter Susanna equal to what my Daughter Jennet received from me when she was married, shall be taken out of my personal Estate. My will is, and I do hereby give and Bequeath all the remainder of my personal Estate to my loving wife Eleanor to dispose at her pleasure; and, lastly, my will is, and I do hereby

order, that my Son John pay all the Several legacies herein Bequeathed agreeable to law, and

At the times mentioned Respectively Except the Bequeathments out of the personal estate out of his share of the land and appurtenances and that my Son James have his part free and clear of any incumbrance, Saving five Pounds Annually to his Mother during her natural life, and I do hereby nominate and appoint and order my son James Fulton and my son John Fulton Executors of this my last will and testament in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal this fifth day of February A.D. One Thousand Seven Hundred and Six [Ninety omitted]. John Fulton [SEAL] Signed, Sealed, Published, Pronounced and Declared by the aforesaid John Fulton to be his last will and testament in the presence of us whose names are subscribed as witnesses.

Nathaniel Hudders, William Buchanan, Philip Scott.

Proven at West Chester, March 24, 1796, and letters granted to John and James Fulton.

GENEALOGICAL TABLE.

Chart No. 1; 1st, 2d and 3d Generations.

JOHN, 1, AND ELIZABETH FULTON.

I. MARY, 2. <i>m.</i> Rev. James Proudft.	II. ELIZABETH, 3. <i>m.</i> James Hutchison.	III. JAMES, 4. <i>m.</i> Margaret Miller.	IV. JOHN, 5. <i>m.</i> Margaret Dickey.	V. JANE, 6. <i>m.</i> Matthew Wilson.	VI. SUSAN, 7. <i>m.</i> Rev. James Clarkson.
I. Mary, 8.	I. Eleanor Miller, 9. II. Jane, 10. III. Elizabeth, 11. IV. James, 12. V. John, 13. VI. David, 14. VII. Fulton, 15.	I. John, 16. II. Rachel, 17. III. Joseph, 18. IV. Eleanor Miller, 19. V. Miller, 20. VI. James Jefferson, 21.	I. Mary, 21½. II. Elizabeth, 22. III. John, 23. <i>Second Marriage.</i> Bather Cooper. I. Thomas, 24. II. James C., 25. III. Andrew, 26. IV. Lemima, 27. V. Jefferson C., 28. VI. George W., 198. VII. Eleanor R., 199. VIII. Matthew Wilson, 200.	I. John, 29. II. Robert, 30.	I. John Fulton, 31.

Chart No. 2; 4th Generation.

Eleanor M. Hutchison, 9. <i>m.</i> James Wilson.	James Hutchison, 12. <i>m.</i> Elizabeth Watt.	David Hutchison, 14. <i>m.</i> Fannie Watt.	Fulton Hutchison, 15. <i>m.</i> Eleanor M. Fulton, 19.	James J. Fulton, 21. <i>m.</i> Nancy Ann Ramsey.	Andrew Fulton, 26. <i>m.</i> Jane Magee.
I. John, 32. II. James, 33. III. David, 34. IV. Elizabeth, 35. V. Margaret, 36.	I. Eliza Jane, 37. II. Susan Eleanor, 38. III. Martha A., 39. IV. James Hervey, 40. V. Margaret Charlotte, 41. VI. Mary Amanda, 42.	I. James Fulton, 43. II. John Watt, 44. III. David Watt, 45. IV. Joseph M., 46. V. Fulton C., 47. VI. Margaretta R., 48.	I. Margaret Jane, 49. II. Eliza A., 50. III. Rachel, 51. IV. James Banks, 52. V. John Reed, 53. VI. David Stevens, 54. VII. Mary Fulton, 55. VIII. Fulton Aukrim, 56. IX. Ellen, 57. X. Joseph, 58. XI. William Gustavus, 59.	I. Rachel Maria, 60. II. Margaret Jane, 61. III. James, 62. IV. Wm. Thompson, 63. V. Joseph Miller, 64. VI. Hugh Ramsey, 65.	I. John C., 209. II. Samuel M., 210. III. Jane M., 211. IV. Christopher S., 212. V. Fr'cis M'Allister, 213. VI. Henrietta, 214. VII. Margaret M., 215. VIII. Andrew, Jr., 216. IX. Eliza M., 217.

4th Generation, continued.

Robert Wilson, 30. <i>m.</i> Lydia	John F. Clarkson, 31. <i>m.</i>
I. Matthew James, 67. II. Phoebe Wilson, 68. III. Tamar Jane, 68½. IV. Robert Franklin, 69. V. John, 70.	I. Andrew, 71.

GENEALOGICAL TABLE.—Continued.

Chart No. 3; 5th Generation.

John Wilson, 32. m. Charlotte Watt.	David Wilson, 34. m. Jane Manifold.	Margaret Wilson, 36. m. John Collins.	Eliza J. Hutchison, 37. m. John Alexander Kerr.	James H. Hutchison, 40. m. Nancy Dickey.	Mary A. Hutchison, 42. m. William Sherer.
I. James Marshall, 72 II. John David, 73.	I. James, 74. II. Henry, 75. III. Elizabeth, 76. IV. Alexander, 77. V. John, 78. VI. Amanda, 79.	I. John, 80. II. Eleanor, 81. III. Margaret Jane, 81½. IV. James, 82. V. Elizabeth, 83. VI. David, 84.	I. James Hutchison, 85. II. Elizabeth Eleanor, 86. III. George, 87. IV. Sarah Thomson, 88. V. John Hervey, 89. VI. Susan Marjorie, 90.	I. Elizabeth, 91. II. Jane Dickey, 92. III. Susan Ellen, 93. IV. Maggie Dickey, 94. V. James Melville, 95. VI. Anna Martha, 96. VII. Ida Cornelia, 97.	I. Lizzie Watt, 98. II. Mary Ramsey, 99. III. Ella Rachel, 100. IV. Martha A., 101. V. Lina R., 102. VI. William John, 103. VII. James Hervey, 104.

5th Generation continued.

James F. Hutchison, 43. m. Jane H. Dickey.	David W. Hutchison, 45. m. Jane A. Noble.	Joseph M. Hutchison, 46. m. Mary F. Hutchison, 35.	Marg'ta E. Hutchison, 48. m. J. Cyrus Kerr.	Eliza A. Hutchison, 50. m. John Patterson.	Rachel Hutchison, 51. m. Rev. E. H. Stevenson.
I. Samuel Dickey, 105. II. David Watt, 106. III. Jane Dickey, 107.	I. William Noble, 108. II. David C., 109. III. Susan Noble, 110. IV. Francis Pringle, 111. V. J. H. Andrew, 112. VI. Fannie Watt, 113. VII. Maggie Dickey, 114. VIII. Agnes, 115.	I. Elizabeth, 116. II. David, 117. III. Fannie W., 118. IV. Maggie, 119. V. Amelia, 120. VI. Josephine, 121.	I. M. Lizzie, 122. II. Fannie Watt, 123. III. David Fulton, 124.	I. John Fulton, 125.	I. Ephraim E., 126. II. Elizabeth Eleanor, 127.

5th Generation continued.

Fulton A. Hutchison, 56. m. Martha Buchanan.	William G. Hutchison, 59. m. Ann Eliza Campbell.	James Fulton, 62. m. Anna M. Johnson.	William T. Fulton, 63. m. Hannah Kirk.
I. Ellen Cornelia, 128. II. Nancy Lavina, 129. III. Mary, 130. IV. Fulton, 131.	I. Ross Alexander, 132. II. Sarah Fulton, 133. III. William Easton, 134. IV. Joseph Cooper, 135.	I. Rebecca, 136. II. James, 137. III. Mary, 138. IV. William, 139. V. Carrie, 140. VI. Gertrude, 141.	I. Kirk, 142. II. Annie E., 143. Second Marriage. Annie E. Nepper. III. Eleanor Jane, 144.

GENEALOGICAL TABLE.—Continued.

Chart No. 4; 5th Generation, continued.

Joseph M. Fulton, 64. <i>m.</i> Sarah Anna Brown.	Hugh R. Fulton, 65. <i>m.</i> Sarah Thomson Kerr, 88.	James B. Fulton, 65, <i>C.</i> Thos. C. Fulton, 65, <i>D.</i> Louis B. Fulton, 65, <i>H.</i> Samuel M. Fulton, 66, <i>B.</i> Margaret M. Fulton, 66, <i>G.</i> George W. Fulton, 66, <i>K.</i> <i>For the above see Chart No. 5, Pittsburg Branch.</i>	Matthew James Wilson, 67. <i>m.</i> Rebecca C. McIntire.	Robert F. Wilson, 69. <i>m.</i> Agnes Thomson.	Andrew Clarkson, 71. <i>m.</i> _____.
I. Rita Lawrence, 145. II. Fred. Jefferson, 146. III. Alfred Miller, 147. IV. Norman Brown, 148.	I. Hugh Kerr, 149. II. Eleanore Jane, 150. III. John, 151.		I. Robert B., 153. II. Ella F., 154. III. Lydia Jane, 155. IV. Ann Elizabeth, 156.	I. Robert Thomson, 157. II. William, 158.	I. Eliza, 159.

Chart No. 5; 6th Generation.

James H. Kerr, 85. <i>m.</i> Mary Ella Speer.	George Kerr, 87. <i>m.</i> Annie Dzibert.	Maggie D. Hutchison, 94. <i>m.</i> James S. Eves.	James M. Hutchison, 95. <i>m.</i> Dora Gibson.	Anna M. Hutchison, 96. <i>m.</i> William Eves.	Elizabeth W. Sherer, 98. <i>m.</i> William R. Martin.
I. Helen Mary, 161. II. Guy Manning, 162.	I. Minnie Love, 163.	I. Albert D., 164. II. Eliza Hutchison, 165. III. Marlie S., 166.	I. Hervey, 167. II. William, 168. III. Melville, 169. IV. Helen, 170.	I. James, 171. II. Madge D., 172. III. Anna H., 173.	I. Royle S., 174.

6th Generation, continued.

William J. Sherer, 103. <i>m.</i> Elizabeth Grittinger.	John P. Patterson, 125. <i>m.</i> Charlotte I. McDowell.	Rebecca Fulton, 136. <i>m.</i> Charles F. McKillips.	Kirk Fulton, 142. <i>m.</i> Sarah Kimble.	Eliza Clarkson, 159. <i>m.</i> James Sample Fulton.
I. Mary Elizabeth, 175. II. William. III. Robert.	I. Austin McDowell, 176.	I. Charles R., 177. II. Bertram, 178. III. James Fulton, 179. IV. Helen Rebecca, 180. V. William, 181.	I. Jennette, 182. II. Robert, 183. III. Hugh Hodge, 184. IV. Florence, 185.	I. James C., 186. II. Louisa A., 187. III. Andrew Clarkson, 188. IV. John C., 189. V. Samuel Martin, 190. VI. John Farquahar, 191.

Chart No. 6; 7th Generation.

Helen May Kerr, 161. <i>m.</i> Henry M. Blackmer.	Samuel M. Fulton, 190. <i>m.</i> Lizzie Bair.
I. Myron Kerr, 192. II. Margaret Gray, 193.	I. Susanna, 194. II. John Clarkson, 195. III. James Sample, 196. IV. Kathleen, 197.

GENEALOGICAL TABLE.—Continued.

Chart No. 5; 1st Generation.

I. JOHN AND ELEANOR FULTON, 1.

Chart of the Pittsburg branch of the Fulton Family.

2d Generation.	I. MARY, 2. <i>m.</i> Rev. J. Proudfit.	II. ELIZABETH, 3. <i>m.</i> James Hutchison.	III. JAMES, 4. <i>m.</i> Margaret Miller. 1st wife, Margaret Dickey.	IV. JOHN, 5.	V. JANE, 6. <i>m.</i> Matthew Wilson. 2d wife, Rathier Cooper.	VI. SUSAN, 7. <i>m.</i> Rev. James Clarkson.
3d Generation.	I. Mary, 21½.	II. Elizabeth, 22.	III. John, 23.	I. Thomas, 24. IV. Jemima, 27. 199, VII. Eleanor R., 28b.	II. James C., 25. V. Jefferson C., 28. 200, VIII. Mat. Wilson, 28c.	III. Andrew, 26. 198, * VI. George W., 28a.
4th Generation.	Elizabeth Fulton, 22. <i>m.</i> David Lafevre. I. Jacob, 201. II. Jane Dickey, 202. III. Mary Ann, 202½. Thomas Fulton, 24. <i>m.</i> Margaret Baird. I. James B., 203. II. Thomas Cooper, 203½.	24. James C. Fulton, 25. <i>m.</i> Eliza Jane Morrow. I. Thomas C., 204. II. Matilda Jane, 205. III. William Morrow, 206. IV. James Wilson, 207. V. Louis B., 208.	Andrew Fulton, 26. <i>m.</i> Jane Magee. I. John C., 209. II. Samuel M., 210. III. Jane M., 211. IV. Christopher M., 212. V. Fr. McAllister, 213. VI. Henrietta, 214. VII. Margaret M., 215. VIII. Andrew, Jr., 216. IX. Eliza M., 217.	Jefferson C. Fulton, 28. <i>m.</i> Eliza McCartney. I. George W., 218. II. Eleanor Richmond, 219.	George W. Fulton, 198, 28a. <i>m.</i> Harriet Blanchard. I. Elizabeth Rathier, 220. II. Matthew Henry, 221. <i>Second Marriage.</i> George W. Fulton, 198, 28a. <i>m.</i> Mary Ann Kennedy. I. Robert Warnock, 222. II. Harriet Jane, 223. III. Thomas Kennedy, 224. IV. Annie Margaret, 225. V. George, 226.	Eleanor R. Fulton, 199, 28b. <i>m.</i> William Brice Boles. I. George W., 227. II. David, 228. III. James Franklin, 229. IV. Andrew Fulton, 230.
5th Generation.	Jane Dickey Lafevre, 202. <i>m.</i> William Crawford. I. David Lafevre, 230½. II. Rebecca J., 231. III. Harriet Ralston, 231½. IV. J. Shoenberger, 231½.	Mary Ann Lafevre, 202½. <i>m.</i> Albert Crawford. I. William Dickey, 232. II. David Irwin, 232½. III. Ella May, 232½. IV. Robert Grier, 232½.	Thomas C. Fulton, 204. <i>m.</i> Margaret M. Fulton. I. Thomas Cooper, 233. II. Jean Magee, 234. III. Penny A., 235. IV. James Cooper, 236. V. Andrew F., 237.	Louis B. Fulton, 208. <i>m.</i> Annie M. Birch. I. Margaret Jane, 238.	Samuel M. Fulton, 210. <i>m.</i> Agnes R. Smith. I. Andrew, 239. II. Jane M., 240. III. Margaret M., 241. IV. William S., 242.	Jane M. Fulton, 211. <i>m.</i> Dr. Samuel Dilworth. I. Paul F., 243. II. Andrew F., 244.
5th Generation, continued.	Andrew Fulton, 216. <i>m.</i> Maria Smith. I. Sarah S., 245.	Eleanor Rich. Fulton, 219. <i>m.</i> Geo. W. Armstrong. I. Charles, 246. II. Christian S., 247. III. James, B. F., 248.	Matthew Henry Fulton, 221. <i>m.</i> Kate N. Swingly. I. Carrie, 249. II. Geo. Frederick, 250. III. Blanchard, 251. IV. Matthew Percy, 252. V. James Edward, 253. VI. Thos. Denman, 254. VII. Ch'r Courtney, 255.	R. Warnock Fulton, 222. <i>m.</i> Ella Pombelle. I. George Henry, 256.	James F. Boles, 229. <i>m.</i> Addie Crouch. I. James F., 257. II. Ella C., 258.	
6th Generation.	D. Lafevre Crawford, 230½. <i>m.</i> Martha Neillie. I. William D., 260. II. George B., 261.	Rebecca J. Crawford, 231. <i>m.</i> Edward C. Negly. I. Jennie Lafevre, 262. II. Kate Edna, 263. III. R. Herberton, 264.	Dr. John S. Crawford, 231½. <i>m.</i> Isabel Barclay. I. Rebecca, 265. II. Margaret, 266. III. Thomas Barclay, 267.	Wm. Dickey Crawford, 232. <i>m.</i> Louisa Schlagel. I. William A., 268. II. John Schlagel, 269. III. David Lafevre, 270. IV. Robert Fulton, 271. V. Joseph Irwin, 272.	D. Irwin Crawford, 232½. <i>m.</i> Amelia Betz. I. Mary A. Lafevre, 273.	Carrie Fulton, 240. <i>m.</i> James Raton Phillips. I. Isabelle, 259.
7th Generation.	William D. Crawford, 260. <i>m.</i> Mary Wier. I. Martha Neillie, 274. II. David Lafevre, 275. III. William D., 276. IV. George Ball, 277.	Geo. Ball Crawford, 261. <i>m.</i> May Scott. I. George Scott, 278.				

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CHAPTER II.

A CHART OF THE FULTON FAMILY.

FIRST GENERATION.

- (1) i John Fulton, b. Lanarkshire, Scotland, 1713,
d. March 20, 1796; m. Eleanor Fulton.

SECOND GENERATION.

CHILDREN OF JOHN FULTON (No. 1) AND ELEANOR FULTON.

- (2) i Mary Fulton, b. 1745; m. Rev. James Proud-
fit, Salem, N. Y.
- (3) ii Elizabeth Fulton, b. 1748; m. James Hutch-
ison 1767, d. June 12, 1812.
- (4) iii James Fulton, b. February 2, 1751, d. Feb-
ruary 15, 1833, aged 82 years; m. Margaret
Miller November 25, 1781, b. January 20,
1757, d. July 20, 1816.
- (5) iv John Fulton; m. Margaret Dickey; 2d wife,
Esther Cooper.
- (6) v Jane Fulton, d. January 19, 1797; m. Mat-
thew Wilson August 27, 1792, b. July
27, 1762, d. January 10, 1838.
- (7) vi Susan Fulton, b. 1760, d. at Troy, N. Y.;
m. Rev. James Clarkson, York County.

THIRD GENERATION.

CHILDREN OF MARY FULTON PROUDFIT (No. 2) AND
REV. JAMES PROUDFIT.(Grandfather of Rev. Alexander Proudfit,
Baltimore.)

- (8) i One child, Mary Proudfit, m. Mr. Reid.

CHILDREN OF ELIZABETH FULTON (No. 3) AND
JAMES HUTCHISON.

- (9) i Eleanor M. Hutchison, b. September 11,
1770, d. June 11, 1844; m. James Will-
son, York County, b. August 12, 1766,
d. January 14, 1857.
- (10) ii Jane Hutchison, u.
- (11) iii Elizabeth Hutchison, u.
- (12) iv James Hutchison, b. October 26, 1775, d.
December 25, 1857; m. Elizabeth Watt,
b. January 19, 1784, d. March 31, 1844.
- (13) v John Hutchison, u.
- (14) vi David W. Hutchison, d. November 26, 1835;
m. Fannie Watt, d. July 30, 1862.
- (15) vii Fulton Hutchison, b. 1783, d. 1860; m.
Eleanor M. Fulton, b. 1785, d. 1826.

CHILDREN OF JAMES FULTON (No. 4) AND
MARGARET MILLER.

- (16) i John Fulton, b. March 23, 1783, u., d.
at Petersburg, Va., 1854.
- (17) ii Rachel Fulton, b. April 9, 1787, u., d.
March 15, 1864.

- (18) iii Joseph Fulton, b. March 3, 1785, d. December 27, 1844; m. Martha Watt, March 2, 1809, b. January 15, 1786, d. December 4, 1869, aged 84 years.
- (19) iv Eleanor M. Fulton, b. November 23, 1793; m. Fulton Hutchison.
- (20) v Miller Fulton, b. December 13, 1797, u., d. September 16, 1859, aged 61 years, 9 months, 3 days.
- (21) vi James Jefferson Fulton, b. February 18, 1801, d. April 28, 1864, aged 63 years; m. Nancy Ann Ramsey, June 7, 1827, b. August 22, 1802, d. January 7, 1870, aged 68 years.

CHILDREN OF JOHN FULTON (No. 5) AND MARGARET
DICKY.

- (21½) i Mary Fulton; m. Eckles, Steubenville, O.
- (22) ii Elizabeth Fulton; m. David Lafevre.
- (23) iii John Fulton, deceased.

CHILDREN OF JOHN FULTON (No. 5) BY SECOND
WIFE, ESTHER COOPER.

- (24) i Thomas Fulton; m. Margaret Baird.
- (25) ii James C. Fulton; m. Eliza Jane Morrow, d. 1865.
- (26) iii Andrew Fulton (ex-mayor's grandfather); m. Jane Magee. He established the bell and brass foundry business in Pittsburg in 1832.
- (27) iv Jemima Fulton.

- (28) v Jefferson C. Fulton; m. Eliza McCartney.
 (198) vi George Washington Fulton, b. in Chester
 28a.* County, Pa., August, 1802, d. November,
 1864; m. Harriet Blanchard, of Wor-
 cester, Mass., on February 14, 1838, b.
 February 20, 1808, d. May 25, 1844;
 second marriage, Mary Ann Kennedy, in
 1846. Trade steam-boat engineer, Ohio
 and Mississippi rivers.
- (199) vii Eleanor Richmond Fulton; m. William Brice
 28b. Boies.
- (200) viii Matthew Wilson Fulton, deceased, u.
 28c.

CHILDREN OF JANE FULTON (No. 6) AND MATTHEW
 WILSON.

- (29) i John Wilson.
 (30) ii Robert Wilson, b. July 1, 1796, d. April 3,
 1862; m. Lydia Wilson, b. July 18,
 1804, d. September 7, 1865.

CHILDREN OF SUSANNA FULTON (No. 7) AND REV.
 JAMES CLARKSON.

- (31) i John Fulton Clarkson, d. at Troy, N. Y.,
 1842.

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FOURTH GENERATION.

CHILDREN OF ELEANOR M. HUTCHISON (No. 9)
AND JAMES WILSON.

- (32) i John Wilson, b. March 16, 1796, d. July 4, 1886; m. Charlotte Watt, b. March 26, 1795, d. May 17, 1874.
- (33) ii James Wilson; m. Susan E. Hutchison.
- (34) iii David Wilson, b. September 20, 1805, d. February 24, 1893; m. Jane Manifold, b. January 23, 1808, d. July 28, 1860.
- (35) iv Elizabeth Wilson, u.
- (36) v Margaret Wilson; m. John Collins, York county.

CHILDREN OF JAMES HUTCHISON (No. 12) AND
ELIZABETH WATT.

- (37) i Eliza Jane Hutchison, d. July 9, 1889; m. John Alexander Kerr, d. January 10, 1891.
- (38) ii Susan Eleanor Hutchison; m. James H. Wilson.
- (39) iii Martha A. Hutchison, u.
- (40) iv James Herveý Hutchison; m. Nancy Dickey.
- (41) v Margaret Charlotte Hutchison, u.
- (42) vi Mary Amanda Hutchison, b. July 19, 1822, d. May 14, 1895; m. William Sherer, b. January 13, 1819, d. February 1, 1899.

CHILDREN OF DAVID W. HUTCHISON (No. 14) AND
FANNIE WATT.

- (43) i James F. Hutchison; m. Jane H. Dickey.
- (44) ii John W. Hutchison, deceased.
- (45) iii David W. Hutchison, d. May 29, 1874; m.
Jane A. Noble, died April 15, 1894.
- (46) iv Joseph M. Hutchison; m. Mary F. Hutchi-
son.
- (47) v Fulton C. Hutchison, u.
- (48) vi Margaretta E. Hutchison; m. Rev. Lamb;
second marriage J. Cyrus Kerr.

CHILDREN OF ELEANOR M. FULTON (No. 19) AND
FULTON HUTCHISON (No. 15).

- (49) i Margaret Jane Hutchison, b. 1811, u.
- (50) ii Eliza A. Hutchison, b. 1812; m. John Pat-
terson.
- (51) iii Rachel Hutchison, b. 1814; m. Rev. Ephraim
Stevenson.
- (52) iv James Banks Hutchison, b. 1816, u., Cali-
fornia.
- (53) v John Reed Hutchison, b. 1817, u.
- (54) vi Mary Finney Hutchison; m. Joseph M.
Hutchison.
- (55) vii Fulton Ankrim Hutchison, b. October 18,
1820; Minister U. P. Church, Nobles-
town, Pa.; m. Martha Buchanan, b. Feb-
ruary 27, 1827.
- (56) viii Ellen M. Hutchison, u.
- (57) ix David Stephen Hutchison, California.

- (58) x Joseph L. Hutchison, deceased, u.
- (59) xi William G. Hutchison, b. November 9, 1825,
d. February 4, 1893; m. Ann Eliza Campbell,
June 6, 1854, b. July 5, 1826, d.
October 1, 1886.

CHILDREN OF JAMES J. FULTON (No. 21) AND
NANCY A. RAMSEY.

- (60) i Rachael Maria Fulton, b. March 30, 1828;
d. in Lancaster, June 19, 1832, aged 4
years, 2 months, 19 days.
- (61) ii Margaret Jane Fulton, b. October 1, 1830;
d. in Lancaster, August 16, 1831, aged 10
months, 16 days.
- (62) iii James Fulton, M.D., b. November 12, 1832;
m. May 16, 1861, to Anna M. Johnson, b.
August 31, 1841.
- (63) iv William Thompson Fulton, b. February 27,
1835; m. April 5, 1865, to Hannah A.
Kirk; second m. October 19, 1876, to
Annie E. Neeper.
- (64) v Joseph Miller Fulton, b. January 11, 1840,
d. February 21, 1892; m. Sarah Anna
Brown, b. December 3, 1845.
- (65) vi Hugh Ramsey Fulton, b. November 16, 1843;
m. November 15, 1871, to Sallie Thomp-
son Kerr (No. 88).

CHILDREN OF ELIZABETH FULTON (No. 22) AND
DAVID LAFEVRE.

- (201) i Jacob Lafevre, Pittsburg, Pa.

- (202) ii Jane Dickey Lafevre, m. William Crawford,
65b. Pittsburg, Pa.
(202½) iii Mary Ann Lafevre, m. Albert Crawford.

CHILDREN OF THOMAS FULTON (No. 24) AND MARGARET BAIRD.

- (203) i James Baird Fulton, m. Matilda Boies,
65c. second wife unknown. He was Chief Engineer in the U. S. Navy Gunboat Louisville in the Civil War. Afterwards Chief Engineer at the Mound City Navy Yard.
(203½) ii Thomas Cooper Fulton, died young.

CHILDREN OF JAMES C. FULTON (No. 25) AND ELIZA JANE MORROW.

- (204) i Thomas Cooper Fulton, b. December 19,
65d. 1830, d. June, 1894; m. Margaret M. Fulton (a cousin) in 1868. She resides at White Bear Lake, Minn. He was an engineer in the U. S. Navy during the Civil War.
(205) ii Matilda Jane Fulton, b. 1832, d. 1853.
65e.
(206) iii William Morrow Fulton, b. 1834, d. 1897;
65f. m. Sarah G. Shilling.
(207) iv James Wilson Fulton, b. 1836, d. 1855, u.
65g.
(208) v Louis Brown Fulton, 34 Penn Avenue, Pitts-
65h. burg, Pa.; m. Annie M. Birch, January 5, 1878. He is a manufacturer and a bell



WM. M. FULTON, No. 206.

and brass founder; was also an engineer in the U. S. Navy in the Civil War, and was born at Old Brighton, Beaver County, Pa., October 19, 1841.

CHILDREN OF ANDREW FULTON (No. 26) AND
JANE MAGEE.

- (209) i John C. Fulton, deceased, b. 1826.
66a.
- (210) ii Samuel Magee Fulton, deceased, b. 1829;
66b. m. Agnes Smith.
- (211) iii Jane Magee Fulton, deceased, b. 1830; m.
66c. Dr. Samuel Dilworth.
- (212) iv Christopher Magee Fulton, deceased, b. 1832.
66d.
- (213) v Francis McAllister Fulton.
66e.
- (214) vi Henrietta Fulton.
66f.
- (215) vii Margaret Magee Fulton, b. in Pittsburg,
66g. 1834; m. Thomas C. Fulton (cousin) in
1868; resides at White Bear Lake, Minn.
- (216) viii Andrew Magee Fulton, Jr., deceased; m.
66h. Marie Smith.
- (217) ix Eliza Magee Fulton, deceased.
66i.

CHILDREN OF JEFFERSON C. FULTON (No. 28) AND
ELIZA MCCARTNEY.

- (218) i George Washington Fulton, deceased; m.
66k. Josephine Goddard. He was an engineer
in the U. S. Navy during the Civil War.
Widow living in St. Louis, Mo., with
children.

- (219) ii Eleanor Richmond Fulton, deceased; m.
66l. George W. Armstrong.

CHILDREN OF GEORGE W. FULTON (No. 198) (28 A)
AND HARRIET BLANCHARD.

- (220) i Elizabeth Esther Fulton, b. January 21, 1839;
66m. m. Jacob S. Winans, February 17, 1864,
resides in Manchester, Kans.
(221) ii Matthew Henry Fulton, Bucyrus, O., b.
66n. at New Brighton, Beaver County, Pa.,
May 22, 1840; m. Kate N. Swingly.

CHILDREN OF GEORGE W. FULTON (No. 198) (28 A)
AND MARY ANN KENNEDY (SECOND
MARRIAGE).

- (222) i Robert Warnock Fulton, Beaver, Pa.; m.
66o. Ella Fombelle.
(223) ii Harriet Jane Fulton, u.
66p.
(224) iii Thomas Kennedy Fulton, deceased.
66q.
(225) iv Anna Margaret Fulton, u.
66r.
(226) v George Fulton (died young).
66s.

CHILDREN OF ELEANOR RICHMOND FULTON (No. 199)
(28 B) AND WILLIAM BRICE BOIES.

- (227) i George Wilson Boies, eldest son, Hillsboro,
66t. O.
(228) ii David Brice Boies, deceased.
66u.

- (229) iii James Franklin Boies, deceased; m. Addie
66v. Crouch.
(230) iv Andrew Fulton Boies, Pittsburg, Pa.; m.
66w. Kate Crouch.

CHILDREN OF ROBERT WILSON (No. 30) AND LYDIA
WILSON.

- (67) i Matthew James Wilson, b. January 11, 1830;
m. Rebecca C. McIntire.
(68) ii Phoebe Wilson, b. August 1, 1831.
(68½) iii Tamar Jane Wilson, b. February 8, 1836;
m. W. Kersey Warden.
(69) iv Robert Franklin Wilson, b. June 23, 1839;
m. Agnes E. Thomson, January 19, 1870.
(70) v John Wilson, b. January 11, 1842; m. S.
Elizabeth Thompson.

CHILDREN OF JOHN FULTON CLARKSON (No. 31).

- (71) i Andrew Clarkson.

FIFTH GENERATION.

CHILDREN OF JOHN WILSON (No. 32) AND CHAR-
LOTTE WATT.

- (72) i James Marshall Wilson, b. July 8, 1822;
m. November 13, 1876, to Jane Miller
Thompson, deceased. Second marriage
September 14, 1893, to Mrs. Harriet T.
Campbell.
(73) ii John David Wilson, b. August 11, 1825, u.

CHILDREN OF DAVID WILSON (No. 34) AND JANE
MANIFOLD.

- (74) i James Wilson, b. December 25, 1833; m. Lydia Mechem.
- (75) ii Henry M. Wilson, b. December 9, 1835, d. February 9, 1873.
- (76) iii Elizabeth M. Wilson, m. December 12, 1867; m. John H. Anderson, b. September 9, 1835.
- (77) iv David Alexander Wilson, b. October 2, 1839; m. J. Ellen Anderson, January 7, 1869.
- (78) v John H. Wilson, b. June 2, 1847; m. Miss Wiley.
- (79) vi Amanda J. Wilson, b. September 7, 1844; m. January 12, 1875, to W. N. McAlister, b. October 3, 1843.
- (79½) vii Eleanor Wilson, b. October 2, 1841, d. June 2, 1844.

CHILDREN OF MARGARET WILSON (No. 36) AND
JOHN COLLINS.

- (80) i John Collins.
- (81) ii Eleanor Collins.
- (81½) iii Margaret Jane Collins.
- (82) iv James Collins; m. Martha Jane Wilson.
- (83) v Elizabeth Collins.
- (84) vi David Collins.

CHILDREN OF ELIZA JANE HUTCHISON (No. 37) AND
JOHN ALEXANDER KERR.

- (85) i James Hutchison Kerr, b. August 31, 1837; m. Mary Ella Speer, Christmas, 1866.

- (86) ii Elizabeth Eleanor Kerr, b. May 4, 1839.
- (87) iii George Kerr, M.D., b. January 9, 1841;
m. March 17, 1864, to Christiana Deibert,
b. February 21, 1843, d. January 20, 1891;
second marriage Carrie L. Trout, February 1, 1893.
- (88) iv Sallie Thomson Kerr, b. October 31, 1842;
m. Hugh R. Fulton, November 15, 1871.
- (89) v John Hervey Kerr, deceased.
- (90) vi Susan Margery Kerr.

CHILDREN OF JAMES HERVEY HUTCHISON (No. 40)
AND NANCY DICKEY.

- (91) i Elizabeth Hutchison; m. John Fulton Patterson.
- (92) ii Jane Dickey Hutchison, deceased.
- (93) iii Susan Ellen Hutchison.
- (94) iv Maggie D. Hutchison; m. Dr. James S. Eves.
- (95) v James M. Hutchison; m. Dora Gibson.
- (96) vi Anna M. Hutchison; m. William Eves.
- (97) vii Ida C. Hutchison, u.

CHILDREN OF MARY AMANDA HUTCHISON (No. 42)
AND WILLIAM SHERER.

- (98) i Elizabeth Watt Sherer, b. April 1, 1850;
m. William R. Martin, December 17,
1874, b. September 22, 1847.
- (99) ii Mary Ramsey Sherer, b. April 1, 1852, d.
April 16, 1893,
- (100) iii Ella Rachel Sherer, b. August 1, 1856, u.
- (101) iv Martha A. Sherer, b. March 10, 1858, u.

- (102) v Lina R. Sherer, b. December 4, 1860, u.
- (103) vi William John Sherer, b. February 14, 1862;
m. Elizabeth Grittinger.
- (104) vii James Hervey Sherer, Esq., b. March 27,
1867.

CHILDREN OF JAMES F. HUTCHISON (No. 43) AND
JANE H. DICKEY.

- (105) i Samuel D. Hutchison; m. Mary Irwin.
- (106) ii David Watt Hutchison; m. Emma Cooley.
- (107) iii Jennie D. Hutchison, u.

CHILDREN OF DAVID W. HUTCHISON (No. 45) AND
JANE A. NOBLE.

- (108) i William Noble Hutchison, M.D., u., drowned
October 4, 1877.
- (109) ii David C. Hutchison, u.
- (110) iii Susan Noble Hutchison, u.
- (111) iv Francis P. Hutchison, M.D., u.
- (112) v J. Hervey A. Hutchison, u.
- (113) vi Fannie W. Hutchison, u., d. May, 1859.
- (114) vii Maggie Dickey Hutchison, u.
- (115) viii H. Agnew Hutchison; d. April 29, 1884.

CHILDREN OF JOSEPH M. HUTCHISON (No. 46) AND
MARY FULTON HUTCHISON (No. 55).

- (116) i Elizabeth Hutchison, deceased, u.
- (117) ii David Hutchison, deceased.
- (118) iii Fannie W. Hutchison, u.
- (119) iv Maggie Hutchison, u.
- (120) v Amelia Hutchison; m. Scott.
- (121) vi Josephine Hutchison.

CHILDREN OF MARGARETTA E. HUTCHISON (No. 48)

AND J. CYRUS KERR.

- (122) i M. Lizzie Kerr, deceased, u.
- (123) ii Fannie Watt Kerr, u.
- (124) iii David Fulton Kerr, deceased, u.

CHILDREN OF ELIZA A. HUTCHISON (No. 50) AND

JOHN PATTERSON.

- (125) i Dr. John Fulton Patterson, b. May 27, 1842, d. March 22, 1882; m. Elizabeth Hutchison (91), December 21, 1865, d. August 8, 1869; second marriage Charlotte Isabella McDowell.

CHILDREN OF RACHEL HUTCHISON (No. 51) AND

REV. EPHRAIM H. STEVENSON.

- (126) i Ephraim F. Stevenson.
- (127) ii Elizabeth Eleanor Stevenson.

CHILDREN OF FULTON ANKRIM HUTCHISON (No. 56)

AND MARTHA BUCHANAN.

- (128) i Ellen Cornelia Hutchison, b. January 28, 1851.
- (129) ii Nancy Lavina M. Hutchison, b. February 9, 1853.
- (130) iii Lizzie Martha Hutchison, b. 1855.
- (131) iv Fulton Hutchison, b. September 12, 1857.
- (131 $\frac{1}{4}$) v C. O. Jennie Hutchison, b. 1858.
- (131 $\frac{3}{4}$) vi Sarah Ann Hutchison, b. 1862.

CHILDREN OF WILLIAM G. HUTCHISON (No. 59) AND
ANN ELIZA CAMPBELL.

- (132) i Ross Alexander Hutchison, b. August 25, 1857, d. December 20, 1885.
- (133) ii Sarah Fulton Hutchison, b. July 14, 1855, d. June 6, 1859.
- (134) iii William Easton Hutchison, Judge in Kansas, b. July 14, 1860; married Reba Anderson August 6, 1895.
- (135) iv Joseph Cooper Hutchison, M.D., b. July 1, 1863; married Essie Mosier, February 5, 1895, b. April 20, 1873. Residence, Florissant, Colorado.

CHILDREN OF DR. JAMES FULTON (No. 62) AND
ANNA MARY JOHNSON.

- (136) i Rebecca Fulton, b. September 25, 1862; married Charles E. McKillips April 25, 1889.
- (137) ii James Fulton, b. September 12, 1865, d. November 29, 1898, u.
- (138) iii Mary Fulton, b. November 26, 1869.
- (139) iv William Fulton, b. June 9, 1872.
- (140) v Carrie Fulton, b. November 19, 1876.
- (141) vi Gertrude Fulton, b. November 11, 1880.

CHILDREN OF WILLIAM THOMPSON FULTON (No. 63) AND HANNAH A. KIRK.

- (142) i Kirk Fulton, b. August 25, 1866; m. March 25, 1891, to Sarah Kimble, b. September 3, 1870.
- (143) ii Annie E. Fulton.



MARY FULTON, No. 138.

CHILDREN BY SECOND MARRIAGE, ANNIE E. NEPPER.

(144) iii Eleanor Jane Fulton.

CHILDREN OF JOSEPH MILLER FULTON (No. 64)
AND SARAH ANNA BROWN.

(145) i Etta Lawrence Fulton, b. October 15, 1868,
d. November 10, 1893.

(146) ii Frederick Jefferson Fulton, b. August 4,
1874. Resides in Philadelphia, Pa.

(147) iii Alfred Miller Fulton, b. January 24, 1881.
Bookkeeper, 1312 W. 4th Street, Wil-
mington, Del.

(148) iv Norman Brown Fulton, b. December 19,
1885, d. July 27, 1892.

CHILDREN OF HUGH RAMSEY FULTON (No. 65) AND
SALLIE THOMSON KERR (No. 88).

(149) i Hugh Kerr Fulton, b. April 18, 1875.

(150) ii Eleanore Jane Fulton, b. February 4, 1882.

(151) iii John Fulton, b. July 27, 1883.

CHILDREN OF JANE DICKEY LA FEVRE (No. 202)
(65 B) AND WILLIAM CRAWFORD.

(230½) i David La fevre Crawford; m. Martha Neillie.

(231) ii Rebecca J. Crawford; m. Edward C. Negly.
E. C. N. is an alderman in East End,
Pittsburg.

(231½) iii Harriet Ralston Crawford; m. Miller Mon-
tooth.

(231¾) iv Dr. John Shoenberger Crawford; m. Isabel
Barclay, Greensburg, Pa.

CHILDREN OF MARY ANN LA FEVRE (202 $\frac{1}{2}$) AND
ALBERT CRAWFORD.

- (232) i William Dickey Crawford; m. Louisa Schlager.
- (232 $\frac{1}{4}$) ii David Irwin Crawford; m. Amelia Betz.
- (232 $\frac{1}{2}$) iii Ella Mary Crawford.
- (232 $\frac{3}{4}$) iv Robert Grier Crawford.

CHILDREN OF THOMAS C. FULTON (No. 204) (65 D)
AND MARGARET M. FULTON, OF WHITE
BEAR LAKE, MINN.

- (233) i Thomas Cooper Fulton, M.D., b. 1869.
- (234) ii Jean Magee Fulton, b. 1871.
- (235) iii Plenny A. Fulton, b. 1872.
- (236) iv James Cooper Fulton (mechanic), b. 1874.
- (237) v Andrew F. Fulton, b. 1876.

CHILDREN OF LOUIS B. FULTON (No. 208) (65 H)
AND ANNIE M. BIRCH.

- (238) i Margaret Jane Fulton, b. October 22, 1878.

CHILDREN OF SAMUEL M. FULTON (No. 210) (66 B)
AND AGNES R. SMITH.

- (239) i Andrew Fulton, ex-mayor of Pittsburg, b. 1850.
- (240) ii Jane M. Fulton, b. 1853.
- (241) iii Margaret M. Fulton, b. 1855; m. J. S. Arnold.
- (242) iv William S. Fulton (deceased), b. 1857.



ELEANOR JANE FULTON, No. 144.

CHILDREN OF JANE M. FULTON (No. 211) (66 c) AND
DR. SAMUEL DILWORTH.

- (243) i Paul F., deceased.
- (244) ii Andrew F., deceased.

CHILDREN OF ANDREW FULTON (No. 216) (66 h) AND
MARIE SMITH.

- (245) i Sarah S., deceased.

CHILDREN OF ELEANOR R. FULTON (No. 219) (66 l)
AND GEORGE W. ARMSTRONG.

- (246) i Charles, deceased.
- (247) ii Christian Seibert.
- (248) iii James B. Fulton Armstrong.

CHILDREN OF MATTHEW HENRY FULTON (No. 221)
(66 n) AND KATE N. SWINGLY, BUCYRUS, O.

- (249) i Carrie Fulton, b. September 22, 1873; m.
James Eaton Phillips, June 10, 1896. Re-
side at Marion, O., dry goods merchant.
- (250) ii George Frederick Fulton, b. February 17,
1876.
- (251) iii Blanchard Fulton, b. December 19, 1877, d.
January 17, 1878.
- (252) iv Matthew Percy Fulton, b. April 20, 1879.
- (253) v James Edward Fulton, b. June 3, 1881.
- (254) vi Thomas Denman Fulton, b. November 30,
1883.
- (255) vii Chester Courtney Fulton, b. November 13,
1886.

CHILDREN OF ROBERT WARNOCK FULTON (No. 222)
(66 o) AND ELLA FOMBELLE.

- (256) i George Henry Fulton.

CHILDREN OF JAMES F. BOIES (No. 229) (66 v)
AND ADDIE CROUCH.

- (257) i James F.
(258) ii Ella C.

CHILDREN OF MATTHEW JAMES WILSON (No. 67)
AND REBECCA C. MCINTIRE.

- (153) i Robert B. Wilson; m. Ida Mary Crowl,
December 29, 1881.
(154) ii Ella F. Wilson.
(155) iii Lydia Jane Wilson.
(156) iv Ann Elizabeth Wilson.

CHILDREN OF ROBERT FRANKLIN WILSON (No. 69)
AND AGNES E. THOMPSON.

- (157) i Robert Thompson Wilson, b. December 6,
1872.
(158) ii William Jeffers Wilson, b. February 15,
1879.

CHILDREN OF ANDREW CLARKSON (No. 71).

- (159) i Eliza Clarkson, b. June, 1812, d. November
2, 1877; m. James Sample Fulton, York
County, b. October, 1812, d. May 10,
1897.

SIXTH GENERATION.

CHILDREN OF ELIZABETH M. WILSON (No. 76) AND
JOHN H. ANDERSON.

- (159 $\frac{1}{4}$) i Joseph Clay Anderson, b. November 24,
1868.
(159 $\frac{1}{8}$) ii Nora Anderson, b. September 15, 1871.
(159 $\frac{1}{2}$) iii Harry M. Anderson, b. August 26, 1874.
(159 $\frac{3}{4}$) iv David Ross Anderson, b. May 16, 1876.

CHILDREN OF DAVID ALEXANDER WILSON (No. 77)
AND J. ELLEN ANDERSON.

- (160) i David Reed Wilson, b. July 18, 1872.

CHILDREN OF AMANDA J. WILSON (No. 79) AND
W. N. McALISTER.

- (160 $\frac{1}{4}$) i Jennie W. McAlister, b. June 19, 1876.
(160 $\frac{1}{8}$) ii Mary E. McAlister, b. February 7, 1878.
(160 $\frac{1}{2}$) iii Nellie I. McAlister, b. February 22, 1880.
(160 $\frac{3}{4}$) iv Blanche N. McAlister, b. April 9, 1881.

CHILDREN OF JAMES HUTCHISON KERR (No. 85)
AND M. ELLA SPEER.

- (161) i Helen May Kerr, b. November 10, 1868; m.
October 28, 1891, to Henry M. Blackmer,
Esq., b. July 25, 1868.
(162) ii Guy Manning Kerr, b. May 20, 1870; m.
April 5, 1899, Bertha Thompson, of New
Bedford, Mass., b. September 23, 1870.

CHILDREN OF GEORGE KERR, M.D. (No. 87), AND
ANNIE DEIBERT.

- (163) i Minnie Love Kerr, b. November 28, 1865;
m. William Greene; second marriage Sep-
tember 30, 1891, to George C. J. Fleck, b.
October 21, 1856, of the firm of Fleck
Bros., merchants, Philadelphia.

FOR CHILDREN OF SALLIE THOMSON KERR (No. 88)
AND HUGH R. FULTON, SEE (65).

CHILDREN OF MAGGIE DICKEY HUTCHISON (No. 94)
AND DR. JAMES S. EVES.

- (164) i Albert D. Eves.
(165) ii Elizabeth H. Eves.
(166) iii Martie S. Eves.

CHILDREN OF JAMES MELVILLE HUTCHISON (No. 95)
AND DORA GIBSON.

- (167) i Hervey Hutchison.
(168) ii William Hutchison.
(169) iii Melville Hutchison.
(170) iv Helen Hutchison.

CHILDREN OF ANNA M. HUTCHISON (No. 96) AND
WILLIAM EVES.

- (171) i James Eves.
(172) ii Madge D. Eves.
(173) iii Anna H. Eves.



MINNIE L. KERR, No. 163,
Wife of Geo. C. J. Fleck.

CHILDREN OF ELIZABETH WATT SHERER (No. 98)
AND WM. R. MARTIN.

- (174) i Royle S. Martin, b. July 2, 1878.

CHILDREN OF WILLIAM JOHN SHERER (No. 103) AND
ELIZABETH GRITTINGER.

- (175) i Mary Elizabeth Sherer.
(175½) ii William John Sherer.
(175¾) iii Robert Sherer.

CHILDREN OF JOHN FULTON PATTERSON, M.D. (No.
125), AND CHARLOTTE ISABELLA McDOWELL.

- (176) i Austin McDowell Patterson.

CHILDREN OF JOSEPH COOPER HUTCHISON, M.D.
(No. 135), AND ESSIE MOSIER.

- (176½) i Ralph Cooper Hutchison, b. February 27,
1898.

CHILDREN OF REBECCA FULTON (No. 136) AND
CHARLES E. MCKILLIPS.

- (177) i Charles Edward McKillips, b. May 10, 1890.
(178) ii Bertram Galbraith McKillips, b. January 28,
1892, d. December 4, 1893.
(179) iii James Fulton McKillips, b. March 21, 1894.
(180) iv Helen Rebecca McKillips, b. July 7, 1897.
(181) v William Kerr McKillips, b. July 7, 1897,
d. November 11, 1897.

CHILDREN OF KIRK FULTON (No. 142) AND SARAH
KIMBLE.

- (182) i Jennett Fulton, b. December 13, 1891.
- (183) ii Robert Fulton, b. July 31, 1893.
- (184) iii Hugh Hodge Fulton, b. March 16, 1896.
- (185) iv Florence Fulton, b. November 8, 1898.

CHILDREN OF ELIZA CLARKSON (No. 159) AND
JAMES SAMPLE FULTON.

- (186) i James C. Fulton; m. Sarah Mitchell.
- (187) ii Louise A. Fulton, b. 1845.
- (188) iii Andrew Clarkson Fulton, Esq., b. February
11, 1847, d. February 5, 1892.
- (189) iv John C. Fulton, d. February, 1844.
- (190) v Samuel Martin Fulton, b. February 17, 1849;
m. November 15, 1888, to Lizzie Bair,
b. October 18, 1857.
- (191) vi John Farquhar Fulton; m. Edith Wheaton.

CHILDREN OF CARRIE FULTON (No. 249) AND
JAMES EATON PHILLIPS.

- (259) i Isabelle Phillips, b. March 25, 1897.

CHILDREN OF DAVID LA FEVRE CRAWFORD (No 230½)
AND MARTHA NEILLIE.

- (260) i William D. Crawford; m. Mary Wier.
- (261) ii George Ball Crawford; m. Mary Scott.



ANNIE E. FULTON, No. 143.

CHILDREN OF REBECCA J. CRAWFORD (No. 231) AND
EDWARD C. NEGLY.

- (262) i Jennie La fevre Negly.
- (263) ii Kate Edna Negly; m. Eugene Gerst.
- (264) iii R. Herberton Negly, Jr.

CHILDREN OF DR. JOHN S. CRAWFORD (No. 231 $\frac{3}{4}$)
AND ISABEL BARCLAY.

- (265) i Rebecca Crawford.
- (266) ii Margaret Crawford.
- (267) iii Thomas Barclay Crawford.

CHILDREN OF WILLIAM DICKEY CRAWFORD
(No. 232) AND LOUISA SCHLAGEL.

- (268) i William A. Crawford, deceased.
- (269) ii John Schlagel Crawford, deceased.
- (270) iii David La fevre Crawford.
- (271) iv Robert Fulton Crawford.
- (272) v Joseph Irwin Crawford.

CHILDREN OF DAVID IRWIN CRAWFORD (No. 232 $\frac{1}{4}$)
AND AMELIA BETZ.

- (273) i Mary A. La fevre Crawford.

SEVENTH GENERATION.

CHILDREN OF HELEN MAY KERR (No. 161) AND
HENRY M. BLACKMER, ESQ.

- (192) i Myron Kerr Blackmer, b. February 6, 1893.
- (193) ii Margaret Gray Blackmer, b. January 1,
1896.

CHILDREN OF SAMUEL MARTIN FULTON (No. 190).
AND LIZZIE BAIR.

- (194) i Susanna Fulton, b. February 27, 1890.
- (195) ii John Clarkson Fulton, b. February 20, 1892.
- (196) iii James Sample Fulton, b. February 2, 1895
- (197) iv Kathleen Fulton, b. March 14, 1898.

CHILDREN OF WILLIAM D. CRAWFORD (No. 260)
AND MARY WIER.

- (274) i Martha Neillie Crawford.
- (275) ii David La fevre Crawford.
- (276) iii William D. Crawford.
- (277) iv George Ball Crawford.

CHILDREN OF GEORGE BALL CRAWFORD (No. 261)
AND MARY SCOTT.

- (278) i George Scott Crawford.

CHAPTER III.

SECOND GENERATION.

MARY FULTON. No. 2.

Mary Fulton², No. 2 (John Fulton¹), was born in Lanarkshire, Scotland, about the year 1745. John Fulton in his will dated March 24, 1796, bequeathed to his son-in-law, Rev. Jas. Proudfit, the sum of three pounds, and to his granddaughter, Mary Proudfit, the sum of forty-seven pounds.

Reverend Proudfit was Pastor of the Associate Presbyterian Church of Salem, New York.

They had one daughter, Mary, who married a Mr. Reed, a merchant who was considered in affluent circumstances. They, in company with Susan Clarkson and John Fulton Clarkson, visited James Fulton and other friends and relatives near Oxford, Chester Co., about 1817. Mary was the second wife of Rev. Proudfit, who by his first wife had reared several children, one was a minister of his own church, and succeeded his father as pastor of his old church, at Salem, N. Y. Mr. Proudfit

was of full Scotch blood and was one of those sent here to this country as a missionary.

ELIZABETH FULTON. No. 3.

Elizabeth Fulton², No. 3 (John Fulton¹), was married to James Hutchison. She was born in Scotland in 1748 and came to this country with her father when she was five years old.

REV. ALEXANDER PROUDFIT. No. 2.

11 S. Broadway, Baltimore, Md. 7/5/88.

HUGH R. FULTON, Esq.

My Dear Sir: Mary Fulton must have been my great-grandfather's *second* wife. I believe they had only one child—a daughter named Mary—who married a Mr. Reid. I believe she lived for many years at Argyle, Washington County, N. Y., if I mistake not, and is now buried in our family lot at Salem, Washington County, N. Y., where my great-grandfather, grandfather and grandmother, father and mother, and other relatives peacefully sleep.

You will see that I am not a descendant of Mary Fulton, and so only a connection by marriage of the Fulton family. Still it may interest you to know

the genealogy of my ancestors who married into your family, I therefore run it out below.

James Proudfit, maiden name of first wife unknown to me. Second wife, Mary Fulton.

Alexander and Susanna Williams. Children, John W., James O., Alexander M.

John Williams and Abigail H. Ralston. Children, Robert Ralston, Alexander, Mary.

Alexander and Annie Couper Smith. Children, John Williams, Mary Couper, Alexander Couper.

Mary Fulton Proudfit had one daughter, Mary, married Mr. Reid as above.

I am, my dear sir,

Yours very truly,

ALEX. PROUDFIT.

JAMES FULTON. No. 4.

James Fulton², No. 4 (John Fulton¹).

Declaration in order to obtain the benefit of the Act of Congress passed June 7, 1832.

Commonwealth of Penna.,

Chester County, ss.

On this Eighteenth day of August in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and thirty two, Personally appeared before James Hutchison Esquire, duly commissioned and qualified one of the Justices of the Peace of said Commonwealth, residing and being in the Township of East Not-

tingham in the said County of Chester, James Fulton, a resident of the Township of West Nottingham, in the County aforesaid, aged about Eighty-two years, who being first duly sworn according to law, doth on his oath make the following declaration in order to enable him to obtain the benefit of the Act of Congress "for the relief of certain surviving officers and soldiers of the Revolution," passed June 7, 1832.

That he entered the service of the United States as an officer commissioned by the State of Pennsylvania, and served as herein stated, to wit:

1st. In the year 1776, I performed a tour of duty as a Lieutenant of Militia, of two months Continuance, in a company commanded by Captain Joseph Gardner. This Company composed a part of the Regiment commanded by Col. William Montgomery and Lt. Col. Evan Evans, both of Chester County. Our Company left home on the third or fourth day of July 1776. Rendezvous at Philadelphia, passed muster there and in obedience to orders, proceeded to join Gen'l Washington in Jersey. We marched by Trenton, Princeton and New Brunswick to Perth Amboy, thence to Woodbridge and encamped on Smith's Farm, where we remained until our time expired, to wit in September 1776.

The commission held by this declarant in this campaign, was signed by the Speaker of the House

of Assembly of Pennsylvania ; this he believes was the only kind of Commission extant until, a Militia law was passed by the State Government. The commission of which this declarant speaks, was by him preserved for a long time among his other papers, but he, about one year ago, burned it by mistake.

2. In the Month of December, in the same year, this declarant marched as a Lieutenant upon another tour of duty. The Enemy at this time were overrunning the Jerseys. Gen'l Washington had retreated across the Delaware into Pennsylvania for aid, our Captain being from home and emergency demanding prompt action, this declarant as first Lieutenant and acting under the authority of his commission, collected all the men he could find willing to go, and marched them to Philadelphia, where we performed duty for three weeks under the command of General Putnam. The performance of this duty for the time specified, was rendered necessary on account of a report prevailing, and being credited, that when the Militia or the forces left the City, the Tories intended to rise and burn the City, and upon a request being preferred to General Washington that a guard might be left behind for the purpose of overawing the malcontents and disaffected and to protect the City. The Regiment to which this narrator belonged, was designated for that duty, and directed to re-

main. Previous to our leaving the city, the indecision of our Captain in determining whether he would join the main army or not and his being sick or pretending to be so, and also on account of his being elected a member of the Assembly, occasioned a new election of officers to take place, and those elected were not agreeable to all the men. This narrator, although not satisfied with the change, did not choose, either to leave the Company or to return home, but preferring the good of his country and the success of the cause to the gratification of personal feelings or individual comfort continued in the Service in the same Company as a volunteer, and marched therewith to join the commander in chief. On the 26th day of December 1776, which was the next day after the Hessians were taken at Trenton, this narrator with the Company to which he was attached, were conveyed up the river in a sloop to Burlington thence to Crosswicks, and (on the morning of January 3, 1777) from thence to Trenton, stood there under arms, and under the rake of the British cannon, all day, and till about eleven o'clock at night, when we were ordered to march into the road leading from the ferry into town, where we remained about two hours, during which time Gen'l Washington marched to Princeton. We remained at Trenton keeping up the fires until the wagons and baggage were all marched off. Our battalion

was at this time under the command of Lieut. Col. Evans. We were ordered to march as a rear guard to the baggage and with directions to convey it to Burlington. This we did. Stayed there one day and marched back to Trenton. Stayed there two days. Then marched for Headquarters which was then at Morristown. At Morristown we remained doing camp duty until our tour expired. Genl. Mifflin of Pennsylvania commanded the brigade, and addressed us in an excellent and animated speech, using arguments to induce us to continue in the field, if it should be but for four or five days, until some other troops then believed to be on their march should arrive. This proposition was generally agreed to, and in so doing our tour of duty was lengthened to about *two months and a half*, which brought us to the middle of February, and left us about one hundred and fifty miles from our homes. Our captain's name was Joseph Gardner, but he did not come forward to take the command, and the company was under the command of First Lieut. And. M. Boyd.

3. Performed a third tour of duty of two months continuance in the militia, as a *Lieutenant Commanding a Company*. (The circumstances explaining which will be herein narrated.) The company agreeably to orders marched on the first day of October, 1777. Our company was ordered to Read-

ing where we marched to procure arms. We could not be supplied. Our Major ordered us back to guard the election then at hand. That duty performed we were ordered to march immediately to join Genl. Potter wherever he might be found, which we were informed would be somewhere in Chester Co. We marched accordingly and fell in with him near *the Fox Chase* within ten or eleven miles of Philadelphia, and remained under his command until our term of service had expired.

When this narrator left his home upon this, his third and last tour of service, he did so under the expectation that his captain in obedience to the call of his country would have appeared on duty, but this he steadfastly declined to do. Nor did he ever send or give an intimation that he would or would not take the command. He never showed his face, and this narrator was directed to take command of the company with its responsibilities and with the remark that if he was to do all the labors of a captain, he would be entitled to all the honors and all the profits, accordingly this narrator did (with the approbation and under the auspices of the Field Officers), assume the title of Captain, a title which was voluntarily conceded and never disputed. As a captain he passed muster, and as such received rations and pay without any objections, and in that character he wishes to present himself to the consideration of the Hon-

ourable, the Secretary of War. This tour of duty was performed in a regiment commanded by Col. George Pierce and Maj. John Culbertson. The Lieut. Col. he never saw, nor does he now recollect his name.

And further this declarant says that he has no other documentary evidence of his services than the two ancient papers appended to this his declaration. One of which is his commission as a Lieutenant, granted by the Supreme Executive Council of Pennsylvania, under which he performed his last tour of duty in the service of his country, in her hour of greatest need, the other of which is the original pay-list of the company under his command which was prepared in the tented field and at the time when the stoutest heart had nearly quailed. That he knows of no other person convenient now living who can testify to any part of his services except William Carlile, whose deposition is hereto annexed. That he has been unfortunate in the business in which he has been engaged and is now depressed in circumstances, and finally, that he is now about 82 years of age, that from the misfortune of broken limbs, rheumatic pains, together with the natural weakness and the usual and common infirmities of age, he is entirely unable to (travel 30 miles) appear in open court for the purpose of making this declaration, or of leaving his residence at all.

This declarant hereby relinquishes every claim whatever to a pension or annuity except the present, and declares that his name is not on the pension roll of the agency of any state.

JAMES FULTON.

Sworn to and subscribed the day and year aforesaid before James Hutchison, Justice of the Peace.

MEMORANDUM.

The foregoing declaration was written by me with a feeling and anxious desire that Mr. Fulton, the declarant, should receive the benefit of the act of Congress of June 7, 1832, in relation to Revolutionary officers and soldiers, and was thrown into the preceding form under the impression if authenticated before a *Justice of the Peace*, that the court would in consequence (under the peculiar circumstances of the case), add the usual attestation, and this impression grew out of an apparent ambiguity, in the instruction published by the War Department relative to cases supposed to occur under the law mentioned.

After the declaration was completed as above and shown to the court, the court alleged that it was incomplete, inasmuch as although it might be found to contain answers generally to the seven interrogatories which were by the commissioners of pensions required to be answered, yet said that

each interrogatory ought to have a distinct and explicit answer, and the judge in handing the paper back gave me this information and pointed to the words written between the black lines (in pencil marks), viz. : "The declaration should embrace answers to the questions propounded by the Secretary of War." *These words* are in the handwriting of Judge Darlington. I then cheerfully set to work and wrote the entire declaration over again, and also embodied therein the seven interrogatories required to be answered by the Department of War, together with the explicit and proper answer to each. Also prepared the deposition of William Carlile and finished the whole and appended them together in due form ready for the examination and consideration of the Court, which appeared to be the next necessary step, as, according to Judge Darlington's view that nothing short of Mr. Fulton's appearing before the Court would answer the purpose. I thought differently and after some effort prevailed upon Judge Sharp to go to Mr. Fulton's residence in West Nottingham, as it was impossible as I understood from different persons his connections, that he could either go or bear to be taken to the seat of Justice. Judge Sharp did go according to promise and after due form and ceremony attested what had been done in his presence. This was presented to the Court who duly certified their approbation thereof and that the de-

clarant had proven to their satisfaction that he was what he had stated himself to be agreeably to form.

To all which the official seal of the court was annexed and the Declaration thus prepared and authenticated by the hand which writes this history of the matter, was by the same forwarded to the Secretary of War, Washington city, and it may not be improper for me to state for the information and satisfaction of those who may read this, that it was done without fee or reward or the expectation thereof.

Also after waiting for a time which I considered altogether sufficient to hear from the War Department, I wrote to the Secretary urging him for a decision upon the case, and received no answer. Waited a considerable time, wrote again and still received no answer. Congress being then in session I took measures to interest Mr. David Potts, member of Congress in the matter, so far as to seek for information as to the cause of delay and to urge the head of the Department to action on Mr. Fulton's application. Mr. Potts was informed that the papers belonging to Mr. Fulton's case had been mislaid and could not be found. Here the matter appeared for sometime to rest. The papers were, however, afterwards found, but before the decision of the War Department was made known, Mr. Fulton had deceased. The decision was a favorable one, a pension was granted, and the family of

Mr. Fulton, I am informed have received the benefit thereof.*

JOHN W. CUNNINGHAM.

INTERROGATORIES TO BE ANSWERED BY
MR. JAMES FULTON.

Interrogation 1st. Where and in what year were you born? *Answer 1st.* I was born in Scotland in the year 1751, on the second day of February, old style.

Interrog. 2d. Have you any record of your age, and if so where is it? *Ans. 2d.* I have no record of my age, nor ever had. If there be any, it must be in the Minister's book where I was baptised in Scotland.

Interrog. 3d. Where were you living when called into Service? *Ans. 3d.* I was living then in the township of East Nottingham, in the county of Chester, and State of Pennsylvania, where I have lived ever since, till within these five years, when I moved into West Nottingham, where I now live.

Interrog. 4th. How were you called into service? Were you drafted? Did you volunteer, or were you a substitute? And if a substitute, for whom? *Ans. 4th.* I was called into service then

*The sum granted, we are informed, was paid some months after Captain Fulton's decease and was sufficient for and was used to pay the costs of the head and foot stones erected over his grave now in Oxford Cemetery.—H. R. F.

by the general voice of the people, the pressure of the times, the love of country, and the company going "en masse," there being no draft then made, and I never acted as a substitute; I always went in my own place.

Interrog. 5th. State the names of some of the regular officers who were with the troops where you served. Such Continental and Militia Regiments as you can recollect. *Ans. 5th.* As we were in a separate command, I had not an opportunity of being much acquainted with the army and the names of the officers have escaped my memory, but the five Regts. of Philadelphia militia marched with us into Jersey, and John Dickinson, Daniel Roberdean, John Cadwallader, Thomas McKean, and Timothy Matlack were Colonels of the said five Regiments.

Interrog. 6th. Did you ever receive a commission? And if so, by whom was it signed? And what has become of it? *Ans. 6th.* I received a commission in the year 1775 from the legislature of Pennsylvania, signed by the Speaker of the House (I think), but last year on looking among my old papers, I got it in my hand, and thinking it of no use, threw it in the fire. I also received a commission from the Supreme Executive Council on May, 1777, which I now present herewith signed by Thomas Wharton, which are all the commissions I ever had.

Interrog. 7th. State the names of persons to whom you are known in your present neighborhood, and who can testify to your character for veracity and their belief of your services as a Soldier in the Revolution. *Ans. 7th.* This is a hard matter for me to do, as my acquaintances of that time are either all dead or moved out of the parts, but there are several that have known me a considerable time, viz., John W. Cunningham, the Rev. Robert Graham, William Carlile, Arthur Andrew, Sen'r, Nathaniel Hudders, Alexander Correy, Israel Reynolds, and Jacob Kirk.

Penna. } ORIGINAL DRAUGHTS OF WIL-
Chester Co. } ^{ss} LIAM CARLILE'S DEPOSITION

William Carlile being duly sworn, according to law, doth depose and say that he was well acquainted with James Fulton now of West Nottingham Township in the county of Chester in Commonwealth of Pennsylvania before the Revolutionary War. That the said James Fulton did to the knowledge of the deponent, perform two service tours of military duty in the War of the Revolution in the year 1776-7 with the rank of lieutenant and both of them in a company commanded by Captain Joseph Gardner. That this deponent was a private volunteer in a company commanded by Capt. James McDowell, and that during the first tour, the two companies belonged to the same

regiment, that both companies marched together from Chester Co. to Philadelphia, that they went in Shallops together from Phila. to Trenton and marched together from thence to Perth Amboy and Smith's farm where they lay together and where they were both discharged at the same time. And also, that during the second tour, which lasted two months, Capt. McDowell's company to which the deponent belonged and Capt. Gardner's company, which Lieutenant Fulton commanded, were conveyed together in Row Galleys from Phila. to Bristol; that the said two companies served the whole campaign in the same battalion, and were both discharged at the same time, at Morristown; the said two tours of duty being of two months continuance, and further that the said lieutenant, James Fulton, and this deponent have lived near neighbors nearly the whole of the time which has elapsed since they first became acquainted, and they have always been upon intimate terms, and also further that the said James Fulton is a man of excellent character and served his country faithfully, for the time which this deponent has stated, and further saith not.

COPIES OF OLD REVOLUTIONARY WAR PAPERS.

Found among old papers of James Hutchison, Esq., and handed to the writer by Mr. J. Hervey Hutchison.

Whereas 'John Hunter hath Bargained with John Hutters to Stay the remainder of his time which is ten days from the Date hereof And is to have two full months Pay which is 5 pounds & all his Back Rations for Whiskey and Vegetables Due to a Soldier for that term of time in Witness Whereof I have Set my hand this 18 Day of November 1777.

JAMES FULTON Capt.

Attest: William Closkey.

Rec'd from Robert Colvin Belonging to Capt Fulton's Company of the 5th. Class of Chester County Militia, Commanded by Col. George Pierce one Riffel one Blanket &c.

Novm'b 29

HEZEKIAH KINZE

As'st. Q'r. M'r.

1777 Rec'd of L't James Fulton three Guns Pouch Boxes and one blanket by Mr. John Russel

Rec'd. from me

THO. STRAWBRIDGE Sub. Lt.

Rec'd Decm'. 5th. 1777 of Capt James Fulton the Sum of fifteen Pounds Seventeen Shillings Being in full of all the Wages Coming to us for two months Service as Witness our hands,

JOHN ANDERSON

WILLIAM CRAWFORD

THOMAS WILLIAMS

Recd Decm 4th 1777 of Capt & Gen
 Butcher the sum of ~~£~~ fifteen pounds
 seventeen shillings being in full of all
 the wages coming to us for twelve months
 service as Wagoners and Drivers
 Joseph Hudson
 William Carleton
 Thomas Williams

Fac-simile of receipt indicating that the officers
 of the Colonial Army not only had the fighting to
 do but had to advance the pay of the men.

A reduced fac-simile of handwriting and signature at the age of eighty-two years.

I Received a Commission in the year 1775 from the Legislature of Pennsylvania signed by ^{the} Speaker of the House.

I also Received a Commission from the Executive Council in May 1777 which is here presented signed by them at Lancaster which ^{are} all the Commissions I received

James Fulton

THE PAST.

The West Chester *Republican*, 1872, says: Seventy years ago last Tuesday the Legislature of Pennsylvania met at Lancaster. At that time Chester County sent five members—Joseph Parke, James Fulton, Methuselah Davis, Thomas Taylor and Edward Darlington. These gentlemen represented the Republican party, as it was then called, but subsequently they were called Republican Democrats, and finally the prefix was dropped, and the late Democratic party was the result. This was the first time the county had been carried against the Federalists, and there was great rejoicing thereat. There were no railroads in those days, and the people traveled long journeys

on horseback. An old gentleman, then a boy, informs us that he took one of the members to Downingtown, where he intended to take the stage for Lancaster, but when he arrived at the former place he found the seats all taken. He must be at Lancaster early the next morning, and so there was no other course than for the boy to drive him to Lancaster. It was a cold day, and the journey was not, therefore, an overpleasant one. The journey, and the incidents connected therewith, made such an impression upon the boy that he remembers them well to-day, although seventy years have elapsed. It is related of Methuselah Davis, who was a pompous man, wearing a cocked hat after the fashion of the Revolution, that on one occasion while passing a bill to the Speaker's desk—there were no pages in those days—his foot caught, and he went sprawling upon his face on the floor, whereat a most undignified shout arose that "Methuselah has fallen!"

OLD BOOK OF DR. JOSEPH LONG.

Receipts and expenditures of the Treasury of Pennsylvania, December 1, 1804, to November 30, 1805. Paid the Legislature as follows:

House of Representatives James Fulton, No. 529, \$372.00. Methuselah Davis \$372.00, Simon Snyder, Speaker.

Inscriptions taken from headstones in Oxford Cemetery. These stand side by side near Elizabeth and Jane D., wives of James F. Hutchison and John Watt Hutchison.

No. 18.

Sacred
to the memory of
JOSEPH FULTON
who departed this life
December 27th, 1844
in the 60th year
of his age
also
his wife
Martha W.
Died Dec. 4th, 1869.
in the 84th year of her age.

No. 4.

In
memory of
JAMES FULTON
who departed this life
February 15th, 1833
aged 83 years
and
Margaret
his wife
who departed this life
July 20th, 1816.
Aged 59 years 6 months.

H'd stone $4\frac{1}{2}$ ft. x 2 ft.
Marble and foot stone.

Marble head stone
 $3\frac{1}{2}$ ft. and ft. stone.

JOHN FULTON. No. 5.

John Fulton², No. 5 (John Fulton¹), the second son and fourth child of John Fulton, Sr., was born in Cecil County, Maryland, in 1755. He was

married to Margaret Dickey, by whom he had three children, viz, Mary, Elizabeth and John.

Margaret died about 1785 and a few years later he married Esther Cooper. Shortly after their marriage they moved to Pittsburg, Pa., where they raised the family of eleven children: by Margaret Dickey three and by Esther Cooper eight children.

One son, George, began the manufacture of buttons in a small way, and enlarged his business, and amassed a fortune and died wealthy.

It was said that John, by some accident, lost the title papers of the grounds of the Oxford Presbyterian Church, while on his trip to Pittsburg. He, like his father, was a fuller by trade, and carried on his business in a mill which stood on the east bank of Big Elk Creek, above the Oxford and New London road, alongside of the old paper mill of Chas. McDonald, but a little farther up the bank. But the mill, as also the business, went down after John went to Pittsburg.

The children by the second marriage were: (1) Thomas, (2) James C., (3) Andrew, (4) Jamima, (5) Jefferson C., (6) George W., (7) Eleanor R., and (8) Matthew Wilson.

We find that the Pittsburg branch of the family has been prolific and well-to-do. From John's

eleven children ninety-seven names are added to our list, and we are quite sure that all have not been given. They appear to have been entirely unacquainted with the fact that a much larger branch of the family, at least in blood if not in name, remained back in eastern Pennsylvania. One lady cousin, Mrs. Margaret M. Fulton, of White Bear Lake, Minn., writes: "I want to ask to what Fultons do you belong, as I thought the Fultons were all at Pittsburg." I had to answer her that her grandfather John and my grandfather James were brothers, and that we were full second cousins.

Deed of	}	Consideration 92 pounds and 10 shillings.
John Fulton and Esther, his wife,		
to		
James Fulton.		

Lot of ground, 5 acres.

Being part of tract on Big Elk of 260 acres, which John Fulton the elder late of East Nottingham, dec'd, was seized of, by virtue of Sundry Deeds, willed as by his will dated Feb. 5, 1796 to John Fulton and James Fulton, of which the Eastern end was devised to John Fulton, of which this is part. Dated May 6, 1805.

JOHN FULTON.

ESTHER FULTON.

Deed of
John Fulton et. ux. }
to James Fulton Esq., }

THIS INDENTURE made the 6th day of May, 1805, between John Fulton of East Nottingham Township, Chester County, Pa., of the one part, and James Fulton of the same place of the other part,

WITNESSETH, that the aforesaid John Fulton and Esther, his wife, for and in consideration of the sum of Three Hundred and Seventy pounds one shilling and seven pence to them in hand, paid by the aforesaid James Fulton Esq., containing 20 acres.

RECITAL IN DEED.

WHEREAS, Richard Flower did sell and convey 260 acres unto John Hawthorne, as by their Deed of Conveyance dated the 17th day of November, 1761, and the said John Hawthorne for the consideration of five and fifty pounds did sell and convey the same unto John Fulton, as by his Indenture of Conveyance dated 1772, and the said John Fulton by his last will and testament bearing date the 5th day of February A. D., 1796 devised the aforesaid Two Hundred and Sixty acres and allowances unto his two sons viz: James and John Fulton, with appurtenances.

Receipt for Three Hundred and Seventy pounds
one shilling and seven pence.

Chester County ss: May 6, 1805.

Acknowledged before Phillip Scott,
Justice of the Peace.

West Chester.

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JANE FULTON. No. 6.

Jane Fulton², No. 6 (John¹), was born in Maryland about 1758; married Matthew Wilson. An anecdote has it that Jane was courted by one Dr. Anderson, a professor of the first theological seminary in this country, located in Beaver County, Pa., and at the same time by Wilson, and, being somewhat in love with both, left the question with her father to decide which one she should accept, who after deliberation, recommended Mr. Wilson as having the best visible means of gaining a good living. Mr. Wilson was rich, while Anderson was a young missionary preacher, liable to move from place to place.

Matthew Wilson (No. 6) was appointed by the Executive Council of Pennsylvania May 1, A. D. 1789, First Lieutenant in the Fifth Battalion of

Chester County Militia, and in 1792 was appointed Captain by Governor Mifflin, and again in 1800 by Governor McKean, and in 1807 was appointed paymaster which position he held until 1814, making twenty-five years in the militia service. He married Jenny Fulton August 27, 1792, who died January 19, 1797. Matthew died January 10, 1838.

Respectfully,

M. J. WILSON.

SUSANNA FULTON. No. 7.

Susanna Fulton², No. 7 (John Fulton¹), was born in Maryland about 1760. She married Rev. James Clarkson, pastor of Guniston Congregation, Associate or United Presbyterian Church, Hopewell, York County, Pa. He was one of the two preachers of that Church who stood out against the union of the Associate and Associate Reformed or Covenanter Church in 1782. Susan died in Troy, N. Y., about 1819. She had one child John Fulton Clarkson (No. 31), who died at Troy, N. Y., 1842. He had been a clerk on large salary, took a contagious disease from an emigrant ship lying in harbor. He was to have been married in a

few weeks. Susan and Mr. and Mrs. Reid, and John F. Clarkson had visited their friends and relatives in this neighborhood, making their principal visiting places Capt. James Fulton's and Matthew Wilson's homes. Susan was the second wife of Rev. Clarkson, who by his first wife had reared a large family. A son, Andrew Clarkson, was the grandfather of A. Clarkson Fulton, Esq., a distinguished lawyer of York, Pa., deceased, and Samuel Fulton, of York County.

Mr. Clarkson was of full Scotch blood and was sent from Scotland by the Associate Church as a Missionary.

CHAPTER IV.

THIRD GENERATION.

JOHN FULTON. No. 16.

John Fulton³, No. 16 (James Fulton², John Fulton¹), was James Fulton's oldest son, born March 23, 1783, was reared in wealth and luxury, and well educated. His father built him a Cotton Factory on Muddy Run, three miles above Oxford, Chester County.

John ran this mill until it was burned down. Then his father built a Paper Mill on the site. Here John carried on paper making for several years and during this time manifested considerable of a disposition to be sportive and extravagant. He was unmarried, tall, good-looking, dark complexioned, always well dressed and disposed to be high-minded or aristocratic. He went South to Virginia and Georgia, and was fortunate in getting a good lucrative position as Superintendent of a Cotton Factory.

While in the South he took great pleasure in visiting his friends in the North and, being a great

gentleman, was always gladly received. The writer remembers his last visit to father's house, our old home in East Nottingham. He was then about seventy years of age, tall and straight, though beginning to look old and showing some of the signs of disappointed ambition. This I remembered in the countenance, dress and bearing of the man to whom I was introduced, chatted with, and respected as my uncle from the South.

Shortly after this visit, he returned to Petersburg, Va., where after a very short illness of which his friends and relatives in Chester Co. knew nothing—he died. It was about 1854, that my father received a paper from Petersburg, Va., in which was an obituary notice marked around with pen and ink, giving a brief account of his sickness and death and that he was buried by his friends with funds in his possession, but left no further Estate.

Aug. 18th, 1853, Rosswell Mills Cobb
Co. Georgia.

JAMES J. FULTON:

Dear Brother, I have long wished to hear from you. I have been here since last December covering rollers in a large Cotton Mill. All the land

and houses here belong to the Company, the houses are double, two families in house therefore there is a poor chance for boarding. This was the gold region 20 years ago. It is poor country, has some good Mill Streams, there are 2 Mills here belonging to the Company, they employ 300 hands; the New Mill has 5000 Spindles or 37 Throttle Cap Spinners 120 Looms, old Mill is not so large.

* * * * * Yours respectfully,

JOHN FULTON.

Rosswell Cobb Co. Georgia, Aug. 23, 1854.

MR. JAMES J. FULTON:

Dear Brother, I wrote you and Rachel about the first of June, I put 5 dollars in Rachel's letter on the Bank of Georgia and directed to Nottingham post office. As I have not heard from you I am afraid you have not got it, I wish you to let me hear from you as soon as you can. If you have not rec^d it I wish you would see the Postmaster at Nottingham, and see if there was a letter came the beginning of June from me—we have had a very warm Summer here and still is warm and dry, there has been a good deal of sickness among the hands. I wish you to let me hear from all the old neighbors.

This is a poor country for farming, the land is so poor. The Mills belong to gentlemen that lived

in the lower parts of the State and moved up here on account of this being a more healthy place and put their money in Two large Cotton Mills. They have fine houses and land near the Mills, but on the other side of the road from the village, that the hands live in.

Yours respectfully,

JOHN FULTON.

COPY OF JOSEPH FULTON'S³ WILL. No. 18.

(JAMES², JOHN¹.)

I Joseph Fulton of the township of East Nottingham County of Chester and State of Pennsylvania considering the uncertainty of this mortal life, and being of sound mind and memory (blessed be Almighty God for the same) do make and publish this my last will and testament in manner and form following (that is to say).

First. I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife Marth Fulton the farm on which I now reside, with all my real and personal estate of every description of which I am in possession, except the following legacies which it is my will is to paid within one year of my decease.

Item. I give and bequeath unto my brother John Fulton five dollars.

Item. I give and bequeath unto my sister Rachel Fulton fifty dollars.

Item. I give and bequeath unto my brother, Miller Fulton, one hundred dollars.

Item. I give and bequeath unto my brother, James J. Fulton, twenty dollars.

Item. I give and bequeath unto my brother-in-law, Fulton Hutchison, ten dollars for his children.

Item. I give and bequeath unto Joseph Hutchison, son of David Hutchison, deceased, one hundred dollars.

Item. I give unto the associate congregation of East Nottingham two hundred dollars.

Item. I give unto the Home Missionary society of the associate church two hundred dollars.

And Lastly, As to all the rest, residue, and remainder of my real and personal estate, of what kind and nature soever, I give and bequeath the same to my said beloved wife Marth Fulton whom I hereby appoint sole executrix of this my last will and testament hereby revoking all former wills by me made.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this twenty third day of March A. D. eighteen hundred and forty four

JOSEPH FULTON [SEAL].

Signed sealed and delivered by the testator as his last will and testament in the presence of us.

JOHN T. HORSON, JAMES HUTCHISON.

JAMES H. HUTCHISON.

ELIZABETH FULTON. No. 22.

We find that Elizabeth Fulton^s, No. 22 (John^s, John^l), who married David La fevre, is the maternal ancestor of a numerous family of Crawfords.

Jane Dickey La fevre married William Crawford, and left issue four children, among them Dr. John Shoenberger Crawford, of Greensburg, Pa., a prominent physician.

Mary Ann La fevre married Albert Crawford, and had four children, viz: William Dickey Crawford, David Irwin Crawford, Ella Mary Crawford, and Robert Grier Crawford.

William Dickey Crawford and David Irwin Crawford have also married and have families.

JOHN FULTON. No. 23.

John Fulton^s, No. 23 (John^s, John^l), was born at McDonald's Mill, Chester County, the old home.

He made his home with David La fevre and his sister Elizabeth in Pittsburg. He married Mary Nixon. They had one son, James Jefferson Fulton, who learned the blacksmith trade, and carried on the business at Parkersburg, W. Va. John en-

tered the regular army, and was killed in action about four years after his enlistment.

GEORGE W. FULTON. No. 28 A (198).

George W. Fulton³, No. 28a (198) (John², John¹), was a steamboat engineer, and ran between Pittsburgh and New Orleans most of his life, with the exception of about six or eight years, when he was engaged in the lumber business in Fallston, Beaver County, Pa., right across the creek from New Brighton, where the children were born. The firm name was Lukens, Fulton & Kennedy. He was successful in business, and accumulated quite a competency.

THE FULTON BELL FOUNDRY, ESTABLISHED 1832.

Pittsburg, Pa., U.S.A., March 2, 1900.

HUGH R. FULTON:

Dear Sir: Your letter of the 1st at hand, and was fortunate enough to meet the party that could give the desired information. This morning I called on Mr. Frank Cooly, an old river engineer, whose mother was John Fulton's (No. 23) widow. John Fulton No. 23 (my father's half-brother) mar-



LOUIS B. FULTON, No. 208.

ried Mary Nixon. They had one son, James Jefferson Fulton. Three months before the birth of J. J. F., John Fulton, No. 23, entered the Regular Army, and was killed in action about four years later. His son, James Jefferson Fulton, learned the blacksmith trade, and went to Parkersburg, W. Va., where he married, and carried on the blacksmith business. He died about three years ago. His family, I believe, still live there. John Fulton's (No. 23) widow married John Cooly, and had quite a family. I have heard my mother speak of Mrs. Cooly quite often. She used to visit there, also to Mrs. La fevre's. Frank Cooly, the person who gave the above information, is 68 years of age, and is strong and hale. James J. Fulton of Parkersburg, if living to-day, would be 72 years of age. You will understand that James J. Fulton and Frank Cooly were half-brothers. Trusting that the above will be satisfactory, I am

Very truly yours,

LOUIS B. FULTON.

JOHN A. KERR AND ELIZA J. HUTCHISON. No. 37.

DEATH OF AN OLD CITIZEN.*

John A. Kerr, a well-known and highly esteemed citizen of Oxford and vicinity, died at his

* From the Oxford *Press*.

residence on Broad street at 11 o'clock Tuesday morning, January 10, 1891.

John A. Kerr was born at Gettysburg, Adams Co. Pa., December 8, 1810, and was the son of George Kerr, Esq., and Eleanor W. Kerr. He remained at home until September 20, 1836, when he married Miss Eliza J., daughter of James H. Hutchison, Esq., and Elizabeth W. Hutchison, East Nottingham, Chester Co., Pa. With his bride he returned home and commenced the journey of life on the farm of his father at Gettysburg, the wheat field which became so noted during the late war being a part of the farm. In 1845 he purchased a farm in East Nottingham, Chester County, now owned by George Watterson.

Mr. Kerr was an active man until a few years ago, when he became afflicted with nervous rheumatism. His wife died July 7, 1889, in her 81st year. In 1889 Mr. Kerr and daughters, Misses Lizzie and Sue, removed from the farm to a new house they had built in Oxford.

He was ordained an elder in the United Presbyterian Church, of Oxford in 1855, which office he held until his death, being an earnest and devout man, upholding the principles of the church of his choice.

On September 20, 1886, Mr. and Mrs. Kerr celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage, when a large number of relatives and friends gathered to congratulate the aged couple.

Five children survive their parents: Prof. James H. Kerr, of Colorado Springs, Dr. George Kerr, of Philadelphia, Mrs. Sarah T., wife of Hugh R. Fulton, Esq., of Lancaster, and Misses Elizabeth E. and Sue M. Kerr, who have waited on their father during his long illness. The funeral took place from his late residence on Broad street.

FOURTH GENERATION.

DR. DAVID W. HUTCHISON. No. 45.*

Dr. David W. Hutchison¹, No. 45 (David³, Elizabeth², John¹).

This community was greatly shocked on Friday last at the announcement of the death of Dr. D. W. Hutchison which occurred suddenly at half-past two o'clock on that morning, at his residence in this Borough.

Dr. Hutchison was a physician of great skill and his large and extensive practice extended over a wide district. He had skillfully performed many

* From the Oxford *Press* of June 3, 1874.

difficult surgical operations and raised many deeply diseased persons from the worst sick beds to life and strength. He seemed to possess great intuitive knowledge of every case he undertook and could almost always inspire confidence in the patient of ultimate recovery. He was kind and affectionate in his manner and won the deep regard of all. His kindness of heart would never allow him to refuse a call from any, no matter how small his reward might be and no matter how unfit his own health was for the duty. His place as a physician will be hard to fill.

He took an active part in politics and was one of the ablest stump speakers and debaters in the State. In 1871 he was a candidate for Congress before the Republican county nominating convention, receiving a very liberal support from his many friends.

Dr. Hutchison was born in East Nottingham Township, August 10, 1818, and was therefore in the 56th year of his age. He studied medicine under Dr. Johnson, of Drumore Township, Lancaster County, and graduated at the Medical Department of the College of Pennsylvania in 1840. He removed to Oxford in the spring of 1841 where

he commenced that brilliant professional career which had but few equals in its extent, and which ended only with his death. It might be truly said of him he died in the very walks of life and business.

Dr. Hutchison was long a member of the United Presbyterian Church and contributed largely to the support and advancement of the gospel. He leaves a wife and seven children to mourn their sudden bereavement. Peace to his ashes—they rest in the beautiful Oxford cemetery, while his memory is enshrined in the hearts of his friends.

Dr. Hutchison was married in 1844 to Jane A. Noble, daughter of William Noble, of Nobleville, an active business man, and prominent in all enterprises, the town of Christiana being named after his wife. Dr. William Noble Hutchison, the oldest son, studied under his father, and was considered one of the most promising physicians of the section, and especially in surgical operations. Dr. D. W. Hutchison and Dr. Wm. N. both volunteered their services to the wounded at the Battle of Gettysburg, and labored for weeks after the battle.

Dr. Wm. N. Hutchison was drowned in the fall of 1877, shortly after returning from Pittsburg, where

he went as Surgeon of the Oxford Guards. Another son, Dr. Francis P. Hutchison, resides in Oxford, where he has an extensive practice. The other children are David C., Sue N., Maggie D., J. H. A. Hutchison, of the *Oxford Press*, and H. Agnew, who died suddenly in Philadelphia, April 29, 1884. Dr. D. W. Hutchison was identified with all that pertained to the welfare of the town having built over thirty houses in the town and at different times owned about fifteen or twenty farms in the neighborhood.

He was a member of the first Board of Directors of the National Bank of Oxford, Trustee in the Oxford United Presbyterian Church and strong supporter of the church and its doctrines, and few cared to attack him on the question of Psalmody. He was a man who delighted in debating questions of the day and was known as the "silver-tongued orator of Chester County."

IN MEMORIAM, BY REV. WM. R. BINGHAM, D.D.

Dr. Hutchison was not a man of ordinary talents, and he brought all his capabilities to bear upon the necessities of his patients, not merely as a doctor,

but as a real friend. He impressed the sick with the idea that he made their difficulties a personal matter. There was not the cold, calculating treatment of the professional, but the ready, vigorous, determined effort of a friend—not to save his reputation, or gratify his love of fame, but to save one in whom he was interested, Who ever held out his sick hand a second time to Dr. Hutchison, without feeling confidence in his judgment to discover the secret place of his disease and skill to apply the best remedies of relief? These gifts of nature to him gave him a great advantage over an ordinary man in approaching a sick bed. This mesmerism of his presence and manner has saved the lives of many in the community when drugs would have no effect without them. To this was added medical ability of no ordinary kind. He had what might be called *medical instincts*. His diagnosis and application of remedies were at times truly wonderful, even in the judgment of medical gentlemen of acknowledged ability. To these natural talents he brought an amount of thought and study known only to those with whom he was intimate. After long and exhaustive rides in attendance upon a large number of sick, he would often spend a good part

of the night in study. And the result of such reading and study were carefully stored by a retentive memory.

When cases of difficulty occurred in his practice, his mind would not long be detained from the most intense study; other things might obtrude for a time, but his mind would break away instinctively and with renewed vigor would return to the point of danger. Whoever has accompanied him in his practice must have often been impressed with this fact. Even his great interest in anything of importance that transpired around him, his desire for public improvement, his readiness to discuss questions of general advantage, never prevented him from close attention to the interests of his patients. They seemed to be uppermost in his mind. Many a mile has he traveled out of his way to find something that would gratify or benefit some one bound down by disease.

As has been well written by others, Dr. Hutchison was kind to his poor patients. No question of interest, no call from the rich, no personal gratification, no darkness of the night, no inclemency of the weather, detained him from the bedside of a man whose life was endangered by disease and

who had entrusted his case to his hands, though he knew that no pecuniary return could be made. Thousands of dollars would not pay the pecuniary obligations of the community to him, at the ordinary rate of charge, and he has made no charge.

The large concourse of people that attended his funeral showed how far the stroke of his death was felt. The people gathered at his grave as they do when a friend or benefactor dies—not to gaze in idle curiosity, but in sad silence to pay their heartfelt tribute to his memory.

FULTON ANKRIM HUTCHISON. No. 55.

Fulton Ankrim Hutchison⁴, No. 55 (Eleanor M.³, James², John¹).

Residence and post-office, Noblestown, Allegheny County, Pa.

Occupation, minister of the gospel U. P. Church.

Birth-place and date of birth, New London, Pa., October 18, 1820.

Married, April 16, 1850, to Miss Martha Buchanan, Washington, Pa.

Children, Ellen Cornelia, Nancy Lavinia Mary, and Fulton.

Education, daughters graduates of Washington Female Seminary, and son graduate of Oakdale Academy and Iron City Commercial College.

Their residence and occupation, home.

Father's full name, Fulton Hutchison.

Mother's maiden name, Eleanor Fulton.

Grandfather's full name, James Hutchison.

Grandmother's maiden name, Jane Fulton.

Nationality, Scotch-Irish.

They first landed in America at New Castle, Del.

They first settled in New London, Chester County.

Belong to United Presbyterian Church.

WILLIAM G. HUTCHINSON. No. 59.

William Gustavus Hutchison⁴, No. 59 (Eleanore M.³, James², John¹), born November 9, 1825, was married to Ann Eliza Campbell, June 6, 1854, who was born July 5, 1826.

Children: Sarah Fulton Hutchison, born July 14, 1855, died June 6, 1859. Ross Alexander Hutchison, born August 25, 1857. William Easton Hutchison, born July 14, 1860. Joseph Cooper Hutchison, born July 1, 1863.



DR. JAMES FULTON, No. 62.

W. G. Hutchison was a farmer, resided in New London Township, Chester County, near Elk View, until 1860, when he removed to East Nottingham Township, two miles south of Oxford, where he resided till 1878, when he purchased the property of Ross A. Campbell, deceased, in Bart Township, Lancaster County. After one year he sold to W. A. Campbell and moved to Easton, Pa., to provide college facilities for his three sons. He was 5 feet 10 inches in height and weighed 160 pounds. He was a member of the U. P. Church.

A. E. Hutchison was a daughter of Ross A. Campbell.

S. Fulton Hutchison was of most amiable disposition. She met her death by a severe accident of scalding.

DR. JAMES FULTON. No. 62.*

Dr. James Fulton¹, No. 62 (James J.³, James², John¹), brother of William T. Fulton, Esq., and son of James J. and Nancy (Ramsey) Fulton, was born November 12, 1832. He was educated at the public schools of the neighborhood, at the Academy of Evan Pugh, at Delaware Col-

* Taken from the History of Chester County, by Hon. J. Smith Futhy and Gilbert Cope, p. 556.

lege (Newark, Del.) and at Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia. He read medicine four years with Dr. Thomas H. Thompson, beginning in 1855 and graduating in 1859, when he began practicing his profession at Jennerville, Chester County. After two years he went into the army as assistant surgeon of the 143d Regiment Pennsylvania Volunteers, which position he held until his resignation, April 4, 1864. He was captured at the battle of Gettysburg in the first day's fight, when the Union forces were driven back through the town, and reported to General A. P. Hill, who directed him to go back to the hospital and do the best he could for the sick and wounded. In this battle it was his duty to provide food and shelter for the sick and wounded—a difficult thing to do when the wounded were within the enemy's lines and the trains with the provisions far to the south of the town. He tried begging from house to house, but this was an exceedingly slow operation, as the enemy had exhausted the supply before the battle came on. In looking around he found bakers and bakeries, but no flour. Upon consulting some of the relief officers, they advised him to visit General Ewell, stating they had plenty of

flour in their trains and that he would willingly supply all needed. He accordingly visited General Ewell, finding a sharp-visaged little man enjoying a good breakfast on a bridge to the east of the town. He promised a supply of flour and sent him back to duty happy in the thought of being soon able to provide food for the poor fellows who were suffering with hunger. This was on the morning of the third day of the battle. It is enough to say that the meal did not come, as at the time Dr. Fulton was talking with him the flour was getting away to "Old Virginia" as fast as the rebel teams could take it. After leaving the General and coming back to town he told a baker what he had done, when the latter asked him if there was any assurance that a person would get paid if they furnished something in the line of provisions. The Doctor told him that he certainly would be paid and he would give him vouchers. He then said he had sixteen barrels of crackers which he would sell, and immediately proceeded to loosen the boards of the garret of his shop and brought down the crackers. The Doctor procured a guard and had them taken to the different hospitals; they served a good purpose until the enemy retreated, when provisions

poured in plentifully from all sides. Thus while the Union Army was manfully struggling to hold its position to the south of the town on Cemetery Hill, Round Top and Culp's Hill, the Doctor was busily engaged in trying to keep the wounded of the first day's fight from suffering with hunger.

The Doctor is a learned and skillful physician, enjoying in an eminent degree the confidence of the community and the esteem of the medical world.

He married May 16, 1861, Anna M. Johnson, by whom he has had the following children: Rebecca, James, Mary, Carrie, William and Gertrude. He is a member of the Oxford Medical Society, of the Chester County Medical Society (of which he has been president) and is now the examining surgeon of the government for the pension department in the county.

He belongs to the F. and A. M. and I. O. O. F. and Thompson Post of the G. A. R., in all of which he has been quite prominent.—History of Chester County, published 1881, page 556.



ANNA M. JOHNSON,
Wife of Dr. James Fulton, No. 62.

DR. JAMES FULTON 50TH BIRTHDAY.*

Fifty years ago our host,
A miniature man the only boast,
Unknown, unnamed, without renown;
He weighed about eleven pounds,
With a big, wide world before him.

In Lancaster County's busy throng,
The Octoraro hills along,
He started life in an humble way,
With Eshleman's Mill not far away,
In the paper-making business.

To Nottingham he soon removed,
His opportunities much improved.
There made himself a farmer boy,
And threw away the childish toy,
For shovel, hoe and hatchet.

To the Sand Chrome banks he started next,
Profitable employment, the pretext,
He dug, he shoveled, he shook the riddle,
But never learned to play the fiddle,
Though very fond of music.

A stone mason trade he went to learn,
And took the sledge in earnest turn;
But a flint flew up and hit his eye,
And made the little fellow fly
From that dangerous occupation.

* Poem read by Hugh R. Fulton at a surprise gathering on
November 11, 1882, at New London, Pa.

To books his thoughts, by this, were turned,
The fount of knowledge he had learned.
Then off to school he took this flight.
He studied hard by day, by night,
And made abundant progress.

Delaware College opened ranks,
For boys who study and cut no pranks;
They took him in their freshman class—
That he might the examinations pass,
Did drill him day by day.

In Greek and Latin roots and rules,
With all the branches taught in schools,
He spent his many toilsome hours
Developing his mental powers,
Preparing for life's duties.

At teaching too his turn he took,
O'er Lancaster and Chester Counties look,
There, many a boy, remembers well,
His knowledge bump began to swell
With Fulton's free instruction.

But teaching was only a stepping stone,
To the higher walk of life begun,
The healing art was now his hope,
And those dull books he did invoke,
For light in medical science.

In Fifty-nine the sheepskin came,
Earnest labor never is in vain;
Of Jefferson College a graduate
With health and strength and mental weight
He started well prepared,

The war broke out, to the field he went
As surgeon in a Regiment.
At Gettysburg the Rebels took him,
At a time he surely wasn't looking,
A prisoner of war.

His horse, his saddle and sword they stole,
His sash returned him with parol,
And this it was which saved him clear,
From Rebel prisons, dark and drear,
With starvation close confinement.

For two and twenty years with skill
Professional duties did fulfill,
And many a life, to some most dear,
Has saved and health restored to cheer
Their journey on through life.

And now with half a century past,
Your duties done from first to last,
A happy home you have acquired—
Good wife, six children well attired,
A joyous, happy family.

A birthday present you should get
From best and nearest friends—you bet—
So brothers true, Will, Joe and Hugh,
With kindest feelings and love for you,
Present you with this stick.

The Ebony staff and golden top
May not alone sufficient prop,
Or help two hundred and twenty pounds,
With pills and powders the grand rounds
Of professional engagements.

But as a token of regard
T'will cheer you on your way
And if, in years you weary grow,
With work and care begin to bow,
Your locks 'come mixed with gray,

You have a consolation true
That never fails good men:
A useful, honored, Christian life
You've led amid'st the worldly strife,
And that's enough for you.

WILLIAM T. FULTON. No. 63.

William T. Fulton⁴, No. 63 (James Jefferson³, James², John¹).

Copy taken from the History of Chester County by Hon. J. Smith Futhey and Gilbert Cope. Page 555.

William T. Fulton was born in West Nottingham, February 27, 1835. He was educated in the common schools, and later at the Jordan Bank Academy. He engaged in farming, then learned the blacksmithing trade, and later taught school some two years. He read law with "the Great Commoner," Hon. Thaddeus Stevens, and afterward with Hon. J. Smith Futhey. He was admitted to the bar May 13, 1861. He settled at Oxford.



MAJ. WM. T. FULTON, No. 63.

In August and September, 1861, he helped to recruit Company E, Purnell Legion Maryland Infantry, made up of the bordermen of Pennsylvania and Maryland.

He was captain of the company until August, 1862, when he was promoted to be major of the regiment and was subsequently discharged on account of physical disability. After leaving the Army he resumed the practice of his profession which he continued until the invasion of the State by Lee in 1863, when he volunteered in the State service to repel the invaders.

He was elected a Justice of the Peace in 1863, reëlected in 1868 and again in 1873, resigning November 1, 1876, to accept a seat in the legislature to which he was that year elected and to which he was reëlected in 1878. In the legislature he was a member of many important committees among which were those Judiciary general and local, and of Federal Relations of which he was chairman. He is a staunch Republican and very active in politics. In 1865 he was married to Hannah A., daughter of Joseph Kirk, of West Nottingham, and in 1876 to Annie E. Neeper, of Oxford. By his first wife he had two children, Kirk and Annie

E. and by his second marriage one daughter, Jennie. He is a member of the Presbyterian Church and one of its trustees ; also belongs to Fairview Lodge, No. 334, I. O. O. F. and a Past Commander of Thompson Post, Grand Army of the Republic ; is a director in the Oxford National Bank and associate counsel of the Philadelphia and Baltimore Central Railroad. He gives his full time and attention to the practice of his profession in which he has been successful. He is a public-spirited citizen and his influence is largely felt in all measures for the public good.

From a circular issued by his friends when his name was announced as a candidate for Judge, we take the following :

The subject of our sketch is, to a great extent, a self-made man, receiving his early education at the public schools and at Jordan Bank Academy, conducted by Dr. Evan Pugh, late president of the Pennsylvania State College. It was a favorite theory of Dr. Pugh, that every boy should learn a trade, and young Fulton imbibing that sentiment took an apprenticeship and became a blacksmith. He carried on the business for himself for about two years at Hilmans, in East Nottingham, and

built up a successful business. Finding, however, that increasing business left him but little time for reading and study, which was his ambition, and having a desire to study law, he resolved to apply himself to teaching and study. Dr. Franklin Taylor, the County Superintendent at that time, after the usual strict examination, gave him a teacher's certificate.

He was appointed to a school in his native township, where he taught for two years. During this period he utilized his spare time by a systematic review of his former studies, mathematics and English classics, with the addition of the Latin and French languages.

At the end of two years teaching he went to Lancaster, where he registered as a law student with the late Hon. Thaddeus Stevens. Mr. Stevens, however, leaving for Congress, young Fulton was recommended by him to Hon. J. Smith Futhey for the completion of his law studies, and under his instructions and training he was admitted to the West Chester bar in 1861.

The War of the Rebellion had now broken out, and the great thought with many young men was how best to defend their country's honor and to save the union of the States.

Young Fulton laid aside his law books and turned his attention to raising and drilling a company for the war. This required him to leave West Chester and join in with a number of young men in the neighborhood of his old home in Nottingham, on the borders of the States of Pennsylvania and Maryland. In recruiting this company, it was agreed that the organization should be accredited to the State furnishing the most men.

Colonel Purnell, postmaster of Baltimore, was raising a regiment, as also Colonel Guss, of West Chester.

The young men of Maryland, however, outstripped the Pennsylvanians in recruiting, and having furnished the greatest number of members of the company, the organization became Company E of Purnell Legion, Maryland Volunteers, remaining in the service three years. Fulton was chosen captain of the company. After about a year's service he was promoted to major of the regiment. The many hard marches and great exposures of the campaigns of 1861 and 1862 and particularly those incident to the rebel invasion of Maryland and the battle of Antietam, brought on a fever disabling him from active service. He held on for

several months, but was finally ordered before a Board of Surgeons, examined and discharged.

After recovery he opened a law office in Oxford in 1863. Lee's invasion of Pennsylvania and the battle of Gettysburg found the Major again in the field as a member of Company C, 29th Regiment of Pennsylvania Militia. After the emergency was over he resumed his law practice. He was elected Justice of the Peace, of the Borough of Oxford, the duties of which position he performed with remarkable satisfaction to the people and to the honor of the office for thirteen years, when he resigned to take his seat in the Legislature of Pennsylvania.

His record as a member of the assembly for his three years' service, 1877-1879, was one of close application to the duties of the office, the performance of those duties to the State and to his constituents with sterling integrity, sound judgment and marked ability.

In politics he has always been an earnest and active Republican. He joined the party at its formation, voted for Abraham Lincoln, the first Republican president, and has been a steadfast member of the party ever since.

He has been an earnest advocate of the temperance cause, but holds steadfastly to the principle that temperance reform, like any other political reformation in this county or in this State must come through and within the lines of the Republican party. All his efforts in that direction have therefore been confined within the limits of his party.

Although a Presbyterian, he has always been tolerant and liberal in religious opinion. He has frequently been heard to say that "he hoped the time would never come when any religious denomination, not even his own, would attain supreme ascendancy in this country, but that for all time while our government endures, all denominations would continue to be equal before the law and the right of conscience and religious worship be allowed to remain untrammelled and uncontrolled by party or sect."

WM. T. FULTON'S 50TH BIRTHDAY, FEBRUARY 27,
1885.*

Wm. T. we find to-day with

1. The fiftieth milestone reached and passed
On life's journey;
Time's Chariot must be rolling fast
Bearing all this peopled mass,
Our brother numbered in the class
Of those o'er fifty.
2. A while ago you were a boy,
A merry lad,
With whip and hatchet for a toy,
Balls and wagons were a joy,
School books were fun without alloy—
The few you had.
3. But you remember more of work
Those days than play.
The stony field you did not shirk,
A chrome bank was no place to lurk,
That blacksmith shop would tire a Turk,
Both night and day.
4. Old Davy Whitcraft brought you out
Of Egypt's land;
He was the man who was so stout,
Weighed four hundred or thereabout,
He helped you work the iron out
With skillful hand.

*By H. R. Fulton.

5. Since '56 I've often thought
Of your terrible trip
To Wilmington, to pay goods you bought;
The note was due, the grace was naught,
Against protests you'd always fought,
Your credit grip.
6. A winter day, with mercury low,
You started out;
With western blizzards and drifted snow,
The trains at Newark could not go;
You trudged and waded to and fro
The entire route.
7. Old Garret must have been surprised
To welcome you;
The Townsfolk hardly can surmise
A Country Chap has enterprise
To beat a railroad and arrive
E'er trains get through.
8. He planked the cash the day 'twas due—
That pleased the firm,
And fixed his credit the season through,
Convinced them that man's word was true;
They offered goods, and not a few,
On his return.
9. Ill wind it is that blows no good,
If men are true;
And so we thank the winds for food,
Praise all events of life which stood
A guide to lead us through the wood,
When friends were few.

10. And if you're glad you left the shop
And took to school,
Give credit to the day you dropped
The bloody Butteris, red and hot,
Kicked through your hand by—treacherous trot—
Sam Passmore's mule.
11. Such accidents have much to do
With course in life;
They form an impress deep and true
That follow us our journey through,
And oft our lagging powers renew,
To win the strife.
12. As Pedagogue he had success—
Short avocation—
But never gave enough recess;
The stupid lads got in a mess,
While studious pupils all express
Their approbation.
13. Our host was loyal to the core
In Rebellion's day;
The oysters fresh on Eastern shore,
He captured lots and fought for more,
Until they joined another corps
Across the bay.
14. His Purnell Legion border men
Wore best of blue;
They had of Infantry Companies ten,
Cannons and horsemen were welcome then;
All fought so well at Antietam,
The Rebels flew.

15. Of loyal blood he's always been,—
 'Tis nothing new.
 Grandfather Fulton's Kith and Kin
 His Revolutionary record must not dim,
 And so he fought the cause to win,
 And won it too.
16. And now we'll let him practice law,
 He loves his books;
 His shingle's up, he's learned to draw
 The tedious briefs, to find the flaw,
 And at the others' weakness claw,
 To show his crooks.
17. To some the law's a luxury,
 A very sport;
 The man who wants to pay the fee
 Has right to any Court's decree,
 Then Lawyer, Judge and Jury three
 All play the court.
18. At other times the law is sought
 By best of men,
 For safety against wrong and fraud,
 An aid to peace and wealth well wrought,
 The crown of battles bravely fought,
 And due to them.
19. The attorney has an odd career,
 And not o'er pleasant;
 He is most trusted and revered,
 He's loved and hated too severe,
 In usefulness he has no peer,
 The people's servant.



JOSEPH M. FULTON, No. 64.

20. And since you love this avocation,
And like the labor,
We wish success on all occasions,
That health and wealth and ample rations,
May bless your every social station,
And bring you honor.
21. And as the years roll swiftly by
Without recall,
Bank not on time which doth so fly,
No mortgage take on reasons why;
Get title deeds to mansions high,
The best of all.

JOSEPH MILLER FULTON. No. 64.

Joseph Miller Fulton⁴, No. 64 (James J.³, James², John¹), was born January 11, 1840, in West Nottingham Township, Chester County.

He early took to the business of merchandising, clerked in the store of Haines & Ireland at Brick Meeting House, Maryland.

In 1863 he engaged in store-keeping at Hilmans, now Chrome, East Nottingham. From that place he went to Brick Meeting house, Md., and entered into partnership with John M. Ireland in the general merchandise business. In 1867 he established a drug store at New London, Chester

County, which he conducted for a period of over twenty years to the time of his decease.

Entered the army in 1863, and served in Company C, 29th Regiment of Pennsylvania Militia.

He studied pharmacy, and was graduated from Philadelphia College of Pharmacy. He was a Past Master of New London Lodge of F. and A. M. He had been Treasurer of the Board of Trustees, and an elder of the New London Presbyterian Church, and for a time was superintendent of the Sabbath School.

He was a man of great liberality, kind to the poor, and generous to a fault.

He died February 21, 1892, in the 53d year of his age.

The widow, Mrs. Sarah Anna Fulton, with the two sons, Frederick J. and Alfred Miller, reside at 1312 W. 4th Street, Wilmington, Del.

HUGH RAMSEY FULTON. No. 65.

Hugh Ramsey Fulton⁴, No. 65 (James J.³, James², John¹), was born November 16, 1843, in East Nottingham Township, Chester County, in the brick dwelling on the Christiana road adjoining the Old Passmore homestead.



SARAH ANNA BROWN,
Wife of Jos. M. Fulton, No. 64.

Although in early youth he had a great dislike for the subscription and public schools of the neighborhood, he was, through the patient perseverance of a thoughtful and wise mother, induced to spend a fair portion of his time in school. A subscription school taught by Miss Beckie Brown near the White House, Thompson's old log school house, the new brick at Hilamon's called Fairview, the public school at the brick meeting house, under Reuben Hains, Esq., Chestnut Level Academy under Morgan Rawlins, and the select school at Oxford under Dr. Taylor, gave him his primary education.

In the spring of 1861, while employed on the chrome banks of Robert McMullen, the war broke out; the necessities of the blockade stopped the exportation as also the mining of chrome, and threw him out of employment. About this time Wm. P. Brown, a neighbor, was beginning the erection of a new brick house and was in want of hod carriers. He called upon Fulton for help, who complied with the request, went to work, and carried brick and mortar for one of the finest brick houses in the neighborhood.

In the fall of 1861 he was, through the kind-

ness of his cousin, Mrs. Thomas A. Clark, invited to attend the Chestnut Level Academy, and make his home with them. This opportunity was recognized as a good one, and he at once accepted it. During the winter and spring of 1861 and 1862 and the summer of 1863 he attended that institution with pleasure and profit.

It was while at the Academy in 1863 that the ardent loyalty of the people with whom he associated, the defeat of the Union forces in Virginia, the onward march of the Rebel hordes upon our own State, the approach of the Confederate cavalry toward the Susquehanna, the burning of the bridge at Wrightsville, which, at the time, was supposed to be the State Capital, were a combination of circumstances tending to patriotic impulse, too strong to be resisted by him, and he enlisted, on the 27th of June, in Lieutenant Samuel Boyd's Company G, 1st Battalion, Pennsylvania Six-month Volunteers, afterwards the 187th Penni. Volunteers.

They went into service immediately, were sworn and mustered at Harrisburg, and while in camp there he wrote to his parents (whom he had promised to come home during vacation and help with

the store and harvest) telling them for the first time what he had done, asking them to excuse and approve as he had considered it his solemn duty to his country's cause to do as he did.

At that time James, William T., Joseph M. and Hugh R.—the whole family—were in the Union Army, while their father was doing all he could at home for the success of the cause of human liberty, national unity, and the return of peace and prosperity.

The subject of this sketch served his first enlistment at provost duty at Harrisburg, Philadelphia, Chambersburg and Antietam, Maryland. The service was a pleasant one and also useful to the Government, but was void of that inspiring and exciting feature of camp in front and the battlefield, which the young soldier so much loves, and it was for this reason that, soon after his return from the volunteers, he reënlisted at Philadelphia in the Regular Army in the 5th Regiment of United States Artillery, and was soon sent to Battery E, then stationed at Chambersburg, Pa., but which immediately joined the Army of the Potomac on the Rapid Ann, Virginia. His battery during the battles of the Wilderness and Spottsylvania was

with the artillery reserve, but was soon attached to the 6th Army Corps and remained with it to the close of the war.

Hugh R. served with his battery in the battles of the Wilderness, Spottsylvania Court House, North Ann River, Cold Harbor, the first attack on Petersburg and the whole siege of Petersburg. During the time of the springing of the mine at Petersburg, or the blowing up of the Rebel fort, and for three months after he was stationed in Fort Hell, which was regarded as the hottest place on the siege line. He was in the artillery duels during the attack on the South Side Railroad, and the Rebel attack and capture of Fort Steadman, and was active in the great Sunday fight of April 2, 1865, when the Union Army left their fortifications, marched out into the open field in front, making charge after charge upon the Rebel works and with their artillery on that open plain, kept up such a cannonade, that three Rebel forts were captured, and dismantled in that one day. He was in the last battle of the Potomac Army, which was fought at Sailor's Creek on April 6th. He participated in the rejoicing over the surrender of the Rebel forces under Lee on April 9th, when the

whole Army of the Potomac threw up their hats, cheered themselves hoarse and fired the last blank cartridge. With the hardened sturdy soldiery he was humbled from the highest pitch of joy and rejoicing, and melted to grief on hearing of the assassination of our honored President, Abraham Lincoln, on the 14th of April. He had the pleasure of joining in the triumphal review of the Armies of the Republic at Washington, and after the close of the war, was sent south to the Carolinas and Florida in support of the reconstruction plans of the Government.

He was, for short periods in 1865 and 1866, stationed at Washington, D. C., New York City, Beaufort, Charleston, Fort Moultrie, Port Royal, South Carolina, Saint Augustine, Key West, Barrancas and Fort Pickins, Florida.

His term of service having expired, he was discharged with the following letter of recommendation :

Character. [Endorsed on army discharge.]

One of the most faithful and intelligent soldiers I have ever known.

T. SEYMOUR,
Br. Maj. Genl. Capt. 5th. Arty.

Sergeant Hugh R. Fulton has served with this company in the following engagements, viz :

Wilderness, — Spottsylvania, — Cold Harbor, —
Siege of Petersburg, — Petersburg April 2nd. 1865,
— Sailors Creek, — Surrender of Lee.

T. SEYMOUR ;

Br. Maj. Genl. Capt. 5th. Arty. Comm'g.

Barrancas Fla., February 22nd., 1867.

Sergeant Hugh R. Fulton—now discharged from the U. S. Army, has served three years, in the field, with a steadiness and fidelity that might be equalled—but could not be surpassed. By his constant good conduct he has won the well-deserved respect and esteem of every Officer with whom he has associated. Should he have occasion to show this writing, to advance his interests in any respect, I trust that it may procure for him whatever he may seek—for I have met with few better men than Hugh R. Fulton.

T. SEYMOUR :

Br. Maj. Genl. U. S. Army.

He arrived home about the middle of March, 1867, and on the first of April started to Taylor's Select School in the Presbyterian Session House,

Oxford. Early in August he took charge of the Union School in Elk Township, which he taught for three terms. In the spring of 1868 he registered with his brother, William T. Fulton, Esq., of Oxford, as a student of law, was appointed in July of that year as teacher of Fairview School, East Nottingham, which he taught with entire satisfaction for one month, when his friends, Theodore K. Stubbs and Benjamin F. Hudson, who were making preparations to enter the Law Department of the University of Michigan—which they recommended very highly—having urged him to go along, he resolved to go. He then had his chief competitor for the school, Miss Ruth Griffith, appointed in his place as teacher, and started for this Athens of the West. He entered the University on October 1, 1868, and was graduated with the degree of Bachelor of Laws, on March 30, 1870. He at once came to Lancaster, and was admitted to practice law on April 19, 1870. One month later he entered the office of Hon. William Aug. Atlee.

In 1871 he took a tour through the Western States for the purpose of seeing the country, and satisfying himself of the best place for his permanent location. The States of Illinois and Iowa

failing to offer sufficient inducements for his leaving Lancaster, he returned, and soon after married Miss Sallie T. Kerr, daughter of John A. Kerr, of East Nottingham, Chester County.

He was elected Solicitor for the Board of Trustees of the Home for Friendless Children, Lancaster, in 1872, in which capacity he served for four years. He was afterwards elected a member of the Board of Trustees of that institution, and in 1875 was elected Treasurer of the Board, in which capacity he has served until the present time.

In January, 1876, he was elected Solicitor for the Lancaster Law Library Association. In 1879 he was elected by the people of Lancaster County to the office of County Solicitor, and served with the commendation of the people and public press in the details of the office, the trial of the large number of land damage cases arising during his term owing to the opening of streets in the City of Lancaster and for his successful collection of a large claim of over \$23,000, from the Commonwealth, for overpaid taxes in previous years.

He was elected by the Councils of the city of Lancaster to the office of City Solicitor in 1883 and was notably successful in the collection of a



SALLIE T. KERR, No. 88,
Wife of Hugh R. Fulton, Esq.

large number of outstanding claims due the city, and in requiring certain corporations to comply with the ordinances of the city.

He was one of the organizers of the Lancaster General Hospital, one of the most worthy charities in the county, and has served as a director and secretary.

He was one of the organizers and also superintendent of Bethany Presbyterian Sabbath School, in the western part of the city, and served on the building committee in the erection of the beautiful chapel now occupied by it on West End Avenue. He joined Oxford Lodge A. Y. Masons in 1867, Lancaster Chapter 43 in 1873, and the Junior Order of United American Mechanics. He was for five years president of the Young Men's Christian Association and director for many years.

He has been an elder of the First Presbyterian Church of Lancaster for some years, was twice Commander of Post No. 84 Grand Army of the Republic, frequently a delegate to the department encampments, was Assistant Inspector at Large of the Posts of the county, and Aid-de-Camp on the Staff of Commander-in-Chief General Sexton.

THE TEACHER THOUGHT IT WAS PLUCK.

ELKTON, Cecil County, Md.

My Dear Sir: I received by this morning's mail your kind letter under date of the 20th instant, and I hasten to comply. With this you will please find the sum of 25 cents in postage stamps, with which to purchase the stereoscopic view of ex-President Buchanan's grave, and return postage.

There is a lawyer in your city who, when I taught school, was a student under me in surveying. He was a good boy, a faithful scholar, and honest as the day is long. His name is Hugh Fulton. I have not seen nor even heard of him for at least sixteen years. All that I know of him was what I knew over fifteen years ago, when he used to walk four miles to the school and four miles back home again, after he had recited. This is what I call pluck.

I remain, yours very truly,

REUBEN HAINES.

To Mr. ———, April 21, 1881.

FROM MRS. ELIZABETH ESTHER FULTON WINANS⁴.

No. 220 (66 M). (GEORGE W.³, JOHN², JOHN¹.)

MANCHESTER, Kas., Feb. 12, 1900.

I received your letter this morning with enclosures from Mr. Hugh R. Fulton, of Lancaster, Pa.

It is now almost thirty-six years since I married and left home ; for twenty-five years of that time I have been entirely separated from my relatives. I have lost track of a great many, and being among strangers, have not talked of old times and friends as if I had been among them. I remember of hearing father say that his father, John Fulton, was born in Maryland. He was married twice. I am not certain if it was to Margaret Dickey, but think it was. "Beck" Crawford's grandmother, Aunt Betsy La fevre, was one of the children, Aunt "Polly" Eckles was another, and John, who it was thought died suddenly, long before our time, was another.

Our grandmother was Esther Cooper, and, as you will see by the chart, had eight children, a number of whom we never saw, in fact, I have no recollection of any but Uncle Andrew and Aunt Ellen ; but of their children I have some knowledge. I have filled out the chart to the best of my ability. In filling out the Matthew H. Fulton part of the chart, I would give his army record, also that of his soldier son Jim. Don't forget Carrie's little girl, either. I think father said grandfather came over the mountains to western Pennsylvania in the year 1804. Father was born in Chester County, Pa.

MATTHEW HENRY FULTON. No. 221 (66 N).

Matthew Henry Fulton⁴, No. 221 (66 n) (George W.³, John², John¹), when the Civil War broke out, enlisted in the New Brighton Rifles, which was afterwards Co. H, of the 9th Penna. Reserves, and served until wounded at the battle of Gaines' Mill, Va., and was taken prisoner on account of said wound at Savage Station, Va., a few days later, and taken to Richmond and exchanged in three months. He came to Bucyrus, O., in 1866, was Postmaster in Garfield's and Arthur's administrations, and was mayor from 1886 to 1888. My son, James Edward (No. 246), 16 years old, was principal musician (chief trumpeter) of the 8th Ohio, and served in Cuba. He was the youngest chief trumpeter in the army.

MATTHEW JAMES WILSON. No. 67.

Name, Matthew James Wilson⁴, No. 67 (Robert³, Jane², John¹).

Residence and post-office, East Nottingham, Chester County, Pa.; Oxford.

Occupation, farming.

Birth-place and date of birth, East Nottingham ;
January 11, 1830.

Married Rebecca E. McIntire.

Names and ages of children in full, Robert B.,
Ella F., Lydia Jane, and Ann Elizabeth.

Robert B. married Ida Mary Crawl, daughter of
Robert A. Crawl, on December 29, 1881.

Educated at Oxford Academy and State Normal
schools.

Residence and occupation of children, Robert
B., East Nottingham, farming; Ella F., Liver-
mon, Cal., teaching; Lydia Jane and Ann Eliza-
beth at home.

Father's full name was Robert Wilson (No. 30).

Mother's maiden name was Lydia Wilson.

Grandfather's full name was Matthew Wilson.

Grandmother's maiden name was Jenny Fulton
(No. 6).

ROBERT FRANKLIN WILSON. No. 69.

Name, Robert Franklin Wilson⁴, No. 69 (Rob-
ert³, Jane², John¹).

Oxford, Chester County, Pa.

Occupation, farmer.

Born in East Nottingham Township, June 26,
1839.

Married to Agnes E. Thomson, January 19, 1870.

Children, Robert Thomson Wilson, born December 6, 1872; William J. Wilson, born February 15, 1879.

Fathers name, Robert Wilson.

Date of birth, July 1, 1796, East Nottingham; died April 3, 1862.

Mother's maiden name, Lydia Wilson.

Born July 18, 1804; died September 7, 1865.

Grandfather's name, Matthew Wilson.

Born July 27, 1762, in East Nottingham; died January 10, 1838.

Grandmother's maiden name, Jane Fulton.

Names of father's children in full, and dates of birth.

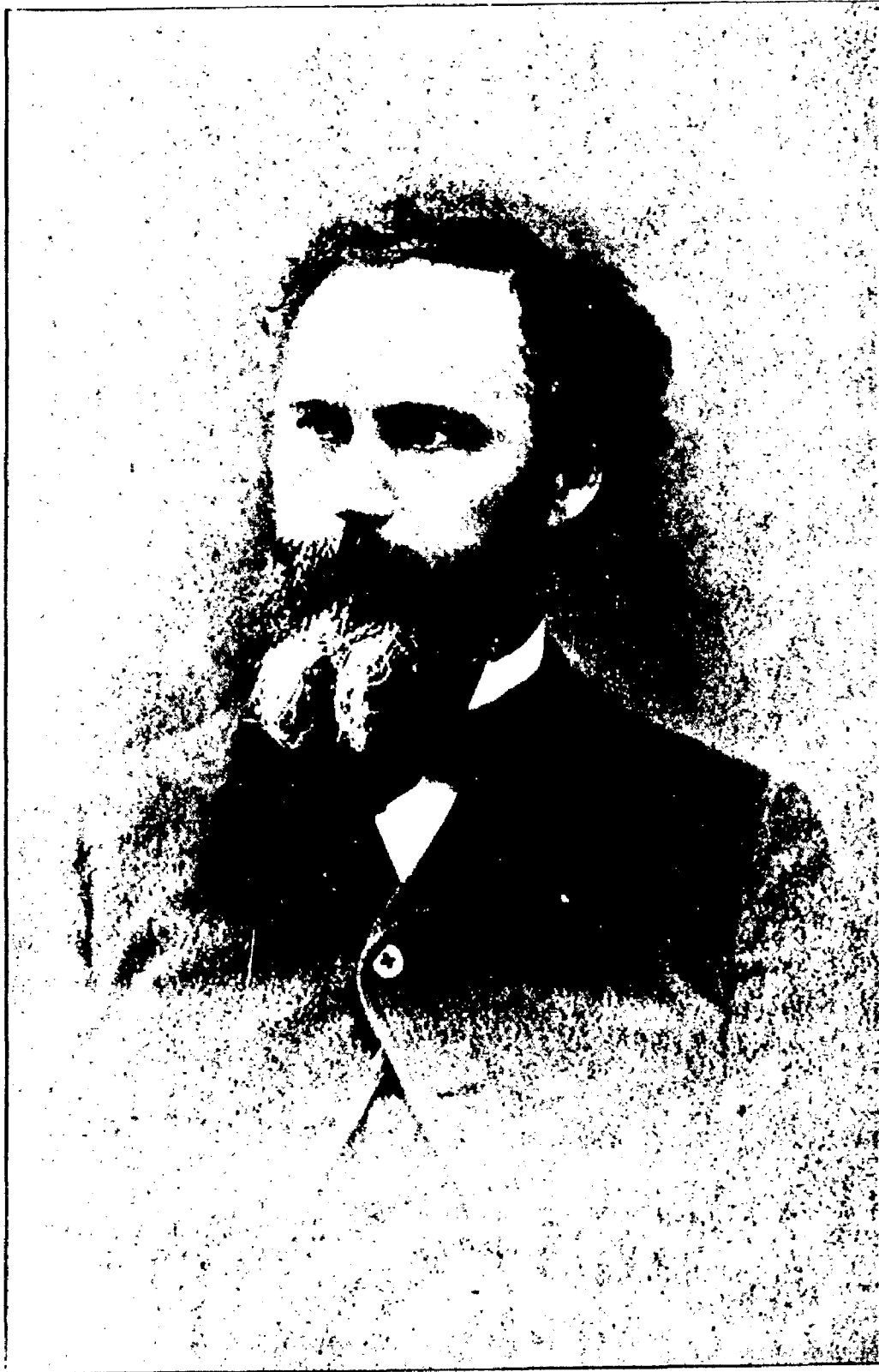
1. Matthew James Wilson, born January 11, 1830; married Rebecca C. McIntire.

2. Phoebe Wilson, born August 1, 1831.

3. Tamar Jane Wilson, born February 8, 1836; married William K. Warden.

4. Robert Franklin Wilson, born June 23, 1839; married Agnes E. Thomson.

5. John Wilson, born January 11, 1842; married S. Elizabeth Thomson.



HON. JAMES H. KERR, No. 85.

CHAPTER V.

FIFTH GENERATION.

JAMES HUTCHISON KERR⁵. No. 85. (ELIZA JANE⁴,
JAMES³, ELIZABETH², JOHN¹.)

HEIDELBERG, Germany, Oct. 10, 1899.

HON. HUGH R. FULTON, Lancaster, Pa.

Dear Brother: I have just received from Guy a blank entitled "Fulton Genealogy" with a request to fill out the same and give an outline sketch of my life. As I do not know how full you are making the life history of your family, I will simply give you a skeleton. You can throw out any bones too long for the collection and any that are too short, pull up to the proper height and hang a towel in front. If any are too bare, take a hint from the most lovely and divine sex and use cotton.

Your loving brother,

JAMES HUTCHISON KERR.

LIFE OUTLINE.

Born near Chambersburg, Franklin Co., Pa.,
August 30, 1837. When a year old, took my parents and went to farming near McConnellsburg,

Fulton Co., Pa. In 1844 moved to Chester County, taking the same parents. Here also we engaged in farming. Until 1850 attended school in winter, and in summer engaged in the exciting sport of picking potatoes and gathering stones. When brother George and I were not gathering stones we were watching them grow. In those days, father thought I was cut out for a farmer, and mother thought I was a born preacher.

In 1847-8 I began, through the stories of the Mexican War and the Students' Revolution in Germany, to feel the influence of a greater world. Then came the discovery of chrome in the barrens of Chester County. I heard much of this ore and the mining and reduction of the same. I saw many different kinds of minerals, which were carried around by different persons. Many specimens were given me; and I began to look for the beautiful things God has made to beautify this world, and to give power, and comfort, and a broader, better and happier ever-growing life, individually and collectively to mankind.

In 1851 I was attending school at Elk Ridge when the teacher was taken sick and the pupils selected me as their teacher. This being ratified

in the course of a week by the directors, I taught the remaining two months. From the first I loved the work, and I saw that, for me, life's open door was teaching as a profession. I read everything I could get on methods, I sought the society of teachers with experience. I attended institutes, and took an active part in the same. Above all I made a study of my pupils. Tried to assist Nature by giving pupils a chance to grow. One of the greatest pleasures of my life has been in seeing the different effects of a question, or a proposition put to a class of pupils as indicated in their eyes. The teacher who has not watched and studied the awakening of human souls may know much of the drudgery of the profession, but can know little of its inspirations.

In 1852-53 I attended the Turner Seminary. In 1853-54-55 attended New London Academy. 1855-56 Westminster College in Lawrence County, Pa. In 1857 saw something of the South and later went to Rochester, New York, where I taught school, engaged in the grocery business, got burned out, and attended lectures at the Rochester University; also carried on a systematic study of the natural sciences under the direction

of Rev. Orville Dewey, of Rochester, and Dr. James Hall, the geologist and paleontologist, of Albany. During these years my resting hours were spent in travelling in New England, Canada, and the West. Had charge of the Academy of Franklinville, Cattaraugus County, New York, in 1859 and 1860-61.

In 1861 entered Yale College (Classical Department). Kept up in geology under the direction of Prof. James D. Dana, and meteorology under Professors Loomis, Twining and Newton. In my senior year had charge of the Department of Natural Sciences in General Russel Military and Collegiate Institute in New Haven, Conn. During this year was offered the position of Second Assistant Geologist and Mining engineer, by the Maximilian Government of Mexico. Spent college vacations mostly in making excursions afoot. In sophomore year went to West Indies and South America in a sailing vessel. Graduated with honor in 1865, having had to labor under the misfortune of only a four months' fit in Greek—several members of the class having had a preparation of over five years.

After graduating took a two months' tour to Nova Scotia, Newfoundland, Labrador and Greenland.

Returning to New Haven, was offered the position of principal of Jackson Academy, Jackson, Cape Girardeau County, Missouri. This I accepted, and arrived at Jackson on the 28th day of September, 1865. Within two months, was appointed County Superintendent of Public Schools by the Governor and directed not only to reorganize the schools of the county, but also to give such assistance as lay within my power in reorganizing public instruction in the twenty-three counties constituting the Third Congressional District of Missouri.

On Christmas 1866, married Miss Mary Ella Spear, of Jackson, Mo., who is a Jefferson-Randolph (of Virginia) through the Criddles and Bollins.

In 1868 was elected County Superintendent of Public Schools and the same year was appointed by the Governor one of the Curators of the University of Missouri at Columbia. Took an active part in organizing the Mining School at Rolla, Mo. Was offered the directorship of the same.

In 1869, organized the Fruitland Normal Institute, 6 miles north of Jackson. This was the first Normal School in the United States south of St. Louis, Mo.

In 1874 poor health led me to Colorado and in 1875 was urged to come to the assistance of Colorado College, which had been organized at Colorado Springs the year before. September, 1875, I became professor in charge at Colorado College, and was soon joined by my family. In 1876 I resigned my position; but was immediately elected professor of chemistry and geology, with the understanding that I was to devote to the College only such time as I could spare from mining, engineering and metallurgical work. In 1878, became a member of the Board of College Trustees and resigned in 1879. In 1880 made an extended visit with family through the South Bahamas and West Indies. In 1882 with my son visited Japan and China. While abroad was elected to the Colorado Legislature—the Democrats doing me the honor of putting up no one against me.

In 1884 originated the Pike's Peak railway scheme. In 1885-6 visited, as a mining engineer, Central America, South America and England—taking my wife with me to England. In 1887-8 was the acting president of Colorado College.

In 1888 went to Mexico, as mining engineer and metallurgist. Became in 1890 mining engineer and

metallurgist for the British Consul and Minister.

In 1892 to 1894 did considerable engineering work for several American, English, Mexican and Spanish companies.

Returning to the United States in 1894, have been since engaged in the practice of my profession, principally in Montana and New York. In June, 1899, my wife and I came to Europe for rest, health, pleasure and study.

From 1851 until 1880 I taught from four to ten months of every year. I hold state teacher certificates from Connecticut, New York, Pennsylvania, Missouri and Colorado.

For twenty years of my life I worked from 16 to 18 hours per day. Notwithstanding the work, the struggles to get an education, and the coming of misfortunes over which I had no control, life has been full of cheer. I have gathered very much honey and very little poison from the many flowers that have beautified my life pathway. I have never cried over spilt milk and never crossed a bridge until I came to it; and thus, I have thrown aside nine-tenths of those troubles and burdens which a very large per cent. of mankind endure and carry.

JAMES H. KERR.

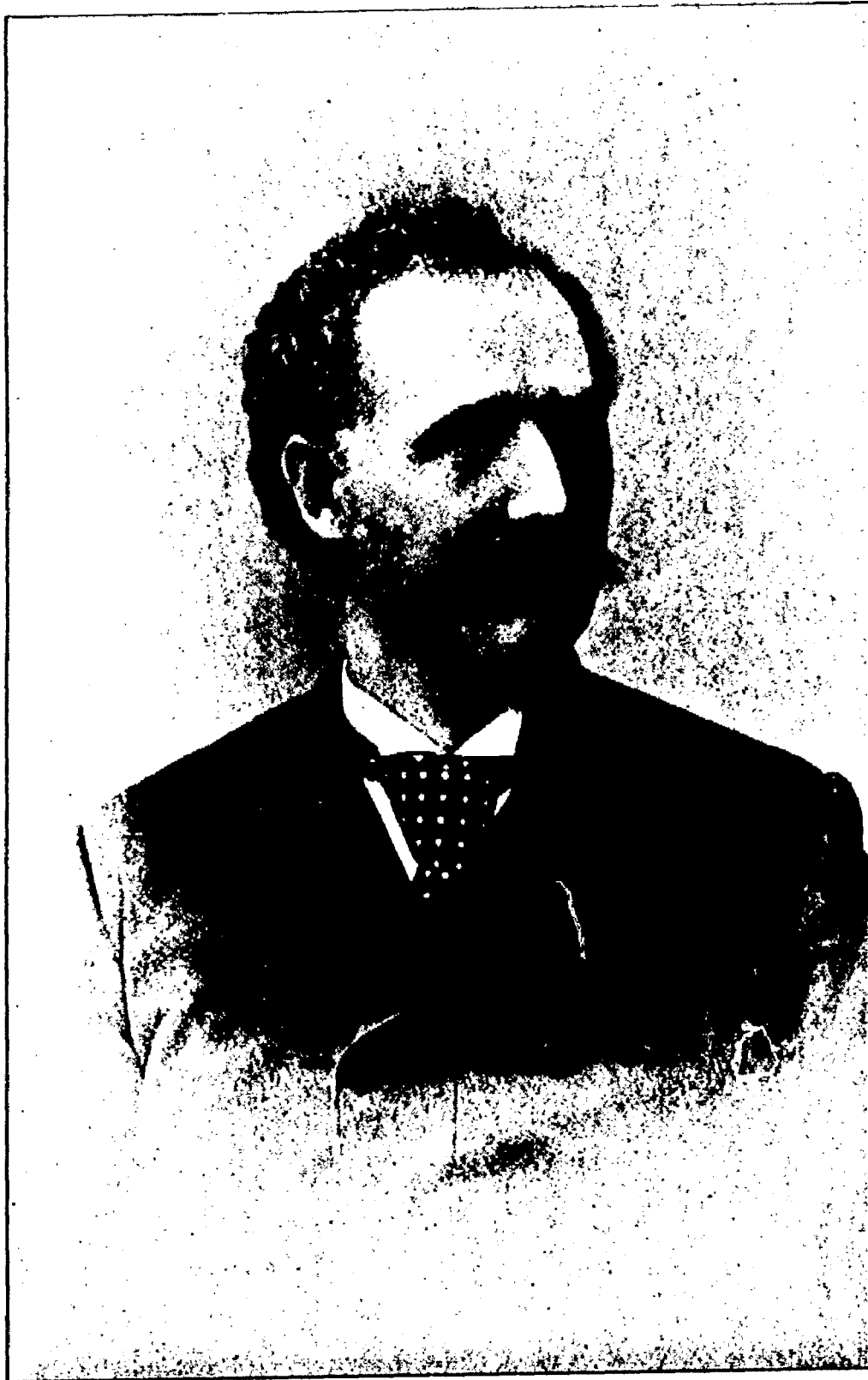
JAMES HUTCHISON KERR.* No. 85.

REPRESENTATIVE FOR EL PASO COUNTY.

Of all the counties in the State, El Paso has most reason to be proud of her delegation in the Colorado Assembly. Senator Howbert and Representatives Kerr and Ford never flinched from beginning to end; and Professor Kerr was one of the last four who voted for Pitkin, the twelve going to Bowen by an arrangement of the caucus. When the caucus decided the nomination, El Paso men were in honor bound to vote for the nominee, though they voted for Tabor under protest. The last four who voted for Pitkin were Messrs. Kerr, Curtice, Wells and Greene. The El Paso men voted anti-bonanza and anti-monopoly throughout.

Professor Kerr was born near Chambersburg, Pa. In 1874 he came to Colorado, and in 1875 he settled at Colorado Springs, becoming professor in charge of Colorado College. In 1876 he was elected professor of chemistry and geology in the college. During his professorship there, he did a great deal of expert work in Colorado, New Mexico and Old Mexico.

* Editorial from the Denver (Col.) *Weekly*, February 17, 1883.



DR. GEORGE KERR, No 87.

This brief account of a life of many vicissitudes, shows the stuff that Professor Kerr is made of. He is a positive, energetic man who never quails. Some portion of every year for twenty-nine consecutive years was spent in teaching, and though he was always more or less an invalid, he has worked from sixteen to eighteen hours a day for twenty years. While studying geology he walked through every county of the Middle and New England States, except some of the counties of Maine. He has traveled over the greater part of the two Americas, including most of the West Indies. He spent some time among the Japanese, and was in China when a cablegram reached him informing him of his election as Representative for El Paso. While in China, he sold the first mine ever sold to Chinamen.

Professor Kerr returns to Colorado Springs with a record that stands among the clearest in the Assembly. He did his duty to his constituents as well as to the State.

DR. GEORGE KERR. No. 87.

Dr. George Kerr⁵, No. 87 (Eliza Jane Hutchison⁴, James³, Elizabeth², John¹), was born in East Not-

tingham Township, Chester County, Pa., January 9, 1841. Attended New London Academy, graduated at Poughkeepsie Commercial College, taught school, studied medicine under Dr. D. W. Hutchison, and was graduated from Jefferson Medical College in 1863. He was appointed Assistant Surgeon in the Army Hospital, Philadelphia. He practiced medicine for a time at Newberg, N.Y., and Nebraska City, Neb., and has for many years enjoyed a large medical practice in Philadelphia. He has been president of the Lavalette City Land Company, and has a winter residence at Pearson, Volusia county, Fla. He married Christiana Deibert of Schuylkill Haven, March 17, 1864. They had one child, Minnie L., married to George C. J. Fleck of the firm of Fleck Brothers, Philadelphia. Annie died years ago and on February 1, 1893, he married Miss Carrie L. Trout, of Philadelphia.

My son John has saved a clipping from a Philadelphia paper and because of its merit we insert it here.

“ The following heart offering is from the pen of one of Philadelphia’s most eminent physicians who in leisure moments woos the muses, and who handles the poetic pen with the same incisive stroke that he does the surgical steel.

“ Dr. Geo. Kerr is as accomplished in the fields of poesy as he is skilled in that of medicine.—
National Union.

“ FRIENDSHIP'S OFFERING.

“ Ah! what is life to me, without a friend?
One whose heart and love are ever waiting
To chase away the cares of earth; and mend
The sad, sad heart, that is ever breaking.

“ Do others know what it is to suffer
Alone,—the tortures of a blighted life?
Is the grave the only friend to cover
The monstrous wrong, which ends the bitter strife.

“ Oh, give me the heart, that has felt the need
Of sympathy, and kindly words to aid;
From its hidden depths, it will ever plead
Charity and loving kindness, undismayed.

“ Yes,—that's the balm, which heals the wounded heart,
That makes this life, happy, joyous and free.
Dear ones let our lives forever impart
To each other, to all, fidelity.”

“ G. K.”

THE KERR FAMILY.

Notes gathered by Lizzie Eleanor Kerr⁵, No. 86, Eliza Jane H.⁴, James H.³, Elizabeth², John¹.
Notes taken February 15, 1881, at home, Laurel

Valley farm, on Big Elk Creek, three miles southeast of Oxford, Chester Co., Pa.

Father says that his father, George Kerr, was born January 14, 1762, and died September 11, 1836, was the son of James Kerr, born about 1733, County Derry, Ireland, who was married to Margaret Glenn between 1750-1760. George Kerr had the following brothers and sisters:

1. John Kerr, born August 4, 1778, owned part of a vessel and was captain. He ran between several points in the United States and the West Indies. (Unmarried.) The last time he was in Gettysburg he left a chest, a sword, horn spoon and needle, which things are now in the possession of John A. Kerr. He was lost at sea about 1816. His age is in the Bible which was in the possession of father's brother James, and now in that of *his* son James S. Kerr, Bloomfield, Davis Co., Iowa.

2. Thomas Kerr, born August 1, 1768, was married, never came to this country. Had two sons, Matthew and James, and one daughter.

- (a) Matthew was collector at the port of Liverpool, Eng. Heard from him in 1870, at which time he was a broker and very rich.

- (b) James remained and married in Bally Kelly, County Derry.

(c) The daughter married a Scott. She was a beautiful girl. She had a daughter who married a Campbell, who came to this country, settled in or near Pittsburg, Pa.

3. James Kerr, born June 27, 1781, next to the youngest son and stayed with his father, until his father died and then came to this country. Lived at his brother Matthew's, at Wrightsville, York Co., Pa., and died there about 1842. Buried in the old Presbyterian churchyard (unmarried). He brought the old Bible to this country, which his nephew got through Margaret Kerr Dickey.

4. Margaret Kerr, born April 8, 1776, married John Dickey between 1790 and 1800. Their son James stood in Geo. Kerr's store in Gettysburg about 1820, when his father and his mother came to this country. They all went to Pittsburg and kept store. There were two sons, James and John or William, and two or three girls. (a) James died unmarried, also two of the girls. The remaining son was keeping store in a town near Pittsburg, about twenty years ago. They were related to Archibald George, of Baltimore.

5. Hannah Kerr, born December 20, 1777, married Hanson in Ireland, and came to this coun-

try about 1820 and settled in Indiana. They had one son whom they called David; was left wealthy, traveled a great deal. Was an officer on the Texan side during the early part of its struggle for independence; unmarried; was killed about 1838.

6. Margary Kerr, died young.

7. Mary Kerr, born August 3, 1765; did not come to this country.

8. Matthew Kerr, born July 5, 1787, died December 12, 1857. Came to this country and taught school in York, and became a lumber inspector. He married Jane Wilson, a daughter of Thomas Wilson, Sheriff of York County, about 1810. He had eight sons and one daughter.

Grandfather George Kerr was born in Scotland, January 14, 1762, and died at Gettysburg, Adams County, Pa., September 11, 1836, just nine days before father and mother were married. His father lived at Bally Kelly many years, and died there about 1830, being about 96 or 97 years old. The mother was about the same age. George Kerr crossed the ocean five times. He stood in his father's store at Bally Kelly, and was an officer on the walls of Derry. The first three years after he came to America he was collector for a man in

South Carolina. The second time he came, he and his cousin, who is the grandfather of David and Wm. Kerr, of Kerrsville, Cumberland County, Pa., were partners in a store in Huntingdon. The third time, he kept store in Gettysburg. Here he met and married Eleanor Wilson, about 1797. She died April 27, 1815, being 44 years, 2 months and 11 days old. She had a brother, John, who was younger than she. The father of Eleanor and John, whose name was James Wilson, married Margaret or Mary Sharp, sister of Dr. Sharp, who preached at Shippensburg, Pa. The Wilsons lived near Carlisle, on the Walnut Bottom road. By Eleanor Wilson, George Kerr had eight children.

Mary Clemintine Kerr, born August 27, 1798, married June 17, 1818, to a druggist, John Byron, who was born August 15, 1796, and died in 1866 from the bite of a rattlesnake. She died February 28, 1848.

“ While Cessford owns the rule of Carr,
While boasts the line of Scott;
The slaughter'd chiefs, the mortal jar,
The havoc of the feudal war,
Shall never, never be forgot.”

The unicorn head was the crest of the Kerrs or

Carrs of Cessford, of which Halidon was an ancient seat, now demolished.

George Kerr, of Gettysburg, was of the Kerrs of Cessford.

DICKEY FAMILY.

Samuel D. came over the sea, and settled on the James Ramsey farm. His children were John, who married Bettie H., and Samuel D., who married Jane H., daughters of Samuel Hutchison.

Rev. Ebenezer Dickey, D.D., married Jane Miller; David M., Ann Moffit; Margaret, a Ross; Hannah, a Moffit; Jane was married to mother's great-grandfather. John Fulton lived near Pittsburg.

FULTON FAMILY.

Mother's great-grandfather on Grandmother Hutchison's side of the house was John Fulton. He, John, married Jane Dickey; James married Margaret Miller; Elizabeth married James Hutchison (grandfather); Jane married Matthew Wilson (Frank Wilson's grandfather; Susan Fulton married Rev. James Clarkson, of York County); Mary married Rev. James Proudfoot, of Salem, N. Y.,

James' son. John, junior, died single, also Rachel and Miller; Joseph married Martha Watt; Eleanor married Fulton Hutchison; Jefferson married Nancy Ramsey. They have four children: James Fulton, M.D., Wm. T. and Hugh R., practicing law, Joseph, druggist.

THE WATT FAMILY.

David Watt, of Scotland, married Mary——

1. Susan, his daughter, married Faulkner, Northumberland Co., no children

2. Martha married Robert Cunningham. Children: John, who married Mrs. Douglas; James, Miss Stewart, parents of John James Francis and Leander Cunningham, of Gettysburg.

3. David, died young. Betsie married Samuel Cobean; children: Samuel, Jane, Alexander, Betsy, Robert who married Susan Watt; their children Lizzie and James.

John Watt married Elizabeth Calvin. John was in the Revolutionary War, and got 500 acres of land in West Virginia. Children are Susan, married James Hutchison (Jane Patterson's parents), Ohio. Esther married James Watt, not related, Irish (Jackson's grandmother). Watt is Scotch.

Elizabeth married James Hutchison, March 19, 1807. He was born 1775; wife died 1784.

Martha married Joseph Fulton, March 20, 1809.

John Watt's second wife, McCully, children.

Fannie married David Hutchison.

Margaret married Samuel Ankrum, July 15, 1824.

Charlotte married John Wilson, August, 1821.

Amy married Nathan Thompson, June 8, 1824.

Mary married Joseph Miller Thompson, 1826.

Jane Humphry Hutchison died 17, 1763, aged 68 years, wife of James H., son. They with their children, Agnes, David, James, Gilbert, Robert, Joseph and Samuel, joined the Presbyterian Church of New London, but remained members but a short time owing to the introduction of Watt's Psalms and Hymns. They settled in New London Township on a farm now owned by James Eves, containing 186 acres of land.

James Hutchison married in 1767.

Grandfather James Hutchison, born October 24, 1774, died December 25, 1857.

John, born 1780, died December 1, 1843, aged 63. Fulton H. was born April 11, 1786, and died April 1, 1860, aged 74 years.

David Wilson married Jane Manifold.

Margaret Wilson married John Collins.

Jane H., died 1826, not married.

Bettie died 1855, not married, 83 years old.

James Hutchison, mother's father, married Elizabeth Watt. She died 1844; he in 1857.

David, married Fannie Watt D.'s H.'s mother.

Fulton married Eleanor Fulton, eleven children, Ellen and Ankrim's parents. Fulton died, 1860.

John H., died in 1839, was in the State Legislature of Pennsylvania. Mary and Nancy died young.

THE HUTCHISON FAMILY.

Copied by L. E. Kerr, from notes gathered by James Hutchison Kerr, son of John A. Kerr, who married Eliza Jane Hutchison, Sept. 20, 1836, at the home of her father, James' Hutchison, Esq., one-half mile above the forks of Big Elk Creek, near Oxford, Chester County, Pa. These notes are chiefly from my mother, Eliza Jane Kerr, and her brother James Hervy Hutchison, near Elk Dale, Chester County, Pa.

James Hutchison, the first of our forefathers of the Hutchison name who came to this country, was the son of David Hutchison who with his brother

James, to escape persecution, fled from southwest Scotland to Ireland. James was never married. It is not known how many children David Hutchison had. His son James, who was born about 1694, married Jane Humphrey. They had eight children, all of whom, except Michael, who died in Ireland, came to this country in 1754 or 1755, landed at New Castle, Delaware.

This James H. died December, 1766; buried at New London, Presbyterian Church yard, in Chester County, Pa.

The Hutchison family came from the north of Ireland, either Antrim or Armagh.

James H. had only one daughter, Agnes Hutchison. She married a Mr. Rowan; moved to Legonia Valley, Washington County, Pa. Mary Lockhart and Mother Potter, now of New Wilmington, Lawrence County, Pa., are their descendants.

David Hutchison, the oldest son of James Hutchison, is buried at New London, Pa., died 1807, 88 years old. He owned the farm now owned by James Hervy Hutchison, 220 acres adjoining his father's farm, where James Eves lives. He, David, was not married. He was a linen merchant, and never worked any in this country. He

was very rich, and went back and forth to Ireland.

Gilbert Hutchison died September 19, 1755, and lies in New London.

Samuel Hutchison, the father of old Uncle Joseph Hutchison, who lived below Oxford, toward the Brick Meeting House, owned and died on this place February, 1822, aged 83 years.

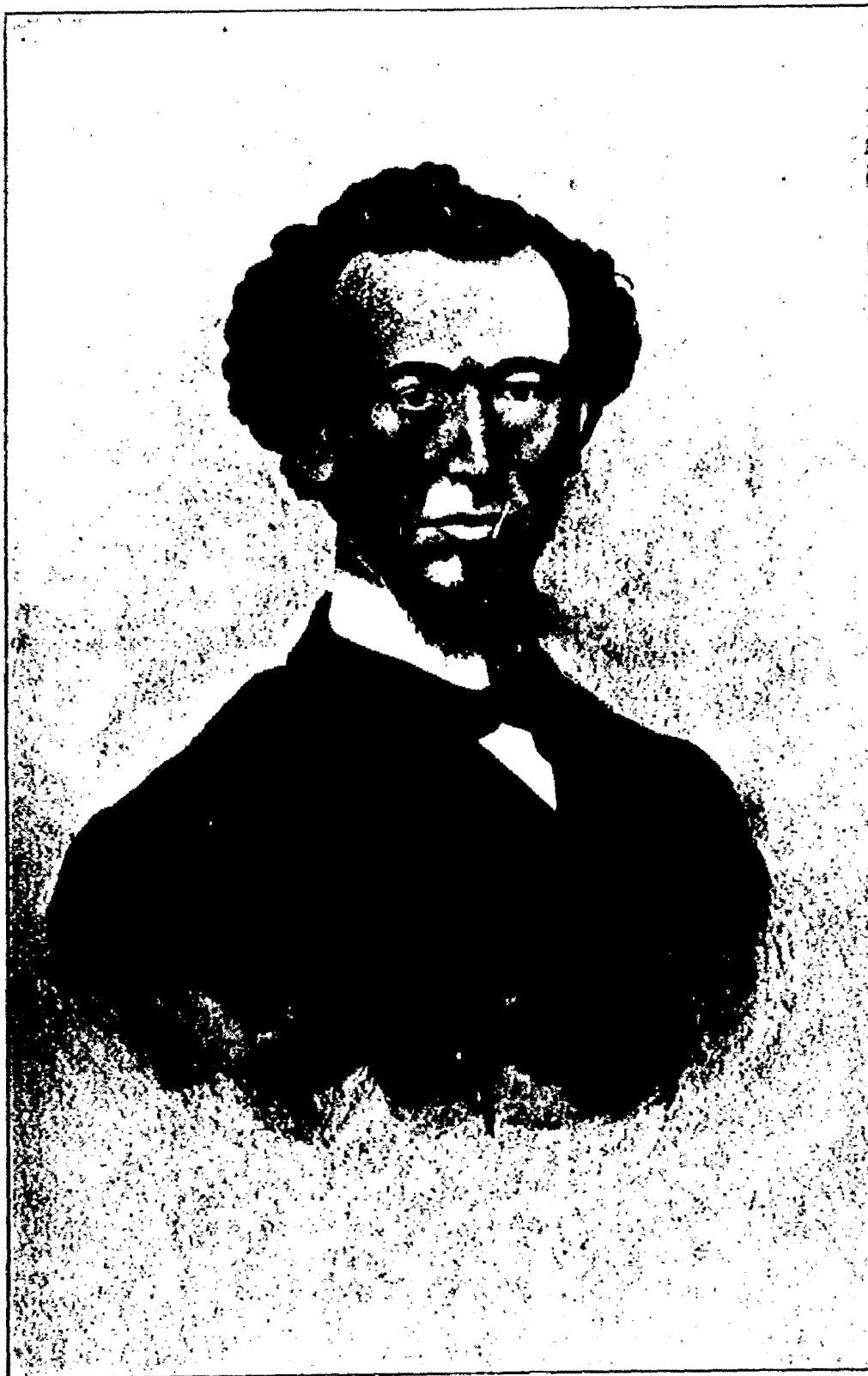
Samuel Hutchison married Jane Ross, who was an aunt of Samuel Ross, who married his first cousin Hannah, daughter of Samuel and Jane Hutchison. Samuel Hutchison had five boys and five girls. James H. married Susan Watt, mother's Aunt, and moved to Belmont County, Ohio, 1802, seven miles from Wheeling, on McMahon's Creek. Samuel's second wife was Elizabeth Hutchison, a second cousin. Children of first wife: Susan, who married Rev. Josiah Alexander. Their children: James and Susan to Samuel John Watt, James Ross, Eliza Colvin, who married Finney McCall, and Jane, who married Rev. James Patterson, D.D. Second son, Joseph Hutchison, married Sarah Hawthorn. Children: Samuel died in Illinois, James W. Hutchison married Jane Andrew, Ann married Samuel Moffit; Jane died in Oxford, Pa., John died in Colorado, Joseph lived in Colo-

rado, now deceased, Wm. R. H., a minister in Kansas U. P., Sarah E., married Mr. Webster, Ebenezer in Ohio. (3) Samuel was drowned in the Ohio while bathing, aged 22 years. (4) William settled not far from New Athens, Ohio (large family). Fifth was a bachelor, and died about 1855. Betsy H., married John Dickey. Little Ebenezer and Aunt Nancie were J. Hervy Hutchison's wife's parents. Jane married Samuel Dickey. Their children were Samuel Jackson Dickey, who married Susan Noble. Ebenezer married Margaret Noble. Jane married James F. Hutchison. Mary married James Ramsey. David married Nancie Wilson. Elizabeth and Hannah died young.

Mary E. Hutchison married Samuel Bahill, John M. Bahill's father, who lived near Lancaster. Samuel Bahill had four children: (1) Jane R. Bahill married John Barr; (2) John M. Bahill; (3) Mary E. Bahill; (4) Samuel H. Bahill.

Robert and Joseph Hutchison went to Ligonier Valley, near Claysville, Washington County, Pa.

James Hutchison, Sr., married Elizabeth, and had nine children, and seven lived to be old. He was killed by a horse June 12, 1812, in the stable on the James Eves farm.



REV. JOHN FULTON PATTERSON, M.D., No. 125.

Eleanor Hutchison married James Wilson, of York County, their children were John, who married Charlotte Watt, mother's aunt, James H. Wilson married Susan E. Hutchison, mother's sister.

REV. JOHN FULTON PATTERSON, M.D. No. 125.

Rev. John Fulton Patterson, M.D.⁵ (Eliza A. H.⁴, Eleanor M. F.³, James,² John¹), was born near Cherokee, Logan County, O., May 27, 1842. His father was an Elder in the Associate Reformed Church of Bellefontein. In 1861 he came to live with his grandfather, Fulton Hutchison. He studied medicine with Dr. D. W. Hutchison, of Oxford, Pa. He was graduated from the Medical Department of the University of Pennsylvania in 1865. He practiced his profession in Clifton, O.

Through the counsel of Rev. E. T. Jeffers and other Christian friends he decided to enter the ministry; became a student at the Xenia Theological Seminary in 1870; took one term at Princeton Seminary, and on April 16, 1872, was licensed to preach; ordained in Philadelphia on September 27, 1872, and on November 2, 1872, sailed for Damascus, Syria, as a Missionary.

Failing health required him to relinquish this work in 1877. He returned to Xenia, O.

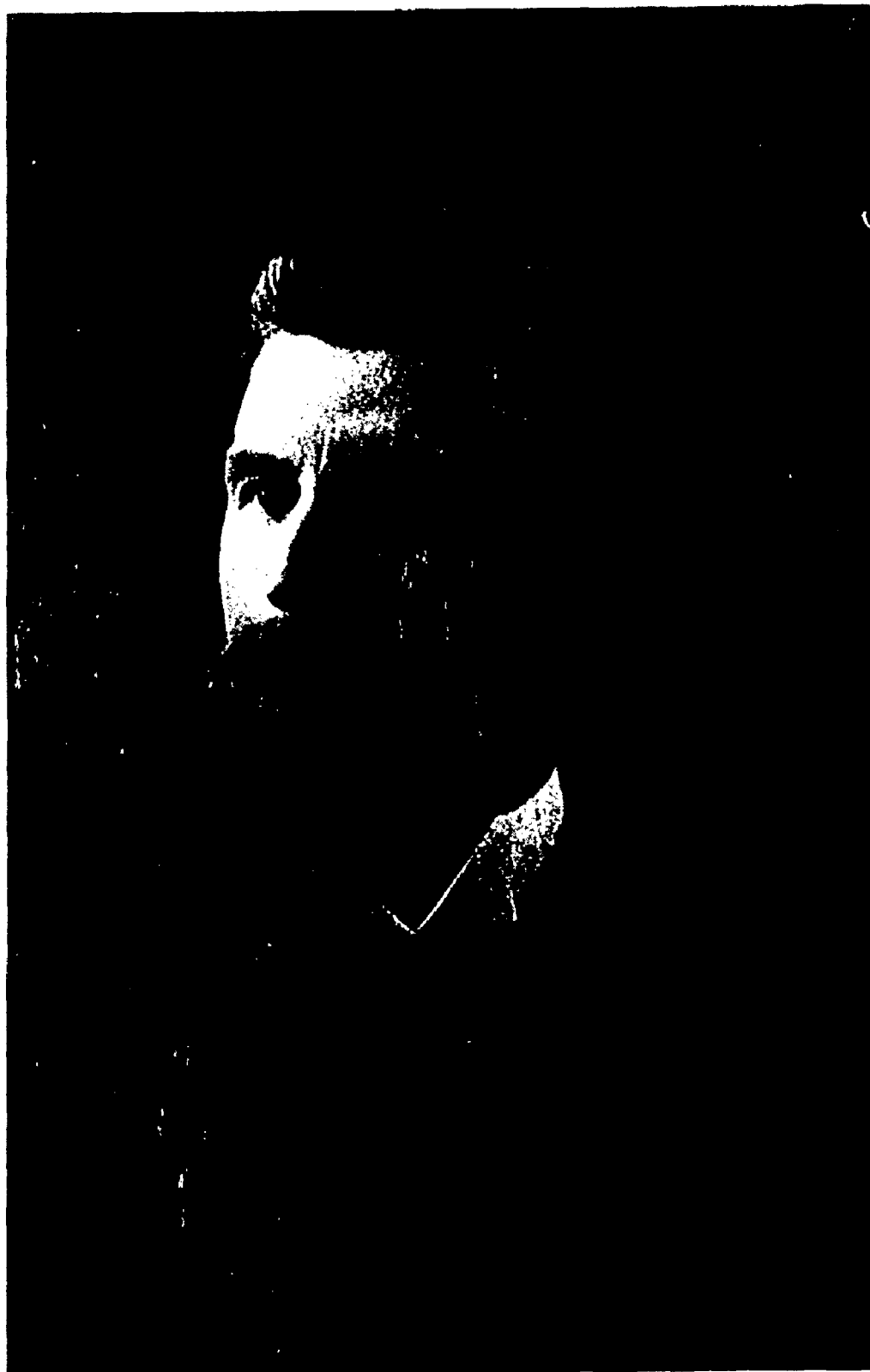
He was married, December 21, 1865, to Elizabeth Hutchison, daughter of J. Hervey Hutchison. She died August 8, 1869.

Just before embarking for his mission work in Syria, he was married to Charlotte Isabella McDowell, daughter of Capt. Austin McDowell, of Xenia, O.

Mrs. Patterson accompanied the doctor through his missionary journeys and aided him in his work. He died March 22, 1882, in his fortieth year, leaving the widow and one son, Austin McDowell Patterson, surviving.

ROSS A. HUTCHISON. No. 132.

Ross A. Hutchison⁶, No. 132 (Wm. G.⁴, Eleanor M.³, James², John¹), attended school at New Prospect and Oxford Academy, Chester County, Pa., and worked on the farm during vacations. He entered Lafayette College in class of '83, Classical Course. During his college course he was the college reporter for the Easton *Free Press*, college correspondent for the College Department of the New



HON. WILLIAM EASTON HUTCHINSON, No. 134.

York *World*, was Editor of *College Journal* and Assistant Custodian of the College Reading Room, and was graduated, Classical Course. Studied for the ministry and died during his term in the Theological Seminary.

HON. WILLIAM EASTON HUTCHISON. No. 134.

Hon. William Easton Hutchison⁵, No. 134 (Wm. G.⁴, Eleanor M.³, James², John¹), Garden City, Kansas.

Occupation, Judge of the Courts.

Born at Oxford, Chester County, Pa., July 14, 1860.

Married to Miss Reba Anderson, daughter of Rev. David Anderson, on August 6, 1895. Date of her birth, May 31, 1865.

Father's name, William G. Hutchison.

Born November 9, 1825, at New London, Pa., died February 4, 1893.

Mother's maiden name, Ann Eliza Campbell.

Born July 5, 1826, at Bart, Pa., died October 1, 1886.

Grandfather's full name, Fulton Hutchison.

Grandmother's maiden name, Eleanor M. Fulton.

Names of father's children in full, and dates of birth :

1. Sarah Fulton Hutchison, born July 14, 1855, at New London, Pa., died June 6, 1859, at New London, Pa.

2. Ross Alexander Hutchison, born August 25, 1857, New London, Pa., never married, died December 20, 1885, at Easton, Pa.

3. William Easton Hutchison, born July 14, 1860, at Oxford, married Miss Reba Anderson.

4. Joseph Cooper Hutchison, born July 1, 1863, married Miss Essie Mosier.

Judge Hutchison laid the foundation for a broad and liberal education at the public schools at New Prospect, Chester County, and with suitable preparation at Oxford and Easton, entered Lafayette College, Easton, Pa., in the class of 1883. He was graduated in 1887 classical course, studied law, and located for the practice of his profession in Kansas.

His professional career has been remarkably successful. He was elected by his people to the position of Judge of the Courts of his district.

At the expiration of his first term, he was re-elected by a strong majority, and is now serving



REV. HUGH K. FULTON, No. 149.

his second term. He resides at Garden City, Kan.

DR. J. C. HUTCHISON. No. 135.

Dr. J. C. Hutchison⁵, No. 135 (Wm. G.⁴, Eleanor M.³, James², John¹), attended school at same district school. When he came to Easton he entered the Grammar School; then, instead of entering High School for 'four years' course, prepared for College at Trach's Academy, and entered the class of '85 in general scientific course of Lafayette College. After graduating, he studied medicine, and is now engaged in the practice of his profession at Florissant, Colo.

HUGH KERR FULTON. No. 149.

Hugh Kerr Fulton⁵, No. 149 (Hugh R.⁴, James J.³, James², John¹), born in Lancaster, Pa., April 18, 1875; was graduated from the Lancaster High School in 1891, and took the classical course in Franklin and Marshall College, Lancaster, graduating with the class of 1895.

He organized and taught the Octoraro Academy in 1895 and 1896. During this period he attended

part of a term in the German Reformed Theological Seminary at Lancaster, and assisted in the organization of Bethany Presbyterian Mission in the western part of the city. He then entered the Princeton Theological Seminary, and was graduated in the class of 1899. He was licensed to preach by the Westminster Presbytery on January 3, 1899, and is now minister of the Presbyterian Church at Perrineville, Monmouth County, N. J., being ordained and installed as Pastor of the Church on October 24, 1899.

GUY MANNING KERR. No. 162.

Guy Manning Kerr⁶, No. 162 (James H.⁵, Eliza J.⁴, James³, Elizabeth², John¹), was born at Jackson, Cape Girardeau County, Mo., May 20, 1870. When five years of age, the family moved to Colorado Springs, Colo., where they resided for about eighteen years. His early education was received at Cutler Academy and Colorado College. At nineteen years of age he went to Mexico, as assayer in a silver lixiviation works, at San Juan de Guadalupe Duranga, where he remained some thirteen months. He was afterwards employed in the same capacity in mines in southern Mexico.



GUY MANNING KERR, No. 162.

When about twenty-one he decided to continue the study of chemistry, and for that purpose spent four years at the University of Göttingen, Germany, where he graduated October 15, 1895, receiving the degree of Doctor of Philosophy.

After graduation, he returned to America, and was employed in gold mines near Helena, Mont. Since September, 1898, he has been a resident of Glen Falls, N. Y. On April 5, 1899, he married Miss Bertha Thompson, of New Bedford, Mass.

MEMORANDA BY AUSTIN McDOWELL PATTER-
SON⁶ (No. 176), XENIA, O. (JOHN F.⁵,
ELIZA A.⁴, ELEANORE M.³,
JAMES², JOHN¹.)

THE FULTONS.

John Fulton came from Scotland (Lanarkshire) about 1753. He settled in Maryland, resided there seven years, came to East Nottingham Township, and died there about March 24, 1796. He had a farm, fulling mill and paper mill. Children: sons, James and John; daughters, Elizabeth (m. James Hutchison), Jane (m. Matthew Wilson), Susan

(m. Alexander Clarkson, minister), Martha (m. Rev. Proudfit) and Mary (m. Reed and went to New York State).

James Fulton entered the Colonial Army in 1776; held First Lieutenantship, and was unanimously given the rank of Captain. He married Margaret Miller, a sister of the wife of Dr. John Banks.

John Fulton, Jr., married Margaret (?) Dickey, who died, leaving one daughter, Elizabeth (m. David Lefever). He married again and removed to Beaver, Pa.

James Fulton's children: sons, John, Miller, Joseph and Jefferson; daughters, Rachel and Eleanor.

Eleanor Fulton married Fulton Hutchison, her full cousin (son of Elizabeth), and had eleven children: Margaret, Eliza Ann, Rachel, James, John, Mary, Fulton Ankrim, Eleanor Miller, David, Joseph and William.

Eliza Ann Hutchison married John Patterson and had one son, John Fulton, and died aged forty-four.

John Fulton Patterson, No. 125, married Lizzie Hutchison, daughter of J. Hervey Hutchison, no

children. Second marriage with Charlotte Isabella McDowell, of Xenia, O., one son, Austin McDowell Patterson, No. 176.

Dr. Banks' sons : Joseph, John (M.D.), William (M.D.), Ebenezer (merchant) and Gus. William married Miss Duncan, of Xenia, O.

COPY OF FAMILY REGISTER TAKEN FROM THE OLD
FAMILY BIBLE OF JAMES JEFFERSON FULTON.

Marriages.

James J. Fulton and Nancy Ann Ramsey, married June 7, 1827. James J. Fulton, born February 18, 1801. Nancy Ann Ramsey, born August 22, 1802, died January 7, 1870.

Births.

Rachel Maria Fulton, born March 30, 1828.

Margaret Jane Fulton, born October 1, 1830.

James Fulton, born November 12, 1832, at Eshleman's, now David W. Jackson's mill, in Bart Township, Lancaster County, Pa.

William Thompson Fulton, born February 27, 1835.

Joseph Miller Fulton, born January 11, 1840.

Hugh Ramsey Fulton, born November 16, 1843.

Deaths.

James J. Fulton, died April 28, 1864, aged 63 years.

Nancy Ann Fulton, died January 7, 1870, aged 68 years.

Margaret Jane Fulton, died August 16, 1831, aged 10 months and 16 days.

Rachel Maria Fulton, died June 19, 1832, aged 4 years, 2 months and 19 days.

Jane Thompson, born October 8, 1760, died May 12, 1836, aged 76 years.

John Ramsey, departed this life May, 1815, aged 31 years.

Hugh Ramsey, Sr., departed this life March 25, 1825, aged 76 years.

Hugh Ramsey, Jr., departed this life April 1, 1826, aged 30 years and 10 months.

Mary Lowry, died February 17, 1829, aged 35 years and 10 months.

Margaret Thompson, departed this life August 7, 1834, aged 54 years.

Jane Thompson Ramsey, Sr., departed this life May 12, 1836, aged 75 years, 7 months and 4 days.

Elizabeth Ramsey, departed this life July 23, 1844, aged 57 years.

THOMPSON'S BIBLE.

From another very old Bible found among the books and papers of James J. and Nancy Fulton.

—— Thompson was born on the 8th day of October, 1760, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Robert Thompson was born August 27, 1762, it being Friday about 10 o'clock in the morning.

John Thompson was born October 31, 1764, it being Tuesday about eight o'clock at night.

John Thompson was born August 11, 1766, it being Monday about 9 o'clock at night.

William Thompson was born Nov. 22, 1768, it being on Tuesday about 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

Mary Thompson, born Nov. 16, 1772, on Monday at one o'clock in the afternoon.

Elizabeth Thompson was born on Monday, May 20, 1778.

OLD RAMSEY BIBLE.

Marriages.

Hugh Ramsey and Jane Thompson, married March 30, 1779.

Dr. William Thompson and Peggy Ramsey, married October 15, 1807.

William Ramsey and Martha McVey, married February 18, 1813.

JOHN THOMPSON'S MEMORANDA.

Jane T. Ramsey, died May 25, 1875, aged 77 years.

Hugh Ramsey, died March 25, 1825, aged 76 years.

Jane, his wife, died May 12, 1836, aged 76 years.

Elizabeth Ramsey, died July 23, 1844, aged 57 years.

Sarah Ramsey, born May 10, 1806, died Sept. 25, 1865.

William Lowry and Mary Ramsey, married May 6, 1813.

Thompson Ramsey and Martha Scott, married November 19, 1813.

MEMORANDA FROM MEMORIAL WORKED AND
FRAMED BY RACHEL FULTON, LATE IN
POSSESSION OF MRS. ELIZA
HUTCHISON.

James Fulton and Margaret Fulton, married November 25, 1781.

John Fulton, born March 23, 1783.

Joseph Fulton, born March 3, 1785.

Rachel Fulton, born April 9, 1787.

Eleanor Fulton, born November 23, 1793.

Miller Fulton, born December 13, 1797.

James J. Fulton, born February 13, 1800.

MEMORANDA FROM AN OLD BIBLE IN POSSESSION OF MRS. ELIZA HUTCHISON.

Joseph and Martha Fulton were married March 2, 1809.

Joseph Fulton died December 27, 1844.

Miller Fulton died September 16, 1859. Aged sixty-one years nine months and three days.

Joseph Fulton was born March 3, 1785.

Martha Fulton was born January 15, 1786.

ABSTRACTS FROM ANCIENT COURT HOUSE RECORDS, LANCASTER, PA.

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

Will of David Fulton, late of Drumore Township, deceased, 1757.

Will of Samuel Fulton, late of Donegal Township, deceased, 1760.

Will to son James, 160 acres of land and house.

To son John, 4 acres and mother's share.

To son Samuel, 139 acres of land.

Will of John Fulton, Lancaster County, 1765.
Property to sons Alexander and John Fulton.

Will of Richard Fulton, of Paxtang Township, Lancaster County, November 11, 1774, Province of Pa.

To son William Fulton, 300 pounds, provided he lives on the plantation and acts as guardian of young children.

Will of Hugh Fulton, deceased, February 25, 1820.

I, Hugh Fulton, late of North Milford Hundred, Cecil County, Md., now resident of Little Britain Township, Lancaster County, Pa., to wit., I give

and bequeath to my oldest son, William Fulton, the land he now lives on in Little Britain Township.

INTESTATE ESTATES.

William Fulton, 1741; Thomas Fulton, 1747; Thomas Fulton, 1748; Robert Fulton, 1774; William Fulton, 1818, Hugh Fulton, 1820; Thomas Fulton, of Columbia, 1830; Thomas Fulton, 1851; Daniel Fulton, 1865.

RECORDER'S OFFICE.

Deed Index. Grantees.

Robert Fulton from Peter Worrall, book F (1760), page 30.

Robert Fulton from John Young, book F, page 103.

Richard Fulton from Richard Peters, book H, page 17.

James Fulton from Samuel Fulton, book K, page 100.

Robert Fulton from William Foulk (1774), Q, page 78.

Robert Fulton from William Foulk, book Q, page 90.

Robert Fulton from Alex. Work, *et al.* (1795), book Y Y, page 518.

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William Fulton from Hugh Fulton, book G, Vol. 5, page 121.

Thomas Fulton from Benj. Herr, book H, Vol. 5, page 406.

Daniel Fulton from Felix Sweigart, adm., book S, Vol. 5, 46.

William Fulton from Hugh Fulton's heirs (1838), book O, Vol. 6, page 298.

Joseph Fulton, Jr. from Jacob Swartzwelder, adm., book A, Vol. 8, page 140.



WILLIAM FULTON, No. 139.

CHAPTER VI.

THE RAMSEY FAMILY.

Hugh Ramsey, No. 1, married Jane Thompson, daughter of William Thompson, March 30, 1779. Hugh Ramsey was born in Ireland in 1749, came to America from the north of Ireland in 1768 when nineteen years of age, and settled in Bucks County, Pa., where he lived when married. He built the east end of Hilaman's hotel and store building in East Nottingham Township, Chester County, in 1794, several years after leaving Bucks County. He died March 25, 1825, 76 years of age. He is said to have owned 500 acres of land in Nottingham Township, at the time of his decease.

Jane Thompson, No. 1, a daughter of William Thompson, was born October 8, 1760, died September 16, 1832.

Mrs. Elizabeth T. Watson has informed us that during the Revolutionary War, John Thompson was a man of family and property; that he was raided by the enemy, and a large amount of property taken from him.

William Thompson, her father, came from Ireland to this country with his widowed mother, Mollie Thompson, and three brothers, John, Hugh and Robert Thompson. The mother's maiden name was McGraudy. The family were religious people, as it is stated that the father of Mollie Thompson came with them on board the ship when about to leave with her four boys for America, kneeled down with them and prayed that the living God would keep the widow and children.

HUGH RAMSEY, THE FATHER OF NANCY ANN
RAMSEY FULTON, WIFE OF JAMES
J. FULTON. No. 20.

Hugh Ramsey was said to have been the last man in this section who wore knee breeches. Many years since he kept tavern in the old stone building at Ramsey's Corner, afterward Hilaman's, and now Chrome, East Nottingham. He was a man of quiet mind, and after age had advanced upon him and while sitting in his great chair meditating over the past, he would pull one long white hair after another from his head. "This habit of pulling his hair," says my informant, "grew so

GENEALOGICAL TABLE.—Ramsey Family.

Chart No. 6; 1st, 2d and 3d Generations.

HUGH RAMSEY 1, AND JANE THOMPSON.

I. Margaret, 2 (Peggy). <i>m.</i> Dr. Wm. Thompson.	II. John, 3.	III. William, 4. <i>m.</i> Martha McVey.	V. Thompson, 6. <i>m.</i> Martha Scott.	VII. Elizabeth, 8.	IX. Nancy Ann, 10.
I. John, 12. II. Mary, 13. III. Dr. Thomas H., 14. IV. Elizabeth, 15.		I. Hugh, 16. II. Harriett, 17. III. Hannah Maria, 18. IV. Wm. Thompson, 19. V. Amy Ann, 20. VI. John Benjamin, 21.	I. Eliza, 22. II. John, 23.	VIII. Jane Thompson, 9.	X. Sarah, 11.
		IV. Mary. <i>m.</i> Wm. Lowry.	VI. Hugh, 7.		
4th Generation.					
John Thompson, 12. <i>m.</i> Mary Jane Kirk.	Mary Thompson, 13. <i>m.</i> Thomas A. Clark.	Dr. Thos. H. Thompson, 14. <i>m.</i> Annie Thomas.	Harriett Ramsey, 15. <i>m.</i> Rev. Wm. H. Lipton.	Amy A. Ramsey, 20. <i>m.</i> Nicolas Milburn.	Eliza Ramsey, 22. <i>m.</i> — Pollock.
I. Margaret, 24. II. Esther Reynolds, 25. III. William John, 26. IV. Thomas Huston, 27. V. Fulton, 28. VI. Mary Mitchell, 29. VII. John Kirk, 30.	I. Wm. Thompson, 31. II. Robert J. (M.D.), 32. III. Agnes S., 33. IV. John Alexander, 34. V. Charles H., 35. VI. Margaretta, 36.	I. Margaret, 37. II. Mary, 38. III. Ella, 39. IV. Annie, 40. V. Carrie, 41.	I. Mary E., 42. II. John W., 43. III. Martha Jane, 44. IV. Harriett E., 45.	I. Martha Jane, 46. II. Virginia, 47. Jno. B. Ramsey, 21. <i>m.</i> Judith R. Miller. I. Annie, 48. II. William, 49.	I. Mary, 50. John Ramsey, 23. <i>m.</i> Mary Byc. I. William, 51. II. Emma, 52. III. Jennie, 53. VI. Annie, 54.
5th Generation.					
R. Reynolds Thompson, 25. <i>m.</i> David E. Shea.	Wm. T. Clark, 31. <i>m.</i> Jane P. Ryans.	Dr. Robert J. Clark, 32. <i>m.</i> Etta R. Wood.	Agnes S. Clark, 33. <i>m.</i> Thos. E. Nicholson.	John A. Clark, 34. <i>m.</i> Margaret E. Simmes.	Chas. H. Clark, 35. <i>m.</i> Miriam K. Peterman.
I. Mary, 55.	I. James E., 56. II. Mary F., 57. III. Thomas A., 58. IV. Gertrude B., 59. V. Jennie, 60.	I. Louise, 61.	I. Mary, 62.	I. Samuel A., 63. II. Marion T., 64. III. Charles S., 65. IV. Sarah B., 66. V. Margaret S., 67. VI. Thomas W., 68. VII. John A., 69. VIII. Jean S., 70.	I. Helen Thompson, 71. II. Mildred Vaughn, 72. III. Cathryn, 73.
5th Generation continued.					
Margaretta R. Clark, 36. <i>m.</i> Rev. Lindley C. Rutter.	Mary Thompson, 38. <i>m.</i> Harry A. Menough.	Ella Thompson, 39. <i>m.</i> G. Reney Dickey.	Martha J. Tipton, 44. <i>m.</i> Horatio M. Belt.	Virginia Milburn, 47. <i>m.</i> Levi Plank.	
I. Louisa Potts, 74. II. Thos. Chichester, 75. III. Harry R., 76. IV. Mary Thompson, 77. V. Lindley C., 78.	I. J. Fred., 79. II. Norman S., 80. III. Clyde H., 81. IV. Gertrude, 82. V. Harry Alexis, 83.	I. Edward T. S., 84.	I. Cora L., 85. II. Wm. Leslie, 86. III. H. C., 87.	I. Amy Virginia, 88. II. William Ramsey, 89.	

great that he pulled nearly all out and his head became bare before its time." His face bore the furrows of time and care and he was well known near and far. Once behind the partition of slats that divided the landlord from the customer he would say to those who had entered the room to drink: "And is it a half pint ye want, gentlemen? for there's very little drinkin' in a gill; a half pint will cost a levy and a gill a fipnybit." During his time fox hunting was indulged in to some extent in that vicinity. The hunters would arrive from miles around, and Nathan Harris and Emory Knight, from near Rising Sun, would generally lead the riders. After the chase had ceased and the tired and hungry hounds were resting near the tavern door, the usual "big dinner" would be partaken of by the huntsmen who gathered around the board prepared by the landlord and his good lady. Upon the death of Hugh his wife, Jenny, conducted the tavern for some time. She was a sharp business woman and managed things in a successful way. She was known to have said that "a tailor was the ninth part of a man." One day Samuel McIntire, a tailor, who lived within six miles of Elkton, was journeying toward Oxford and he stopped at

Ramsey's to slake his thirst. His request for a half pint caused Jenny to remark: "Half a pint is a good bit for the ninth part of a man to drink." After tossing it down Sam said: "Well, then, Jenny, wait till the other eight-ninths come along and they'll pay for it." He then left the room without paying for the liquor. McIntire was well known for his wit and jovialness. He was a yoe-man in the "ould country" and afterwards a right clever tailor in this land.

JOHN THOMPSON. No. 12.

John Thompson³, No. 12 (Margaret², Hugh Ramsey¹), was born at Nottingham Township, Chester County, Pa., December 27, 1809. He married Mary Jane Kirk. They had issue as follows:

(1) Margaret, died young; (2) Esther Reynolds, deceased, married David E. Shea; (3) William John, deceased; (4) Thomas Huston, deceased; (5) Fulton Thompson; (6) Mary Mitchell; (7) John Kirk.

John Thompson was for many years one of the most progressive public-spirited farmers in his end of Chester County.



JOHN THOMPSON, No. 12.

He was an elder and a member of the Board of Trustees of the West Nottingham Presbyterian Church, and Superintendent of the Nottingham Sunday-school. He was liberal and kind to the poor, and loved and honored by all who knew him.

He owned the large farm near Hilaman's Tavern at Chrome Post Office.

He died August 6, 1882, mourned by the community in which he had lived.

A CHART OF THE RAMSEY FAMILY.

FIRST GENERATION.

- (1) i Hugh Ramsey, d. March 25, 1825, aged 76 years; m. Jane Thompson, March 30, 1779, b. October 8, 1760, d. May 12, 1836, aged 75 years, 7 months and 4 days.

SECOND GENERATION.

CHILDREN OF HUGH RAMSEY (No. 1) AND JANE THOMPSON.

- (2) i Peggy (Margaret) Ramsey, b. August 7, 1780, d. August 7, 1834, aged 54 years; m. Dr. William Thompson, October 15,

- 1807, b. November 22, 1768, d. September 16, 1832.
- (3) ii John Ramsey, d. May 1815, aged 31 years.
 - (4) iii William Ramsey, d. March 14, 1856, aged 75 years; m. Martha McVey, February 18, 1813, b. December 14, 1792, d. March 15, 1834.
 - (5) iv Mary Ramsey; m. William Lowry, May 6, 1813, d. February 17, 1829, aged 35 years and 10 months.
 - (6) v Thompson Ramsey; m. Martha Scott, November 19, 1813.
 - (7) vi Hugh Ramsey, Jr., b. June 1, 1795, d. April 1, 1826, aged 30 years and 10 months.
 - (8) vii Elizabeth Ramsey, d. July 23, 1844, aged 57 years.
 - (9) viii Jane Thompson Ramsey, u., d. May 25, 1875, aged 77 years.
 - (10) ix Nancy Ann Ramsey; m. James Jefferson Fulton.
 - (11) x Sarah Ramsey, b. May 10, 1806, d. September 25, 1865.

THIRD GENERATION. .

CHILDREN OF PEGGY RAMSEY (No. 2) AND DR. WILLIAM THOMPSON.

- (12) i John Thompson, b. December 27, 1809, d. August 6, 1882; m. Mary Jane Kirk, b. August 28, 1836, d. September 27, 1880.

- (13) ii Mary Thompson, b. March 28, 1812, d. August 9, 1884; m. Thomas A. Clark, b. December 15, 1805, d. July 21, 1885.
- (14) iii Dr. Thomas H. Thompson, b. 1816, d. August 2, 1877; m. Anna M. Thomas, b. January 1, 1818, d. September 17, 1892.
- (15) iv Elizabeth Thompson, m. William W. Watson, Esq.

CHILDREN OF WILLIAM RAMSEY (No. 4) AND
MARTHA McVEY.

- (16) i Hugh Ramsey, b. November 13, 1813, d. October 23, 1833.
- (17) ii Harriet Ramsey, b. August 1, 1819; m. Rev. William W. Tipton, March 15, 1838; moved to Muskingum County, O. He died October 9, 1854.
- (18) iii Hannah Maria Ramsey; m. Stephen Atkinson, N. E. P. O., Cecil County, Md.
- (19) iv William Thompson Ramsey, b. April 25, 1826, d. January 15, 1888.
- (20) v Amey Ann Ramsey, b. May 4, 1828; m. January 7, 1847, to Nicholas Milburn, Bay View, Cecil County, Md., N. M., b. June 14, 1817, d. April 26, 1893.
- (21) vi John Benjamin Ramsey, b. August 11, 1832, d. August 22, 1887; m. Judith R. Miller, Cambridge, Pa.

CHILDREN OF THOMPSON RAMSEY (No. 6) AND
MARTHA SCOTT.

- (22) i Eliza Ramsey; m. Pollock,
- (23) ii John Ramsey; b. October 15, 1820, d. March
6, 1891; m. Mary Bye, b. May 13, 1819.

FOURTH GENERATION.

CHILDREN OF JOHN THOMPSON (No. 12) AND
MARY JANE KIRK.

- (24) i Margaret Thompson, b. March 31, 1864, d.
August 10, 1866.
- (25) ii Esther Reynolds Thompson, b. August 27,
1865, d. January 24, 1893; m. David E.
Shea.
- (26) iii William John Thompson, b. February 24,
1868, d. April 19, 1875.
- (27) iv Thomas Huston Thompson, b. August 27,
1867, d. April 20, 1875.
- (28) v Fulton Thompson, b. June 13, 1871.
- (29) vi Mary Mitchell Thompson, b. September 10,
1874.
- (30) vii John Kirk Thompson, b. March 25, 1877.

CHILDREN OF MARY THOMPSON CLARK (No. 13)
AND THOMAS A. CLARK.

- (31) i William T. Clark, b. July 18, 1836; m. Jane P. Evans, January 1, 1868, b. March 25, 1840.
- (32) ii Robert J. Clark, b. July 3, 1839; m. Ettie T. R. Wood, b. July 5, 1839.
- (33) iii Agnes S. Clark, b. July 3, 1842; m. Thomas S. Nicholson, November 19, 1879.
- (34) iv John A. Clark, b. June 14, 1845; m. Margaret E. Simes, August 5, 1875, b. May 31, 1856.
- (35) v Charles H. Clark, b. January 15, 1848; m. Miriam K. Peterman, October 24, 1874, b. April 10, 1853.
- (36) vi Margaretta R. Clark, b. June 13, 1850; m. Rev. Lindley C. Rutter, December 1, 1870, b. November 7, 1847.

CHILDREN OF DR. THOMAS H. THOMPSON (No. 14)
AND ANNIE M. THOMAS.

- (37) i Margaret R. Thompson, b. July 23, 1840.
- (38) ii Mary L. Thompson, b. October 28, 1853; m. Harry A. Menough.
- (39) iii Ella Thompson, b. January 12, 1856; m. G. Reney Dickey.
- (40) iv Annie Thompson; m. Thomas D. Alexander.

- (41) v Carrie Thompson; m. Dr. Charles P. Graham.

CHILDREN OF HARRIET RAMSEY (No. 17) AND
REV. WILLIAM H. TIPTON.

- (42) i Mary E. Tipton; m. William T. Kirkpatrick.
(43) ii John W. Tipton, deceased.
(44) iii Martha Jane Tipton; m. Horatio N. Belt,
Bunker Hill; Macoupin County, Ill.
(45) iv Harriet E. Tipton; m. William Wilson.

CHILDREN OF AMEY ANN RAMSEY (No. 20) AND
NICHOLAS MILBURN.

- (46) i Martha Jane Milburn, b. June 18, 1848; m.
Isaac Rogers, August 16, 1877.
(47) ii Virginia Milburn, b. September 3, 1851; m.
Levi Plank, January 16, 1873.

CHILDREN OF JOHN BENJAMIN RAMSEY (No. 21)
AND JUDITH R. MILLER.

- (48) i Annie Ramsey.
(49) ii William Ramsey, deceased.

CHILDREN OF ELIZA RAMSEY (No. 22) AND
POLLOCK.

- (50) i Mary Ramsey Pollock.

CHILDREN OF JOHN RAMSEY (No. 23) AND
MARY BYE.

- (51) i William S. Ramsey, b. July 2, 1849; m.
Lidie A. Fitzgerald on December 24,
1874.
- (52) ii Emma E. Ramsey, b. October 13, 1844, u.
- (53) iii F. Jennie Ramsey, b. November 23, 1851;
m. William T. McGaw, March 11, 1878;
d. November 21, 1885.
- (54) iv Annie M. Ramsey, b. June 5, 1863; m.
David H. Cooper, May 4, 1882.

FIFTH GENERATION.

CHILDREN OF WILLIAM T. CLARK (No. 31) AND
JANE P. EVANS.

- (56) i James E. Clark, b. December 25, 1868; m.
January 11, 1899, to Annie B. Nesbit.
- (57) ii Mary T. Clark, b. February 24, 1871.
- (58) iii Thomas A. Clark, b. March 21, 1872.
- (59) iv Gertrude B. Clark, b. February 6, 1874.
- (60) v Jennie Clark, b. May 16, 1885.

CHILDREN OF ROBERT J. CLARK, M.D. (No. 32), AND
ETTA T. RUTTER WOOD.

- (61) i E. Louisa Clark.

CHILDREN OF AGNES S. CLARK (No. 33) AND THOMAS
E. NICHOLSON.

- (62) i Mary T. Nicholson, b. April 14, 1883.

CHILDREN OF JOHN A. CLARK (No. 34) AND MAR-
GARET E. SIMES.

- (63) i Samuel Alexander Clark, b. May 19, 1876.
(64) ii Marion Thompson Clark, b. November 14,
1877.
(65) iii Charles Scott Clark, b. August 21, 1879.
(66) iv Sarah Elizabeth Clark, b. August 7, 1882.
(67) v Margaret Simes Clark, b. January 17, 1886.
(68) vi Thomas Walter Clark, b. January 4, 1888.
(69) vii John Alexander Clark, b. December 27,
1892.
(70) viii Jean Stevenson Clark, b. November 28,
1897.

CHILDREN OF CHARLES H. CLARK (No. 35) AND
MIRIAM K. PETERMAN.

- (71) i Helen Thompson Clark, b. July 20, 1875.
(72) ii Mildred Vaughn Clark, b. April 14, 1880.
(73) iii Kathryn Clark, b. January 1, 1890.

CHILDREN OF MARGARETTA R. CLARK (No. 36),
AND REV. LINDLEY C. RUTTER.

- (74) i Louisa Potts Rutter, b. February 19, 1872.
- (75) ii Thomas Chichester Rutter, b. September 5,
1873.
- (76) iii Harry R. Rutter, b. May 23, 1875.
- (77) iv Mary Thompson Rutter, b. November 4,
1877.
- (78) v Lindley C. Rutter, b. February 3, 1883, d.
September 22, 1893.

CHILDREN OF MARY THOMPSON (No. 38) AND HARRY
A. MENOUGH.

- (79) i J. Fred Menough, b. December 22, 1874;
m. Elizabeth N. Wilson, January 4, 1899.
- (80) ii Norman T. Menough, b. January 10, 1875.
- (81) iii Clyde H. Menough, b. December 14, 1880.
- (82) iv Gertrude Menough, b. July 27, 1887.
- (83) v Harry Alexis Menough, b. July 12, 1895.

CHILDREN OF ELLA THOMPSON (No. 39) AND G.
RENEY DICKEY.

- (84) i Edward Thompson Dickey, b. November
16, 1896.

CHILDREN OF MARTHA JANE TIPTON (No. 44) AND
HORATIO N. BELT.

- (85) i Cora L. Belt.
- (86) ii William Leslie Belt.
- (87) iii H. C. Belt.

CHILDREN OF VIRGINIA MILBURN (No. 47) AND
LEVI PLANK.

- (88) i Amy Virginia Plank, b. January 13, 1874.
- (89) ii William Ramsey Plank, b. January 17, 1881.

MEMORANDA BY MRS. ELIZABETH T. WATSON³.

No. 15. (MARGARET³, HUGH RAMSEY¹.)

Mrs. Molly Thompson emigrated from Ireland to America long before the Revolution, in what year I never heard, but in the war of the Revolution her son John was a man of family and property, as he was robbed of a large amount at that time. When Mrs. Thompson was about to leave Ireland her father kneeled down with her, and her

boys, and prayed that the Living God would keep the widow and children. I think his last name was McGraudy. The boys were William, John, Hugh and Robert. They were young and after getting to America, the captain of the ship they came over in, was going to sell them (as some were) but they proved that their passage was paid before they left. I do not know whether I have the names in the order of their ages or not. I believe Hugh or Robert left no male children but I think female. The Thompsons of Bucks County and Chester County are descendants of Wm. and John Thompson. John Thompson's children were Elizabeth, born January 7, 1763; Hugh, born November 29, 1764, died August 10, 1847; Jane Thompson, born October 26, 1766; John, born January 16, 1769; Robert, born March 9, 1771, died August 17, 1849; John, born July 11, 1773; Thomas Mifflin, born December 21, 1775, died September 4, 1847; James, born June 15, 1778, died September 11, 1857; William, born December 17, 1780, died September 16, 1832.

The children of Wm. I. were Jane, married to Hugh Ramsey; Mary, married to James Scott; Elizabeth, married to Jonathan Kirk; Wm. M.D.,

Esq., married to Mary Johnson; Robert, a dissipated character; John, who emigrated to Virginia. These were all I ever remember to have seen or heard of. Hugh Ramsey came to America when about 19 years of age. He built the east end of Hilaman's house in East Nottingham in 1794, several years after leaving Bucks County where he had been married to Jane Thompson.

Alexander Ramsey, a half brother of Hugh Ramsey, went to Minnesota and is supposed to have settled Ramsey County, in which St. Paul, the State capital, is located.

BY WM. THOMPSON RAMSEY. No. 19.

CECIL COUNTY, MD., October 11, 1877.

H. R. Fulton, Esq.:

On or about the year 1814, William Ramsey, son of Hugh and Jane Ramsey, of Chester County, Pa., came to Cecil County, Md., and married Martha McVey, daughter of Jacob and Amy McVey. She died in the year 1831, leaving seven children, as follows: Hugh, who died in the fall

of 1832 ; Harriet, who married Rev. William Webster Tipton, went west and died in 1854 leaving four children, all married ; Hannah M., who married Stephen Atkinson. She had eleven children, two living ; William Thompson, unmarried ; Amy A., who married Nicholas Milburn, who has two children, both married ; John B., who married in Pennsylvania, who has two children, and Absalom M., who died at the age of six years.

The writer, William Thompson Ramsey, was born on the 25th of April, 1826. I lived with my father until after I was twenty-one years of age. The only means of education was such as I could obtain at the common schools. In 1850 I went to the State of Virginia, joined a corps of engineers on the survey and location of the Orange and Alexander Railroad, now called the Virginia Midland Railroad. I was there for five years, or until the completion of the line to Lynchburg. I with care saved some money, and came back to Cecil County in 1855. On the 14th day of March, 1856, my father died and I bought out the other heirs in the home property, put up a stone house at Bay View, started a business with wonderful success, and in the fall of 1867 the County Convention at Elkton gave me the nomination for County Commissioner and on the 3d day of November, following, I was elected by a majority of 957 votes over the strongest man the opposition could obtain.

I stand six feet six inches in height and weigh two hundred and eighty pounds.

My grandfather, Jacob McVey, first settled on 600 acres of land near Bay View, Cecil County, Md., a part of which I own.

The aforesaid tract of land, at the time of the Revolutionary war, was the finest timber land in the county. He built up extensive saw mills, cut the timber into shipstuff, bought a tract of land at the head of the bay for wharfage, and shipped a vast amount of lumber to Baltimore for the purpose of shipbuilding. He, in addition, carried on store-keeping. His mother's maiden name was Mattie Passmore. The Passmores of the present day are all descendants from the same stock. Jacob had seven brothers; six of them went west about the year 1770. Passmore remained here until the time of his death, which occurred in 1824. He owned the "Beacon Hill" farm, the old stone house built by him ninety years ago still stands in a good state of preservation. The Old Ferry Post Road passes by the house, also the P. W. & B. Railroad through the farm.

Respectfully Yours,

W. T. RAMSEY.

JOHN BENJAMIN RAMSEY. No. 21.

Name, John Benjamin Ramsey³, No. 21 (William², Hugh¹), now deceased.

Residence and postoffice, Cambridge P. O., Lancaster County, Pa.

Occupation, a sawyer and rake manufacturer for 33 years.

Born August 11, 1832, at Bay View, Cecil County, Maryland.

Married November 8, 1853, to Judith Rebecca Miller of Cambridge, Salisbury Township, Lancaster County, Pa.

Names and age of children in full, two children, William McVey Ramsey, born February 6, 1856, and Annie Rebecca Ramsey, born October 25, 1860.

Joined the Methodist Church, October, 1850.

WILLIAM THOMPSON CLARK. No. 31.

William Thompson Clark⁴, No. 31 (Mary³, Margaret², Hugh¹), was born at Chestnut Level, Drumore Township, Lancaster County, Pa., on July 18, 1836. He attended the public schools

and Chestnut Level Academy. He married Jane P. Evans. They have issue as follows: James E., Mary T., Thomas A., Gertrude B. and Jennie.

His father was Scotch-Irish. William T. served as a sergeant and commissary in the 79th Regiment Pennsylvania Veteran Volunteers in the war for the Union, and was severely wounded in the battle of Perryville. He was in a large number of engagements during his four years of service, and was with Sherman on the march to the sea, and in the grand review in Washington at the close of the war. He is a member of George H. Thomas Post 84, G. A. R., and an elder of the Presbyterian Church of Chestnut Level.

ROBERT JAMES CLARK, M.D.

Robert James Clark, M.D.⁴, No. 32 (Mary³, Margaret², Hugh¹), Chestnut Level, Lancaster County, Pa., physician and farmer.

Birth-place and date of birth, Chestnut Level, July 3, 1839.

Attended Chestnut Level Academy and Pennsylvania Medical University.

Married September 8, 1871, to Ettie T. Wood nee Rutter. One child, Ettie Louise Clark, born March 7, 1873.

Father's name, Thomas Alexander Clark.

Mother's maiden name, Mary Thompson.

Grandfather's name, Dr. William Thompson and Robert Clark.

Grandmother's maiden name, Margaret Ramsey and Agnes Scott.

Nationality, Scotch Irish by Clark and Scotch by Thompson.

Forefathers emigrated from the north of Ireland, London Derry.

First settled, I think, in Faggs Manor, Chester County.

Dr. Wm. Thompson was several times elected to the Legislature in Pennsylvania.

Belong to Presbyterian Church.

Elizabeth Thompson (nee McGreggor) came to this country with four sons—youngest four years old. He married Mary Huston and was my great-grandfather. The oldest son of the woman named perhaps William, was your great-grandfather. The names of these four boys were William, Robert, Hugh and John.

One was lost at sea, either Robert or Hugh, and the daughter of the other married Wm. Neely. Hugh Ramsey, your grandfather, and my great-grandfather, came to this country when 18 years old from the north of Ireland, and married Jane Thompson.

The father of the above Elizabeth Thompson, quite an old man, came with his daughter to the landing and prayed with her. She settled on the Neshameny.

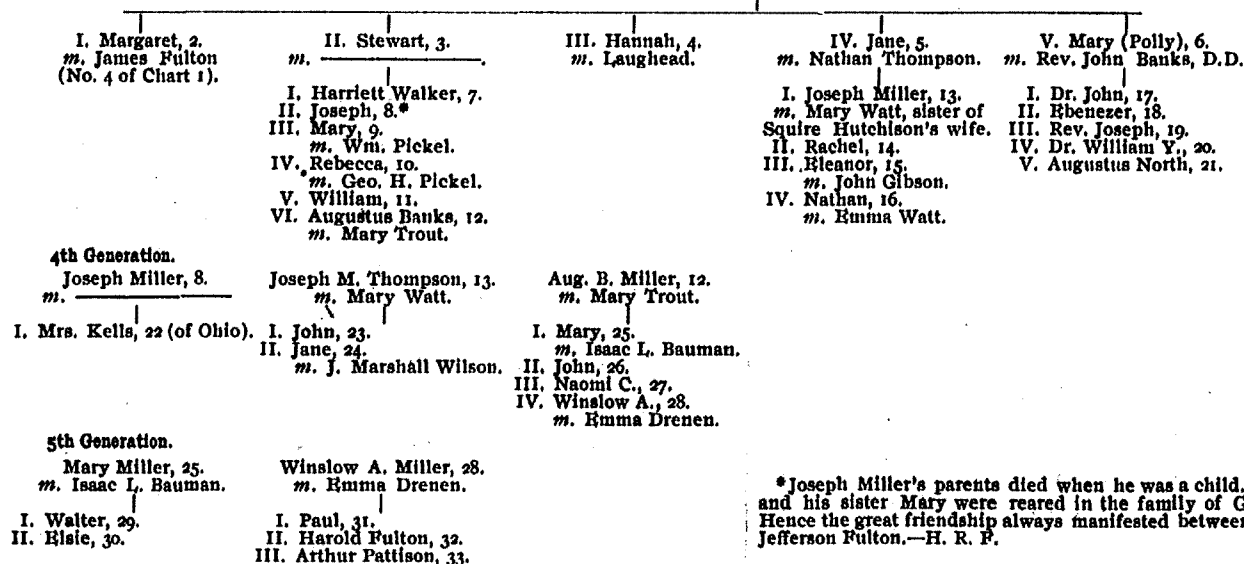
John Thompson, brother of your grandmother, went to the Valley of Virginia many years ago, and perhaps was grandfather of Gen. Jefferson Thompson of Rebel fame.

One of the ancestors was in Derry at the time of the Siege of Protestants, when the place was held against the Catholics until aid came from Scotland.

GENEALOGICAL TABLE.—Miller Family.

Chart No. 7; 1st, 2d and 3d Generations.

JOSEPH MILLER, 1.



*Joseph Miller's parents died when he was a child. Being left an orphan he and his sister Mary were reared in the family of Grandfather James Fulton. Hence the great friendship always manifested between Joseph Miller and James Jefferson Fulton.—H. R. P.

CHAPTER VII.

A CHART OF THE MILLER FAMILY.

FIRST GENERATION.

JOSEPH MILLER (No. 1).

Margaret Miller, wife of James Fulton (No. 4), was the daughter of Colonel Joseph Miller, who owned the John Kennedy farm property, near Bartville, Colerain Township, Lancaster County, Pa.

SECOND GENERATION.

CHILDREN OF JOSEPH MILLER (No. 1).

- (2) i Margaret Miller; m. James Fulton (No. 4).
- (3) ii Stewart Miller, d. April 21, 1822; m. Martha Baird, d. May 6, 1821.
- (4) iii Hannah Miller; m. — Loughhead.
- (5) iv Jane Miller; m. Nathan Thompson.
- (6) v Mary (Polly); m. Rev. John Banks, D.D.

THIRD GENERATION.

CHILDREN OF STEWART MILLER (No. 3) AND MARTHA BAIRD.

- (7) i Harriet Miller; m. — Walker, of Ohio.
- (8) ii Joseph Miller, with grandfather.

- (9) iii Mary Miller; m. William Pickel, Georgetown.
- (10) iv Rebecca Miller; m. George H. Pickel.
- (11) v William Miller.
- (12) vi Augustus Banks Miller, b. September 21, 1817, d. March 25, 1889; m. Mary Trout, b. June 13, 1820, d. September 15, 1891.

CHILDREN OF JANE MILLER (No. 5) AND
NATHAN THOMPSON.

- (13) i Joseph Miller Thompson; m. Mary Watt, a sister of Squire Hutchison's wife.
- (14) ii Rachel Thompson, u.
- (15) iii Eleanor Thompson; m. John Gibson.
- (16) iv Nathan Thompson; m. Emma Watt.

CHILDREN OF REV. JOHN BANKS, D.D., AND
MARY MILLER (No. 6).

- (17) i Dr. John Banks.
- (18) ii Ebenezer Banks.
- (19) iii Rev. Joseph Banks.
- (20) iv Dr. William Y. Banks.
- (21) v Augustus North Banks.

FOURTH GENERATION.

CHILDREN OF JOSEPH MILLER* (No. 8).

- (22) i Mrs. Kells, of Ohio.

CHILDREN OF AUGUSTUS BANKS MILLER (No. 12)
AND MARY TROUT.

- (23) i Anna Mary Miller, b. August 29, 1846; m.
Isaac L. Bauman, May 24, 1869, b. Au-
gust 3, 1845.
(24) ii Naomi Catharine Miller, b. October 9, 1849.
(25) iii John Walker Miller, b. August 23, 1853, d.
December 27, 1886.
(26) iv Winslow A. Miller, b. April 6, 1857; m.
Emma J. Drennen, January 2, 1884, b.
May 9, 1861.

CHILDREN OF JOSEPH MILLER THOMPSON (No. 13)
AND MARY WATT.

- (27) i John Thompson.
(28) ii Jane Thompson; m. J. Marshall Wilson.

*Joseph Miller's parents died when he was a child. Being left an orphan he, Joseph, and Mary Miller were reared in the family of Grandfather James Fulton, hence the great friendship always manifested for Joe Miller by father James Jefferson Fulton.
H. R. F.

FIFTH GENERATION.

CHILDREN OF ANNA MARY MILLER (No. 23)
AND ISAAC L. BAUMAN.

- (29) i Walter M. Bauman, b. January 29, 1883.
- (30) ii Elsie M. Bauman, b. July 23, 1884.

CHILDREN OF WINSLOW A. MILLER (No. 26) AND
EMMA J. DRENNEN.

- (31) i Paul Drennen Miller, b. October 16, 1887.
- (32) ii Harold Fulton Miller, b. June 16, 1891.
- (33) iii Arthur Patterson Miller, b. May 13, 1896.

WINSLOW A. MILLER. No. 26.

Winslow A. Miller¹, No. 26 (Augustus B.³, Stewart², Joseph¹), born in Lancaster, Pa., April 6, 1857. He was educated in the public schools of Lancaster. and learned the business of wholesale notions with R. J. Houston. He married Emma J. Drennen on January 2, 1884. She was born at Buena Vista, Alleghany County, Pa., on May 9, 1861.

They have issue as follows: (1) Paul Drennen Miller; (2) Harold Fulton Miller; (3) Arthur Patterson Miller.



WINSLOW A. MILLER, No. 28.

He has for years resided in Steelton, Dauphin County, Pa., where he holds the position of clerk in the auditing department of the Pennsylvania Steel Company.

He is a thorough business man, and an active member of the Steelton Presbyterian Church.

APPENDIX.

ROBERT FULTON.

The man who first successfully applied steam to navigation—Robert Fulton—was a native of Lancaster County. He was born in 1765, in that part of the township now named after him, but which was then a part of Little Britain Township. He was the third child of Robert and Mary Smith Fulton, his father dying when he was three years old. At the age of seventeen he went to Philadelphia, where he practiced drawing and portrait-painting with skill and profit for several years. In 1786 he went to London, where he devoted himself to painting under the tuition of the great Benjamin West, who was a native of Chester County, Pa., and who was then President of the Royal Academy. In 1796 he published in London a *Treatise on Canal Navigation*. At Paris he resided with the American poet, Joel Barlow, from 1797 to 1804, where he displayed his ingenuity in various projects and inventions and in the study of the sciences and modern languages. He

GENEALOGICAL TABLE.—Robert Fulton Family.

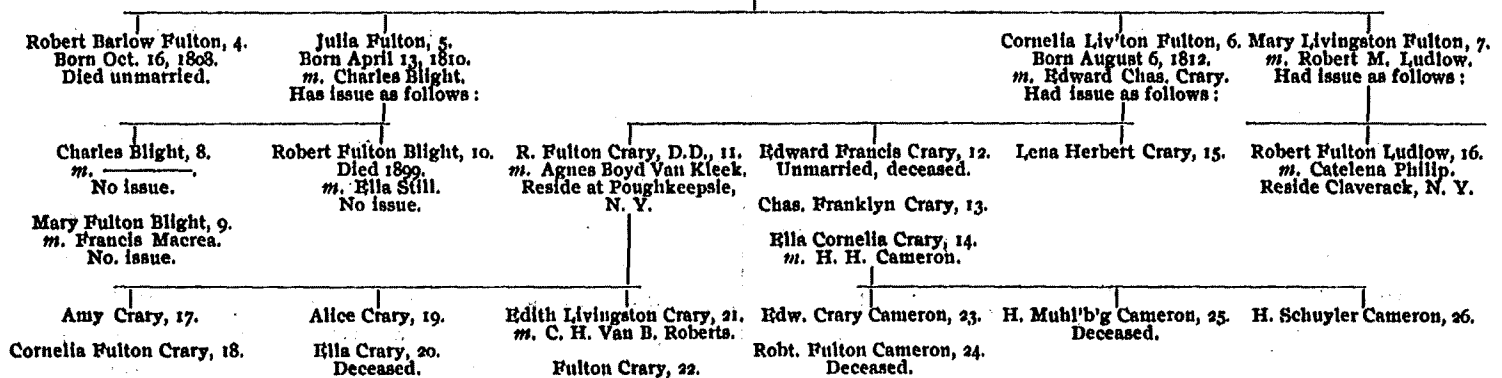
I. ROBERT FULTON, 1, AND MARY SMITH.

Robert and Mary Smith Fulton had issue two sons, Abraham Smith Fulton, 2; Robert Fulton, 3; and three daughters (names unknown).

ROBERT FULTON, 3, AND HARRIET LIVINGSTON.

Chart No. 8.

Had issue as follows :



was the proprietor of the first panorama exhibited in Paris. In 1804 Fulton accepted an invitation from the British government, which appointed a commission and made trials with his torpedo. In 1806 Fulton returned to New York, where, with Robert R. Livingston's help, he perfected his great project of steam navigation. In 1807, his boat, the *Clermont*, was launched at New York, and made the trip to Albany in fifteen hours; but this rate was soon increased by improved machinery. The number of steamboats rapidly multiplied on American rivers. Several larger vessels were built under Fulton's direction. In 1806 he married Harriet, daughter of Walter Livingston. He died on the 24th of February, 1815, at the age of fifty years. His death was universally regarded as a national calamity, and appropriate honors were paid to his memory by the General Government and by many of the State and municipal governments of the Union. He was buried from his residence, No. 1 State Street, on the 25th of February, and his body was placed in the vault of the Livingston family, in Trinity church-yard. He left a widow and four children.

In person, Fulton was tall and handsome. His

manner was polished, cordial and winning. He made friends rapidly, and never failed in his efforts to enlist capital and influence in support of his schemes. He was manly, fearless and independent in character, and joined to a perfect integrity a patience and indomitable resolution which enabled him to bear up under every disappointment, and which won for him in the end a glorious success.

A CHART OF THE ROBERT FULTON FAMILY.

FIRST GENERATION.

- (1) i Robert Fulton married Mary Smith.

SECOND GENERATION.

CHILDREN OF ROBERT FULTON (No. 1) AND MARY SMITH.

- (2) i Abraham Smith Fulton.
(3) ii Robert Fulton, b. 1765; m. Harriet Livingston in 1806. They also had three daughters. Names unknown.

THIRD GENERATION.

CHILDREN OF ROBERT FULTON (No. 3) AND HARRIET LIVINGSTON.

- (4) i Robert Barlow Fulton, b. October 16, 1808.
Died unmarried in 1841.
- (5) ii Julia Fulton, b. April 13, 1810, d. 1848;
m. Charles Blight.
- (6) iii Cornelia Livingston Fulton, b. August 6,
1812; m. Edward Charles Crary.
- (7) iv Mary Livingston Fulton; m. Robert M.
Ludlow.

FOURTH GENERATION.

CHILDREN OF JULIA FULTON (No. 5) AND CHARLES BLIGHT.

- (8) i Charles Blight; married . No issue.
- (9) ii Mary Fulton Blight; m. Francis Macrea.
No issue.
- (10) iii Robert Fulton Blight, d. 1899; m. Ella Still.
No issue.

CHILDREN OF CORNELIA L. FULTON (No. 6) AND EDWARD C. CRARY.

- (11) i Rev. Robert Fulton Crary, D.D.; m. Agnes
Boyd Van Kleeck. Resides in Pough-
keepsie, N. Y.

- (12) ii Edward Francis Crary, deceased, u.
- (13) iii Charles Franklyn Crary.
- (14) iv Ella Cornelia Crary; m. H. H. Cameron,
Esq.
- (15) v Lena Herbert Crary, deceased.

CHILDREN OF MARY LIVINGSTON FULTON (No. 7)
AND ROBERT M. LUDLOW.

- (16) i Robert Fulton Ludlow; m. Catelena Philip.
Reside in Claverack, N. Y.

FIFTH GENERATION.

CHILDREN OF REV. ROBERT FULTON CRARY, D.D.
(No. 11), AND AGNES BOYD VAN KLEECK.

- (17) i Amy Crary.
- (18) ii Cornelia Fulton Crary.
- (19) iii Alice Crary.
- (20) iv Ella Crary, deceased.
- (21) v Edith Livingston Crary; m. Charles H. Van
B. Roberts.
- (22) vi Fulton Crary.

CHILDREN OF ELLA CORNELIA CRARY (No. 14) AND
H. H. CAMERON.

- (23) i Edward Crary Cameron.
- (24) ii Robert Fulton Cameron, deceased.

- (25) iii Hermann Muhlenberg Cameron, deceased.
- (26) iv Herbert Schuyler Cameron.

DAVID RAMSEY.

The first great American historian was Dr. David Ramsey, who was born in Drumore Township, Lancaster County, Pa., April 2, 1749. A part of the old-fashioned chimney of the house in which he was born is still standing on the Shoemaker place, near Bethel meeting-house. He was the son of James Ramsey, a farmer, who emigrated from Ireland. David graduated at Princeton College, N. J., in 1765, and at the Medical College of Philadelphia in 1772. He removed to Charleston, S. C., in 1773. He was a member of the South Carolina Legislature during the Revolution, and took an active part in the patriot cause. In 1782 he was elected to the Continental Congress, afterward reëlected to that body, and was chosen president *pro tempore* during the illness of John Hancock. . He became a great historian and was the first person who took out a copyright under the laws of the United States. His historical

works were: a *History of the Revolution in South Carolina*, published in 1785; a *History of the American Revolution*, published in 1790; a *Life of Washington*, published in 1801; a *History of South Carolina*, published in 1808; a *Universal History*, and a *History of the United States*. He was mortally wounded by a maniac, and died May 7, 1815.

It is worthy of note that the first book Abraham Lincoln, the distinguished President, ever owned was Ramsey's *Life of Washington*.

He had borrowed the book from a school-teacher, Mr. Crawford. Reading it late at night he left it on an exposed place in their humble cottage. A storm came up in the night, and the rain beat in and stained the book, so that it was not fit to be returned.

Lincoln went to Crawford and told him the whole story, and, while he had no money to pay, he offered to do work to pay for it. Crawford took him at his offer, and Lincoln pulled cornshooks three days, and in that way paid for it, and owned his first book.

That book was written by Dr. Ramsey, who was born on the old Showalter (now Shoemaker) farm

here in Drumore township, near Fulton House, this county.

There is, therefore, reason to believe that Lancaster County produced the man who wrote the book that inspired the greatness of the greatest man the country has developed.

LETTER OF REV. S. C. FULTON, SCRANTON, PA.

I belong to the Canadian branch of the family tree. I am certain that the Fultons there and here are from the same stock. The last time I saw my grandfather Fulton—not long before his death—he was ninety-four years old. He told me that a great uncle of his came to Pennsylvania in the early history of this country, and was Government surveyor of the State in colonial times. He said that there were the traditional “Three Brothers” in the family. One settled in Canada; one in the United States; and one remained either in Scotland or Ireland, I don’t remember which. My grandfather was a tall, broad-shouldered, athletic man—very much of a man every way. His sons were among the foremost men of their town and country.

My uncle, Stephen Fulton, represented his county for many years until his death in the Pro-

vincial Legislature. He was elected again and again, even with such a political opponent in the field as Sir Charles Tupper. He was a man who had the unlimited confidence of the people.

I am a Methodist Episcopal minister. I have a brother who is an Episcopal clergyman.

Yours very truly,

S. C. FULTON.

DOVER, October 12, 1882.

Dear Sir:

I have filled up the enclosed blank as best I could. My ancestors being settlers in a comparatively new country seem to have lost their interest in their family history, and I have very meagre information. I remember my grandfather Fulton often talking about some of his relations of the same name in Pennsylvania. I think one was called Andrew, and another Gilbert. Of the first I feel quite sure, but not so sure of the second. There are quite a large number of Fultons in Indiana, Fayette and Allegheny counties. Among them are preachers, lawyers, farmers and merchants. There is an A. M. Fulton residing, I think, in or near Saltsburg, Indiana County, Pa., who is a man of some local prominence, and who has represented his county several terms in the Legislature. There

is a Rev. Fulton rector of an Episcopal church at Salisbury, Md.

For myself, I might add to what I have said in answer to your questions, that I am author of a little work, published by The Orange Judd Company, New York, entitled "Peach Culture," which is the only work of the kind, and is regarded as a standard on that subject. It was published in 1870, and a revised edition in 1882.

I shall be very much pleased to hear of your success in what I esteem a very proper and laudable undertaking, and if I can render you any further assistance will cheerfully do so. I suppose a reunion will be called at some future time, if you are sufficiently encouraged.

Yours very truly,

JAMES ALEXANDER FULTON.

HUGH R. FULTON, ESQ.

JAMES ALEXANDER FULTON.

James Alexander Fulton, October 11, 1882, Dover, Delaware. Occupation, Lawyer, peach grower, and farmer. Birth-place and date of birth, Allegheny township, Armstrong County, Pa., November 11, 1822. Married Mary A. Rice.

Names and ages of children in full, Isadore Forest, born August 7, 1849, died July 6, 1850; Mary E., born May 14, 1851; Clara A., born April 19, 1853; Cecil Clement, born January 27, 1855; Willie Rice, born May 19, 1858, died April 15, 1875; Nannie Belle, born December 8, 1862; Alexander, born July 22, 1866; Edith, born September 7, 1873, died March 23, 1879. Only one of the children married at this date: Cecil Clement was married October 13, 1881, to Anna Watson Meredith, of this state.

Cecil was educated at home, Hudson River Institute, Claverack, N. Y., and at Princeton College, N. J.; Mary E., at Wesleyan Female College, Wilmington, Delaware; Clara A., at St. Mary's, Burlington, N. J.; Nannie Belle and Alexander, at the Wilmington Conference Academy, Dover, Delaware.

Their residence and occupation: Cecil resides in Dover, Delaware, and is assistant Secretary of the Kent County Insurance Company. Father's full name, Thomas Fulton.

Mother's maiden name, Eleanor Neely.

Grandfather's full name, on father's side, William Fulton; on mother's side, James Neely.

Grandmother's maiden name, on father's side, Mary Wilson ; on mother's side, Rachel Taylor.

Nationality, Norman French, and the name is said to denote as much, but I have no authentic information.

Forefathers emigrated from England to Scotland, thence to Ireland ; certainly from Ireland to America. Were called Scotch-Irish by some. They first landed in America at New York or Philadelphia, I think.

They first settled in Pennsylvania, but am not sure in what county. Father was born in Centre county. Grandfather Neely settled in Armstrong County in 1797.

I was a member of the Pennsylvania House of Representatives from Armstrong County in 1853. Am a trustee of Delaware College, and a member of the Governor's Staff with the rank of Colonel. This is by positive statute, and there are but three in the State, one for each county. I am a Presbyterian.

FULTON FAMILY RECORD.

Name, John Lockhart Fulton.

Residence and postoffice, No. 382 Beaver Ave., Allegheny, Pa.

Occupation, clergyman and pastor of Second Presbyterian Church, Allegheny.

Birthplace, Hanover Township, Washington County, Pa.

Graduate of Monmouth College, Monmouth, Ill., and attended Seminary at the same place.

Name of wife, Fredonia Johnson, Chilicothe, O.

Names of children in full, David Lucian, Sarah Alta, Lucy Bell, James Ernest, Monica, John Lockhart and Emma.

Father's full name, James Fulton.

Mother's maiden name, Sarah Russell.

Grandfather's full name, John Fulton.

Grandmother's maiden name, Jane Lockhart.

Nationality, Irish.

I am a Presbyterian.

LETTER OF ROBERT B. FULTON, CHANCELLOR
OF THE UNIVERSITY OF MISSISSIPPI.

JANUARY 5, 1898.

HUGH R. FULTON, ESQ., Lancaster, Pa.

My Dear Sir: I have recently been making some investigations regarding my paternal an-

cestry and family connection, and have reached a point which I can not settle with the information at hand. My ancestry in the Fulton line I trace back through my father (William F.), grandfather [Paul (2)], great-grandfather [Paul (1)], and to *his* father, *John Fulton*, who was prominent in southern Georgia in the revolutionary period, and was a captain in the Revolutionary War. My knowledge of this John Fulton (supposed to be authenticated) begins with him about 1770 as the father of a large family in what was known as the Midway settlement, near Dorchester, Ga., in what is now Liberty County.

This man was one of the leaders in the movement which carried the Province of Georgia with the other colonies into the War of Independence. Fulton County, in which the capital of Georgia is situated, was named for him. Our family tradition makes him a captain in the Revolutionary War, but does not tell of his life before that time. The presumption is that he came from the North of Ireland with the tide of Scotch-Irish immigration that was strongest from 1730 to 1750. Possibly he followed the current of this immigration through Pennsylvania, western Virginia and the Carolinas into Georgia. Of this I do not know.

In my inquiries I have come across a statement of *your* line of ancestry, given me by Joel Mansell's Sons, Albany, N. Y., as follows:

John Fulton, of Oxford, Pa. Emigrated 1750.
Captain Revolutionary War.

James, of West Nottingham, Pa. Farmer.

James J., married Nancy A. Ramsey.

William T., of Oxford, Pa.

Joseph M.

James.

Hugh R., Lancaster. Lawyer.

The point which I wish to settle by this correspondence with you relates to the John Fulton at the head of the list. Could he be the same as the *John Fulton of Georgia*, mentioned by me? Both were captains in the Revolutionary War. If your ancestor John lived in Pennsylvania in 1775 and later, then they were different men. Can you inform me on this point?

With the meagre information I now have there appears to be no inconsistency in supposing that John Fulton, your ancestor, might have lived in Oxford, Pa., in 1750, and might have followed afterward, the drift of the Scotch-Irish southward into Georgia, leaving in Pennsylvania his son James, your ancestor. The name James does not appear among the descendants of John Fulton, of Georgia. His descendants were Samuel, Paul, Margaret, Mary, Jane and Elizabeth.

There were, as you doubtless know, many original settlers of the Fulton name. There is one family descended from Robert F., who settled at

Colerain, Mass., another line from Richard of Paxtang, Pa., and doubtless there are other lines.

I would thank you to write me what you may know of the places of residence of the *John Fulton* in your line mentioned above stating any facts tending to prove or disprove the supposition that he could have resided in Georgia in 1775 and later.

Trusting that you will pardon this trespassing on your time by me who has no claim but identity of name,

Yours very truly,

R. B. FULTON.

NOTE.—I answered this letter that they must have been different men as John remained in Chester County during the war, and that Mansell is in error in giving John as the Revolutionary soldier, as James Fulton was the captain in the army.

H. R. F.

REV. JUSTIN D. FULTON, D.D.

Rev. Justin D. Fulton, D. D., 225 Carlton Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y., writes February 13, 1883.

My father's name was John I. Fulton, born in Nova Scotia, had four children, S. I. Fulton,

Nineveh, N. Y.; Justin D. Fulton, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Mrs. H. A. Middlebrook, Binghamton, N. Y.; Mrs. Clara L. Looddeever, Binghamton, N. Y.

I was born March 1, 1828, at Shurburne, New York.

A notice of Dr. Fulton's lecture on the subject "The Garfield That Lives," by the *Cleveland Leader* says:

"The lecture was replete with effective anecdotes, beautiful illustrations, comparisons and figures, and abounded in examples drawn from the lives of successful or self-made men in all walks of life. Dr. Fulton's utterance is like the flow of a mighty river, with force enough to turn all the mills for miles. His voice is clear, pleasant and ringing. He is admirably fitted for out-of-door speaking. He is determined to win men and women from sin. He calls himself young; has seen only fifty-three years, it is said, so there is time left him. Our memory runs back twenty-six years, when he was pastor of the Baptist Church in Sandusky, a very young minister, fearless, self confident, the author of the 'Outlook of Freedom,' hating slavery."—*Cleveland Leader*.

JOHN M. FULTON.

Name, John M. Fulton.

Residence and postoffice, West Willow, Lancaster Co., Pa.

Occupation, surveyor, conveyancer and dealer in leaf tobacco.

Birthplace, Lancaster County, Pa.

Attended common and graded schools, Millersville Normal School and Iron City, Pittsburg, Pa.

Married.

Name of wife, Lizzie Fulton.

Names of children in full, John G., Annie G. and Joseph E.

Father's name, Daniel Fulton.

Mother's maiden name, Catherine Bergdolt.

Grandfathers' names, James Fulton and Daniel Bergdolt.

Grandmother's maiden name, Catharine Kreider, wife of Daniel Bergdolt.

ANNIE FULTON LANE.

Name, Annie Fulton Lane.

Residence and postoffice, 141 East James street, Lancaster, Pa.

Occupation, before marriage was a teacher.

Birthplace and date of birth, Ireland, April 21, 1854.

Attended several public schools in Lancaster County, also in Trenton, N. J.

Name of husband, George A. Lane, Esq.

Name of child in full, Anna May Lane.

Father's name, James Fulton.

Mother's maiden name, Rosanna Higgins.

Grandfather's name, James Fulton.

Grandmother's maiden name, also Fulton.

Nationality, Scotch-Irish.

First landed in America, at New York.

They first settled in Philadelphia.

Belong to First Presbyterian Church.

Mrs. Dr. A. P. Davis (nee Fulton), 6335 Howe Street, corner Denniston Avenue, Pittsburg, Pa., born July 19, 1841, in New Derry, Westmoreland County, Pa.; married Augustus Plummer Davis, of Gardiner, Me., June 22, 1876, at Pittsburg, Pa., born May 10, 1835, died May 21, 1899. Have no children.

Father's name, Benjamin Fulton. Born in New Derry, Westmoreland County, Pa., about 1794, died July 29, 1859, at Derry, Pa.; married

Jane Ayres, of New Derry, Pa., 1834, born 1800, died September 22, 1872.

Name of father's first child, James Ayers Fulton, born 1835, died March 31, 1894; married Nancy S. Shields, 1865. His wife and family, consisting of six sons and daughters, live at New Florence, Pa. He graduated in medicine in 1858. The next two children died in infancy. I, myself, am the fourth child, my sister Violet E. Fulton is the fifth and the youngest of the family, she being unmarried and making her home with me.

Grandfather's name, James Fulton.

Grandmother's maiden name, Sarah Cochrane.

Date of grandfather's birth, about 1747.

Born in Articlave, London Derry County, Ireland.

Wife born in Articlave, London Derry County, Ireland.

He died at New Derry, Westmoreland County, Pa., about 1834.

Buried at Old Salem Presbyterian Church, near Derry, Pa.

His wife was buried at the same place.

Names of grandfather's children, Abraham, Cochran, John, James, Robert, Benjamin, Mary

and Martha. My father (Benjamin Fulton) was the youngest of the family.

Great-grandfather's name, Abraham Fulton.

Great-grandmother's name before marriage, Margaret Guthrie.

Born in Articlave, London Derry County, Ireland.

His wife was born, as far as is known, at the same place as the above.

They died at Mount Pleasant, Westmoreland County, Pa., and were buried at the same place as the above, in the Presbyterian burying grounds of the church to which they belonged.

The Fultons are noted for the number of ministers in their connection.

JAMES MCFARLAND FULTON.

James McFarland Fulton; Residence and post-office, 170 Arch Street, Allegheny City, Pa.

Occupation, Minister.

Birth-place and date of birth, Belmont County, Ohio, August 31, 1849.

Attended Westminster College and Allegheny Theological Seminary.

Married Mary Hay Shafer.

Children, Charles Shafer Fulton, and Alexander Harper Fulton.

Father's name, Charles Fulton.

Mother's Maiden name, Jane Brown.

Grandfather's name, Wm. Fulton.

Grandmother's maiden name, Jane McClarren.

Nationality, Scotch-Irish.

Forefathers emigrated from Ireland, Six Mile Cross.

First landed in America at Quebec.

First settled at Belmont County, Ohio.

Belong to United Presbyterian Church.

NEBRASKA CITY, November 23, 1871.

HUGH FULTON, Esq.

Dear Sir:—Learning through a young lady teaching school here, that a gentleman of my name had just married a sister of a Dr. Kerr, formerly of this place, I naturally feel some curiosity to know more of you. I have never known any person of my name before. My parents were Irish, and the family names are William, Samuel, John, Emma, and your subscriber, Hugh.

Yours very truly,

HUGH FULTON,
Box 29, Nebraska City,
Nebraska.

JOHN FULTON.

Name, John Fulton: residence and post office, Knob P. O., Beaver County, Pa.; occupation, farmer; birth-place and date of birth, north of Ireland, Derry County, born August 15, 1824. Married Mary J. McClure.

Names of children in full: John, Robert, Mary, Alexander D., Ada, Emma, Carrie, Lydia, Jessie. John married to Jennie M. Palmer; Mary married to Dr. J. C. Sloan.

Their residence and occupation: John, New York, wholesale druggist; Robert, telegraph operator, Colorado; Alexander, Allegheny City, Pa., editor.

Father's full name, John Fulton.

Mother's maiden name, Mary McLean.

Grandfather's full name, John Fulton.

Nationality, Scotch.

First landed in America, in New York in 1848.

First settled in Pittsburg, Pa.

Belong to Baptist Church.

My grandfather and two of his brothers came to America before the Revolution and my grandfather went back to Ireland and his brothers settled in Philadelphia.

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