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## THE HERITAGE

Hold me not boastful that I take a pride  
In what my forefathers have achieved;  
I honor, not myself, but those who gave  
A priceless heritage on which to build  
Not selfishness, for they knew sacrifice,  
Not cowardice, but courage for the right,  
Not boldness, but a love of high ideals,  
And reverence for things to be revered,  
Heir to these qualities, so may I prove  
The great foundation of my life today,  
Which by the toil of patriots has been formed.

—DIANA KEARNY POWELL



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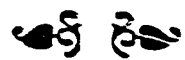
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*Signing of the "Mayflower Compact" in the cabin of the Mayflower 1620.*



## the compact

**I**N Y<sup>e</sup> Name of God, *Amen.* ¶ We whose names are underwritten, the loyall subjects of our dread soveraigne Lord King James, by y<sup>e</sup> grace of God of Great Britaine, France & Ireland King, Defender of the Faith, &c. 20<sup>th</sup> Haveing under-taken for y<sup>e</sup> glorie of God, and advancemente of y<sup>e</sup> Christian faith, and honour of our King and Countreie, a voyage to plant y<sup>e</sup> first colonie in y<sup>e</sup> northerne parts of Virginia, doe by these presents solemnly & mutually in y<sup>e</sup> prefence of God and one of another, covenant, & combine our selves together into a civill body politic, for our better ordering and preservation, and furtherance of y<sup>e</sup> ends afore said; and by virtue hereof to enacte, constitute and frame such just and equall lawes, ordinances, acts, constitutions and offices from time to time, as shall be thought most meete & convenient for y<sup>e</sup> generall good of y<sup>e</sup> Colonie; unto which we promise all due submiffion and obedience. 20<sup>th</sup> 20<sup>th</sup> 20<sup>th</sup> 20<sup>th</sup> 20<sup>th</sup> 20<sup>th</sup> 20<sup>th</sup> 20<sup>th</sup>

*In witness whereof* we have hereunder subscribed our names at Cape Codd y<sup>e</sup> 11 of November, in y<sup>e</sup> year of y<sup>e</sup> raigne of our soveraigne Lord King James of England, France & Ireland y<sup>e</sup> eighteenth, and of Scotland y<sup>e</sup> fifty-fourth, An<sup>o</sup> Dom. 1620.

JOHN CARVER  
WILLIAM BRADFORD  
EDWARD WINGLOW  
WILLIAM BREWSTER  
ISAAC ALLISTON  
WYLER STURGES  
JOHN ALLEN

CHRISTOPHER HARTEN  
SAMUEL PELLER  
WILLIAM MULLIS  
WILLIAM WHITE  
EDWARD WARREN  
JOHN HOWLAND  
STEPHEN HOPKINS

EDWARD TILLEY  
JOHN TILLEY  
FRANCIS CHACE  
THOMAS ROGERS  
THOMAS TUCKER  
JOHN BUCKLEY  
EDWARD PELLER

JOHN TURNER  
FRANCIS BROWN  
JAMES CHILTON  
JOHN CHACOFER  
JOHN BELLINGHAM  
JOHN FLETCHER  
JOHN COLEMAN

REBERT FURST  
THOMAS WELLES  
CELEST WINGLOW  
EDWARD MARCHES  
PETER BROWN  
EDWARD BRYTHMAN  
GEORGE BULL

EDWARD CLARK  
EDWARD CARPENTER  
JOHN ALLISTON  
THOMAS BUCKLEY  
EDWARD BUCKY  
EDWARD LESTER

*November 20, 1620, the Mayflower came to anchor in Cape Cod Harbor, sixty-one days out of Plymouth, England. The vessel was rated at 120 tons and is said to have been about 40 feet long, 10 feet wide, and operated by a crew of some fifteen or twenty men. There were 102 passengers on board, and as soon as*

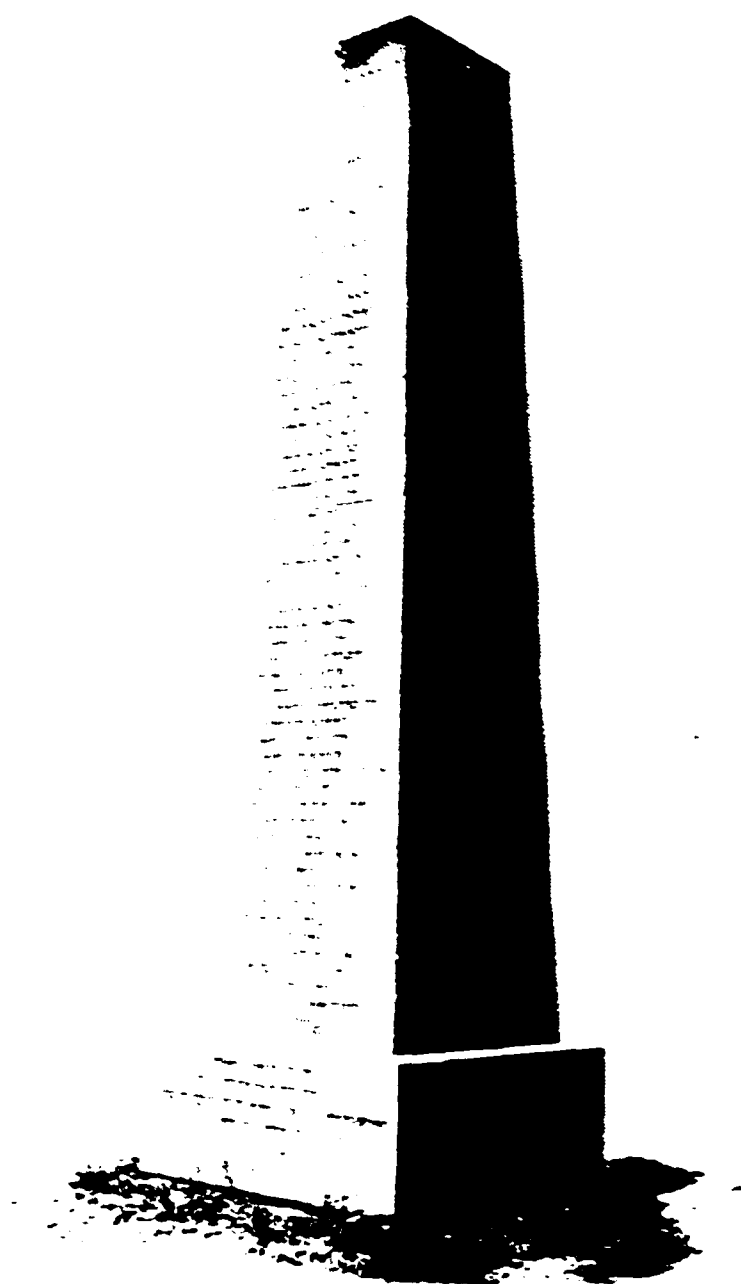
*the boat came to anchor a compact for the government of the new colony was drawn up and signed by most of the colony, forty-one in number. The compact is brief, but it contains the root out of which sprang the Constitution of the United States, for it includes the first true democratic idea of government.*

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## MAYFLOWER PASSENGERS FROM WHOM MISS ADDIE CLARK HARDING IS DESCENDED:

1. THOMAS ROGERS
2. JOSEPH ROGERS
3. STEPHEN HOPKINS
4. GILES HOPKINS
5. CONSTANT HOPKINS (Mrs. Nicolas Snow)
6. JOHN HOWLAND
7. ELIZABETH TILLEY
8. JOHN TILLEY
9. MRS. TILLEY
10. ELDER WILLIAM BREWSTER
11. MARY, his wife





### *Hartford Monument*

*This fine shaft erected at Hartford, Conn. to the memory of its earliest settlers. This shaft stands in Hartford's oldest burial ground by the Central church "God's Acre", The First Church of Christ.*

*The inscription reads: "This Monument is erected by First Burying Ground Association of Hartford, A.D. 1837."*

### ANCESTORS WHOSE NAMES APPEAR ON HARTFORD MONUMENT AT HARTFORD, CONN.

1. THOMAS JUDD
2. EDWARD STEBBINS
3. ELDER JOHN WHITE
4. THOMAS BUNCE
5. WILLIAM LEWIS







*God's Acre in the rear of the First Church of Christ at Hartford, Conn.*



**STATES IN WHICH  
ADDIE CLARK HARDING'S  
ANCESTORS LIVED**

**ILLINOIS**

**PENNSYLVANIA**

**MASSACHUSETTS**

**CONNECTICUT**

**NEW YORK**

**CALIFORNIA**

**NORTH CAROLINA**

**SOUTH CAROLINA**

**TEXAS**

**GEORGIA**

**KENTUCKY**



## FOREWORD



This Book of Ancestry was compiled first from data furnished by Miss Addie Clark Harding, from Newspaper obituaries, etc.

Second by research in genealogies and town and county histories, Mayflower Index and Illinois Mayflower Descendants Book, and D.A.R.. Lineage Books.

Finally by corresponding with State Board of Health, Concord, N.H. and by having the Census Records searched in Washington, D.C.; by Pension of Joshua Church; by having a Genealogist search in New Hampshire Vital Records and N.H. Historical Society and N.H. Wills; by correspondence with relatives of Miss Harding in Arkansas, Louisiana; by records from North Carolina Historical Commission; by a letter from her grand uncle from California; by having photostats made of a Mayflower paper in the files of the Historian General in Boston; by research done by Connecticut Genealogists in Easthampton, Conn. and Middletown, Conn. Vital Records and Church Records.

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## ROYAL ANCESTRY



### PEDIGREE I (CHARLEMAGNE)

1. CHARLEMAGNE, (CHARLES I) son of Pepin Le Bref and grandson of Charles Martel, and great grandson of Pepin of Heristal, or Crassus, founder of Carolingian line of Frankish Kings, became Duke of Austrasias Franks 680. Charlemagne, King of the Franks and Roman Emperor was born April 2, 742, probably at Aix-La-Chapelle. After his father's death in 768, he reigned over the Franks jointly with his brother Carloman until the death of the latter in 772. From that time, he was sole ruler during a reign of forty-three years.

Charlemagne marched two armies over the Alps and conquered Lombardy in 774. Returned and beat the Saxons again and hastened into Spain in 778, to help the Arabian rulers. The extensive domain of Charlemagne was only rendered secure by ceaseless vigilance and warfare. He was proficient in science, as well as all hardy accomplishments, speaking Latin and knowing Greek. He was tall and stately, measuring seven feet of his own foot-lengths, simple in life, excelling all men of the time, to all alike dread and beloved. His fame spread through all the land. He died at Aix-La Chapelle Jan. 28, 814 and was succeeded by his son Louis. He married the Swabian Princess Hildegard.

2. LOUIS I, "The Pious" surnamed Le Debonnaire, King of the Franks and Emperor of the West. He married second 819 Judith, who died Apr. 19, 843, daughter of Guelph I, Count of Altdorf and Duke of Bavaria, and had:

3. PRINCESS GISELE born about 820, died 874. Married 836 Eberhart Markgraf (or Duke of Fioul) d. 864-6 and had:

4. HALWIGE married Ludolph "The Great", Count of Saxony and afterwards Duke of Saxony, died Sept. 6, 864, and had:

5. OTHO, "The Illustrious", Duke of Saxony, died Nov. 12, 912. Mar-

ried Hedwige (or Edith) a daughter of Emperor Arnoul (Arnulph) and had:

6. HENRY I, "The Fowler" Emperor of Germany, Duke of Saxony, Brunswick and Zelle born about 876, died July 2, 936. Married second 911, Mathilda, daughter of Dietrich, Count of Ringelheim, and sister of Siegfried, 1st Count (Markgrof) of Brandenburg and had:

7. PRINCESS HATWIDE (or HAWISE) married as his third wife Prince Hugh "The Great", surnamed, "The White", Duke of France and Burgundy etc., died about 896, son of Robert, Duke of France, who was crowned King of France about June 29, 922 (killed at Battle abt. June 15, 923) and grandson of Robert, surnamed "The Strong", Duke of France and Count of Anjou, who was killed about 866-7. They had:

8. HUGH CAPET, King of France, died Oct. 24, 996. Married Adelaide and had:

9. ROBERT II, "The Pious", King of France born about 970, and died July 20, 1031. Married second Constance, daughter of William De Taillefer, Count of Toulouse and had:

10. HENRY I, King of France died Aug. 4, 1060. Married about Jan. 29, 1044, Anne, daughter of Yaroslav I, Grand Prince of Kiev and had:

11. PHILIP I, King of France born c 1053, and died July 29, 1108. Married first 1070 Bertha, died 1093, daughter of Florent I, Count of Holland and had:

12. LOUIS VI, surnamed "Le Gros", King of France born 1077-8, died Aug. 1137. Married abt. 1120 Adelaide, daughter of Humbert III, Count of Maurienne (or of Savoy) and his wife Gisele, De Bourgoyne. They had:

13. LOUIS VII, surnamed "Le Jeune", King of France born c 1120, and died Sept. 18, 1180. Married third Nov. 13, 1160, Alix (or Alice) died June 24, 1206, daughter of Theobald "The Great", Count of Champagne and had:

14. PHILIPPE II, King of France born Aug. 21, 1165, died July 14, 1223, married first Apr. 28, 1180, Isabelle born c 1170, and died Mar. 15, 1188-89, and had:

15. LOUIS VIII, surnamed "The Lion", King of France born Sept. 4, 1187, and died Nov. 8, 1226. Married May 23, 1200 Blanche, daughter of Alphonse IX, King of Castile, and had:

16. LOUIS IX, "The Saint" (St. Louis), King of France born April 25, 1215 and died Aug. 25, 1270. Married Marguerite, daughter of Raymond Berenger, Count of Provence and had:

17. PHILIPPE III, surnamed "Le Hardi", and "Coeur De Lion", King of France born c 1245 and died Oct. 5, 1285. Married first May 28, 1262, Isabelle, died Jan. 28, 1271, daughter of James I, King of Aragon, and had:

18. PHILIPPE IV, surnamed "Le Bel", King of France and Navarre, born c 1268, and died Nov. 29, 1314. Married Aug. 16, 1284 Jeanne (Joanna), Queen of Navarre born, died Apr. 2, 1305, daughter of Henry I, King of Navarre, and had:

19. PRINCESS ISABELLE died Aug. 27, 1358. Married Jan. 25, 1307-8, Edward II, King of England, died Sept. 21, 1327, and had:

20. EDWARD III, King of England born Nov. 13, 1312, died Jan. 21, 1377. Married Jan. 24, 1327 Philippa of Hainault born c 1312, died Aug. 14, 1369, daughter of William III, Count of Hainault and Holland, and his wife Joanna (or Jane), dau. of Charles, Count of Valois and granddaughter of Philippe III, King of France. They had:

21. PRINCE THOMAS surnamed, "of Woodstock" 6th son, Duke of Gloucester, Earl of Essex and Buckingham, Constable of England, Knight of the Garter, born Jan., 1354, died 1397. Married around 1376. Alianore (Eleanor), died Oct. 3, 1399, elder daughter and co-heiress of Humphrey De Bohun, Earl of Hereford and Essex, Earl of Northampton, Constable of England, and his wife Joan, dau. of Richard Fitz-Alan, Earl of Arundel. They had:

22. Anne, Countess of Buckingham, Hereford and Northampton, widow of Edmund de Stofford. Married third Sir William Bouchier, Count of Eu, in Normandy died at Troyes May 28, 1420, Constable of the Tower of London. They had:

23. SIR JOHN BOURCHIER, Baron Berenens, Knight of the Garter, Constable of Windsor Castle, died May 16, 1474. Married Margery, died

Dec. 18, 1475, widow of John Ferreby and daughter of Sir Richard Berners of West Harsley Co. Surrey, and had:

24. SIR HUMPHREY BOURCHIER, Knt. v.p. 1471 at Barnetfild, who married Lady Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Frederick Tilney of Ashwell-Thrope, and widow of Sir Thomas Howard, and had:

25. SIR JOHN BOURCHIER, second Lord Berners, who married Lady Katharine daughter of Sir John Howard, K.G. Duke of Norfolk, and had:

26. LADY JOANE BOURCHIER, died Feb. 8, 1561, who married Edmund Knyvett of Ashwellworth, Sergeant Porter to Henry VIII, and had:

27. ANNE KNYVETT disinherited on account of her marriage, who married Richard Sayer, born 1508, elder son of John Sayer, Mayor of Colchester. "Denying the spiritual supremacy of Henry VIII, Richard Sayer and wife were exiled to Holland in 1537, where he died 1540, leaving issue by wife":

28. JOHN SAYER born 1528, who married Elizabeth born 1532, died 1595, daughter of John Hawkins and dying in Holland, had:

29. JOHN BOURCHIER SAYER died at Amsterdam in 1629, who married Marie Lambrol Van Egmont and had:

30. RICHARD SEARS born 1590, member of Robinson's Leyden Congregation. Came to Plymouth, Mass. in 1630. He died 1676 at Yarmouth, Mass. He married in England Dorothy——, and had:

31. PAUL SEARS

(See SEARS FAMILY)

#### REFERENCE:

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Royal Families; Royal Gen. from Adam to these  
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Monthly; Irish Pedigrees by O'Hart  
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## MAGNA CARTA SURETY



1. HENRY DE BOHUN, elder son of Humphrey De Bohun and heir, who in reality was the first Earl of Hereford of this family, being so created by Charter of King John, dated Apr. 28, 1199. The Office of Lord High Constable he inherited. As he took prominent part with the Barons against the King, his lands were sequestered, but he received them again at the sealing of the Magna Carta. He was elected one of the celebrated twenty-five Sureties for the celebrated observance of the Magna Carta, having been excommunicated by the Pope, with other Barons, he did not return to his allegiance on the decease of King John, but was one of the commanders in the army of Louis, "The Dauphin" at the battle of Lincoln and was taken prisoner. After this defeat he joined Saher De Quincey and others, in a Pilgrimage to the Holy Land, and died on the passage, June 1, 1220. His body was brought home and buried in the Chapter-house of Llanthony Abbey, in Gloucestershire. He married Maud, daughter of Geoffrey Fitz-Piers, Baron de Mandeville, created 1212, and eventually heiress of her brother William de Mandeville, last Earl of Essex of that family, by whom he acquired the honor of Essex and many extensive Lordships and sister of Geoffrey de Mandeville, one of the celebrated twenty-five Magna Carta sureties, and had:

2. HUMPHREY DE BOHUN, Earl of Hereford and Essex, Lord High Constable and died in 1273. He married first Lady Maud, daughter of Henry De Eue, and had:

3. HUMPHREY DE BOHUN, eldest son who married Lady Eleanor, daughter of William De Braose, of Brecknock and had:

4. HUMPHREY DE BOHUN, Earl of Hereford and Essex, Lord High Constable died 1297. Married Lady Maud, daughter of Ingelram De Fienes and had:

5. HUMPHREY DE BOHUN, Earl of Hereford and Essex, Lord High Con-

stable. Killed in 1321. Married Lady Elizabeth, daughter of King Edward I, and had:

6. WILLIAM DE BOHUN, Knight of the Garter. Earl of Northampton, died 1360. Married Lady Elizabeth, daughter of Bartholomew De Badlesmere and had:

7. HUMPHREY DE BOHUN, second Earl of Northampton, died 1372. Married Lady Joan, daughter of Richard Fitz-Alan, K.G. Earl of Arundel, died 1375, and had:

8. LADY ELEANOR DE BOHUN who married Thomas of Woodstock, Duke of Gloucester, son of King Edward III.

(See Pedigree I, Generation 21)

## COLONIAL WAR ANCESTORS



1. CAPT. EDWARD BANGS 1591-1678, Plymouth and Eastham, Mass. Capt. of the Guard against the Indians. Member of Plymouth Military Co. 1643. Deputy in 1652.

(REF: Society Colonial Wars (1922), p. 25)

2. ELDER WILLIAM BREWSTER 1566-1644, fourth signer of the Mayflower Compact. Member and Chaplain of the first Military Co. organized at Plymouth under Capt. Myles Standish and served against the Indians. Dept. 1636.

(REF: Soc.Col.Wars (1922), p. 63)

3. THOMAS BUNCE 1611-1683, Hartford, Conn. Soldier in Pequot War 1637.

(REF: Soc.Col.Wars (1922), p. 76)

4. HENRY COBB — 1679, Barnstable, Mass. Deputy 1645-1651.

(REF: Soc.Col.Wars (1922), p. 109)

5. HUGH COLE 1627-1699, Swansea, Mass. Plymouth Colony Deputy 1673-75-80-83-86-89.

(REF: Soc.Col.Wars (1922), p. 113)

6. JAMES DAVIS 1582-1678, member of the Train-band at Haverhill, Mass. 1650. Deputy in 1660. Commissioner 1668-69.

(REF: Soc.Col.Wars (1922), p. 136)

7. LT. EPHRIAM GILE 1662, in Haverhill, Mass. Co. N. Essex Regt. Lieut. under Col. Saltonstall in 1709-10.

(REF: Soc.Col.Wars (1922), p. 213)

8. CAPT. JOHN GORHAM 1621-1676, Barnstable, Mass. Deputy 1653; Lieut. 1673; Capt. 2nd Barnstable Co. under Major William Bradford, in "Great Swamp Fight".

(REF: Soc.Col.Wars (1922), p. 202)

9. JOHN GRAVES — 1677, Hatfield, Mass. Killed by Indians on Sept. 19, 1677.

(REF: Graves Family by Graves, p. 11)

10. WALTER HAYNES 1583-1665, Sudbury, Mass. Deputy 1641-44-46-48-51.

(REF: Soc.Col.Wars (1922), p. 232)

11. STEPHEN HOPKINS — 1644, Mayflower passenger. In the first encounter with the Indians at the Great Meadow Creek 1620. Member under Myles Standish in 1621. Member of Gov. Council 1633-36. Volunteer in Pequot War 1637.

(REF: Soc.Col.Wars (1922), p. 249)

12. THOMAS HOWES — 1665, Yarmouth, Mass. Deputy from Yarmouth in 1652-53-58-59-60-61-62.

(REF: Soc.Col.Wars (1922), p. 254)

13. JOHN HOWLAND 1592-1673, Mayflower passenger. In first Encounter Great Meadow 1620. Gov. Assist. 1633-35. In command of Kennebec Trading Post 1634. Deputy in 1641.

(REF: Soc.Col.Wars (1922), p. 254)

14. REV. JOSEPH HULL, 1594-1665, Barnstable, Mass. Plymouth colony. Deputy from Weymouth, Mass. 1638-39.

15. THOMAS JUDD 1608-1688, Farmington, Conn. Deputy from Hartford 1646. From Farmington in 1667.

(REF: Soc.Col.Wars (1922), p. 276)

16. CAPT. WILLIAM LEWIS — 1689-90, Farmington, Conn. Capt. in 1674. Deputy 1689-90.

(REF: Soc.Col.Wars (1922), p. 297)

17. PETER NOYES 1591-1657, Sudbury, Mass. Deputy 1640-41-50.

(REF: Soc.Col.Wars (1922), p. 349)

18. FRANCIS MATTHEWS — 1648, Exeter, N.H. on Grand Jury 1646; Elected to hear small cases 1647.

(REF: Gen. & Dict. of Maine & N.H. by Libby, p. 467-8)

19. BENJAMIN MATTHEWS 1634 —, Kittery, Me. On Grand Jury 1670-74-75-95. Constable 1666-67.

(REF: Gen. & Dict. of Me. & N.H. by Libby, p. 467-8)

20. FRANCIS MATTHEWS 1669-1755, Durham, N.H. Captain of a Company of Militia. Selectman for 20 years. Representative to the General Court 1728-32.

(REF: Soc.Col.Wars (1922), p. 320)

21. RICHARD OTIS 1626-1689, Dover, N.H. His Garrison was attacked



by the Indians and he was murdered.

(REF: Gen. & Dict. of Me. & N.H. by Libby, p. 520)

22. WILLIAM PILLSBURY 1656 —, In garrison house at Springfield, Mass. 1676, in King Phillip's War helped to defend the Garrison. Allowance for his service at Newbury, Mass. 1704.

(REF: Pillsbury Family by D.P. Pillsbury, p. 1-19)

23. GOV. THOMAS PRENCE 1600-1673, Assist. Plymouth Colony 1635. Governor 1634-38-57-72. Member of Council of War and went forth against the Pequot Indians 1637. Commissioner for United Colonies 1645.

(REF: Soc.Col.Wars (1922), p. 383)

24. THOMAS ROGERS 1586-1621, passenger on the "Mayflower" in 1620. Eighteenth signer of the Mayflower Compact.

(REF: Col. Daughters of the 17th Century, p. 288)

25. MATTHEW SCALES 1685 — killed by Indians at Falmouth, Maine. Served under Major Wood as a soldier in the fort there.

(REF: Gen. Family Hist. of N.H. by Sterns, p. 239-40)

26. CAPT. JONATHAN SPARROW 1630-1695 Eastham, Mass. Lieut. Capt. in John Gorham's Co. King Philip's War. Deputy at Plymouth. Captain in French & Indian Wars 1690.

(REF: Soc.Col.Wars (1922), p. 441)

27. SERGT. JOHN STEVENS 1611-1688, Sergt. of Salisbury, Mass. Militia.

(REF: Soc.Col.Wars (1922), p. 452)

28. CAPT. JOHN TUTTLE 1646-1720, Dover, N.H. Representative in 1692-98-1701-1707. Lieut. King William's War 1689-90. Captain in 1692. Member of the Council of War 1707.

(REF: Soc.Col.Wars (1922), p. 487)

29. REUBEN WHITTIER 1685-6—1722, Salisbury, Mass. Went to Exeter, N.H. July 5, 1710, one half of the Salisbury Company being imprest for her majesty's service in the field.

(REF: Soc.Col.Wars (1922), p. 533)

30. EDWARD WOODMAN 1606-1694, Lieut. 1637. In Pequot War 1637. Deputy 1636. Settled at Newbury, Mass.

(REF: Soc.Col.Wars (1922), p. 549)

31. CAPT. JOHN WOODMAN 1630-1706, Oyster River, N.H. (now Durham). Captain of Woodman's Garrison before 1690. Representative 1684.

(REF: Soc.Col.Wars (1922), p. 540)

32. EDMUND FREEMAN 1590-1682, Sandwich, Mass. Member of Council of War 1642. Deputy in 1646.

(REF: Soc.ColWars (1922), p. 183)

33. MAJOR JOHN FREEMAN 1625-1719, Ensign Waltham, Mass. 1654. Major of Expedition against Indians at Saconet 1677. Member of Council of War 1667-76. Captain against Indians at Taunton, Mass. 1675. Major of Barnstable, Mass. Troops 1685. Deputy Eastham, Mass.

(REF: Soc.ColWars (1922), p. 184)

## REVOLUTIONARY WAR ANCESTORS



1. AMOS CLARK (1754-1843) was placed on the Pension Roll of Middlesex Co. Conn. 1833, for service as a Sergeant in the Continental line. He was born and died in Chatham, Conn.  
(REF: D.A.R.Lineage vol. LX, p. 227; Conn. Men in the Revolution, p. 46)
2. JOSHUA CHURCH "See Pension" in the Freeman Family.
3. FREEGIFT COLE At a town meeting held in 1781 of Shaftsbury, Vt. Freegift Cole was voted to be one of three on committee to store provisions in Parker Cole's house (the store) which the town was assessed by order of assembly for to feed the men in the Revolution.  
(REF: Heminway's Vt. Quarterly Gazetteer, No. 1-6, pp. 232-3)
4. PHINEAS FREEMAN served as a Private from the town of Preston, Conn. 3 days. Marched from Conn. town for relief of Boston in the Lexington Alarm April 1775. Also served as Corporal in 7th Co. Enlisted May 6th and discharged. Oct. 11, 1775. Also served as Sergeant from Sept. 8th to Nov. 17, 1776, under Capt. James Morgan.  
(REF: Conn. Men in the Revolution, p. 20, 76, 403)
5. GIDEON MATHES signed the Association Test in Lee, N.H. on July 4, 1776.  
(REF: State Papers of N.H., vol. xxx, Revolutionary Doc.)
6. HUGH MCCAIN 1729-1821, was a patriot of North Carolina. He was born in Ireland and died in North Carolina.  
(REF: D.A.R.Lineage, vol. clviii, p. 77)
7. JOHN WILLIAMS 1744-1831, served as Lieutenant-Colonel of the 9th Battalion of Minute-Men of Orange Co. North Carolina Troops. He was born in Hanover Co. Va. and died in Caswell Co. N.C.  
(REF: D.A.R.Lineage, vol. cXLvii, p. 272; vol. cXLviii, p. 49)
8. CAPT. WILLIAM LIPSCOMB 1737-1825, served as Ensign in the 7th

Virginia Regt. He was born in King & Queen Co. Va. and died in Spotsylvania Co. Va.

(REF: D.A.R.Lineage, vol. clx, p. 179)

9. WILLIAM MCCAIN 1758-1823, served as a Private in the South Carolina troops under Col. Kershaw. He was born in Mecklenburg Co. N.C. and died in Camden, S.C.

(REF: D.A.R.Lineage, vol. cvii, p. 163)

10. JOSEPH HEARST 1760-1814, served as a Private in the South Carolina Militia. He was born in Abbeville District and died in South Carolina.

(REF: D.A.R.Lineage, vol. cvii, p. 163)

11. NICHOLAS TUTTLE served from Lee, N.H. in 1776. He signed the Association Test.

(REF: Revolutionary Documents of N.H., vol. xxx, p. 82)

12. JOHN GILE 1739-1800, was Lieutenant in the defense of the Coast and served at the siege of Boston. In 1779 he was Selectman of Nottingham, N.H. and on important committees. He was born in Haverhill, Mass. and died in Nottingham, N.H.

(REF: D.A.R.Lineage, vol. cclxxiii, p. 40; vol. v, p. 293)

13. CAPT. GEORGE TUTTLE was in the battle of Saratoga and for many years a member of the Legislature.

(REF: D.A.R.Lineage vol. iv, pp. 30-31)

14. ALEXANDER HOGG was a Private. Entered service Oct. 26th and discharged Aug. 26, 1777. Pay roll of Col. Johnson Chase Regt. Militia, which marched from Cornish, N.H. and joined the Continental Army under General Gates at Saratoga.

(REF: Rev. Rolls of N.H. vol. ii, p. 380)

15. WILLIAM HOGG was a Private for 3 days in Capt. Aiken's Co. who marched from Dearing to Ackworth, N.H. for the assistance of the American Army at Ticonderoga, on the first day of July 1777. Also private in first Co. of N.H. in 1778-79.

(REF: N.H. Rev. Rolls vol. ii, pp. 122-719)



*Old Burial Hill at Plymouth, Mass.*

# MAYFLOWER DESCENT THROUGH WILLIAM BREWSTER



WILLIAM BREWSTER b. perhaps Scrooby, Eng. abt. 1567 d. Plymouth, Mass. Apr. 10, 1644	<i>married</i> bef. 1593	MARY b. abt. 1569 d. Plymouth, Mass. Apr. 17, 1627
JONATHAN BREWSTER b. Scrooby, Eng. Aug. 12, 1593	<i>married</i> Plymouth, Mass. Apr. 10, 1624	LUCRETIA OLDHAM d. New London, Conn. Mar. 4, 1678-9
BENJAMIN BREWSTER b. Duxbury, Mass. Nov. 17, 1633 d. Norwich, Conn. Sept. 14, 1710	<i>married</i> Norwich, Conn. Feb. 28, 1659-60	ANN DART d. Norwich, Conn. May 9, 1709
DANIEL BREWSTER b. Mar. 1, 1666-7 Norwich, Conn. d. May 7, 1735 Norwich, Conn.	<i>married</i> Dec. 23, 1686	HANNAH GAGER b. Feb. 1666 Norwich, Conn. d. Sept. 25, 1727 Norwich Conn.
HANNAH BREWSTER b. Dec. 2, 1690 Norwich, Conn. d. May 6, 1750 Preston, Conn.	<i>married</i> Dec. 2, 1708	JOSEPH FREEMAN b. Dec. 18, 1684 Sudbury, Mass. d. Preston, Conn. May 12, 1733
JOSEPH FREEMAN b. Mar. 4, 1709-10 Preston, Conn. d. Mar. 19, 1780 Preston, Conn.	<i>married</i> Mar. 8, 1744 Preston, Conn.	ANNA ROCKWELL b. Norwich, Conn. d. Jan. 17, 1752 Preston, Conn.

# MAYFLOWER DESCENT THROUGH WILLIAM BREWSTER 17

PHINEAS FREEMAN  
 b. Jan. 7, 1748  
 Bapt. Jan. 14, Preston,  
 Conn.  
 d. Kingsbury, N.Y.  
 Nov. 3, 1797

*married*  
 c. 1784  
 Fort Ann, N.Y.

MARTHA MORRISON

AVERY FREEMAN  
 b. Sept. 26, 1793  
 Kingsbury, N.Y.  
 d. Dec. 22, 1876  
 Kingsbury, N.Y.

*married*  
 Nov. 5, 1821

ALSAH COLE  
 b. Apr. 7, 1803  
 Shaftsbury, Vt.  
 d. Oct. 5, 1885

AUGUSTA FREEMAN  
 b. Feb. 16, 1827  
 Kingsbury, N.Y.  
 d. Apr. 25, 1910  
 Merrill, Wis.

*married*  
 Oct. 20, 1847  
 Union Mills, Ind.

FIRMAN S. CHURCH  
 b. Dec.  
 d. Dec. 17, 1904  
 Fresno, Calif.

ADDIE AUGUSTA  
 CHURCH  
 b. Mar. 20, 1859  
 Union Mills, Ind.  
 d. Nov. 26, 1924  
 Chicago, Ill.

*married*

ABNER CLARK  
 HARDING

(See Thomas Rogers Line)

# MAYFLOWER DESCENT THROUGH WILLIAM BREWSTER



**WILLIAM BREWSTER**

b. Scrooby, Eng.

c 1567

d. Plymouth, Mass.

Apr. 10, 1644

*married*

bef. 1593

**MARY**

b. c. 1569

d. Plymouth, Mass.

Apr. 17, 1627

**PATIENCE BREWSTER**

b. prob. Scrooby, Eng.

d. Plymouth, Mass.

1634

*married*

Plymouth, Mass.

Aug. 5, 1624

**GOV. THOMAS PRENCE**

b. c. 1601

d. Plymouth, Mass.

Mar. 29, 1671

**HANNAH (PRENCE)**

**MAYO**

d. Eastham, Mass.

*married*

bet. 1666-1671

**JONATHAN SPARROW**

b. c. 1633

d. Eastham, Mass.

Mar. 21, 1706-7

**RICHARD SPARROW**

b. c 1675

d. Eastham, Mass.

Apr. 13, 1728

*married*

Eastham, Mass.

Feb. 4, 1701-2

**MARY COLE**

b. Barnstable, Mass.

Apr. 9, 1685

**HANNAH SPARROW**

b. Eastham, Mass.

Oct. 12, 1711

d. Chatham, Conn.

Sept. 21, 1784

*married*

Eastham, Mass.

Feb. 11, 1730

**JOSIAH COOK.**

b. Eastham, Mass.

Aug. 20, 1707

d. bef. Sept. 1784

Chatham, Conn.

**ELIZABETH COOK**

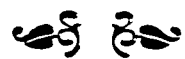
*married*

**EBENEZER SEARS**

(See other Wm. Brewster Line)



# MAYFLOWER DESCENT FROM WILLIAM BREWSTER



## WILLIAM BREWSTER

### PATIENCE BREWSTER

b. Scrooby, England  
d. Plymouth, Mass.  
1634

*married*

Plymouth, Mass.  
Aug. 1624

### THOMAS PRENCE

b. c 1601  
England  
d. Plymouth, Mass.  
Mar. 29, 1673

### MERCY PRENCE

b. Plymouth, Mass.  
c 1631  
d. Eastham, Mass.  
Sept. 28, 1711

*married*

Eastham, Mass.  
Feb. 13, 1649-50

### JOHN FREEMAN

bapt. Billingham, Eng.  
Jan. 28, 1626-7  
d. Eastham, Mass.  
Oct. 28, 1719

### THOMAS FREEMAN

b. Eastham, Mass.  
Sept. 1653  
d. Harwich, Mass.  
Feb. 9, 1715-6

*married*

Eastham, Mass.  
Dec. 31, 1673

### REBECCA SPARROW

b. Eastham, Mass.  
Oct. 30, 1655  
d. Harwich, Mass.  
Feb. 7, 1740

### MERCY FREEMAN

b. Harwich, Mass.  
Oct. 10, 1674  
d. Yarmouth, Mass.  
Aug. 10, 1740

*married*

Harwich, Mass.  
1693

### PAUL SEARS

b. Yarmouth, Mass.  
Jan. 15, 1669  
d. Yarmouth, Mass.  
Feb. 14, 1739

### EBENEZER SEARS

b. Yarmouth, Mass.  
Aug. 15, 1694  
d. Easthampton, Conn.  
aft. 1744

*married*

Yarmouth, Mass.  
May 26, 1720

### SARAH HAINES

b. Jan. 20, 1699  
East Hampton, Conn.  
d. aft. 1744

EBENEZER SEARS  
born Yarmouth, Mass.  
1723  
d. Chatham, Conn.  
1814

*married*  
Jan. 25, 1753

ELIZABETH COOKE  
b. 1734  
d. Chatham, Conn.  
July 4, 1797

ANNA SEARS  
b. Feb. 17, 1755  
Chatham, Conn.  
d. July 7, 1835  
East Hampton, Conn.

*married*  
July 12, 1781  
East Hampton, Conn.

AMOS CLARK  
b. Oct. 12, 1754  
Haddam, Conn.  
d. Mar. 20, 1843  
East Hampton, Conn.

PHILENA ANN CLARK  
b. East Hampton, Conn.  
Oct. 3, 1784  
d. prob. Conn.  
Aug. 30, 1866

*married*  
East Hampton, Conn.

NATHAN HARDING  
b. Middletown, Conn.  
c 1783  
d. prob. Conn.  
1810

GEN. ABNER CLARK  
HARDING  
b. East Hampton, Conn.  
Feb. 10, 1807  
d. Monmouth, Ill.

*married*  
bef. Oct. 1, 1830

REBECCA LE BREY  
BEYERS  
b. Germantown, Pa.

GEORGE FRANKLIN  
HARDING  
b. Lewistown, Pa.  
Oct. 1, 1830  
d. Chicago, Ill.  
Dec. 27, 1915

*married*  
Peoria, Ill.  
Nov. 7, 1854

ADELAID MATHEWS  
b. Lee, N.H.  
Mar. 25, 1837  
d. Chicago, Ill.  
March 14, 1922

ABNER CLARK  
HARDING  
b. Peoria, Ill.  
Dec. 31, 1857  
d. Chicago, Ill.  
Mar. 11, 1921

*married*  
Chicago, Ill.  
May 7, 1879

ADDIE AUGUSTA  
CHURCH  
b. Union Mills, Ind.  
Mar. 20, 1859  
d. Chicago, Ill.  
Nov. 16, 1924

ABNER CLARK  
HARDING  
b. Peoria, Ill.  
Jan. 27, 1880  
d. New Orleans, La.  
Sept. 12, 1919

*married*  
Chicago, Ill.  
Nov. 2, 1903

MAUD McCAIN  
b. Matagorda Texas.  
Feb. 25, 1886  
d. Chicago, Ill.  
Sept. 14, 1941

ADDIE CLARK  
HARDING  
b. Aug. 29, 1904  
Chicago, Ill.

# MAYFLOWER DESCENT THROUGH STEPHEN HOPKINS



**STEPHEN HOPKINS**

d. Plymouth, Mass.  
bet. June 6-17 & July  
1644

**GILES HOPKINS**

d. Eastham, Mass.  
bef. Apr. 26, 1710

**DEBORAH HOPKINS**

*married*

Oct. 9, 1639

*married*

Eastham, Mass.  
July 27, 1668

**CATHERINE WELDON**

d. aft. Mar. 15, 1688-9

**JOSIAH COOK**

d. Eastham, Mass.  
Jan. 31, 1731-2

**JOSHUA COOK**

b. Eastham, Mass.  
Feb. 4, 1682

*married*

Eastham, Mass.  
Feb. 7, 1705-6

**PATIENCE DOANE**

b. Eastham, Mass.  
Apr. 1682  
d. Eastham, Mass.

**JOSIAH COOK**

b. Eastham, Mass.  
Aug. 30, 1707  
d. bef. Sept. 1784

*married*

Eastham, Mass.  
Feb. 11, 1730

**HANNAH SPARROW**

b. Eastham, Mass.  
Oct. 12, 1711  
d. Chatham, Conn.  
Sept. 21, 1784

**ELIZABETH COOK**

b. 1724  
d. July 4, 1697  
Chatham, Conn.

*married*

Jan. 25, 1753  
Chatham, Conn.

**EBENEZER SEARS**

b. Yarmouth, Mass.  
1723  
d. Chatham, Conn.  
1814

(See William Brewster Line)

# MAYFLOWER DESCENT

## FROM

## STEPHEN HOPKINS



### STEPHEN HOPKINS

d. Plymouth, Mass.  
Bet. June 6 & July 17,  
1644

### CONSTANCE HOPKINS

d. Eastham, Mass.  
Oct. 1677

*married*

Plymouth, Mass.  
Bet. 1623 & May 22,  
1627

### NICOLAS SNOW

d. Eastham, Mass.  
Nov. 15, 1676

### ELIZABETH SNOW

b. Plymouth, Mass.  
c 1640  
d. Eastham, Mass.  
June 16, 1678

*married*

Eastham, Mass.  
Dec. 13, 1665

### THOMAS ROGERS

b. Duxbury, Mass.  
Mar. 29, 1638  
d. Eastham, Mass.  
1678

### HANNAH ROGERS

b. Eastham, Mass.  
Mar. 20, 1669  
d. Eastham, Mass.

*married*

Eastham, Mass.  
abt. 1694

### AMAZIAH HARDING

b. Eastham, Mass.  
Nov. 1, 1671  
d. Eastham, Mass.

### NATHAN HARDING

b. Eastham, Mass.  
Oct. 29, 1711  
d. Eastham, Mass.  
Mar. 27, 1801

*married*

Eastham, Mass.  
Jan. 8, 1736

### ANNA BROWN

b. prob. Eastham, Mass.  
d. Middletown, Conn.  
Nov. 1749

### NATHAN HARDING

b. Middletown, Conn.  
Dec. 19, 1746  
d. Middletown, Conn.  
aft. 1801

*married*

Middletown, Conn.  
1768

### THANKFUL CLARK

b. Middletown, Conn.  
1747  
d. Middletown, Conn.  
1813

NATHAN HARDING

b. Middletown, Conn.

c 1783

d. prob. Conn.

1810

*married*

East Hampton, Conn.

PHILENA ANN CLARK

b. E. Hampton, Conn.

Oct. 3, 1784

d. prob. Conn.

GEN. ABNER CLARK  
HARDING

b. East Hampton, Conn.

Feb. 10, 1807

d. Monmouth, Ill.

7-19-1874

*married*

bef. Oct. 1, 1830

REBECCA LE BREY  
BEYERS

b. Germantown, Pa.

d. Monmouth, Ill.

GEORGE FRANKLIN  
HARDING

b. Lewistown, Pa.

Oct. 1, 1830

d. Chicago, Ill.

Dec. 27, 1915

*married*

Peoria, Ill.

Nov. 7, 1854

ADELAID MATHEWS

b. Lee, N.H.

Mar. 25, 1837

ABNER CLARK  
HARDING

b. Peoria, Ill.

Dec. 31, 1857

d. Chicago, Ill.

Mar. 11, 1921

*married*

May 7, 1879

Chicago, Ill.

ADDIE AUGUSTA  
CHURCH

b. Union Mills, Ind.

Mar. 30, 1859

d. Chicago, Ill.

Nov. 26, 1924

ABNER CLARK  
HARDING

b. Peoria, Ill.

Jan. 27, 1880

d. New Orleans, La.

Sept. 12, 1919

*married*

Chicago, Ill.

Nov. 2, 1903

MAUD McCAIN

b. Matagorda, Texas

Feb. 25, 1886

d. Chicago, Ill.

Sept. 14, 1941

ADDIE CLARK  
HARDING

b. Aug. 29, 1904

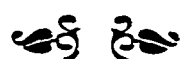
Chicago, Ill.

MAYFLOWER DESCENT  
THROUGH  
JOHN HOWLAND



JOHN HOWLAND	<i>married</i>	ELIZABETH TILLIE
DESIRE HOWLAND	<i>married</i>	JOHN GORHAM
JOSEPH GORHAM	<i>married</i>	SARAH STURGIS
GORHAM	<i>married</i>	EBENEZER HOWES
SARAH HOWES	<i>married</i>	EBENEZER SEARS
b. June 20, 1699	May 26, 1720	b. Aug. 15, 1694
d. Chatham, Conn.	Yarmouth, Mass.	Yarmouth, Mass.
		d. Chatham, Mass.
		Dec. 8, 1760
EBENEZER SEARS	<i>married</i>	ELIZABETH COOK
b. June 13, 1723	Jan. 25, 1753	b. 1724
Yarmouth, Mass.	Chatham, Conn.	d. July 4, 1697
d. 1814		Chatham, Conn.
Chatham, Conn.		
ANNA SEARS	<i>married</i>	AMOS CLARK
b. Feb. 19, 1755	Mar. 20, 1783	b. Oct. 12, 1756
Chatham, Conn.		d. Mar. 20, 1803
d. July 8, 1835		East Hampton, Conn.
PHILENA ANN CLARK	<i>married</i>	NATHAN HARDING
(See Thomas Rogers Line)		

# MAYFLOWER DESCENT OF ADDIE CLARK HARDING FROM THOMAS ROGERS



THOMAS ROGERS	<i>married</i>	
JOSEPH ROGERS	<i>married</i>	HANNAH
THOMAS ROGERS	<i>married</i>	ELIZABETH SNOW
b. Duxbury, Mass. Mar. 29, 1638	Eastham, Mass. Dec. 13, 1665	b. Plymouth, Mass. c 1640
d. Eastham, Mass. 1678		d. Eastham, Mass. June 16, 1678
HANNAH ROGERS	<i>married</i>	AMAZIAH HARDING
b. Eastham, Mass. Mar. 20, 1669	Eastham, Mass. abt. 1694	b. Eastham, Mass. Nov. 1, 1671
d. Eastham, Mass.		d. Eastham, Mass.
NATHAN HARDING	<i>married</i>	ANNA BROWN
b. Eastham, Mass. Oct. 29, 1711	Eastham, Mass. Jan. 8, 1736	b. prob. Eastham, Mass.
d. Eastham, Mass. Mar. 27, 1801	Int.	d. Middletown, Conn. Nov. 1749
NATHAN HARDING	<i>married</i>	THANKFUL CLARK
b. Middletown, Conn. Dec. 19, 1746	Middletown, Conn. 1768	b. Middletown, Conn. 1747
d. Middletown, Conn. aft. 1801		d. Middletown, Conn. 1813
NATHAN HARDING	<i>married</i>	PHILENA ANN CLARK
b. Middletown, Conn. c 1783	East Hampton, Conn.	b. East Hampton, Conn. Oct. 3, 1784
d. prob. Conn. 1810		d. prob. Conn.

GEN. ABNER CLARK  
HARDING  
b. East Hampton, Conn.  
Feb. 10, 1807  
d. Monmouth, Ill.  
7-19-1874

*married*  
bef. Oct. 1, 1830

REBECCA LE BREY  
BEYERS  
b. in Germany

GEORGE FRANKLIN  
HARDING  
b. Lewistown, Pa.  
Oct. 1, 1830  
d. Chicago, Ill.  
Dec. 27, 1915

*married*  
Peoria, Ill.  
Nov. 7, 1854

ADELINE MATHEWS  
b. Lee, N.H.  
Mar. 25, 1837  
d. Chicago, Ill.  
March 14, 1922

ABNER CLARK  
HARDING  
b. Peoria, Ill.  
Dec. 31, 1857  
d. Chicago, Ill.  
Mar. 11, 1921

*married*  
Union Mills, Ind.  
May 7, 1879

ADDIE AUGUSTA  
CHURCH  
b. Union Mills, Ind.  
Mar. 30, 1859  
d. Chicago, Ill.  
Nov. 26, 1924

ABNER CLARK  
HARDING  
b. Peoria, Ill.  
Jan. 27, 1880  
d. New Orleans (At Sea)  
Sept. 12, 1919

*married*  
Chicago, Ill.  
Nov. 2, 1903

MAUD McCAIN  
b. Matagorda, Texas  
Feb. 25, 1886  
d. Chicago, Ill.  
Sept. 14, 1941

ADDIE CLARK  
HARDING  
b. Aug. 29, 1904  
Chicago Ill.



## ANCESTRAL HEADS



### BANGS,

A corruption of Banks, or from the French bain, a bath, a hot-house. Edward Bangs "shipwright", afterwards licensed as a merchant was born in Chichester, Sussex, England 1592. He came to Plymouth, Mass. in 1644.

### BENNETT,

A contraction or corruption of Benedict. From Latin Benedictus, blessed, well spoken of, or a person wishing all good. Arthur Bennett settled in Oyster River, (now Durham, N.H.) before 1666.

### BREWSTER,

Name derived same as Brewer, "a brewer of malt liquor." Elder William Brewster came on the "Mayflower", the son of William Brewster born Scrooby, Nottinghamshire, England in 1590. Came to Plymouth, Mass. in 1620.

### BULLOCK,

A full grown ox. The members of families of Bulls, Bullards and Bullocks are noted for being firm inflexible in their way. Richard Bullock came from Essex Co. England and settled at Rehoboth, Mass. in 1643.

### BUNCE,

Bapt. the son of Bennett, from nick Bence, Buncie, Bunce. Thomas Bunce of Scotch descent was born in England 1612. He was an original proprietor of Hartford, Conn. in 1636-39.

### BUNKER,

Name derived from French Bon coeur—, "a good heart." James Bunker was at York, Maine in 1648.

**CADWELL,**

Bapt. the son of Cadwalader, Welsh extraction, "warlike, stout."  
Thomas Cadwell settled at Hartford, Conn. in 1636.

**CHURCH,**

A house of Christian worship, derived from old England or English church, and Scottish kirk, from Latin, circus.

**CLARK,**

The name derived and signifies a learned man, who could read and write ancient and medieval lore.

William Clark, a servant of John Crow was at Hartford, Conn. in 1639 and one of the first settlers of Haddam, Conn. in 1662.

**COBB,**

A harbor, as the cobb of Lynne-Regis, Dorchestershire, England. Also baptismal name, the son of Jacob. From nick cob or cop.

Henry Cobb born in Kent, England 1596 came to Plymouth, Mass. in 1629. He settled first at Scituate, Mass. Removed to Barnstable Mass. in 1639.

**COLE,**

An abbreviation of Nicholas, common among the Dutch, Coal, was an early King of Britain. Gave his name to Colchester, Justice Cole lived in the reign of King Alfred "The Great."

James Cole born Highgate, a suburb of London, England 1600. He came to Saco, Maine in 1632, following year located at Plymouth, Mass.

**COOK,**

Occupation surname, the son of the cook.

Josiah Cook came to Plymouth, Mass. before 1635.

**DIGGINS,**

Bapt. all forms of Dickens, Deggens, Digance and Diggins. As early as 1273 Degun or Degon was in common use.

Jeremiah Diggins was at Windsor, Conn. before 1648.

**DREW,**

Bapt. the son of Drew or Dru. Drago, in Domesday Personal name was so Anglicesel.

William Drew came from England and settled at Durham, N.H. 1648.

**EDDY,**

In the Gaelic Eddee signifies an instructor, or from Saxon Ed back-

wards and ea, water, a current of water running back, a whirlpool, Edd in Welsh signifies motion, to go, to move.

Samuel Eddy came to Plymouth, Mass. from England in 1630.

**FIELD,**

The Saxon feld is applied to open localities and is nearly equivalent to campus.

Darby Field was born in Boston, England in 1610 and came to Boston, Mass. in 1636. Removed to Exeter, N.H. 1638. Afterwards to Dover, N.H.

**FOXWELL,**

Local of Foxwell, a Parish in Suffolk, England.

Richard Foxwell made freeman at Salem or Boston, Mass. 1630. He removed to Scituate, Mass. 1634 and to Barnstable, Mass. 1646.

**FREEMAN,**

One who enjoys liberty; also one who has received the freedom of any corporation.

John Freeman was an original proprietor at Salisbury, Mass. 1639.

**GAGER,**

William Gager "Surgeon" came in Winthrop's Fleet in 1630 from Co. Suffolk, England and died Sept. 20, 1630.

**GODDARD,**

Surname from the German, signifying God-like disposition.

John Goddard came from England and settled first at Berwick, Maine July 13, 1634.

**GORHAM,**

Local of Gorham. The family traced to the de Gorrams of La Tannier, on the borders of Britain. France William, the son of Ralph De Gorham built a castle in 1128.

Ralph Gorham, son of James born Benefield, Northamptonshire, England 1575. He came to New England 1635 to Plymouth, Mass. Returned to England, where he died 1643, leaving a son Capt. John.

**GRAVES,**

Local of the grave, the earlier form of Greave or Grove.

Office, the graff, v. gravestone. An ancient English family living in counties of Lincoln, Derby, York and Nottingham.

Thomas Graves born England 1585 settled at New Haven, Conn. 1637. Removed to Hartford, Conn. and one of the founders of Hadley, Mass. 1645.

## HARDING,

Har from here, an army, and ing, a meadow or common. The place where an army was encamped. The surname is derived from the ancient personal name of Hardin, used in Germany, Scandinavia and Britain before the Feudal system. The name is mentioned in 1080 in the Domesday Book.

Joseph Harding son of John, born in England. His name appears on the records in 1624 at Plymouth, Mass.

## HAYNES,

Derived from the Saxon word anulpp and that from ana, alone, ulpp, help, that is, one that needs not the assistance of others. Haine, a river in Belgium. Haine, French signifies malicious, full of hatred. Hain, German, a wood, forest, thicket grove.

Water Haynes, "Linen-weaver" born Sutton, Manderfield, Wiltshire, England 1583 came to Boston, Mass. 1638. Removed to Watertown, Mass. one of the first proprietors of Sudbury, Mass. 1639.

## HOPKINS,

Little Robert, or the child of Robert. The surname originally spelled Hopkyns, is one of the earliest of purely English surnames. It is baptismal signifying the son of Robert and is derived from Hob or Hothe, nicknames for Robert.

Stephen Hopkins came on the "Mayflower" in 1620 and settled at Plymouth, Mass.

## HOWES,

From French DeLaHowe, original name of the family.

A hill, critically, a hill in the valley.

The name came with William "The Conqueror".

Thomas Howes, one of the grantees of Yarmouth, Mass. 1638.

## HOWLAND,

Local possibly of Hoyland (q.v.) a Parish in Yorkshire, County, England.

John Howland came on the "Mayflower" in 1620 to Plymouth, Mass.

## HULL,

Peace name from city of Hull, Yorkshire, England. It is derived from the Teutonic or Saxon Hullen, or Heueln, to howl, Hull is an old word for a hill. Hull in Welsh, a rough uneven place.

Rev. Joseph Hull born in Somersetshire, England 1594, came to Boston, Mass. with wife Agnes and seven children in 1635.

## HURST,

From Saxon word signifying a wood, a grove.

James Hurst "Tanner", erected first tannery at Plymouth, Mass. 1630. One of the original purchasers of Dartmouth, Mass.

## JUDD,

From Hebrew Juda, praise, confession, and signifies the confessor of God. In Dutch Jode or Jood meaning Israelite, a Jew, Jute, a native of Jutland.

Thomas Judd settled at Cambridge, Mass. in 1634. Removed to Hartford, Conn. 1636. One of the first proprietors of Farmington, Conn. 1644. Removed to Northampton, Mass. 1679.

## LEPSCOMB,

Local of Lescomb, one of the many place names, ending in comb, so frequently to be met with in the west country (v.combe).

## LEWIS,

One of the ancient names of England in the French Louis. Latin Ludovicus. From Saxon lead, the people and wic a castle, the safeguard of the people.

George Lewis born East Greenwich, England. Was at Scituate, Mass. 1633. Removed to Barnstable, Mass.

William Lewis came from England 1632 and settled at Cambridge, and removed to Hartford, Conn. 1636. Later removed to Hadley, Mass. in 1659.

## MATTHEWS,

From Hebrew, "the gift of the Lord."

Francis Matthews sent over by Mason to Portsmouth, N.H. 1631, was at Exeter, N.H. in 1639. Removed to Dover, N.H. 1647.

## MCCAIN,

Mac a well known prefix of surnames of Celtic origin. Signifying son of, and therefore congate with the ap of Welsh, the Fitz of Anglo-Norman and son of English surnames.

## NOYES,

Noy, an abbreviation for noah, in Cornish British, noi a nephew and noys, night.

Peter Noyes was at Sudbury, Mass. in 1639.

## PILLSBURY,

Local of Spelsbury, a village in county Oxford v. Spilsbury. These corrupted from forms which are commonly found in the United States.

Williams Pillsbury was at Boston, Mass. 1640. Removed to Newbury, Mass. in 1651. Afterwards at Dorchester, Mass.

PRENCE,

Occupation, the Prentice, Prentiss cf. Potticary for apothecary. These forms are often found in church registers.

Gov. Thomas Prence son of Thomas of Lechlade Gloucestershire, England came to Plymouth, Mass. 1621. Removed to Duxbury in 1635, thence to Eastham, Mass. 1645.

ROGERS,

The name is derived from the Teutonic Rhu, rest, quiet, peace and gard, a keeper.

Thomas Rogers, came over on the "Mayflower" 1620 to Plymouth, Mass.

SCALES,

Local at the Scales, Norse scale, a shepherd's hut. Also a hamlet in the parish of Aldingham, Furness is called Scales.

William Scales came from England with wife and three children. Settled at Rowley, Mass. where he was made freeman 1640.

SEARS,

Bapt. the son of Sayer q.v. all unmistakable descendants of the great northern personal name, that has made such an impression on English nomenclature. Sears is the genitive of Sear.

Richard Sears came to New England 1630. Identified at Marblehead Mass. 1637. One of the founders of Yarmouth, Mass. in 1638.

SPARROW,

Nick sparrow, a common sobriquet in mediaeval registers. A homely chirpy disposition, would readily give rise to the surname.

Richard Sparrow settled at Plymouth, Mass. 1637. Removed to Eastham, Mass. in 1653.

SIMMS,

Bapt. the son of Simon, from nick sim, whence Simpson, with intrusive p., as in Thompson, Hampson etc.

SIMPSON,

Same as Simms. Bapt. son of Simon. From the nick Sim, whence Simpson.

SMITH,

The most common of all surnames, as it applied to artificers in wood,

as well as metal, in fact to all mechanical workers, hence its great frequency.

Samuel Smith born in England 1602 came from Ipswich, England to New England 1634. Settled at Wethersfield, Conn. 1638 and at Hadley, Mass. in 1659.

#### SNOW,

From Dutch word snoo, cunning, subtle, crafty and sly.

Nicholas Snow first came to Plymouth, Mass. in 1623. Removed to Eastham, Mass. in 1654.

#### STEBBINS,

A place name from Stebbings originally Stubing, a town in County Essex, England, so called from stub, Saxon Styobe. Latin stipes, the stump of a tree and ing, a field or meadow.

Edward Stebbins was made a freeman at Cambridge, Mass. 1634. Removed to Hartford, Conn. in 1636.

#### STEVENS,

From the Greek signifying a cross.

John Stevens was made a freeman at Salisbury, Mass. in 1641.

#### STURGES,

Bapt. the son of Thurgis or Turgis, with prefixed s.

Edward Sturges, son of Philip, sixth generation from Roger was a resident of Charlestown, Mass. in 1634. Removed to Yarmouth, Mass. in 1639.

#### THOMPSON,

The name signifies the son of Thomas.

William Thompson a Scotchman born in England 1630. He settled at Dover, N.H. 1656. Removed to Kittery, Maine where he died 1676.

#### TILLEY,

A town in France.

John Tilley came on the "Mayflower" in 1620. He died the first winter at Plymouth, Mass. 1620-21.

#### WHITE,

A name given from the color of the hair or complexion.

John White born England in 1600. He came from Shalford Co. Essex, England and settled at Cambridge, Mass. 1632. Removed to Hartford, Conn. 1636. Removed to Hadley, Mass. in 1659. Returned to Hartford where he died in 1683.

**WHITTIER,**

Occupation, the whitejer, whiter, the white tawer, or tower, one who dressed the lighter kid skins, for the glover v. Tawer and Tower.

Thomas Whittier born England 1620. Settled at Salisbury, Mass. in 1638. Removed to Haverhill, Mass. in 1650.

**WILLARD,**

One who has a determined disposition, from will, choice, command and ard the Teutonic of art, strength native disposition.

George Willard, son of Richard of Horsmonden Co. of Kent, England where he was baptized 1614. He came to Scituate, Mass. in 1638.

**WILLIAMS,**

From the Belgic Guild-helm harnessed with a gilded helmet. Or as others say from Welhelm the shield or defense of many.

**WILSON,**

The son of William or Will.

John Wilson son of Roger, born in Scrooby, Nottinghamshire, England. Settled at Woburn, Mass. in 1655, and died 1687.

**WOODMAN,**

The name is first given to those that lived in the forests.

Edward Woodman came from Malford, a parish in Wiltshire, England to Newbury, Mass. in 1635.

**DAVIS,**

The name is a corruption of Davids, the son of David.

James Davis was a freeman at Newbury, Mass. 1635. Removed to Haverhill, Mass. in 1640.

**GILE,**

Bapt. the son of Giles.

Samuel Gile came from England in 1636. Settled at Newbury, Mass. Removed to Haverhill, Mass. in 1640.

**NEALLEY,**

In Cornish, British signifies power, might, that is, the powerful or mighty.

William Nealley came from Ireland in 1718 and settled at Nottingham, N.H.

**OTIS,**

From Greek wroc, the genitive singular ove, the ear a name given for quick hearing.



Richard Otis came from Glastonburg, England to Boston, Mass. 1655.  
Removed to Dover, N.H. 1656.

TUTTLE,

From the ancient tothill, of England meaning, "Hill of God."  
John Tuttle came from England in the ship "Angel Gabriel" in 1635  
and settled at Dover, N.H. in 1640.

## BANGS FAMILY



EDWARD BANGS was born in England c 1592 and came to Plymouth, Mass. in the ship "Anne" which arrived there in July 1623. He had four acres of land for a garden plot on the other side of the Eel river in 1623. At Plymouth he was called planter. The Plymouth Memorial says he was a merchant and occupied the Allyne house in 1645.

He was made a freeman in 1633 and was on Jury in 1636. On Grand-Inquest or Grand Jury 1636-7. In 1637 he was appointed with Governor and assistants and Mr. Stephen Hopkins as a Committee to divide the meadow grounds. He was sometimes overseer of the guard against Indians. In 1645 he was a freeman of Eastham. Deputy in 1650. Town Treasurer of Eastham in 1646-1650 and 1665. He married a daughter of Robert Hicks. He died in 1678 aged 86 years.

Their children were:

2. I. Rebecca, born ———; m. Oct. 16, 1654 Capt. Jonathan Sparrow.
- \*3. II. Sarah, born ———; m. 1656 at Eastham Capt. Thomas Howes of Yarmouth, Mass.
4. III. Jonathan, born ———; m. July 16, 1664 Mary Mayo; m. (2) Sarah ———. m. (3) Mrs. Ruth Young.
5. IV. Lydia, born ———; m. 1661 Benjamin Higgins.
6. V. Hannah, born ———; m. John Doane 1662.
7. VI. Bethia, born Mar. 28, 1650; m. Gersham Hall.
8. VII. Apphia, born Oct. 15, 1651; m. 1670 John Knowles.
9. VIII. Mercy, twin of Apphia; m. Dec. 28, 1671 Stephen Merrick.

\*3. Sarah Bangs married Thomas Howes.  
(See Howes Family)

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## BENNETT FAMILY



ARTHUR BENNETT was born c 1640, as deposition shows. He married before 1665, Mary, daughter of John and Wethea Goddard. He was taxed at Oyster River 1666-67. He mortgaged on June 13, 1679 to Nicholas Harrison of Fox Point, land and part of saw-mill at Piscassick, which formerly belonged to our honored father John Goddard. He died on Jan. 20, 1682-3 and she died bef. Apr. 1717.

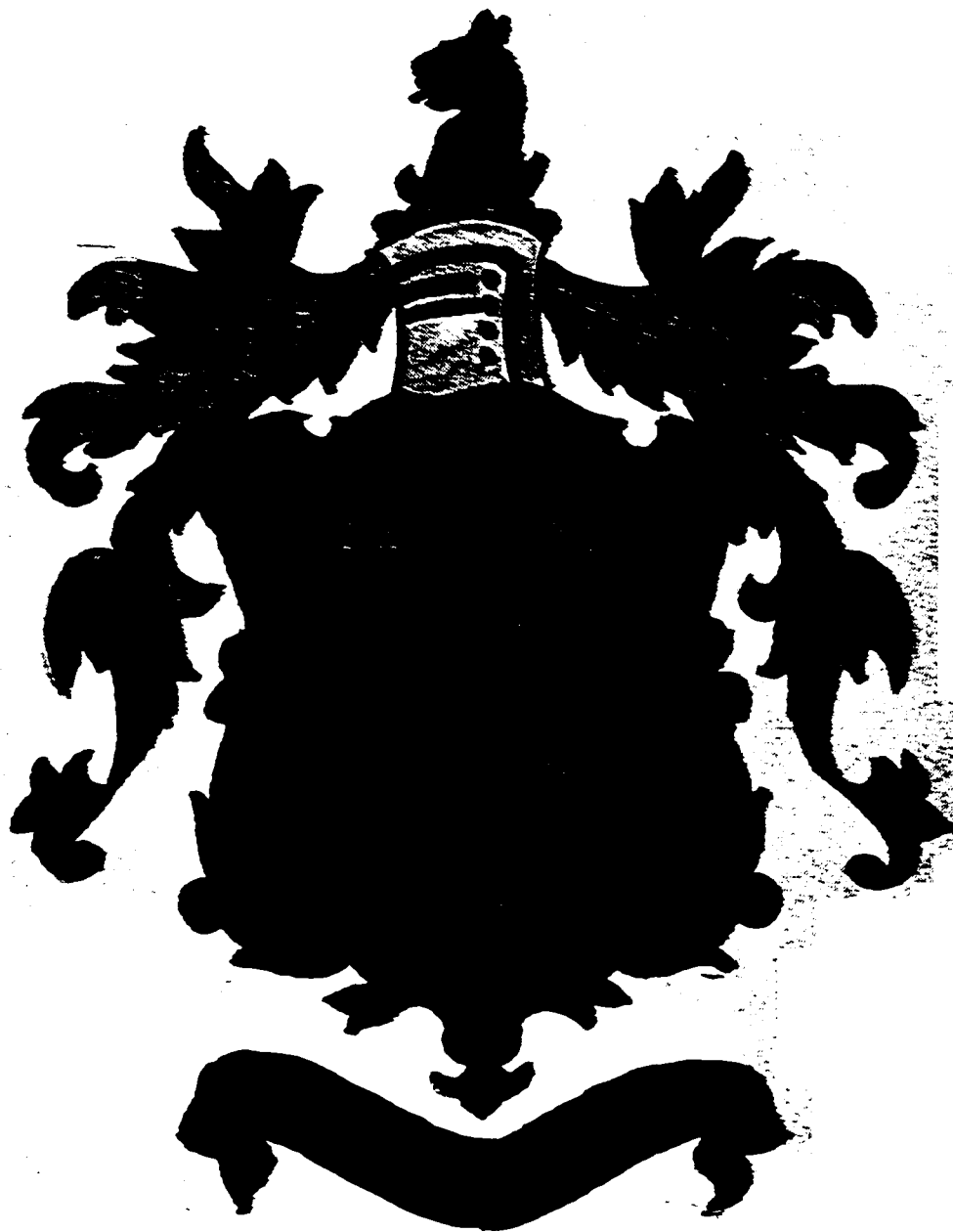
Their children were:

2. I. John.
3. II. Abraham, born c 1672; m. Sarah Chesley.
- \*4. III. Ruth, married Feb. 23, 1691-2 Francis Matthews.

\*4. Ruth Bennett married Francis Matthews.  
(See Matthews Family)

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## Brewster

### Brewster Coat of Arms:

ARMS: Azure a cheveron ermine between 3 estocles ar.  
 CREST: A leopard's head erased sa.

#### *Description*

ARMS: Blue a bend ermine between 3 star fish silver.  
 CREST: A leopard's head cut off black.

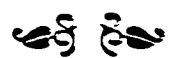
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Pilgrim Memorial. The old cottage at Scrooby, near Doncaster, Yorkshire, where William Brewster lived prior to the Pilgrim migration to America. It has been purchased by Colonel Whitaker, of Babworth Hall, to be kept as a permanent memorial.

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## BREWSTER FAMILY



ELDER WILLIAM BREWSTER was born during the last half of the year 1566, or the first half of 1567. The date of his birth is determined by an affidavit made at Leydon, Holland June 25, 1609, in which his wife Mary and son Jonathan declare their ages to be respectively 42- 40- and 16 years. (Ref: New England Register Vol. 18 p. 20).

“Bradford says that he was near fourscore years of age, when he dyed.” The place of his birth is not known, but is supposed to have been Scrooby in Nottinghamshire, England. His father William Brewster was appointed by Bishop Sandy, in Jan. 1575-76, receiver of Scrooby and Bailiff of the Manor house in that place, belonging to the Archbishop, to have life tenure of both offices.

William Brewster matriculated at Peterhouse, Cambridge Dec. 3, 1580, but it does not appear that he remained there long enough to take his degree. He is next mentioned as a discrete and faithful assistant of William Davison, Secretary of State to Queen Elizabeth, accompanying that Gentleman on his Embassy to the Netherlands in August 1685, and serving him at Court, after his return, until his downfall in 1587. After the retirement of Davidson, Brewster returned to Scrooby, where he lived, “in good esteeme amongst his friends.” In 1590 he was appointed administrator of the estate of his father, who died in the summer of that year, leaving a widow Prudence. His father was “Post”, at Scrooby at the time of his death, and it is said that the Elder’s grandfather held the same office. He was appointed to the office, which he held until Sept. 30, 1607. His residence at Scrooby was the old Manor House. In this house the members of the Pilgrim Church were accustomed to meet on the Lord’s Day, where Brewster, “with great love entertained them when they came making provisions for them to his great charge.”

The Pilgrims attempting to remove to Holland in the latter part of 1607, were imprisoned at Boston, through the treachery of the Master of the ship, that was engaged to transport them.

Bradford says that, "Brewster was ye Chiefe of those that were taken at Boston, England and suffered ye greatest loss, and ye seven that were kept longest in prison, and afterwards bound over ye assises." Through Bradford also we learn that Brewster, after reaching Holland, suffered many hardships and spent most of his means in providing for his many children. He was not so well fitted as the other Pilgrims, for the hard labor, which became their common lot, yet he bore his condition cheerfully. During the latter part of the twelve years spent in Holland, he increased his income very much by teaching and by the profits from a Printing Press, which he by the help of some friends, set up at Leyden. At the end of that time for sundrie weight and solid reasons, which are duly set forth in Bradford's History of the Pilgrims, among which was a true Missionary spirit, the church at Leyden, resolved to emigrate to Virginia. Brewster, the Elder of the church, who had been chosen to that office during the Pilgrims' stay at Leyden, was desired by those chosen to go first, "to go with them while John Robinson, the Pastor, stayed with the majority who should follow later." Thus it happened that we find Elder Brewster, his wife Mary and two young sons among the passengers of that now famous vessel the "Mayflower", which dropped anchor in Plymouth harbor Dec. 16, 1620 (old style). "At Plymouth, Mass. Brewster bore an important part in establishing the Pilgrim republic, not shrinking from even the severest manuel labor, and when the church had no other minister, he taught twice every Sabbath, and ye both powerfully and profitably to ye great contentment of ye hearers." His wife Mary, whose maiden name was not known, died at Plymouth in New England Apr. 17, 1627. Bradford says that though she died long before her husband, yet she dyed aged. Elder Brewster survived his wife many years and dyed at Plymouth, Mass. the 10th of April 1644.

#### Children of Elder William Brewster:

\*2. I. Jonathan, born Aug. 12, 1593; m. Lucretia Oldham.

\*2. Jonathan<sup>2</sup> (*Elder William*<sup>1</sup>) was born Aug. 12, 1593. He came in the ship "Fortune" in Nov. 1621. He married Lucretia Oldham of Darby, the 10th of April 1624. She was probably a sister of John Oldham, who came to Plymouth, Mass. in 1623.

Jonathan Brewster died in Conn. Aug. 7, 1659 and was buried in the Brewster cemetery at Brewster's Neck, Preston, Conn. His wife Lucretia died on Mar. 4, 1678-9. About 1630 Jonathan Brewster removed to Duxbury, Mass. from which place he was Deputy to the General Court 1639-41-42-43-44. Thence he removed to New London, Conn. about 1649, where he was Deputy to the General Court of the colony of Conn. 1650-55-56-57-58. In 1637 Jonathan Brewster was a Military Commissioner in the Pequot War in 1637. A member of the Duxbury Committee to raise forces in the Narragansett Alarm in 1642. He was a member of Capt. Myles Standish's Duxbury Company in the Military enrollment of 1643.

The descendants erected in the Brewster cemetery in 1855, a plain granite shaft about eight feet high, to the memory of Jonathan Brewster, and his wife Lucretia.

3. II. Patience, born ———; m. Aug. 5, 1624 Thomas Prince.
4. III. Fear, born ———; m. abt. 1627 as second wife Isaac Allerton.
5. IV. A child, died at Leyden, Holland 1609.
6. V. Love, m. May 15, 1634 Sarah Collier.
7. VI. Wrestling, living in 1627; died young.

Children of Jonathan and Lucretia (Oldham) Brewster:

8. I. William, born Mar. 9, 1625; m. Oct. 15, 1651 Mary Peame of London.
9. II. Mary, born Apr. 16, 1627; m. Nov. 10, 1645 John Turner.
10. III. Jonathan, born July 17, 1629; living in 1650.
11. IV. Ruth, born Oct. 3, 1631; m. Mar. 16, 1651 John Pickett; m. (2) July 2, 1688 Charles Hill.
- \*12. V. Benjamin, born Nov. 17, 1633; m. Ann Darte.
13. VI. Elizabeth, born May 1, 1637; d. 1708; m. Sept. 7, 1653, Peter Bradley; m. (2) Christopher Christophers.
14. VII. Grace, born Nov. 1, 1639; d. 1684; m. Aug. 4, 1659 Capt. Daniel Wetherell.
15. VIII. Hannah, born Nov. 3, 1641; m. Dec. 23, 1664 Samuel Starr.

Children of Benjamin and Ann (Darte) Brewster were:

16. I. Mary, born Dec. 10, 1660; m. Nov. 28, 1678 Samuel Fitch.
17. II. Ann, born Sept. 29, 1662; m. Matthew Coy.
18. III. Jonathan, born Nov. 30, 1664; m. Dec. 18, 1690 Judith Stevens.
- \*19. IV. Daniel, born Mar. 1, 1666; m. Hannah Gager; m. (2) Dorothy Whittier.
20. V. William, born Mar. 22, 1669; m. 1692 Elizabeth Read; m. (2) Patience ———.
21. VI. Ruth, born Sept. 16, 1671; m. June 15, 1692 Dea. Thomas Adgate.
22. VII. Benjamin, born Dec. 25, 1673; m. Dec. 17, 1696 Mary Smith; m. (2) Joyce ———.

\*12. Benjamin<sup>3</sup> (*Jonathan*,<sup>2</sup> *Elder William*<sup>1</sup>) married Ann Darte, the last day of February 1659-60, who may have been the widow of Ambrose Darte of Boston, who married Anne Otis, daughter of William of Cape Cod. She died May 9, 1709. He died in Norwich, Conn. Sept. 14, 1710.

Benjamin Brewster settled upon the homestead of his father's at Brewster Neck, which he acquired from his father and brother-in-law John Pickett. This farm was originally in the town of New London, Conn. He was a man of prominence. He was Deputy to the General Court from Colony of Conn. 1668-89-90-92-93-94-95-96-97. Lieutenant of New London troops 1673. Captain of the Military Company of Norwich, Conn. 1693.

\*19. Daniel<sup>4</sup> (*Benjamin*,<sup>3</sup> *Jonathan*,<sup>2</sup> *Elder William*<sup>1</sup>) married first Dec. 23, 1686, Hannah, daughter of John and Elizabeth Gager of Norwich, Conn. Born Feb. 1666. Died Sept. 25, 1727. Married second Dec. 19, 1727 Dorothy Whittier. He died at Preston, Conn. May 7, 1735. He lived at Preston, Conn. He was Justice of the Peace for New London, Conn. 1717-20-23-25-28. Representative to the General Court of Conn. 1704-19-21-23-25-30. Appointed Lieutenant of the Military Co. of Preston 1704. Captain in 1716. He was Deacon of the first Church of Preston, Conn.



23. VIII. Elizabeth, born June 23, 1676; m. July 4, 1706 Daniel Meeks.

His children by first wife:

- 24. I. Daniel, born Oct. 11, 1687; m. Aug. 8, 1710 Elizabeth, dau. of Joseph Freeman.
- \*25. II. Hannah, born Dec. 1690; m. Dec. 2, 1708 Joseph Freeman.
- 26. III. Mary, born Jan. 2, 1692; m. June 4, 1740 Christopher Huntington, as his third wife.
- 27. IV. John, born July 18, 1695; m. Mar. 20, 1725 Dorothy Treat.
- 28. V. Jerusha, born Nov. 18, 1697; d. 1704.
- 29. VI. Ruth, born June 20, 1700; m. Jan. 14, 1718 John Forbes.
- 30. VII. Bethia, born Apr. 5, 1702; m. May 23, 1738 William Parish.
- 31. VIII. Jonathan, born June 6, 1705; m. Nov. 9, 1725 Mary Parish.
- 32. IX. Jerusha, born Oct. 15, 1710; d. Mar. 7, 1711.
- 33. X. Ebenezer, born Sept. 19, 1712; m. Aug. 27, 1735 Susanna Smith.

\*25. Hannah Brewster married Dec. 2, 1708 Joseph Freeman, son of Joseph Freeman,<sup>3</sup> son of Joseph<sup>2</sup> and Dorothy Haynes Freeman of Preston, Conn. Joseph,<sup>2</sup> son of John.<sup>1</sup>  
(See Freeman Family)

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## BULLOCK FAMILY



RICHARD BULLOCK. No record exists of Richard Bullock's birthplace or of his parentage, or of the vessel in which he came over. On July 16, 1642 in testifying in a matter relating to the estate of Alexander Winchester deceased, he stated he is then 25 years of age.

He was the second Town Clerk of Rehoboth, Mass. and serving from 1659 to 1668 at a salary of 16 shillings, a year, with additional fees for recording births, marriages etc. In 1644 he draws 21 rights in the Great (Seekonk) Plain. In 1656 he visits Newtown, Long Island with the view to settling there, but soon returned to Rehoboth.

In 1657 he took the Oath of Fidelity. In 1664 he is licensed to keep a ferry on Palmer's river. In the same year he is chosen to collect the town "assize." He died before Oct. 20, 1667, for then Elizabeth his widow and Samuel his eldest son petitioned the court for a division of Richard's lands. In July 1673 his widow having married again, the court orders Richard's estate settled upon his children.

He was twice married, first to Elizabeth Ingraham on Aug. 11, 1647. She was probably of Rehoboth, Mass. She died Jan. 7, 1659, and he married second July 26, 1666 Elizabeth Billington. After Richard's death, she married in 1673 Robert Beers.

His children by first wife:

2. I. Samuel, born 1648 Aug. 19th; m. 1673 Mary Thurber; m. (2) May 26, 1675 Thankful Rouse.
- \*3. II. Elizabeth, born Oct. 9, 1650; m. Caleb Eddy.
4. III. Mary, born Feb. 16, 1652.
5. IV. Mehitable, born Apr. 4, 1655.
6. V. Abigail, born Aug. 29, 1657.
7. VI. Hopestill, born Dec. 26, 1659.

\*3. Elizabeth Bullock married Caleb Eddy.  
(See Eddy Family)

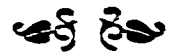
His children by second wife:

8. VII. Israel, born July 15, 1661.
9. VIII. Mercy, born Mar. 13, 1663; d. Mar. 19, 1663.
10. IX. John, born May 19, 1664.
11. X. Richard, born Mar. 15, 1667.

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## BUNKER FAMILY



JAMES BUNKER born c 1628 according to a deposition, is incidentally mentioned in the court records of York County in 1648. In 1652 he bought land below Johnson's Creek, on the north side of Oyster River. He was Jury 1647 and on Grand Jury 1657-59. His Garrison withstood the Indians in 1694. His will was made Oct. 14, 1697 and proven on June 24, 1698 and names wife Sarah and three sons.

His children were:

2. I. James, m. (1) Anne Thomas; m. (2) Martha Downes.
3. II. Joseph, was of Society of Friends.
4. III. John, m. Dorcas Field.
- \*5. IV. Mary, m. Thomas Drew.
6. V. Sarah, unmarried in 1718.

\*5. Mary Bunker married Thomas Drew.

(See Drew Family)

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## BUNCE FAMILY



THOMAS BUNCE was of Hartford, Conn. in 1636. He served in 1637 in the Pequot War. He had by a daughter of Capt. Thomas Bull, under which he had action in that war.

Their children were:

2. I. Thomas.
3. II. John.
- \*4. III. Sarah, born ———; m. John White of Hatfield and next married Nicholas Worthington.
5. IV. Mary, born Sept. 17, 1645; m. Thomas Meakins of Hatfield; m. (2) John Downing.
6. V. Elizabeth, m. Jacob White of Hartford, Conn.

\*4. Sarah Bunce married John White.

(See White Family)

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Savage Gen. Dict. vol. i, p. 298.

## CADWELL FAMILY



THOMAS CADWELL was an early settler of Hartford, Conn. He located in Front street in 1652 and was a respectable farmer. He married Elizabeth, daughter of Edward Stebbin. He was Constable in 1662 and mention of land he had of his father Stebbins. In 1669 he exchanged land with the town of Hartford for land at the landing place. His will was proven in 1694.

Their children were:

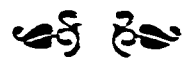
- \*2. I. Mary, m. Jeremiah Diggins.
- 3. II. Edward, born Nov. 1, 1660.
- 4. III. Thomas, born Dec. 5, 1662.
- 5. IV. William, born July 14, 1664.
- 6. V. Matthew, born Oct. 5, 1668.
- 7. VI. Abigail, born Nov. 26, 1670.
- 8. VII. Elizabeth, born Dec. 1, 1672.
- 9. VIII. Samuel, born Apr. 30, 1675.
- 10. IX. Hannah, born Aug. 22, 1677.
- 11. X. Mehitable, born Jan. 12, 1679.

\*2. Mary Cadwell born Jan. 8, 1659. Married Jeremiah Diggins.  
(See Diggins Family)

### REFERENCE:

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## CHURCH, HOGG FAMILY



Scotch Irish family. WILLIAM HOGG and wife came to Londonderry, N.H.

Their children were:

2. I. John, born Mar. 11, 1724.
3. II. Thomas, born July 23, 1726.
- \*4. III. William, born Jan. 17, 1732.

\*4. William (*William<sup>1</sup>*) was of Starktown, where he married second Dec. 27, 1764 Abigail Atwood, daughter of John and Abigail Sander Atwood. William Hogg deeded to son Alexander land in Starktown, (Dunbarton) in 1755. Alexander was an early settler, and we believe that he settled on what was later known as the Atwood Place. This is one of the oldest houses in town.

Children of William & Abigail (Atwood) Hogg:

5. I. William, a Revolutionary soldier.
- \*6. II. Alexander, a Revolutionary soldier.
- \*7. III. Joshua.

\*6. Alexander Hogg does not appear after 1767, which would fit the picture of all the wanderings of the family.

\*7. Joshua<sup>3</sup> (*William,<sup>2</sup> William<sup>1</sup>*) was born May 27, 1763 in Dunbarton, Hillsborough Co. N.Y. He had a brother Alexander and, a brother Sergeant William. He served in the Revolution when 13 years of age. Volunteered at Cambridge, Mass. Removed to Weathersfield, Vt. and Windsor, Vt.

### REVOLUTIONARY WAR PENSION

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CHURCH, JOSHUA  
JANE

Original Declaration of Joshua Church  
New York, Orleans Co.

Jan. 17, 1833, Joshua Church, resident of Ridgeway, Orleans Co. N.Y.  
aged 69 years.

Volunteered at Cambridge, Mass. Mar. 1776 in Capt. Danforth's Co. of Vol. Militia in Col. Whitcomb's Regt. as Private. Served seven months, again re entered same Company as substitute for his brother Alexander Church. Served 3 months, returned him after serving full time. Mentions a Sergeant William Church his brother. He served at Ticonderoga, "Crown Point" on Lake Champlain, against Burgoyne's Army. Was in the retreat of the American army from Ticonderoga to Saratoga. Was discharged shortly before Burgoyne's surrender. Re-enlisted Aug. 1780. Served under Gen. Benedict Arnold. He was one of the party pursuing Arnold when he fled to the British Claims upon Interrogation as follows:

Born in the town of Dumbarton, Co. of Hillsborough, Province of New Hampshire May 27, 1763. No existing records of family ages only parents statements. Claims to have lived with father in town of Wethersfield, Windsor Co. Vermont, when he volunteered. Father shortly after moving to the town of Windsor Same county and state, claims since the war, he has lived first in town of Weathersfield, where his father continued to live for several years, until he moved back into the town of Stoddard, Chester Co. N.H. And from here, he moved to the town of Ridgeway, where he resided about 10 years, and where he now resides. Gave as character reference—Steward Esgrim, Lyman Turner, John Dowley, Gilbert Howell, David Pott or Poll, Uriah L. James.

Signed, Joshua Church

Character witnesses,

Uriah L. James — — Town of Gaines, Orleans Co. Jan. 17, 1833  
Lyman Turner

John Dowley Town of Ridgeway, Orleans Co. Jan. 17, 1833  
Gilbert Howell " " "  
Reuben L. Gunn. " " "  
David Pratt Clergyman.

*Application for Transfer of Pension Payments*

Town of Springfield,  
Erie Co. Pa. Sept. 1, 1837. Claims he and children now reside here.  
Gives Enos Baker as neighbor and witness.  
Death—Spring, Crawford Co. Pa. May 10, 1841.  
Widows Declaration for Bounty Lands  
State of Michigan  
Calhoun Co. Apr. 3, 1855.

Jane Church, widow of Joshua aged 72, resident of Clarendon, Calhoun Co. Mich. Married to Joshua in town of Ridgeway,



Orleans Co. N.Y. Apr. 7, 1821, by Elisha Foote, Justice of the Peace. Her name before marriage was Jane Hood. Husband died May 10, 1841, Spring, Crawford Co. Pa. Claims no record of marriage exists.

Witnesses—Nancy Howard and Rhoda Swart, residents of Homer, State of Michigan Calhoun Co.

Letter to Pension office, dated Jan. 10, 1856, From Homer Calhoun Co. Mich.

Witness Testimony, Calhoun Co. Mich. Oct. 8, 1855, one Andrew S. Church, who is the son of Joshua Church and Jane Church.

*Original Declaration of Widow for Pension.*

Calhoun Co. Michigan, Mar. 6, 1854, a resident of above, aged 71 years. Married in Orleans Co. N.Y. Apr. 4, 1821. That her husband died in Springfield, Twp. Erie Co. Pa. May 10, 1841, wither he had removed 4 years before his death. Testimony to witness of marriage, by one David Hood and Elizabeth Hood, his wife.

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Joshua married first Deborah Brown. He married second Jane Hood.

His children by first wife were:

8. I. Ebenezer.
9. II. Moses.
10. III. Timothy.
11. IV. Milo.
- \*12. V. Daniel, born 1798.
13. VI. Jesse Emery, born 1804; died 1885. Married Julia Cody Bailey, b. 1802, died 1889. They had:
  - (a) Jarvis Servetus.
  - (b) Lucius Bailey, b. 1831.
  - (c) Camilus, b. 1833.
  - (d) Dr. William Bailey, b. 1836 m. His dau., Mrs. Jessie Stuart lives at Marshall, Mich.
  - (e) Josiah.
  - (f) George Emery.
  - (g) Mary A., married T. G. Emsley, Mason City, Iowa.
  - (h) Maria Julia, m. Dr. Dakin, Mason City, Iowa.
  - (i) Elvira, m. Milo Kellogg, Wichita, Kansas.

His children by second wife were:

14. I. Andrew.

\*12. Daniel Church born in 1798 in New York, probably Orleans Co. Married Martha born in Vermont.

- 15. II. Silas.
- 16. III. Cyrus, m. Lydia Janes.

Their children were:

- \*14. I. Firman, born Dec. 1827 in N. Y.
- 15. II. Parmela, born 1831 in N. Y.
- 16. III. Clarissa, born 1834 in Pennsylvania.
- 17. IV. M. Evarts, born in Pennsylvania.
- 18. V. Samantha, born 1837 in Pennsylvania.
- \*19. VI. Daniel, born 1840 in Pennsylvania.

\*14. Firman Church was born in Orleans Co. N.Y. Dec. 1827. He lived in Centre township, Porter Co. Indiana in 1850. He was then a Merchant Clerk. He married Oct. 20, 1847 in Union Mills, Indiana LaPorte Co. to Augusta Freeman who was born Feb. 1, 1827 in Kingsbury, N.Y., daughter of Avery Freeman and Elsie Cole. (See Freeman Family). He died in Fresno, California Dec. 17, 1899. His wife died in Merrill, Wis. at the home of her daughters and was buried in Fresno Mountain View Cemetery. (See Death Records Merrill, Wis.)

\*19. Daniel Church removed to Noble township, LaPorte Co. Indiana.

#### 1850 CENSUS OF LA PORTE CO. INDIANA

Noble Twp.	Daniel Church	52	m. farmer	480	New York.
p. 175	Martha "	46	f.		Vt.
76/76	Parmela "	19	f.		N.Y.
Oct. 3,	Clarissa "	16	f.		Pa.
	Samantha "	13	f.		Pa.
	Daniel "	10	m.		Pa.

Children of Firman Church and Augusta (Freeman) Church:

- \*20. I. Addie Augusta Church, born Mar. 20, 1859 Union Mills, Indiana, La Porte Co.
- 21. II. Charles Freeman, born in Indiana.

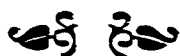
\*20. Addie Augusta Church was born Mar. 20, 1859 in Union Mills, Indiana. Married Abner Clark Harding on May 7, 1879 in Chicago, Ill., who was born in Peoria, Ill. on Dec. 31, 1857 and died Mar. 11, 1921 in Chicago, Ill. Addie Augusta Church died Nov. 6, 1924 in Chicago, Ill.

(See Harding Family)

#### 1850 CENSUS OF PORTER CO. INDIANA

Centre Twp.	Firman Church	22	m. Merchants Clerk	New York
p. 99	Augusta "	23	f.	" "
28/28	Charles F.	1	m.	Indiana
Aug. 7th				

## CLARK FAMILY

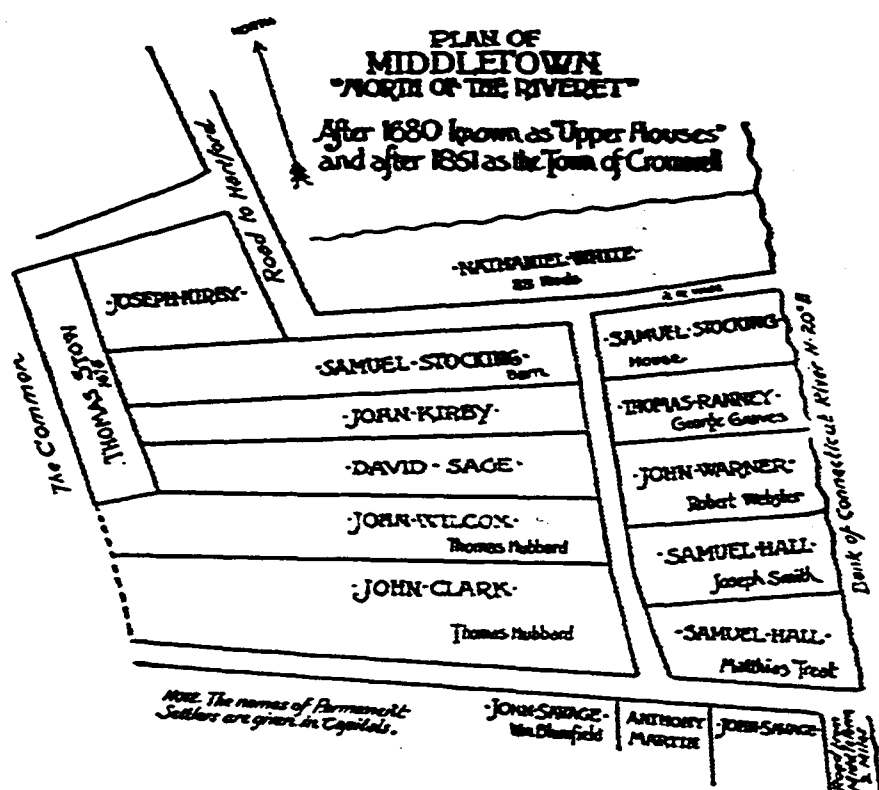


WILLIAM CLARK was one of the original proprietors of Hartford, Conn. in 1639. He came as a servant of John Crow. He removed to Haddam, Conn. where he was one of the founders in 1662. The inventory of his estate was taken Sept. 3, 1681. He left following children:

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- \*2. I. John, m. Elizabeth White.
- 3. II. Thomas.
- 4. III. William.
- 5. IV. Joseph.
- 6. V. Jennor.
- 7. VI. Spencer.
- 8. VII. Hannah.

\*2. John<sup>2</sup> (*William<sup>1</sup>*) was born at Hartford, Conn. He married Elizabeth, daughter of Nathaniel White, born Mar. 7, 1655 in Middletown, Conn. He purchased on Mar. 21, 1681, the southern half of the Thomas Hubbard place in Middletown and died there on July 21, 1731.



Children of John and Elizabeth (White) Clark were:

- \*9. I. Nathaniel, born Apr. 18, 1676; m. Sarah Graves.
- 10. II. John, born June 14, 1679.
- 11. III. Daniel, born Aug. 30, 1680.
- 12. IV. Elizabeth, born Apr. 3, 1685; m. Ebenezer Selden.
- 13. V. Mary, born Apr. 3, 1691; died in infancy.
- 14. VI. Sarah, born Sept. 8, 1692; m. Feb. 17, 1720 John Shepard.
- 15. VII. White, born Nov. 4, 1693; m. Joseph Cole; m. (2) Mar. 22, 1744 Samuel Smith.
- 16. VIII. Mary, born May 4, 1695; m. James Thompson.

\*9. Nathaniel<sup>3</sup> (*John,<sup>2</sup> William<sup>1</sup>*) was born at Hartford, Conn. on Apr. 18, 1676. He married Oct. 27, 1702 Sarah Graves born Feb. 15, 1679, at Hatfield, Mass. whose mother Sarah (White) Graves was the daughter of Sergt. John White. He died at Chatham, Conn. Apr. 25, 1765.

Their son was:

- \*17. I. Jabez, born at Haddam, Conn. 1717.

\*17. Jabez<sup>4</sup> (*Nathaniel,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> William<sup>1</sup>*) was born in Haddam, Conn. in 1717. He died at Chatham, Conn. Apr. 25, 1765. He married Aug. 5, 1742 Sarah, daughter of Jonathan and Hannah (Diggins) Judd, and about the same time came to the town of Chatham, Conn. taking up his residence on what is now known as Clark Hill. He cleared enough land to plant grain and vegetables, for the support of his family, but the main reliance of the household for food was upon his skill, as a hunter and fisherman.

Their children were:

- 18. I. Nathaniel, born Aug. 7, 1743; m. Elizabeth Norton.
- 19. II. Elizabeth, born Aug. 24, 1745; m. John Norton.
- 20. III. Jabez, born Aug. 25, 1747; m. Lydia Hall; m. (2) Ruth Hinckley.
- 21. IV. Hannah, born Jan. 1, 1649; m. John Johnson.
- 22. V. Sarah, born Mar. 25, 1752; m. Isaac Bemis.
- \*23. VI. Amos, born Oct. 12, 1754; m. Ann Sears July 12, 1781.
- 24. VII. Abner, born Oct. 12, 1754, twin of Amos; died in prison during the Revolutionary War.

\*23. Amos<sup>5</sup> (*Jabez,<sup>4</sup> Nathaniel,<sup>3</sup> John,<sup>2</sup> William<sup>1</sup>*) was born in 1754. He married July 12, 1781 Anna, daughter of Ebenezer and Elizabeth (Cooke) Sears.

Amos Clark was a soldier in the Revolutionary War and died on Mar. 20, 1843. She died July 8, 1835.

(See Sears Family)

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## COBB FAMILY



ELDER HENRY COBB, the ancestor of the Cobb family of Barnstable, Mass. and Scituate, Mass. He was at Plymouth, Mass. in 1632. In Scituate, Mass. in 1633 and Barnstable in 1639. He was one of the committee to whom the colony court in 1638 granted the lands for a township and when it was afterwards decided to remove to Mattakeese, now Barnstable, his house lot in Barnstable contained 7 acres. His great lot, containing three score acres, was situated on the south side of the County road between the present dwelling house of Joseph Cobb and James Otis. In Barnstable he was active and useful in promoting the temporal and in ministering to the Spiritual wants of the first settlers. He was town officer, a member of the most important town committee 1646 to 1660, and Deputy to the General Court in 1661. On Apr. 14, 1670, he was chosen and ordained a Ruling Elder of the Barnstable Church, an office which he held till his death in 1679. He married first in 1631, Patience, daughter of Dea. James Hurst of Plymouth, Mass. She was buried May 4, 1648, the first that was buried in our new burying place, by our meeting house. He married second Dec. 12, 1649 Sarah, daughter of Samuel Hinckley. He died in 1679 and his wife survived him.

His children by first wife were:

2. I. John, born June 7, 1632; m. Martha Nelson; m. (2) June 13, 1676 Jane Woodward.
- \*3. II. James, born Jan. 14, 1634; m. Sarah Lewis.
4. III. Mary, born Mar. 24, 1637; m. 1657 Jonathan Dunham.
5. IV. Hannah, born Oct. 5, 1639; m. May 9, 1661 Edward Lewis.
6. V. Patience, born Mar. 13, 1641-2; m. Robert Parker.

\*3. James<sup>2</sup> (*Henry*<sup>1</sup>) was born in Plymouth, Mass. Jan. 14, 1634. He resided at Barnstable, Mass. James Cobb and Sarah Lewis married on Dec. 26, 1663 (Barnstable Records Vol. 3, p. 73). She was the daughter of George Lewis. She was baptized in Feb. 11, 1643.

On June 5, 1667 James Cobb was a Juror, "On Grand Inquest" June 2, 1668. On June 3, 1668 he was on a Jury to try Nathaniel Soule, "for his telling of a lye." He lived in Barnstable and died there in 1695, leaving no will. Sarah, widow of Sergt. James Cobb died Feb. 11, 1735 in her 92nd year. She married second Jonathan Sparrow of Eastham, as his third wife.

7. VI. Gershom, born Jan. 10, 1644; removed to Middletown, Conn.
8. VII. Eleazer, born Mar. 30, 1648; settled in Hingham, Mass.

His children by second wife were:

9. VIII. Mehitabel, born Sept. 11, 1651; d. 1652.
10. IX. Samuel, born Oct. 12, 1654; m. 1680 Elizabeth Taylor.
11. X. Jonathan, born Apr. 10, 1660; m. Hope (Chipman) Hucking.
12. XI. Sarah, born Mar. 10, 1662; m. 1686 Dea. Samuel Chapman.
13. XII. Henry, born Sept. 3, 1665; m. Lois Hallet.

Children of James and Sarah (Lewis) Cobb were:

14. I. Mary, born Nov. 26, 1664; m. 1687 Caleb Williamson.
15. II. Sarah, born Jan. 26, 1666; m. 1686 Benjamin Hinckley.
16. III. Patience, born Jan. 12, 1668; m. James Coleman.
17. IV. Hannah, born Mar. 28, 1671; m. Mar. 1695 Joseph Davis.
18. V. James, born July 8, 1673.
19. VI. Gershom, born Aug. 1675.
20. VII. John, born Dec. 20, 1677.
21. VIII. Elizabeth, born Oct. 6, 1680; m. Joseph Cole.
22. IX. Martha, born Feb. 6, 1682; living 1705-6.
- \*23. X. Mercy, born Apr. 9, 1685; m. Feb. 4, 1701-2 Richard Sparrow.
24. XI. Thankful, born June 10, 1687; m. May 17, 1705 Thomas Paine.

\*23. Mercy Cobb married Richard Sparrow.

(See Sparrow Family)

REFERENCES:

Cobb History by P.L. Cobb, pp. 1-33;  
Gen. Notes of Barnstable, Mass. Families by Otis, pp. 165-173;  
Savage Gen. Dict., vol. i.

## COLE FAMILY



JAMES COLE of Plymouth, Mass. The earliest information obtained of James Cole whose name stands at the head of the family in America dates back from 1616, when he was living at Highgate, a suburb of London, England. He is spoken of as a great lover of flowers and it is probably due to this fact, that he became acquainted with and married Mary Lobel, a daughter of the noted botanist and physician, Mathieu Lobel. "Mathieu Lobel was born in Lille in 1538 and son of Jean De Lobel, a distinguished lawyer. Mathieu was a physician at Montpelier, Germany, Italy and Switzerland. He also practised medicine in Antwerp being attached as physician to William of Orange, from Antwerp he came to London, and became physician to James I. He died in Highgate, London Mar. 2, 1616."

James Cole and Mary Lobel were married in 1624. Their first children James and Hugh were probably born in London. They came to Saco, Maine in 1632 and the following year 1633, located in Plymouth, Mass. where he was admitted freeman the same year. He was known as a sailor. He had a grant of a ten acre lot of land Jan. 2, 1637. On tax list of Plymouth in 1634. His dwelling stood on the lot next below the Baptist church. He was the first settler on "Cole Hill", the first burial ground of the Pilgrims. This land probably included the ground upon which rests Plymouth Rock. In Sept. 1641, he had a grant of fifty acres of land at Lakenham Meadow. He was surveyor of highways in 1641-42-51-52. Constable 1641-44. In 1637 his name appears upon a list of volunteers against the Pequot Indians. Soon after his arrival at Plymouth he opened the first Inn or Public house in Plymouth and one of, if not the first Public House in New England. This house was kept as a Public House by him and his son James until 1698. In 1668 he sold to his son James the land down to and including the lot upon which stands the Baptist Church. I have been unable to find record of his death, or his wife Mary.

Their children were:

2. I. James, born 1625 in London, England; m. Dec. 23, 1654 Mary Tilson; m. (2) Abigail Davenport.
- \*3. II. Hugh, born 1627 in London; m. Mary Foxwell.
4. III. John, born Nov. 21, 1637 Plymouth, Mass.; m. Nov. 21, 1667 Elizabeth Rydell.
5. IV. Mary, born 1639; m. John Almy. He died Oct. 1, 1676. Married 2nd John Pocte. She died without children.

\*3. Hugh<sup>2</sup> (*James*<sup>1</sup>) was born in London, England in 1627. He came with his father to Plymouth, Mass. 1633 and was admitted freeman in 1657 in Plymouth, Mass. He married first Jan. 8, 1654 Mary Foxwell, daughter of Richard and Ann (Shelly) Foxwell of Barnstable, Mass. She was born at Scituate, Mass. Aug. 17, 1635 and died at Swansea, Mass. Married second Jan. 1, 1689, to Elizabeth widow of Jacob Cook, daughter of Thomas and Ann Lettuce. He married third Jan. 30, 1694 Mary, widow of Dea. Ephriam Morton and daughter of Robert and Judith Shelly. He was a surveyor of highways at Barnstable, Mass. and granted 100 acres of land at Acushanett. In 1667 with others he purchased of King Phillip 500 acres of land on the west bank of what was named for him Cole's River. He was a shipwright and Civil Engineer and many of the tracts of land at Swansea were surveyed by him. He was selectman of Swansea for many years. Representative, and Deputy to the General Court in 1673-74-75-80-83-84-85-86 and 89. He was for years the friend of King Phillip (the Indian Chief) having requested by the Plymouth Colony, Council to visit King Phillip and report the conditions made the following report: "Swansea, April 1, 1671, Most Honorable Sirs: Yours, I received this day whereby I preceive you desire to know what posture the Indians are in. I do not find them to continue in a posture of War, as they have been. I went to Mount Hope last second day on purpose to see their proceeding and was in many of their houses, but saw nothing as intending to War. But asking them of their reason of continuing together at Mt. Hope, they answered, it was to see Phillip's child buried, and I have seen some return, but the greater part of them are together, and they gave as the reason because the wind does so blow, against them, they cannot go home with their canoes. Rest assured I am yours to command what I am able."

Hugh Cole

In June 1675 at the commencement of the war with King Phillip, two of Hugh Cole's sons were made prisoners by the Indians and taken to Phillip at Mt. Hope. Phillip ordered them set at liberty because as he said Hugh Cole had always been his friend. He sent word to Hugh that he could no longer restrain his warriors, and for him to take his family and immediately removed to R.I. This he did, and one hour afterwards his home was in flames. After leaving his home he located at Portsmouth, R.I. where on Oct. 12, 1675 he was granted liberty to use some of the windfalls that are down to build a small farm and to make wheels for the use of the townsmen for their money. After the war his election as representative was always spoken of as Sergeant. After the close of the war, he returned to Swansea and built a house a few rods from where Miss Abby Cole now lives (1908). He died in Swansea on Jan. 26, 1699-1700.

His children by first wife were:

6. I. James, born Nov. 3, 1655; m. Mary ———.
7. II. Hugh, born Mar. 6, 1658; m. May 6, 1681 Deborah Buckland.
8. III. John, born May 15, 1660; m. Susanna ———; m. Sarah ——— in 1712.
9. IV. Martha, born Apr. 16, 1662; d. 1711; m. John Brooks.
10. V. Anna, born Dec. 14, 1664; m. July 30, 1684 Wm. Spaulding.



11. VI. Ruth, born Jan. 8, 1666; m. Dea. Nathan Luther 1693.
12. VII. Joseph, born May 18, 1668, prob. died young.
13. VIII. Ebenezer, born 1671; m. Mehitable Luther.
14. IX. Mary, born 1676; m. Nov. 27, 1697 Jonathan Kingsley.
- \*15. X. Benjamin, born 1678; m. June 27, 1701 Hannah Eddy.

\*15. Benjamin<sup>3</sup> (*Hugh,<sup>2</sup> James<sup>1</sup>*) was born at Swansea, Mass. in 1678. He married June 27, 1701 Hannah, daughter of Caleb and Elizabeth (Bullock) Eddy. His wife died May 15, 1768 and both were buried in the Kickemuit burying ground. He died Sept. 29, 1748. He was Deacon from 1718 until the time of his death. His will dated Jan. 22, 1740 and probated at Taunton Oct. 4, 1748.

Their children were:

16. I. Hopestill, born Oct. 9, 1703; m. Mar. 17, 1725 Joseph Butterworth.
17. II. Jonathan, born Oct. 4, 1704; m. Mar. 17, 1726 Elizabeth Bowen; m. (2) Mar. 21, 1756 Abigail Eastbrook.
18. III. Benjamin, born Oct. 31, 1706.
19. IV. Foxtill, born Sept. 1708; died young.
20. V. Israel, born Mar. 4, 1710; m. Mar. 5, 1733 Susanna Wheaton.
- \*21. VI. Ebenezer, born Mar. 29, 1712; m. Mary Bosworth; m. (2) Mary Wilson June 10, 1740.
22. VII. Andrew, born May 28, 1714.
23. VIII. Hannah, born June 14, 1716.

21. Ebenezer<sup>4</sup> (*Benjamin,<sup>3</sup> Hugh,<sup>2</sup> James<sup>1</sup>*) was born at Swansea, Mass., Mar. 29, 1712 and died at Shaftsbury, Vt. on Mar. 22, 1794. He married first in Swansea, Mass. May 19, 1734 Mary Bosworth. She died in Rehoboth, Mass. July 16, 1739. He married second in Rehoboth, Mass. Mary Wilson on June 10, 1740 born Oct. 17, 1714 and died in Shaftsbury, Vt. on Mar. 26, 1794, daughter of Benjamin and Elizabeth Wilson. In 1737-38 he removed to Rehoboth, Mass. and soon after his second marriage removed to Portsmouth, R.I. In 1745 he removed to Oblong, Dutchess Co. N.Y. (the post office of Oblong was changed to Amenia Union in 1824). In 1762 he removed to Bennington, Vt. and was one of the founders of Shaftsbury, Vt. He was a civil engineer and surveyor at the commencement of the Revolution and held a commission as Magistrate from the crown, and under the Oath of office was disposed to enforce the law and received a notice from town committee to leave the township. One of his sons accepted the commission as Captain in the British Army. After the first year of the war, he became a staunch supporter of the Revolutionary cause and three of his sons served as soldiers in the Shaftsbury Company, including his son David, who had accepted a commission in the British Army.

Upon his gravestone in Shaftsbury, Vt. appears the following:

"You see place where I am laid,  
Death is a debt that must be paid,  
And as by me you find it's true,  
And time will prove it so with you,  
Let not your time be run to waste,  
In vain delight to please the taste,  
But for another world prepare,  
For time is short, you must be there."

His children by first wife were:

- 24. I. Susannah, born Feb. 24, 1736; m. Amaziah Martin.
- 25. II. Mary, born Nov. 28, 1738; d. July 19, 1739.

His children by second wife were:

- \*26. III. Freegift, born June 10, 1743; m. Ruth Gardner.
- 27. IV. Parker, born Nov. 29, 1746; m. Dec. 14, 1768 Mary Marsh.
- 28. V. David, born Apr. 15, 1749; m. Zeruh Huntington; m. (2) Roxby Barber 1800.
- 29. VI. Benjamin, born June 30, 1750; m. Dec. 13, 1778 Prudence Hurd.
- 30. VII. Priscilla, born 1754; m. Seth Alden.

\*26. Freegift<sup>5</sup> (*Ebenezer*,<sup>4</sup> *Benjamin*,<sup>3</sup> *Hugh*,<sup>2</sup> *James*<sup>1</sup>) was born at Portsmouth, R.I. June 10, 1743 and died at Kingsbury, N.Y. Apr. 4, 1814. He married Ruth Gardner and died Mar. 26, 1814. He removed from Portsmouth, R.I. to Dutchess Co. N.Y. and in 1764 removed to Shaftsbury, Vt. where he was one of the first settlers and where he was chosen Clerk, "at a meeting of the town council of Shaftsbury in 1781." He was appointed as one of a committee of three to collect provisions for the militia Company of the town and to take charge of the arms of the Company. After the close of the war, he removed to Kingsbury, Washington Co. N.Y. The house erected by him in Kingsbury, about 1801 is still standing. While he never joined the Friends, or Quakers church, he acted with them. His wife was a member of the church. He was a noted man for his charitable work. His wife acquired a knowledge of medical plants and herbs and used them for the benefit of her own and neighbors families. It is doubtless from this knowledge that there is a tradition among some of her descendants, that she was of Indian descent.

Upon the gravestone of Freegift Cole, appears the following:

"He was a Freegift, justice his aim,  
He lived to old age, and attained a good name."

Children of Freegift and Ruth (Gardner) Cole were:

- 31. I. Hannah, born June 9, 1765; m. Feb. 7, 1786 George Martin.
- 32. II. Jemima, born July 19, 1767; m. Apr. 25, 1790 Andrew Mason.
- 33. III. Phebe, born Sept. 19, 1771; m. Mar. 9, 1796 Jeremiah Finch.
- 34. IV. Lois, born Dec. 6, 1776; m. Feb. 19, 1800 Chester Cook.
- 35. V. Wilson, born Oct. 3, 1777; m. Polly Patterson; m. (2) Polly Fuller.
- 36. VI. Russell, born 1778; m. Feb. 1799 Mary Brayton.
- \*37. VII. Parker, born 1780; m. Ruth ———.
- 38. VIII. Gardner, born 1782; killed by falling tree 1783.
- 39. IX. Mary, born 1784; died in infancy.
- 40. X. Casey, born 1786; removed to Erie Co., Pa.
- 41. XI. David, born Mar. 17, 1788; m. Feb. 26, 1811 Philena Draper.

\*37. Parker<sup>6</sup> (*Freegift*,<sup>5</sup> *Ebenezer*,<sup>4</sup> *Benjamin*,<sup>3</sup> *Hugh*,<sup>2</sup> *James*<sup>1</sup>) was born in Shaftsbury, Vt. in 1780. He married Ruth (Maiden name unknown). He died at Kingsbury, N.Y. Aug. 11, 1813. Upon his gravestone appears the following: "Parker Cole, a pattern of Piety."

Children of Parker and Ruth Cole:

- \*42. I. Elsie, born Apr. 7, 1803; m. Avery Freeman Nov. 5, 1821.
- 43. II. Sarah, born May 19, 1805; m. July 11, 1827 Luther Andrews.
- 44. III. Olive, born June 1809; d. Feb. 19, 1809.

\*42. Elsie Cole born at Shaftsbury, Vt. Apr. 7, 1803 and died on Oct. 5, 1885. She married Nov. 5, 1821 Avery Freeman.  
(See Freeman Family)

REFERENCE:

Descendants of James Cole of Plymouth, Mass. by E.B. Cole, pp. 21-27;35-36-49-50-75-76-114-178;

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## COOKE FAMILY



JOSIAH COOKE was of Plymouth, Mass. where he married Sept. 16, 1635, Elizabeth, widow of Stephen Deane, daughter of widow Mary Ring. He was admitted freeman in 1637, and removed with Gov. Prence to Eastham, Mass. and died Oct. 17, 1673. She died in 1687.

Their children were:

- \*2. I. Josiah, m. July 27, 1668 Deborah Hopkins.
- 3. II. Ann, m. Jan. 18, 1655 Mark Snow.
- 4. III. Bethiah, m. April 4, 1660 Joseph Harding.

\*2. Josiah<sup>2</sup> (*Josiah<sup>1</sup>*) married July 27, 1668 Deborah, daughter of Stiles Hopkins and had:

- 5. I. Elizabeth, born Oct. 12, 1669; d. in 6 months.
- 6. II. Josiah, born Nov. 12, 1670.
- 7. III. Richard, born Sept. 1, 1672.
- 8. IV. Elizabeth, born 1674.
- 9. V. Caleb, born Nov. 15, 1676.
- 10. VI. Deborah, born Feb. 15, 1679.
- \*11. VII. Joshua, born Feb. 4, 1683; m. Patience.
- 12. VIII. Benjamin, born Apr. 28, 1687.

\*11. Joshua<sup>3</sup> (*Josiah<sup>2</sup> Josiah<sup>1</sup>*) was born in Eastham, Mass. on Feb. 4, 1683. He married Patience and had:

- 13. I. Josiah<sup>4</sup> (*Joshua<sup>3</sup> Josiah<sup>2</sup> Josiah<sup>1</sup>*) married Hannah, daughter of Richard and Mercy (Cobb) Sparrow and had:
- 14. II. Elizabeth Cooke, married Ebenezer Sears of Chatham, Conn.

(See Sears Family)

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Mayflower Desc., vol. ii, p. 1-23; vol. xiv, pp. 1-193;  
Ill. Mayfl., p. 315;  
Savage Gen.Dict., vol. i, p. 448;  
Sears Genealogy;  
Hist. of Middlesex Co. Conn., p. 846.

## COOKE FAMILY



JOSIAH COOKE married at Plymouth, Mass. on Sept. 16, 1635, Elizabeth (Ring) Dean, widow of Stephen Dean of Plymouth. He was a freeman in 1637 and removed with Gov. Prince to Eastham, Mass. and died there on Oct. 17, 1673.

Children of Josiah and Elizabeth (Ring) (Dean) Cooke:

2. I. Josiah, m. Deborah Hopkins.
- \*3. II. Bethiah, m. Joseph Harding.
4. III. Ann, m. Mark Snow.

\*3. Bethiah Cooke married Joseph Harding.  
(See Harding Family)

### REFERENCES:

Mayflower Desc., vol. xv, p. 34;  
Savage Gen.Dict., vol. i, p. 448.

## DAVIS FAMILY



JAMES DAVIS of Newbury, Mass., Haverhill, Mass. and Hampton, N.H. married in Thornbury Co. Gloucester, England Jan. 11, 1618 Cicely Thayer, baptized there May 1, 1600, daughter of John and Joane (Lawrence) Davis. He came with three eldest children and his younger brothers Samuel, Thomas, John and Ephriam, in the will of his father John Apr. 1626.

He was called in 1663, ninety-six at his death Jan. 29, 1678. He was made freeman at Newbury, Mass. Mar. 1634. Removed to Haverhill, Mass. 1644. Was selectman and Grand Juror and Representative in 1660. His wife died May 1673.

Their children were:

2. I. John, bapt. Jan. 28, 1620; m. widow Mary Purington.
3. II. James, bapt. July 4, 1619; m. Elizabeth Eaton.
4. III. Sarah.
- \*5. IV. Judith, m. Dec. 31, 1659 Samuel Gile.
6. V. Ephriam, m. 1659 Mary Johnson.
7. VI. Samuel, m. Deborah Barnes.
8. VII. Sarah, m. June 18, 1663 John Page.

\*5. Judith Davis married Samuel Gile.

(See Gile Family)

### REFERENCE:

Gen. & Dict. of Maine & N.H. Families by Libby, p. 184.

## DIGGINS FAMILY



JEREMIAH DIGGINS was living in Hartford, Conn. as early as April 18, 1677, on which date he brought action vs Thomas Cadwell, for detaining land appointed to his wife by the executors under the will of Edward Stebbins. His wife Mary was the daughter of Thomas and Elizabeth Cadwell and granddaughter of Dea. Edward Stebbins of Hartford. She was born Jan. 8, 1660 and died at Windsor, Conn. Nov. 9, 1736. He died on Nov. 23, 1736.

Their children were:

2. I. Mary, born c 1678.
3. II. Jeremiah, born c 1679; m. Rebecca Elmore.
4. III. Elizabeth, born c 1681.
- \*5. IV. Hannah, married Jonathan Judd.
6. V. Thomas, married Dec. 31, 1719 Mary Loomis.

\*5. Hannah Diggins married Jonathan Judd.

(See Judd Family)

### REFERENCES:

Desc. of Thomas Judd, pp. 9-61;  
New England Register vol. lxi, p. 142;  
Vital Records of East Windsor, Conn.

## DREW FAMILY



WILLIAM DREW born in Devonshire, England in 1627, and was rated at Oyster River, N.H. in 1648. He lived on the south side of the river at Drew's Point, where on a hilltop may be seen the cellar of the Garrison house built by him. On the 10th of Aug. 1653, there was granted to William Drew sixty acres of upland. He died in April 1669. His widow Elizabeth born 1628, the daughter of Francis and Thomasine (Channon) Matthews married July 20, 1671, William Follett.

Children of William Drew were:

2. I. Francis, born 1648; m. Lydia Bickford.
3. II. John, born 1651; m. Sarah Field; m. (2) Rebecca Cooke.
- \*4. III. Thomas, m. Mary Bunker.
5. IV. Elizabeth, m. Thomas Phillip.
6. V. Hannah, m. Godfrey Brooking; m. (2) Nicholas Follett. m. (3) Abraham Heseltine.

\*4. Thomas<sup>2</sup> (*William*<sup>1</sup>) was aged 69 years on Feb. 22, 1734, when he made a deposition in which he says, "that fifty years before, I lived with my father Follett." Family was recorded among the Society of Friends, a daughter of Thomas Drew, "aged near thirteen was captured by Indians May 22, 1707 and carried to Canada where she was baptized as Marie Anne, daughter of Thomas and Mary (Bunker) Drew." He married Mary Bunker, who died about 1738, she was daughter of James Bunker. He lived at Bock River, Dover and had a house on the "Plains", recently built in 1688.

Their children were:

7. I. James, born 1683.
8. II. Thomas, born Apr. 1689; m. Tamsen Ham.
9. III. William, born 1692; m. Mary Huckins.
10. IV. Clement, born 1694; m. Mary Bunker.
- \*11. V. Lydia, born 1697; m. Francis Matthews Nov. 28, 1721.
12. VI. Hannah, born 1699; m. John Bunker Feb. 5, 1720.
13. VII. Meshech, born 1702; m. Abigail.

\*11. Lydia Drew married Francis Matthews.  
(See Matthews Family)



14. VIII. Tamsen, born 1704.
15. IX. Patience, born 1707; m. William Hull.
16. X. Marie Anne, born 1690, naturalized in Canada June 25, 1713.

## REFERENCES:

Hist. of Durham, N.H., vol. ii, pp. 134-141;  
Gen. & Dict. of Me. & N.H., pp. 206-7.

## EDDY FAMILY



1. WILLIAM EDDY was born at Bristol, England and died at Cranbrook Co. Kent, England Nov. 23, 1616. Married first at Cranbrook on Nov. 30, 1587, Mary Foster, daughter of John and Ellen (Munn) Foster. Mary died on July 1611, and William married second Feb. 22, 1613, Sarah Taylor, a widow. His son by his first wife was:

2. SAMUEL<sup>2</sup> (*William*<sup>1</sup>) baptized May 15, 1608 at Cranbrook Co. Kent, England (Church Register). He died at Swansea, Mass. Nov. 12, 1687. He married Elizabeth——, who died May 24, 1689 in her 82nd year, in Swansea, Mass.

Samuel Eddy learned the trade of "Tailor". He came to New England with his brother John, on the ship "Handmaid" in 1630 to Boston, and settled at Plymouth, Mass., where he was made freeman in 1633. In 1643 he was enrolled as a person capable of bearing arms, and was made a member of a troop enrolled for the defense of the colony against the Indians. He lived at the house which he had purchased from Experience Mitchell. He removed to Middlebury in 1669. He died in 1687.

Children of Samuel and Elizabeth Eddy were:

3. I. John, born Dec. 25, 1637; m. Hepsibah Doggett.
4. II. Zachariah, born 1639; m. 1663 Alice Paddock.
- \*5. III. Caleb, born 1643; m. Elizabeth Bullock.
6. IV. Obadiah, born 1645; m. a Bennett.
7. V. Hannah, born June 23, 1647; no further record.

\*5. Caleb<sup>3</sup> (*Samuel*,<sup>2</sup> *William*<sup>1</sup>) was born at Plymouth, Mass. in 1643 and died at Swansea, Mass. Mar. 23, 1712-13. He married Dec. 6, 1671, Elizabeth Bullock of Rehoboth, Mass. daughter of Richard Bullock. He settled in Swansea, Mass. about the time of his marriage, where in 1678 he was Constable and a freeman in 1682. He was Surveyor of Highways and on the Jury in 1681, and on July 16, 1696 was chosen a member of the Grand Inquest. He was chosen Deacon of the church at Swansea, Mass.

Caleb Eddy was buried in the old Kickimuit cemetery, now in the bounds of Warren, R.I. His stone shows that he died in March 1713.

Children of Caleb and Elizabeth (Bullock) Eddy were:

8. I. Caleb, born May 29, 1672; m. June 5, 1696 Sarah Butcher; m.  
(2) Sept. 25, 1711 Hannah Brown.
9. II. Samuel, born July 15, 1675; m. Apr. 10, 1707 Sarah Easterbrook.
10. III. Benjamin, married Nov. 13, 1712 Mary Hallowell.
11. IV. Elizabeth, born Apr. 20, 1678; m. c 1700 Nathaniel Cole.
12. V. Zachariah, born Jan. 28, 1682; died Feb. 26, 1682.
- \*13. VI. Hannah, died May 15, 1768; m. June 27, 1701 Benjamin Cole.
14. VII. Hopestill, married Jacob Ormsbee.
15. VIII. Mary, born Nov. 30, 1693; m. Jan. 9, 1717 Joseph Cole.

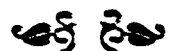
\*13. Hannah Eddy married Benjamin Cole.

(See Cole Family)

REFERENCES:

The Eddy Family of America by R.D. Eddy, pp. 3-60;  
Savage Gen.Dict., vol. ii;  
Vital Records of Swansea, Mass. and Rehoboth, Mass.

## FIELD FAMILY



1. ROGER DEL FIELD born Sowerby, England about 1240 was descended from Sir Hubertus De La Feld and the head of the family which settled in Lancaster and Kent Counties, England. Resident Sowerby, England. He married and had:
2. THOMAS<sup>2</sup> (*Roger*<sup>1</sup>) born Sowerby, England c 1278. Named in the Wakefield Rolls 1314. Married and had:
3. JOHN<sup>3</sup> (*Thomas*,<sup>2</sup> *Roger*<sup>1</sup>) born Sowerby, England 1300. Married——. He was named in the Wakefield Manor Rolls 1326-34, and 1336, called “son of Thomas Del Feld.” He had:
4. THOMAS<sup>4</sup> (*John*,<sup>3</sup> *Thomas*,<sup>2</sup> *Roger*<sup>1</sup>) born Sowerby, England 1330. Married Annabel ——. He was constable of Sowerby in 1365. Their son:
5. THOMAS<sup>5</sup> (*Thomas*,<sup>4</sup> *John*,<sup>3</sup> *Thomas*,<sup>2</sup> *Roger*<sup>1</sup>) was born 1360. Married Isabel ——died Mar. 12, 1429. He made his will leaving to his wife Isabel all his lands and tenants “in Villa and territory De Bynglay, for life. He died 1429. Resident Bradford, England. Their son:
6. WILLIAM,<sup>6</sup> ( *Thomas*,<sup>5</sup> *Thomas*,<sup>4</sup> *John*,<sup>3</sup> *Thomas*,<sup>2</sup> *Roger*<sup>1</sup>) married Katherine——. Letter of Administration granted his widow Apr. 21, 1480. He died April 1480. Res. Parish of Bradford, England. Their son:
7. WILLIAM,<sup>7</sup> (*William*,<sup>6</sup> *Thomas*,<sup>5</sup> *Thomas*,<sup>4</sup> *John*,<sup>3</sup> *Thomas*,<sup>2</sup> *Roger*<sup>1</sup>) was born Bradford, England. Married——. Resident East Ardsley, England. His son:
8. JOHN<sup>8</sup> born about 1519. Married——. He was Rector of Cripplegate and author of a Godly Exhortation by occasion of the late Judgement of God showed at Paris Garden Jan. 13, 1583, a violent attack upon theatrical entertainments. He died Mar. 26, 1587. Resident Cripplegate, England. Their son:
9. JOHN<sup>9</sup> was born in Parish of St. Giles, London, England 1579. He married in Boston, England Aug. 13, 1609 Elen Hockinson, or Hutchinson. He signed the Exeter Combination in Boston, England and sent his son Darby to New England to look after his interests. He died in England. Residence of Boston, Lincolnshire, England. Their son:

10. DARBY<sup>10</sup> was born in Boston, Lincolnshire, England about 1610. He married——. Darby Field, called by Winthrop an “Irishman” (but born in England), is the son of John Field and Elen Hochinson (Hutchinson) Field who were married in Boston, England Aug. 18, 1609. In 1636 he came to Boston, Mass. driven by religious and political persecution and for a short time was with his brother Robert. He removed to Exeter, N.H. in 1648 and there died in 1649. He was living at Oyster River (Durham, N.H.) in 1644, where he was licensed to sell wine. On the Dover rate list Oct. 19, 1648, Darby Field rated £ 81, and to pay £ 1, 6s. His widow was taxed at Oyster River in 1650.

His children were:

- 11. I. Joseph, born ——; taxed at Durham, N. H. 1657-77.
- 12. II. Zachary, gave his son Zachary lands and dwellings etc. lying east of the road, from Bellamy to Oyster River, Dover, and west of John Drew's land, May 2, 1708.
- 13. III. Sarah.
- 14. IV. Elizabeth, m. Jan. 28, 1663 Stephen Jones of Dover.
- \*15. V. Mary, born c 1631; m. July 15, 1656 Capt. John Woodman of Newbury and Oyster River, now Durham, N. H.

\*15. Mary Field married Capt. John Woodman.

(See Woodman Family)

REFERENCES:

Field Gen. by Pierce, vol. i, pp. 66-70; 951-1056;  
Gen. Dict. of Me. & N.H. Families by Libby, p. 232;  
Hist. of Durham, N.H., vol. ii.

## FOXWELL FAMILY



RICHARD FOXWELL came in the fleet with Winthrop in 1630 to Boston, Mass. He removed to Scituate, Mass. before 1634. He married Ann Shelley, a servant, which came over that year. He was one of the founders of the church at Scituate, with Rev. John Lothrop Jan. 8, 1635. He died in 1668.

Their children are on record of Barnstable, Mass.

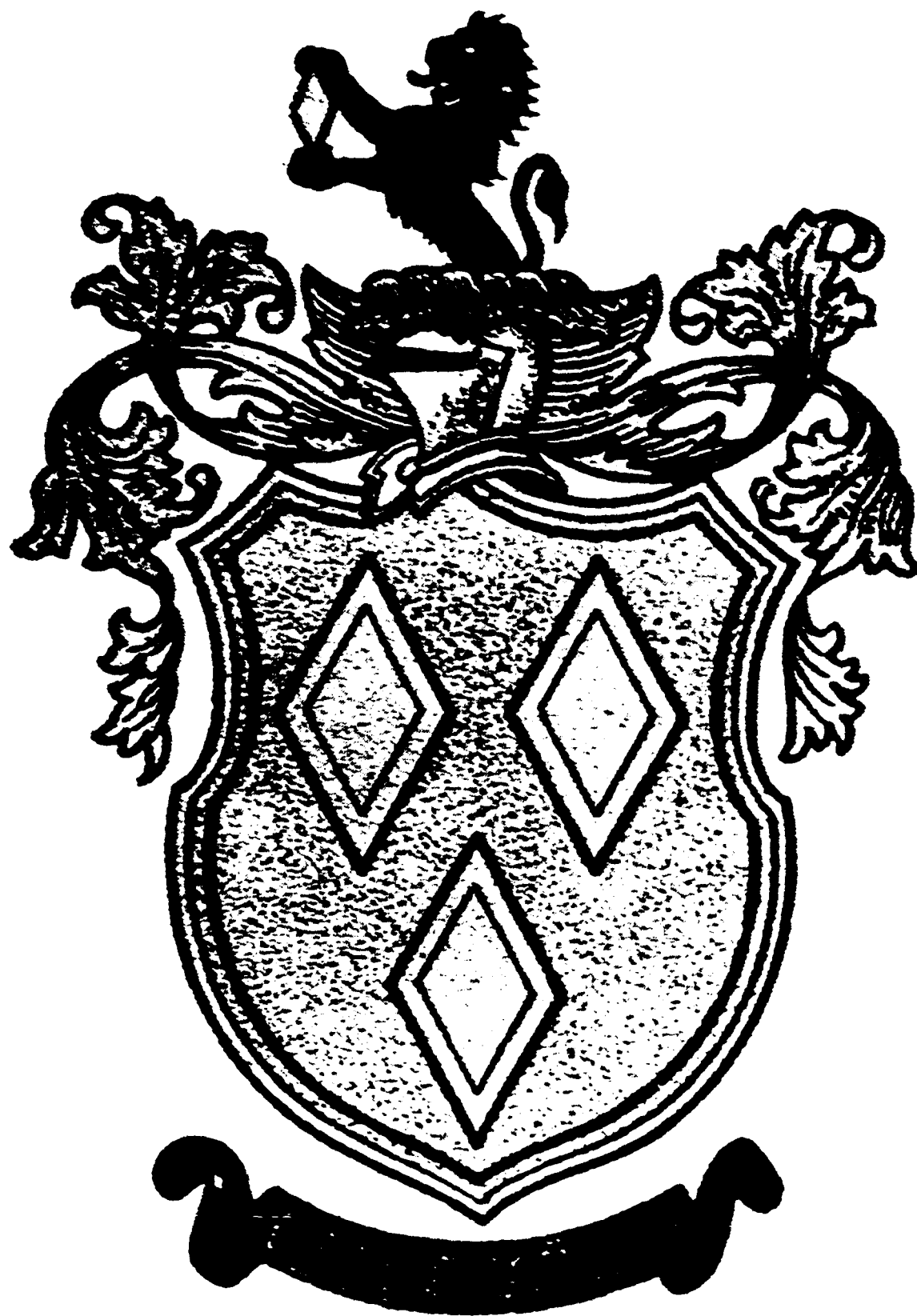
- \*2. I. Mary, born Aug. 17, 1635; m. Jan. 8, 1655 Hugh Cole.
3. II. Martha, born Mar. 24, 1638; m. May 9, 1669 Samuel Bacon.
4. III. Ruth, born Mar. 25, 1641.

\*2. Mary Foxwell married Hugh Cole.

(See Cole Family)

### REFERENCES:

Savage Gen. Dict., vol. ii, p. 198;  
Cole Genealogy, p. 25.



Freeman

Freeman Coat of Arms

ARMS: Azure, three lozenges or

CREST: A demi-lion rampant gules holding in the paw a lozenge or

MOTTO: Liber et audax. (Free and bold)

REFERENCE:

Americana vol. x 18, p. 330.

## FREEMAN FAMILY



Freeman an old English name is undoubtedly derived from the condition of the first, who assumed it, as a surname. In that ancient day, the holding of slaves was a common custom in England and the condition of a freeman was something to be proud of.

1. EDMUND FREEMAN was born in England about 1590 and died in 1682. His will was probated Nov. 2, 1682. He was at Saugus (Lynn) Mass. in 1635, where he presented to the colony twenty corslets, or pieces of plate armor. He was admitted a freeman at Plymouth, Mass. Jan. 2, 1637 and after a short residence in Duxbury, received permission of the colonial Governor to begin the establishment of the first English town on the Cape, Sandwich, Barnstable Co. where he was appointed head of a court of three, "to hear and determine, controversies, and causes within the several contiguous townships." He was buried on his own land, on a hill in the rear of a dwelling, the oldest burying place known in Sandwich. He married Elizabeth (may have been Bennett, or Beauchamp), who died Feb. 14, 1676.

Their children born in England were:

2. I. Alice, m. Dea. William Paddy Nov. 24, 1639.
3. II. Edmund, m. Apr. 22, 1646 Rebecca Prence; m. (2) July 18, 1651 Margaret Perry.
4. III. Elizabeth, m. John Ellis.
- \*5. IV. John, m. Mercy Prence.
6. V. Mary, m. c 1653 Edward Perry.

\*5. John<sup>2</sup> (*Edmund*<sup>1</sup>) was born in England about 1627 and died on Oct. 28, 1719. He resided at Sandwich during his early years. He removed to Eastham about 1653, where with Gov. Prence was one of the earliest settlers. He served in the Indian Wars and was a large land owner. He was Deputy for eight years 1654-1662. Selectman 1663-1673. Assistant to Governor for several years from 1666. He married Feb. 13, 1650 Mercy Prence, daughter of Gov. Thomas Prence, who died Sept. 28, 1711, aged 80 years.

Their children were:

7. I. John, born 1650; died in infancy.



8. II. John, born Dec. 1651; m. 1672 Sarah Merrick; m. (2) 1701 Mrs. Mercy Watson.
- \*9. III. Thomas, born Sept. 1653; m. Dec. 31, 1673 Rebecca Sparrow.
10. IV. Patience, born —; m. Jan. 31, 1683 Lt. Samuel Paine.
11. V. Hannah, born —; m. Apr. 14, 1681 John Mayo.
12. VI. Edmund, born June 1657; m. Ruth Merrick; m. (2) Sarah Mayo.
13. VII. Mercy, born July 1659; m. Dec. 16, 1679 Samuel Knowles.
14. VIII. William, born c 1660; m. c 1685 Lydia Sparrow.
15. IX. Prince, born Feb. 3, 1666; died young.
16. X. Nathaniel, born Mar. 20, 1669; m. c 1690 Mary —.
17. XI. Bennet, born Mar. 7, 1671; m. Mar. 14, 1689 Dea. John Paine.

\*9. Thomas<sup>3</sup> (*John*,<sup>2</sup> *Edmund*<sup>1</sup>) was born in Eastham, Mass. in 1653. He married Dec. 31, 1673 Rebecca, daughter of Jonathan Sparrow. He was one of the persons who were of the First Church of Harwich. He was elected Deacon Nov. 28, 1700. He was many years town clerk, treasurer and selectman. He resided in that part of Harwich, now called Brewster, and died on Feb. 9, 1715-16, aged 62 years. His wife Rebecca died Feb. 1740, aged 86 years. In her will June 13, 1729, probated Mar. 18, 1740, mentions, "sons Edmund, and Hatsuld, son-in-law Paul Sears, and Mary Sears and Rebecca Wing.

#### Children of Dea. Thomas and Rebecca (Sparrow) Freeman:

- \*18. I. Mercy, born Oct. 30, 1674; m. c 1694 Paul Sears.
19. II. Thomas, born Oct. 12, 1676; m. Bathsheba Mayo Aug. 27, 1706; m. (2) Oct. 17, 1717 Mary Smith.
20. III. Jonathan, born Nov. 11, 1678; m. Mercy Bradford of Duxbury 1708.
21. IV. Edmund, born Oct. 11, 1680; m. Phebe Watson c 1703.
22. V. Joseph, born Feb. 11, 1682; m. Lydia Thacher 1709; m. (2) Sept. 9, 1736 Mrs. Mary Freeman.
23. VI. Joshua, born Mar. 7, 1684-5; prob. died unmarried.
24. VII. Hannah, born Sept. 28, 1687.
25. VIII. Prence, born Jan. 3, 1689; m. Mary Doane Mar. 20, 1711.
26. IX. Hatsuld, born Mar. 27, 1691; m. Abigail Hallett.
27. X. Rebecca, born Apr. 26, 1694; prob. m. Joseph Hickery; m. (2) John Wing.

\*18. Mercy Freeman married Paul Sears.

(See Sears Family)

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Mayflower Desc., vol. xii, p. 248;  
Freeman Gen. Second Edition, (1875) pp. 12-37;  
Savage Gen. Dict., vol. ii, pp. 203-205.

## FREEMAN FAMILY



JOHN FREEMAN, husbandman, aged 35 came in ship "Abigail" in July 1635, and settled at Sudbury, Mass. where he was a proprietor in 1639. His wife's Christian name was Elizabeth.

His children were:

- \*2. I. Joseph, born 1-29-1645.
- 3. II. James, born —; died 1647.

\*2. Joseph<sup>2</sup> (*John*<sup>1</sup>) was of Sudbury, Mass. He married May 6, 1680 Dorothy Haynes, daughter of John Haynes of Sudbury. She was born at Sudbury Mass. in 1651-2.

Their children were:

- 4. I. John, born Mar. 16, 1681.
- \*5. II. Joseph, born Dec. 18, or Sept. 1684; m. Dec. 2, 1708 Hannah Brewster.
- 6. III. Dorothy, born Aug. 4, 1687.
- 7. IV. Elizabeth, born Oct. 26, 1690.

\*5. Joseph<sup>3</sup> (*Joseph*,<sup>2</sup> *John*<sup>1</sup>) was born at Sudbury, Mass. Dec. 18, 1684. He married Dec. 2, 1708 Hannah Brewster. He died at Preston, Conn. May 12, 1733 and she died May 6, 1750.

Their children recorded at Preston were:

- \*8. I. Joseph, born Mar. 4, 1709-10.
- 9. II. Hannah, born Feb. 24, 1713; m. Nov. 6, 1738 William Whitter, as his third wife.
- 10. III. Daniel, born Apr. 1, 1712; died Apr. 28, 1733.
- 11. IV. Caleb, born Feb. 27, 1715.
- 12. V. Phineas, born Oct. 23, 1718; d. May 9, 1746.

\*8. Joseph<sup>4</sup> (*Joseph*,<sup>3</sup> *Joseph*,<sup>2</sup> *John*<sup>1</sup>) was a Deacon. He married first Nov. 22, 1732 Mehit-able, daughter of James Tyler, who died July 25, 1743. He married second Mar. 8, 1744 Anna Rockwell, who died Jan. 12, 1752. He married third May 10, 1757, Mrs. Mary Story. He died at Preston, Conn. Mar. 19, 1780.

He was an Ensign of a Train-band of the first Company May 1733, and of the fourth Com-pany in 1752. He was one of the committee of men to rectify the dividing line between Nor-wich and Preston in 1740.

13. VI. Nathan, born Sept. 23, 1721; m. 1748 Lucy Bloggett; m. (2) Lucy Barnes.
14. VII. Benjamin, born Nov. 27, 1723.
15. VIII. Samuel, born June 25, 1726; m. Apr. 4, 1750 Elizabeth Brewster.
16. IX. Mary, born July 12, 1728.
17. X. Jeremiah, born Mar. 13, 1731.

His children by first wife were:

18. I. Daniel, born Sept. 23, 1733.
19. II. Mary, born Aug. 10, 1735.
20. III. Mehitabel, born Dec. 11, 1737.
21. IV. Hannah, born June 20, 1740.
22. V. Ami, twin of Hannah, died Jan. 29, 1789.
23. VI. Elizabeth, born Dec. 29, 1742.

His children by second wife were:

24. VII. Joseph, born Dec. 15, 1744; m. Apr. 10, 1760 Sarah Kimball of Preston, Conn.
- \*25. VIII. Phineas, born Jan. 7, 1748; m. Martha Morrison.
26. IX. Ebenezer, born May 13, 1749.

His child by third wife:

27. X. Seth, born Mar. 19, 1758.

\*25. Phineas<sup>5</sup> (*Joseph,<sup>4</sup> Joseph,<sup>3</sup> Joseph,<sup>2</sup> John<sup>1</sup>*) was born at Preston, Conn. Jan. 7, 1748. He married at Fort Ann, N.Y. about 1784, Martha Morrison. He died at Kingsbury, N.Y. Nov. 3, 1797. He was a farmer at Kingsbury road Washington Co. N.Y. He served as a "Minute Man" at the Lexington Alarm, and later was Colonel of the N.Y. Militia.

Children of Phineas and Martha (Morrison) Freeman were:

28. I. Adolphus, born c 1785.
29. II. Park, born c 1787.
- \*30. III. Avery, born Sept. 26, 1793.
31. IV. Ira, born c 1791.
32. V. Polly, born c 1792; m. Hiram Cole.
33. VI. Peggy, born c 1794; m. Warren Hitchcock.
34. VII. Ann, born c 1796; m. ——— Cronklite.

\*30. Avery<sup>6</sup> (*Phineas,<sup>5</sup> Joseph,<sup>4</sup> Joseph,<sup>3</sup> Joseph,<sup>2</sup> John<sup>1</sup>*) was born Sept. 26, 1793 and died Dec. 22, 1876. He married Alsah Cole, daughter of Parker Cole. (See Cole Family). She was born Apr. 7, 1803 at Shaftsbury, Vt. She died Oct. 5, 1885. They married Nov. 5, 1821.

Their children were:

35. I. P. D., born Feb. 26, 1823; m. Mary Cole.
36. II. Sarah, born Apr. 8, 1825; d. Sept. 11, 1840.

- \*37. III. Augusta, born Feb. 6, 1827; m. Firman Church Oct. 20, 1847.
- 38. IV. Park, born Oct. 13, 1831.
- 39. V. Avery, born Sept. 20, 1834; m. Anna Elliot.
- 40. VI. Frances, born Feb. 3, 1837; d. 1837.
- 41. VII. Franklin, born Aug. 20, 1841; m. Sarah E. McBride Aug. 1862.
- 42. VIII. Rufus L., born Jan. 12, 1846; m. Sarah Paterson.
- 43. IX. Sarah, born June 16, 1848; d. 1848.

## REFERENCES:

Desc. of James Cole of Plymouth, Mass. by E.B. Cole, p. 178;  
Pioneers of Mass. by Pope, p. 1751;  
Savage Gen. Dict., vol. ii;  
Vital Records of Sudbury, Mass., p. 196;  
Brewster Gen. by E.C. Brewster Jones, p. 72-119-224-491-2-934.

## GAGER FAMILY



1. WILLIAM GAGER, "Surgeon" came in the pay of the Mass. Bay Government in July 1630, and settled at Charlestown, Mass. He was a member of the church and a Deacon. He died Sept. 20, 1630. His son John received from the estate of Gov. Winthrop in 1649, a debt formerly due the father. His son:

2. JOHN<sup>2</sup> (*William*<sup>1</sup>) was of New London, Conn. He came probably with his father Dea. William to Boston, Mass. in 1630. He had wife Elizabeth, named in his will, yet she may not have been the mother of his children. He removed to Norwich, Conn. in 1660, and was a free-man there in 1675. He was Constable of Norwich in 1681, and died Dec. 10, 1703. His oldest son died before him.

His children were:

3. I. John, born Sept. 1647.
4. II. Elizabeth, born 1649.
5. III. Sarah, born 1651; m. John Allyn.
6. IV. Hannah, born 1653; died young.
7. V. Samuel, born 1654.
8. VI. Bethia, born 1657; m. Jeremiah Ripley.
9. VII. William, born 1662; died young.
10. VIII. Lydia, born 1663; m. Simon Huntington.
- \*11. IX. Hannah, born 1666; m. Daniel Brewster.
12. X. Mary, born 1671; m. Caleb Forbes.

\*11. Hannah Gager married Daniel Brewster.  
(See Brewster Family)

### REFERENCES:

Pioneers of Mass. by Pope, p. 180;  
Savage Gen. Dict., vol. ii, p. 221;  
Brewster Genealogy.

## GILE FAMILY



SAMUEL GILE, his brother John and sister Ann all supposed to have been born in England, not later than 1620 came to America in 1636 and settled at Dedham, Mass. Removed to Newbury and in 1640 was at Haverhill, Mass. where he was made freeman in 1642. He died Feb. 21, 1683. Part of his homestead remains in the possession of his descendants. He married Judith Davis on Sept. 1, 1647, the daughter of James Davis.

Their children were:

2. I. Samuel.
3. II. Judith.
4. III. John.
5. IV. Hannah.
6. V. Sarah.
7. VI. James.
- \*8. VII. Ephriam.

\*8. Lt. Ephriam<sup>2</sup> (*Samuel*<sup>1</sup>) was born in Haverhill, Mass. Mar. 21, 1662. He resided at Haverhill, and in 1711 was one of the soldiers supplied with snow shoes, for emergency in case of attack by Indians. He married Jan. 5, 1686 Martha Bradley, by whom he had nine children viz:

9. I. Mary.
10. II. Hannah.
11. III. Sarah.
12. IV. Mehitable.
13. V. Daniel.
14. VI. Judith.
- \*15. VII. Samuel.
16. VIII. Ephriam.
17. IX. Ebenezer.

15. Samuel<sup>3</sup> (*Ephraim*<sup>2</sup>, *Samuel*<sup>1</sup>) as born in Haverhill, Mass., Feb. 13, 1702-3. He was of Chester in 1723, of Haverhill in 1731 and died in Haverhill, Mass. Dec. 1, 1775. He married Sarah, probably daughter of Benjamin and Sarah (Philbrick) Emerson. She died in 1804.

Their children were:

18. I. Hannah, born Nov. 10, 1727.
19. II. Ephriam, born May 1, 1730.
20. III. Benjamin, born Sept. 21, 1732.
21. IV. Asa, born Jan. 12, 1734.
22. V. Samuel, born Mar. 22, 1736.
- \*23. VI. John, born Jan. 4, 1739-40.
24. VII. Reuben, born Feb. 22, 1741.
25. VIII. Abigail, born Nov. 13, 1744.
26. IX. Anne, born Apr. 9, 1747.
27. X. Amos, born Jan. 10, 1749.
28. XI. James, born June 10, 1749; m. Ruth Foster.

\*23. John<sup>4</sup> (*Samuel*,<sup>3</sup> *Ephriam*,<sup>2</sup> *Samuel*<sup>1</sup>) was born in Haverhill, Mass. Jan. 4, 1739-40. He died at Nottingham, N.H. in 1800. In 1775 he was a Lieutenant in Capt. Butler's Company, for the defense of the coast. He took part in the siege of Boston in Col. Waldron's N.H. Regiment and from 1779-80 he was a selectman of Nottingham, N.H. He married Mary Nealley, daughter of William Nealley of Nottingham, N.H.

Their children were:

29. I. Anne, m. Samuel Gault.
- \*30. II. John, m. Catherine Tuttle.

\*30. John<sup>5</sup> (*John*,<sup>4</sup> *Samuel*,<sup>3</sup> *Ephriam*,<sup>2</sup> *Samuel*<sup>1</sup>) married Catherine, daughter of Capt. George and Catherine (Stevens) Tuttle. He died at Effingham, N.H.

Their daughter was:

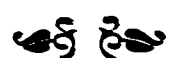
- \*31. Catherine Gile, married Joseph Stevens in 1810 of Lee, N. H.,  
and had:
- \*32. Lydia Ann Stevens, who married Reuben Mathes.

(See Mathes Family)

#### REFERENCES:

N.H. Families by Stearns, vol. iii, pp. 1138-1139;  
Vital Records of Haverhill, Mass. and Vital Records of Lee & Nottingham, N.H.;  
D.A.R.Lineage, vol. v, p. 293.

## GODDARD FAMILY



JOHN GODDARD was born about 1608, as a deposition shows, was one of Capt. John Mason Colonists, who came over in the "Pied Cow," arriving at Newichawannock or South Berwick, Maine July 13, 1634, where he aided in erecting a saw-mill and grist-mill. Sept. 21, 1647 he bought of Joseph Miller, land and building in Dover, on Goddard's Creek, near the shore of Great Bay. His house was a Garrison. He was Constable of Dover in 1655. He died Nov. 12, 1666. His widow Wethea, born about 1621 married second John Symonds.

Children of John and Wethea Goddard:

2. I. John, d. unm. 1678.
3. II. Benjamin.
4. III. A daughter, m. John Gilman bef. May 16, 1670.
- \*5. IV. Mary, m. Arthur Bennett bef. May 10, 1670.
6. V. Martha, m. (1) James Thomas; m. (2) Elias Critchet.

\*5. Mary Goddard married Arthur Bennett.

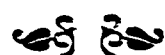
(See Bennett Family)

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Gen. & Dict. of Maine & N.H. by Libby, p. 267.



## GORHAM FAMILY



RALPH GORHAM son of James came to New England before 1637 and died in 1643, aged 68 years.

His children were:

2. I. Ralph.
- \*3. II. John, baptized Jan. 28, 1621.

\*3. John<sup>2</sup> (*Ralph*<sup>1</sup>) was baptized at Benefield, Northamptonshire, England Jan. 28, 1621, and was buried at Swansea, Mass. Feb. 5, 1675-6. He married Desire Howland who died at Barnstable, Mass. Oct. 13, 1683. She was the daughter of John Howland, who came over on the "Mayflower". He settled first at Plymouth, Mass. Removed to Yarmouth, Mass. He was Captain in King Philip's War and died in service of fever Feb. 5, 1676 at Swansea. He was Deputy in 1653, Lieut. in 1673 and Captain of the 2nd Barnstable Co. under Major William Bradford in the Great Swamp Fight.

Children of Capt. John and Desire (Howland) Gorham:

4. I. Desire, born Apr. 2, 1644; m. John Hawes.
5. II. Temperance, born May 5, 1646; m. Edward Sturgis, Jr.
6. III. Elizabeth, born Apr. 2, 1648; m. Joseph Hallett.
7. IV. James, born Apr. 28, 1650; m. Hannah Huckins.
8. V. John, born Feb. 20, 1651; m. Mary Otis 1674.
- \*9. VI. Joseph, born Feb. 16, 1653; m. Sarah Sturgis.
10. VII. Jabez, born Aug. 3, 1656; m. Hannah (Sturgis) Gray.
11. VIII. Mercy, born Jan. 20, 1658; m. George Denison.
12. IX. Lydia, born Nov. 16, 1661; m. John Thatcher in 1683.
13. X. Hannah, born Nov. 28, 1663; m. Joseph Wheelding.
14. XI. Shubal, born Oct. 21, 1667; m. Puella Hussey.

\*9. Joseph<sup>3</sup> (*Capt. John*,<sup>2</sup> *Ralph*<sup>1</sup>) was born in Yarmouth, Mass. Feb. 16, 1653. He married Sarah, daughter of Edward Sturgis. He died July 9, 1726.

Their children were:

- \*15. I. Sarah, born Jan. 16, 1678; m. Apr. 20, 1699 Ebenezer Howes.
16. II. Joseph, born Apr. 15, 1681; m. Sarah Kirk.

\*15. Sarah Gorham married Ebenezer Hawes  
(See Hawes Family)

17. III. Samuel, born Oct. 1682.
18. IV. John, born Feb. 28, 1683.
19. V. Desire, born Apr. 1685; m. John Baxter Jan. 11, 1706.
20. VI. Isaac, born Oct. 1687.
21. VII. Hezekiah, born Aug. 1689.
22. VIII. Josiah, born Dec. 2, 1691; m. Sarah ———; m. (2) Priscilla Sears.

## REFERENCES:

New England Register, vol. lii, pp. 357-58;  
Savage Gen. Dict., vol. ii, p. 281.

## GRAVES FAMILY



THOMAS GRAVES was born in England before 1585 and came to New England with his wife Sarah and five children before 1645. His children were all born in England and were all of mature age when they came to this country, the youngest of his sons being about 16 years of age. The first official record found of the family in this country was at Hartford, Conn. in 1645, when the family was located there. Thomas, the father having three separate pieces of real estate. The family remained together until their removal to Hatfield, Mass. He was exempted from "training, watching and warding" on account of his being over the age of sixty, which was the limit of age, for that kind of service. He died in Nov. 1662.

Children of Thomas and Sarah Graves were:

2. I. Isaac, born England c 1620; m. Mary Church.
- \*3. II. John, born England; m. Mary Smith; m. (2) 1671 Mary Wyatt.
4. III. Samuel, born England.
5. IV. Nathaniel, born England; m. Martha Betts.
6. V. Elizabeth, born England.

\*3. John<sup>2</sup> (*Thomas<sup>1</sup>*) was born in England. He was made a freeman in Wethersfield, Conn. May 18, 1654. Married first Mary, daughter of Lt. Samuel Smith of Wethersfield, Conn. Married second probably July 20, 1671 Mary Wyatt, daughter of John Bronson and widow of John Wyatt of Haddam, Conn. He owned land in Hartford, Conn. and Wethersfield which he retained. He removed to Hatfield, Mass. in 1661. He was a man of probity, and education and was employed in 1655 and 1659 to run the boundary line between Wethersfield and Mattabesett (now Middletown). He was killed by the Indians in their attack upon Hatfield, Mass. Sept. 19, 1677. At the same time his brother Sergt. Isaac was killed. His widow married third Lt. William Allis on June 25, 1678. Married fourth Capt. Samuel Gaylord.

His children by first wife were:

- \*7. I. John, born c 1653; m. Sarah White.

\*7. John<sup>3</sup> (*John<sup>2</sup> Thomas<sup>1</sup>*) was born at Wethersfield, Conn. about 1653. He married Sarah, daughter of John White Jr. and Sarah (Bunce) White Feb. 12, 1677. She was born 1661 and died in 1741, aged 79 years. He resided at Hatfield, Mass. He died Dec. 2, 1730.

8. II. Mary, born c 1654; m. Samuel Ball; m. (2) 1690 Benjamin Stebbins.
9. III. Isaac, born c 1655; m. 1679 Sarah Wyatt.
10. IV. Samuel, born c 1657; m. Sarah ———.
11. V. Sarah, born c 1659; m. 1679 Edward Stebbins.
12. VI. Elizabeth, born Dec. 6, 1662; m. Thomas Jones.
13. VII. Daniel, born Dec. 7, 1664; m. Hannah Warriner.
14. VIII. Ebenezer, born Nov. 20, 1666; m. Mary ———.
15. IX. Bethiah, born Jan. 7, 1668; d. Jan. 21, 1668.
16. X. Nathaniel, born June 10, 1671; m. Rebecca Allis.

Their children were:

- \*17. I. Sarah, born Feb. 15, 1679; m. Nathaniel Clark of Middletown, Conn., Oct. 27, 1702.
18. II. John, born Mar. 28, 1681.
19. III. Mary, born Feb. 24, 1682; m. 1706 Jeremiah Waite.
20. IV. Thomas, born July 4, 1685; d. Oct. 1689.
21. V. Abigail, born Oct. 29, 1687; m. 1711 Frances Wilcox.
22. VI. Martha, born Nov. 4, 1689; m. John Crofts; m. (2) 1734 Eleazer Allis.
23. VII. Daniel, born Oct. 13, 1690; died young.
24. VIII. Thomas, born June 5, 1693.
25. IX. Daniel, born Jan. 28, 1697.
26. X. Rebecca, born Mar. 4, 1700; m. Moses Nash.

\*17. Sarah Graves married Nathaniel Clark.

(See Clark Family)

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 Savage Gen. Dict., vol. ii;  
 Hist. of Hatfield, Mass., pp. 409-410.



# Harding

## Harding Coat of Arms

ARMS: Silver on a bend azure, three martlets gold

CREST: A falcon displayed ppr.

Burke's General Armory

## HARDING FAMILY



The history of the Harding family in America is a history of the pioneers. From the time of the landing of Gov. Gorge's party on the bleak and almost unknown shore of the new world in 1623, when the first member of the family found a foot-hold on American soil. Among the first settlers in any part of the country, there has been a Harding.

Richard Harding was one of the original settlers of Braintree, Mass. The head of the line so far as can be traced by public records was:

1. JOHN HARDING of Northampton, England whose will was dated in 1636, in which was granted certain real and personal property to his brother William and to his sons Richard, Amos, John, Lemuel and Oliver. This will was filed Mar. 3, 1637 and contains a notation that the testator died Jan. 14, 1637. The will mentions that the testator was then in his 70th year, thus fixing the date of his birth as 1567. He was undoubtedly a husbandman and a direct descendant of Fitz Harding. It also appears that he was an elder brother of William Harding, the father of Mary, afterwards Lady Gorges. He was the father of the following children:

2. I. Richard came to America in 1623 and settled at Braintree, Mass.,  
m. Elizabeth Adams.
- \*3. II. Joseph came in 1623; m. Martha Doane of Plymouth, Mass.
4. III. John came in 1623; settled at Weymouth, Mass.; m. Mary —.
5. IV. Lemuel.

\*3. Joseph<sup>2</sup> (*John*<sup>1</sup>) came to New England in 1623 and settled at Braintree, Mass., as his name appears on the records. Was probably a "Mariner", engaged in fishing and after his marriage in 1624 to Martha Doane of Plymouth, he removed to Cape Cod. He died in 1630 and left a widow Martha, who died at Plymouth in 1633, leaving only personal property, in that jurisdiction inventoried Oct. 8, 1633 by James Hurse, Francis Cook and John Doane, at 20, 18, 6, and a young son Joseph to the care of her brother John Doane.

Joseph Harding was a member of the Gov. Gorges party, which was abandoned by him, and he removed to Plymouth. His sons completed at Duxbury and Eastham, returning to Braintree to occupy their partrimonial estate. So far as the records reveal, there were two children.

- 6. V. Amos.
- 7. VI. Oliver.

Children of Joseph and Martha (Doane) Harding:

- 8. I. John, born abt. 1625; m. Hannah Hurst.
- \*9. II. Joseph, born 1629; m. Apr. 4, 1660 Bethiah Cook.

\*9. Joseph<sup>3</sup> (*Joseph,<sup>2</sup> John<sup>1</sup>*) was of Braintree, Mass. and Eastham, where he married Bethiah, daughter of Josiah and Elizabeth Cook of Eastham. Over seven hundred descendants of the two brothers had been definitely traced as early as 1862, the greater portion of them from Joseph and Bethiah Harding.

Children of Joseph and Bethiah (Cook) Harding:

- 10. I. Martha, born 1662; m. 1682 Samuel Brown.
- 11. II. Mary, born 1665.
- 12. III. Joseph, born 1671.
- 13. IV. Josiah, born 1669.
- \*14. V. Amaziah, born 1671; m. Hannah Rogers.
- 15. VI. John, born 1673; died 1697.
- 16. VII. Nathaniel, born 1674; m. Hannah Collins.
- 17. VIII. Joshua, born 1676; m. Sarah Smith 1707.
- 18. IX. Abiah, born 1679; m. Rebecca Young 1713.
- 19. X. Samuel, born 1685; m. Elizabeth Eldred 1707.

\*14. Amaziah<sup>4</sup> (*Joseph,<sup>3</sup> Joseph,<sup>2</sup> John<sup>1</sup>*) was born at Braintree, Mass. in 1671. He removed to Eastham, Mass. Married Hannah, daughter of Thomas and Elizabeth (Snow) Rogers. She was born Mar. 20, 1669-70.

Their children born at Eastham, Mass. were:

- 20. I. Hannah, born Feb. 15, 1694.
- 21. II. Thomas, born Nov. 13, 1699.
- 22. III. James, born Nov. 2, 1702.
- 23. IV. Mary, born Apr. 2, 1706.
- 24. V. Elizabeth, born Apr. 1708.
- 25. VI. Phebe, born April 1710.
- \*26. VII. Nathan, born Oct. 29, 1711.
- 27. VIII. Cornelius, born Mar. 31, 1716.

\*26. Nathan<sup>5</sup> (*Amaziah,<sup>4</sup> Joseph,<sup>3</sup> Joseph,<sup>2</sup> John<sup>1</sup>*) was born at Eastham, Mass. Oct. 29, 1711. He married in 1736 Ann Brown.

Their children were:

- 28. I. Ebenezer, born Aug. 15, 1739 Eastham, Mass.; d. East Hampton, Conn., Sept. 1801; married Middletown, Conn., Nov. 6, 1760 to Huldah Tyron, d. East Hampton, Conn., Jan. 26, 1819.
- 29. II. Lydia, born June 26, 1741; m. Josiah Caswell July 3, 1766.

- 30. III. Elizabeth, born Aug. 22, 1743.
- 31. IV. Ann, born Feb. 18, 1745; died 1749.
- \*32. V. Nathan, born Dec. 19, 1746 in Middletown, Conn.; m. Thankful Clark of East Hampton, Conn.
- 33. VI. George, born Sept. 23, 1749 and died 1749.

\*32. Nathan<sup>6</sup> (*Nathan*,<sup>5</sup> *Amaziah*,<sup>4</sup> *Joseph*,<sup>3</sup> *Joseph*,<sup>2</sup> *John*<sup>1</sup>) was born at Middletown, Conn. Dec. 19, 1746. He married in 1768 Thankful Clark who was born in 1747 and died in 1813. He died after 1802.

Their children were:

- 34. I. Joseph, died at sea.
- 35. II. Chauncey, born Jan. 8, 1775; d. 1876; m. Anna Gates; d. Nov. 1816.
- 36. III. Daniel, m. Betsey Stone.
- \*37. IV. Nathan, m. Philena Clarke.
- 38. V. Clark, died of measles.
- 39. VI. Deborah, m. Minor Hildreth.
- 40. VII. Thankful, m. Isaac Niles.
- 41. VIII. Sally, m. ——— Rogers.
- 42. IX. Druzella, m. ——— Barrell.
- 43. X. Lois, born 1802; d. 1880; m. William Burgess.

\*37. Nathan<sup>7</sup> (*Nathan*,<sup>6</sup> *Nathan*,<sup>5</sup> *Amaziah*,<sup>4</sup> *Joseph*,<sup>3</sup> *Joseph*,<sup>2</sup> *John*<sup>1</sup>) was born in Middletown, Conn. Married in 1803 Philena Clarke, daughter of Amos and Ann (Sears) Clarke. She was baptized at East Hampton, Conn. Oct. 3, 1784. They had twelve children.

Their son:

44. Abner Clark Harding<sup>8</sup> (*Nathan*,<sup>7</sup> *Nathan*,<sup>6</sup> *Nathan*,<sup>5</sup> *Amaziah*,<sup>4</sup> *Joseph*,<sup>3</sup> *Joseph*,<sup>2</sup> *John*<sup>1</sup>) was born at East Hampton, Conn., Middlesex Co., Feb. 10, 1807. Baptized June 10, 1807 and died at Monmouth, Ill., July 19, 1874.

He married Mrs. Rebecca Liebnick Byers, who was born in Germany. He married second Susan Ickes from Pennsylvania.

Abner Clark Harding was educated chiefly at Hamilton Academy, N. Y. and after practicing law for a time, in Oneida Co. N. Y., removed to Illinois, resuming practice and managing several farms for twenty-five years. He was also a member of the State Constitutional Convention of 1847 from Warren Co., Ill. and of the lower branch of the sixteenth General Assembly (1848-50). Between 1850 and 1860 he was engaged in Railroad enterprises. In 1862 he enlisted as a private in the eighty-third Illinois volunteer infantry and was commissioned Colonel and in less than a year was promoted to Brigadier-General. In 1864 he was elected to Congress and re-elected in 1866. He did much for the development of the western part of the state in the construction of railroads, "The Peoria & Oquawka" (now a part of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy), being one of the lines constructed by him. He left a fortune of about \$2,000,000 and before his death, endowed a professorship in Mon-



mouth College. He died July 19, 1874. (Ref. Hist. & Encyclopedia of Ill. and Hist. of Warren Co. Ill. p. 220).

Abner Clark Harding and his wife Rebecca (Liebnick) Harding had son:

45. George Franklin Harding<sup>9</sup> (*Abner Clark*,<sup>8</sup> *Nathan*,<sup>7</sup> *Nathan*,<sup>6</sup> *Nathan*,<sup>5</sup> *Amaziah*,<sup>4</sup> *Joseph*,<sup>3</sup> *Joseph*,<sup>2</sup> *John*<sup>1</sup>) was born in Lewisburg, Pa., Oct. 1, 1830. He was educated at Knox College and Harvard University, being graduated at the latter in 1848. He studied law at Harvard and obtained the degree of L.L.B. in 1851 and began the practice of his profession in Peoria, Ill. He practiced with Abraham Lincoln in Peoria and was a partner of Robert G. Ingersoll and Judge Norman H. Purple.

When Lincoln spoke at a political meeting in 1858, a mob was formed to attack him. Mr. Harding and others organized a body-guard and attending Lincoln at all the joint debates with Douglas in their memorable campaign for United States Senator.

In 1853-54 in association with his father and others, Mr. Harding was interested in the construction of a railroad from Galesburg, Ill. to Burlington, Iowa, which later became the Chicago, Burlington & Quincey railroad. This was the beginning of his legal training in railroad work, which made him one of the ablest lawyers of the Illinois bar. In 1859 he was Chief Western Counsel in the Hussey Manny McCormick litigation over reaping-machine patents. The death of his father left him in comfortable circumstances financially and thereafter much of his legal business was undertaken in behalf of the public interest. In 1869-71 he was largely responsible for the Illinois law limiting railroad passengers fares to three cents a mile, which was the first law in the United States regulating railroad charges.

In 1883, he became interested in enforcing the railroad discrimination and over-charge laws, and succeeded in compelling the Railroad Warehouse Commission and the railroads as well, to obey laws with which they had been in conflict for fifteen years. He was identified with the Illinois Central lake front suit, which resulted in the recovery for the city of Chicago of the lake front property, worth many millions of dollars.

During 1898-1908 he took an important part in changing the street car situation in Chicago. The companies were endeavoring to secure a long extension of their franchise at the old rate of pay, to the city, with little improvement in service. Mr. Harding backed by a western syndicate, offered to purchase the car lines, at a fair appraised valuation, removal them, pay the city \$5,000,000 a year, furnish first class service with universal transfers and provide for municipal ownership of the lines after a given time. He brought suits to prevent any franchise on less favorable terms. After a bitter controversy, continuing until 1907, a new franchise was made, the service was greatly

improved and the companies paid the city more than \$25,000,000 for the use of its streets, and the so called, "Ninety-nine year act," franchise was invalidated by the United States Supreme Court.

Mr. Harding was a member of the Chicago Historical Society, the Union League, Saracen, Literary and Chicago Athletic Clubs. He was married Nov. 7, 1853 to Adelaide, daughter of Reuben Matthews (an English family, who settled in Durham, N. H. in 1638, was the first Matthews in this country, named Francis Matthews).

Their children were:

- \*46. I. Abner Clark Harding, born Dec. 31, 1857 Peoria, Ill. Married Addie Augusta Church, b. Mar. 20, 1859 in Union Mills, Ind.
- 47. II. Victor Mathews, born Apr. 25, 1866 Chicago, Ill. Married Oct. 6, 1903 Mary M. Boak, b. Halifax, Nova Scotia. Their children:
  - (a) Mary Adelaide, b. July 22, 1904.
  - (b) Jane De Blois, b. Feb. 20, 1906.
  - (c) Victor Mathews, b. July 25, 1908.
  - (d) Robert Cornelius, b. May 1915.
  - (e) Beatrice Louise, b. Oct. 1916.
- 48. III. George Franklin, born Oct. 16, 1868, Chicago, Ill. Married Dec. 1896 Ellen Osborn Davis, b. Neenah, Wis. Their children:
  - (a) Penelope, b. Sept. 10, 1898.
  - (b) Mary Milson, b. Nov. 6, 1899.
- 49. IV. Adelaide, born 1870. Married Edward Vincent.
- 50. V. Beatrice, born Aug. 30, 1873 Chicago, Ill. Married C. P. Van Schaack on Feb. 1902 in Chicago, Ill. Their children:
  - (a) Harding, b. July 29, 1907, Chicago.
  - (b) Cornelius, b. May 9, 1909, Chicago.
- 51. VI. Susan Grace, born Dec. 10, 1874 Chicago, Ill. Married William R. Rummley Oct. 3, 1905. They had:
  - (a) Joseph, b. July 10, 1906.
  - (b) Adelaide, b. Jan. 27, 1907.
- 52. VII. Madeline Harding, born Nov. 18, 1878 Chicago, Ill. Married Bruce Palmer, an officer of the U.S. Army, Jan. 2, 1904. They had:
  - (a) Marcella, b. 1906.
  - (b) Bruce Harding, b. July 5, 1907.
  - (c) Madeline, b. Oct. 3, 1911.

\* 46. Abner Clark Harding<sup>20</sup> (*George F.*,<sup>9</sup> *Abner Clark*,<sup>8</sup> *Nathan*,<sup>7</sup> *Nathan*,<sup>6</sup> *Nathan*,<sup>5</sup> *Amaziah*,<sup>4</sup> *Joseph*,<sup>3</sup> *Joseph*,<sup>2</sup> *John*<sup>1</sup>) was born in Peoria, Ill. on Dec. 31, 1857 and died at Chicago, Ill. Mar. 11, 1921. He married on May 7, 1879 at Chicago, Ill. Addie Augusta Church, daughter of Firman and Augusta (Freeman) Church, (who was born at Kingstown, N.Y. Feb. 16, 1827 and died at Merrill, Wis. Apr. 25, 1910.) She was born at Union Mills, Ind. Mar. 20, 1859 and died at Chicago, Ill. Nov. 26, 1924.

## OBITUARY OF ABNER CLARK HARDING

"Funeral services for Abner Clarke Harding who passed away last Friday evening at his home 2725 Prairie Ave. Chicago were held this morning at 10:30 O'clock from the E.C. Hardin home in this city. The services at the home were in charge of John Lugg, and those at the grave were conducted by members of the Masonic lodge. The remains, accompanied by members of the family and relatives, arrived last night from Chicago.

Mr. Harding was born Dec. 31, 1857 and was a son of George F. Harding and Adelaide M. Harding. He was a graduate of Harvard University with the class of 1880. During the war he offered his services to the country and served as civil and mechanical engineer on the United States shipping board, emergency fleet corporation, where one of his duties was to settle disputes of various kinds. Although beyond the conscription age he repeatedly tried to enlist and was one of the first to enter the officers training camp at Ft. Sheridan. His son George Harding was employed on the board in the emergency section.

He leaves a widow and one granddaughter, also a married son with no children, in addition to other relatives. Long ago Mr. Harding was a resident of Monmouth, Ill. For many years with the exception of the time he was with the shipping board as a dollar a year man, he was associated with his brother George F. Harding in the real estate business. The latter with his mother, Mrs. Adelaide Harding survives. Four sisters also are left."

## Children of Abner Clark and Addie Augusta (Church) Harding:

- \*53. I. Abner Clark, born Jan. 27, 1880; m. Maud McCain on Nov. 2, 1903.
- 54. II. George Franklin, born Aug. 9, 1881; m. Julia Melville Hoyne on Nov. 18, 1907 in Chicago, Ill.

\* 53. Abner Clark Harding<sup>21</sup> (*Abner Clark*,<sup>20</sup> *George F.*,<sup>9</sup> *Abner Clark*,<sup>8</sup> *Nathan*,<sup>7</sup> *Nathan*,<sup>6</sup> *Nathan*,<sup>5</sup> *Amaziah*,<sup>4</sup> *Joseph*,<sup>3</sup> *Joseph*,<sup>2</sup> *John*<sup>1</sup>) was born in Peoria, Ill. Jan. 27, 1880 and died at New Orleans, La. Sept. 12, 1919. He married at Chicago, Ill. on Nov. 2, 1903 Maud McCain, daughter of Lucius and Georgia (Simms) McCain. She was born at Matagorda, Texas Feb. 25, 1886, and died at Chicago, Ill. Sept. 14, 1941. (See article from newspaper on Abner Clark Harding following family).

## Their daughter:

- 55. I. Addie Clark Harding, born Chicago, Ill., Aug. 29, 1904.

## REFERENCE:

National Cyclopedia of America Biography, vol. xix, p. 129; Harding Genealogy by W. J. Harding, pp. 20-22; Gen. of Harding Family by A. B. Hartwell, pp. 29-30; Mayflower Desc., vol. xv, p. 36; vol. iii, p. 180; Historical Encyclopedia of Illinois and Hist. of Warren Co., Ill., vol. ii, p. 220; New England Register, vol. vi, p. 167; Middletown, Conn., Church Records.

ARTICLE FROM MONMOUTH, ILL. DAILY REVIEW  
Friday, June 25, 1920.

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YOUNG HARDING WAS LOST AT SEA.

*Namesake of Late General A. C. Harding, disappeared with vessel in gulf.*

A letter just received here from Mrs. George F. Harding of Evanston tells of the mysterious death at sea of her grandson, Abner

Harding, the namesake of the late General A. C. Harding, who will be remembered by many older citizens. The young man engaged passage for Santiago, Cuba, on a Norwegian vessel from New Orleans last September and shortly after the ship entered the Gulf from the mouth of the Mississippi it disappeared and no trace of it has ever been found. Mrs. Harding writes of the tragedy as follows:

"It may not be generally known that a great grandson and namesake of Gen. A. C. Harding of Monmouth, enlisted in the United States navy early in the late great war, and was for a short time at the Great Lakes Naval Training Station. He loved the sea, had been around the world, and in South America a number of times; had served as assistant engineer on a ship of the United Fruit Co. plying between New Orleans and South America. For a long period the Great Lakes Naval Training Station was a show place near Chicago, there being 46,000 jackies there at one time. Hundreds of people went out to see our boys in their white duck suits and it was a beautiful sight.

The commandant soon sent Abner to Newport News, where he taught the boys engine-room service. Later he served on a United States destroyer, on the Atlantic coast and was working in that capacity when the armistice came. Last summer he visited his family in their cottage in Michigan City, where he saw much of his aunt Susan Harding Rummler, who, with her family, occupied a cottage nearby. He was a big, handsome fellow with high ideals of duty to our country. When September came, tiring of inactivity, he set out for South America. When he reached New Orleans there was no ship of the United Fruit Co. service sailing, but that company had chartered a Norwegian ship named the Preston, to go to Santiago de Cuba. It was but a four days journey and Abner preferred the sea to waiting on land for the vessel he sought, started on that trip. The Preston sailed Sept. 9th. On the morning of September 10th, she was sighted by the signal station as she passed from the Mississippi River out into the Gulf of Mexico. The ship was never seen or heard of again. She was a good vessel and had a wireless apparatus, but she was in a region of terrific storms.

Abner served his country faithfully and well as long as she had need of him, but at the last moment, Destiny deprived him of the privilege of illustration the Latin proverb—"Dulce et decorum patric mori," (It is sweet to die for one's country.)"

## ADDITION TO HARDING FAMILY

Nathan Harding, was born in Middle Haddam, Conn. Jan. 10, 1870 and died at West Winfield, N.Y. Herkimer Co. on Sept. 17, 1867. Married Philena Ann Clarke born in Easthampton, Conn. Sept. 28, 1784 and died on Aug. 30, 1866.

## REFERENCE:

Barbour's Middletown, p. 212; Easthampton, Conn. Cong. Church (1900). pp. 96-108; Chatham Vital Records, p. 22 (Barbours). Congregational Church Easthampton, p. 101; Herkimer Co. N. Y., pp. 535-580.

## HAYNES FAMILY



WALTER HAYNES was born in England in 1583. He had been living in Sutton, Mandeville, County of Wilts, England, before sailing for New England. He came in the ship "Confidence" in 1638, aged 55 years and settled first at Watertown, Mass. where he was selectman in 1638. He was commissioner at Sudbury Oct. 7, 1640 and Deputy to the General Court Aug. 10, 1642-43-46-48-1651. Clerk of the Writs for Sudbury Dec. 10, 1640. He made his will May 25, 1659, and died Feb. 14, 1664, aged 82. Of his wife Elizabeth we know nothing. He was a member of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery in 1639.

Children of Walter and Elizabeth Haynes were:

2. I. Elizabeth, born England; m. Roger Gourd.
3. II. Thomas, born England.
4. III. Suffrance, born England; m. Nathaniel Tredway.
5. IV. Mary, born England; m. Thomas Noyes.
- \*6. V. John, born 1621; m. Oct. 13, 1642 Dorothy Noyes.
7. VI. Lt. Josiah, born 1623; m. 1654 Elizabeth Noyes.

\* 6. John<sup>2</sup> (*Walter*<sup>1</sup>) was born in England in 1621. Before the year 1772 a grandson, of Dea. John<sup>2</sup> wrote a Genealogy of the Haynes and Noyes families from their landing in the Massachusetts Bay Colony to his time. This begins: "Our grand father John Haynes was born in old England in the year 1621, and came over when he was sixteen years of age into this country, before his father, Walter Haynes, and so lived one year at Watertown, Mass. with one cousin Reed, in the year 1637. Next year 1638, came over our great grandfather Walter Haynes and also Peter Noyes. He removed to Sudbury, Mass. where he appears on the list of the original 54 Grantees of the town about 1638-39. He received an addiitonal grant of land of 57 acres, Oct. 13, 1642 John Haynes married Dorothy, daughter of Peter Noyes. They had twelve children, who are mentioned in his will. July 9, 1645 he took Oath of Fidelity. Freeman in 1646. Selectman in 1666 to 1690. His will dated Oct. 1, 1692, recorded Mar. 29, 1697.

Children of John and Dorothy (Noyes) Haynes were:

8. I. Elizabeth, born July 19, 1644; m. Aug. 12, 1666 Henry Balcom.
9. II. Mary, born 1647; m. May 18, 1671 Josiah Howe.
10. III. John, born May 4, 1649; m. May 19, 1670 Ruth Roper.

- \*11. IV. Dorothy, born 1651-2; m. May 6, 1680 Joseph Freeman.
- 12. V. Peter, born Apr. 7, 1654; m. Jan. 2, 1677-8 Elizabeth Rice.
- 13. VI. Joseph, born Sept. 7, 1656; d. unm. 1672.
- 14. VII. Thomas, born 1658; d. unm. May 30, 1683 of fever.
- 15. VIII. James, born Mar. 17, 1661; m. Nov. 21, 1732 Sarah Noyes.
- 16. IX. Daniel, born May 16, 1663.
- 17. X. Rachel, born Feb. 12, 1665; m. Jan. 6, 1704 John Looker.
- 18. XI. Ruth, born Apr. 17, 1668; m. Dec. 20, 1693 Joseph Noyes.
- 19. XII. Capt. David, born May 4, 1670; m. Tabitha Stowe.

\* 11. Dorothy Haynes married Joseph Freeman.

(See Freeman Family)

REFERENCE:

Walter Haynes and his Descendants by F. Haynes, pp. 9-60; Vital Records of Sudbury, Mass.

## THE ANCIENT AND HONORABLE ARTILLERY COMPANY OF MASS.



The history of the Honorable Artillery Company of old England can be traced through the fierce struggle which has gradually changed the unwritten British Constitution. The Ancient and Honorable Artillery Co. of New England is also a living link between generations past and present, and has outlived every institution, except the Christian Church and the Public Schools, which were in existence on the American continent, when it was chartered. The members of each of these honorable companies have a right to be proud of their tradition, as the brave and patriotic deeds of one generation became the precious heritage of the next, growing in interest and value as time wears on. These train-bands were organized like those which existed in London, since the reign of Henry III.

### REFERENCE:

Hist. of Ancient & Honorable Artillery Co. by Reports pp. 2-3.

### ANCESTOR

WALTER HAYNES, a member in 1639



## HEARST FAMILY



The first ancestor of this name came from Ireland around 1700. He married Elizabeth Knox.

Their children were:

2. I. Lewis.
3. II. Thomas.
4. III. William.
- \*5. IV. John.
- \*6. V. Joseph.

\* 5. John married Margaret Carson.

\* 6. Joseph born in 1760 in Abbeville district, South Carolina and died in 1814 in South Carolina. He married June 8, 1784 Jane Pressley.

7. I. George.
8. II. William.
9. III. Lewis.
- \*10. IV. John White Hall.
11. V. Sallie.
12. VI. Jennie.
13. VII. Patsey.

\* 10. John White Hearst married July 4, 1816 Margaret Hearst (See No. 19), his first cousin.

Their children were:

14. I. William.
15. II. Col. John, moved to Woodlawn.
16. III. Joseph Jr.
17. IV. Elizabeth, m. Dr. Samuel Pressley.
18. V. James.
19. VI. Margaret, m. John White Hall Hearst, 1st cousin (See No. 10).
20. VII. Mary, m. Thomas W. Chiles.
21. VIII. Sarah, m. Samuel Bonner.
22. IX. Isabelle, m. Rev. George W. Pressley.

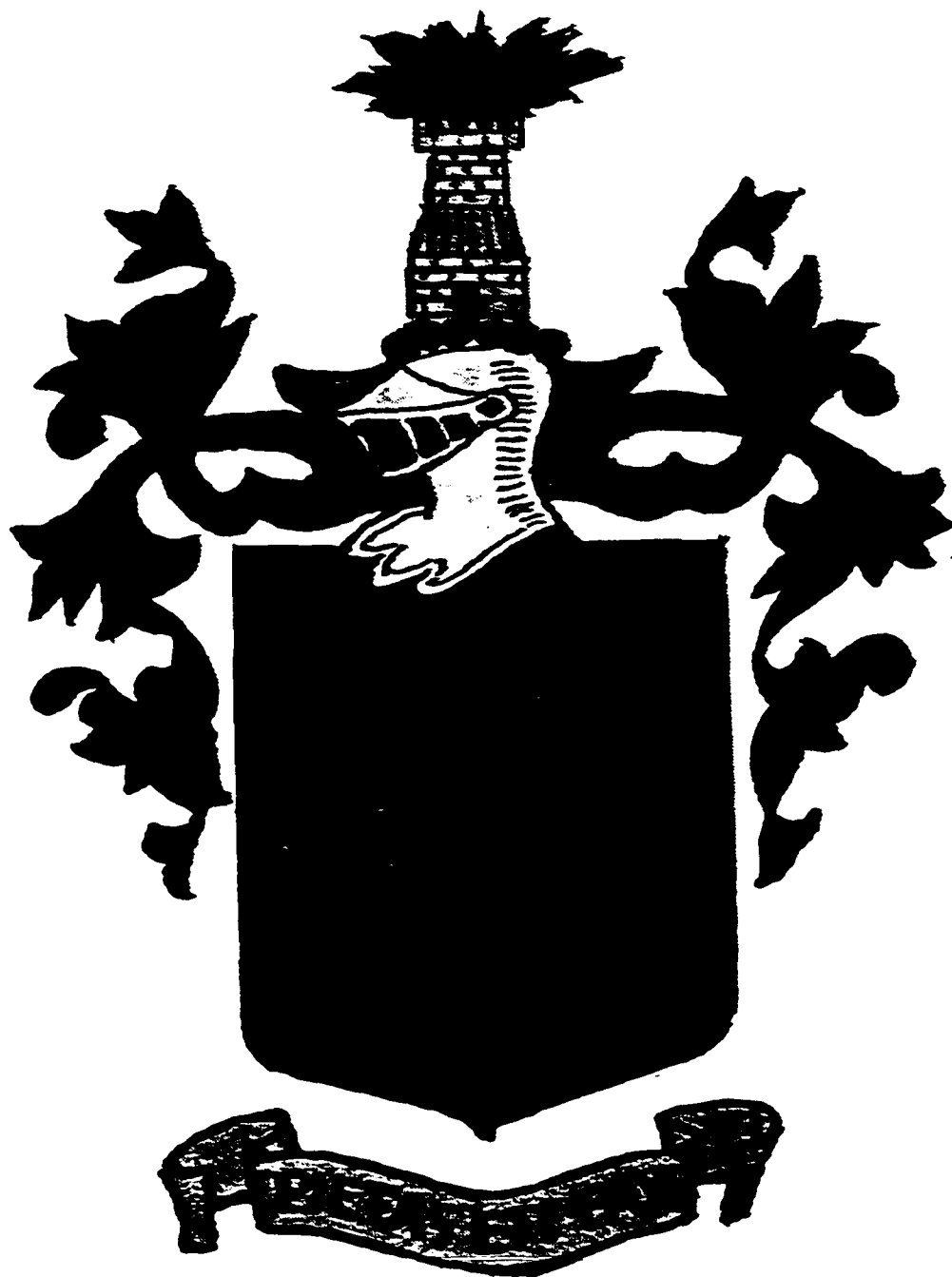
Their children were:

- 23. I. Martha, born Oct. 2, 1817.
- 24. II. Jane, born Dec. 27, 1818.
- 25. III. Elizabeth, born Sept. 28, 1820.
- 26. IV. Joseph Lewis, born July 6, 1822.
- 27. V. Mary Isabella, born May 4, 1824; d. Mar. 1, 1852.
- 28. VI. John Pressley, born Nov. 11, 1826.
- \*29. VII. Sarah Amanda, born Aug. 11, 1828; d. 1908.
- 30. VIII. Margaret Carson, born Feb. 16, 1830.
- 31. IX. Benjamin Franklin, born Nov. 11, 1831.
- 32. X. Martha Ann, born July 30, 1833.

\* 29. Sarah Amanda Hearst married Apr. 12, 1849 Rev. John Nesbit McCain.  
(See McCain Family)

REFERENCE:

Data in possession of Miss Addie Harding, See Nat. No. 156251; Mrs. Rose Murphy Taylor, who descends from William Ross McCain and Mrs. Henry Leland Murphy (Catherine Murphy) 201 Lansing Ave., Lynchburg, Va.; See letter Feb. 22, 1943, whose grandmother Martha Ann Hearst was sister of Sarah Amanda Hearst. #29.



**Hopkins**

**Hopkins Coat of Arms**

**ARMS:** Sable on a chevron between three pistols or, three roses gules

**CREST:** A tower sable in flames proper

**MOTTO:** Pietas et Pax. (Piety is peace).

**REFERENCE:**

Encyclopedia of Biography Vol. XV p. 72.

## HOPKINS FAMILY



STEPHEN HOPKINS came to Plymouth, Mass. on the "Mayflower" in 1620 with wife Eliza, son Giles and daughter Constance, both by a former wife. By wife Eliza he had Damaris and also a son born on the voyage, called therefore, Oceanus, but he died within a year. He brought servants, Edward Dotey and Edward Lester, the duelists, "an ancient Duel." The following account of a duel that took place among the Puritans of Plymouth Jan. 8, 1621, is the earliest of which we have record. "The second offense is the first duel fought in New England, upon a challenge at single combat in the sword and dagger, between Edward Dotey and Edward Lester, servants of Mr. Hopkins. Both being wounded, the one in the hand, the other in the thigh. They are adjudged by the whole company to have their head and feet tied together and for to lie, for twenty-four hours without meat or drink, which is begun at their humble request. Upon promise of better carriage, they were released by the Governor."

Stephen Hopkins wife lived in Plymouth over 20 years. He died in 1644. He was an assistant from 1633 to 1636. His will was exhibited at court for probate Aug. 1644, and dated June 6,th. He desires to be buried near his deceased wife. He names son Caleb as "heir apparent" and executor of the will, and together, Capt. Miles Standish, supervisor. Also mentions son Giles, and his son Stephen, daughter Constance, wife of Nicholas Snow, Deborah, Damaris, Ruth and Elizabeth. An Inventory of his estate taken July 1644 by Capt. Miles Standish, Thomas Millet and John Stone. Amount £ 25, 10s 4.

His children by first wife were:

2. I. Giles, born England; m. Oct. 1639 Catherine Whelden.
- \*3. II. Constance, born England; d. Oct. 1677; m. 1627 Nicholas Snow.

\* 3. Constance Hopkins married Nicholas Snow.

(See Snow Family)

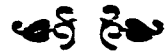
His children by second wife were:

4. III. Oceanus, born on voyage; died within a year.
5. IV. Deborah, born c 1622; m. 1646 Andrew Ring.
6. V. Caleb, died unmarried; probably in Barbadoes.
7. VI. Ruth, died in infancy.
8. VII. Eliza, died 1666 unmarried.

**REFERENCE:**

Hopkins Family by Richardson, pp. 1-31; Mayflower Desc., vol. i, p. 110; vol. ii, p. 120; vol. iv, p. 114; vol. v, p. 47; Savage Gen. Dict., vol. iii; Mayflower Compact by Huxton, pp. 23-24.

## HOPKINS FAMILY



GILES<sup>2</sup> (*Stephen*<sup>1</sup>) came on the "Mayflower" in 1620 with his parents to Plymouth, Mass. Removed to Yarmouth, Mass. Married Oct. 1639 Catherine (on record spelled as pronounced Catorne) Whelden. He died in Eastham in 1690.

Their children were:

3. I. Mary, born 1640.
4. II. Stephen, born Sept. 1642; m. Mary Merrick.
5. III. John, born —; d. 1643.
6. IV. Abigail, born June 1644; m. 1667 William Merrick.
7. V. Deborah.
- \*8. VI. Deborah, born June 1648; m. Josiah Cooke.
9. VII. Caleb, born Jan. 1651.
10. VIII. Ruth, born June 1653.
11. IX. Josiah, born June 1657.
12. X. William, born June 7, 1661, infirm in mind.
13. XI. Eliza, born Nov. 1664; died in infancy.

\* 8. Deborah Hopkins married Josiah Cooke.

(See Cooke Family)

### REFERENCE:

Hopkins Family by James Richardson, p. 3; Savage Gen. Dict., vol. ii.

## HOWES FAMILY



THOMAS HOWES came from England about 1637, and settled at Nobscusset, in Yarmouth in March 1639, and died in 1665. He married Mary Burr. He was Deputy to the General Court 1652-53-58-59-60-61-62.

Their children were:

2. I. Joseph, born England; m. Elizabeth Mayo; died 1694.
3. II. Thomas, born England; m. Sarah Bangs 1656.
- \*4. III. Jeremiah, born on passage over the Atlantic; m. Sarah Prince.

\* 4. Jeremiah<sup>2</sup> (*Thomas*<sup>1</sup>) was born on passage on the way to New England. He married Sarah Prince and died Jan. 5, 1705-6. She died Mar. 3, 1706-7. He was Councillor of War in 1676 of Dennis, Mass.

Their children were:

5. I. Prince, m. Dorcas Joyce Aug. 8.
6. II. Jeremiah, m. Mary —; d. 1708.
7. III. Thomas, m. Sarah Hedges 1698.
- \*8. IV. Ebenezer, born 1673; m. Sarah Gorham Apr. 20, 1699. He died Jan. 8, 1726 aged 53 years.

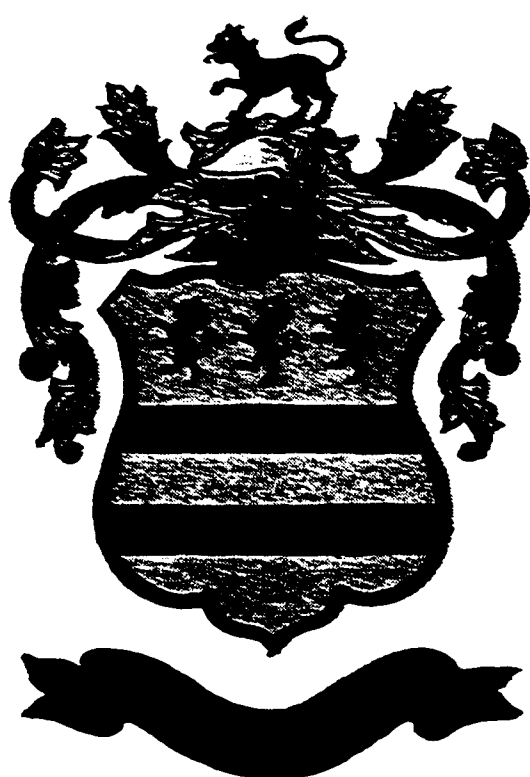
\* 8. Ebenezer<sup>3</sup> (*Jeremiah*<sup>2</sup> *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>) was born in 1673. He married Sarah, daughter of Joseph and Sarah (Sturgis) Gorham and had among other children:

9. I. Sarah Howes, who married Ebenezer Sears.

(See Sears Family)

### REFERENCE:

Sears Gen., p. 80; New England Register, vol. lix, p. 217; Howes Gen. by J. C. Howes, pp. 9-11; Savage Gen. Dict., vol. ii.



### Howland Coat of Arms

ARMS: (Co. Cambridge, London, and Streatham Co. Curry, granted 1584.) Ar two bars sable in chief three lions rampant of the second.

CREST: A leopard pass sa ducally gorged or

### REFERENCE:

Burke's General Armory p. 513.



*Photograph by A. S. Burbank, Plymouth, Mass.*

Howland House, the Oldest House in Plymouth  
Built by Jacob Mitchell, 1666.



## HOWLAND FAMILY



JOHN HOWLAND born in 1590 came on the "Mayflower" in 1620, and was the second last survivor, except John Alden. He was a servant or attendant of Gov. John Carver. He narrowly escaped death during the voyage. "After they had enjoyed fair winds and weather for a season, they were encountered many times with cross winds, and met with many fierce storms. In one of them in a mighty storm, a lusty man called John Howland coming upon some occasion above the gratings was with the seel (rool or pitching) of the ship thrown into the sea, but it pleased God that he caught hold of the topsail halliards, which hung overboard, and ran out at length. Yet he held his hold through, he was sundry fathoms under water, till he was hauled up." He married in Plymouth, Mass. Elizabeth Tilley, daughter of John Tilley. She came on the "Mayflower" with her parents. They died in the first sickness at Plymouth, in the spring of 1621. He died in Plymouth, Mass. Feb. 23, 1673, and his wife Elizabeth Tilley died at Swansea, Mass. Dec. 21, 1687. His will was made May 29, 1672, proven Mar. 5, 1673. Her will dated Dec. 17, 1686, proved Jan. 10, 1688.

Their children were:

2. I. John, born Feb. 24, 1627; m. Oct. 26, 1651 Mary Lee.
- \*3. II. Desire, died Oct. 13, 1683; m. Capt. John Gorham.
4. III. Jabez of Duxbury; m. Bethiah Thacher.
5. IV. Joseph, m. Dec. 7, 1664 Elizabeth Southworth.
6. V. Elizabeth, m. Sept. 13, 1649 Ephriam Hicks; m. (2) July 10, 1651 John Dickenson.
7. VI. Hope, born 1629; m. John Chapman.
8. VII. Lydia, m. James Brown.
9. VIII. Hannah, m. Nathaniel Bosworth.
10. IX. Ruth, m. Nov. 1664 Thomas Cushman.

\* 3. Desire Howland married Capt. John Gorham.

( See Gorham Family)

11. X. Isaac, m. Elizabeth Vaughn.

John Howland was in the first Encounter with Indians at Great Meadow Creek 1620. He was Governor Assist. 1633-35, and in command of Kennebec Trading Post in 1634. He was a Deputy in 1641.

REFERENCE:

Mayfl. Desc. vol. iv, pp. 153-217; vol. v, p. 28; vol. vi, p. 181; vol. vi, p. 50; Pioneers of Mass. by Pope.

## HULL FAMILY



REV. JOSEPH HULL was born in Crewkerne, County Somerset, England, the son of Thomas and Joanna (Peson) Hull. He matriculated at St. Mary Hall, Oxford May 22, 1612, aged 17 years. He was a Teacher and Curate at Colytn Co. Devon, then rector of Northleigh, Diocese of Exeter 1621-32. (Resigned.) He next appears aged 40, leading the large company, including his wife Agnes, aged 25, seven children, and three servants, which arrived at Boston, Mass. on May 5, 1635. He was made freeman Sept. 2, 1635. He was an Episcopalian, and also active in civil life. In 1636 he was living in Hingham, (the part now called Hull). He was Deputy Sept. 1638-1639 for Weymouth, Mass. He removed to York, Maine before 1643, where he ministered ten years and died at Oyster River, Nov. 19, 1665.

Their children were:

2. I. Joane, born 1620; m. 1639 John Bursley; m. (2) Dolor Davis.
3. II. Joseph, born 1622.
4. III. Tristram, born 1624; m. Blanche ———.
5. IV. Temperance, born 1624; m. John Bickford.
6. V. Elizabeth, born 1628; m. Capt. John Heard.
7. VI. Grissell, born 1630; m. James Warren.
- \*8. VII. Dorothy, born 1632; m. Oliver Kent; m. (2) Benjamin Matthews.
9. VIII. Hopewell, born c 1636; m. Mary Martin.
10. IX. Benjamin, born Mar. 24, 1638; m. 1668 Rachel York.
11. X. Naomi, born Mar. 1643; m. David Daniels.
12. XI. Ruth, born May 1642.
13. XII. Capt. Reuben, born c 1644; m. 1672 Hannah Farnside.
14. XIII. Samuel, m. 1677 Mary Manning.
15. XIV. Dodavah, m. Mary Seward.
16. XV. Sarah, d. 1647.

\* 8. Dorothy Hull married Benjamin Matthews.  
(See Matthews Family)

## REFERENCE:

Gen. & Dict. of Me. & N.H. by Libby, pp. 357-58; Hist. of Durham, N.H., vol. ii  
pp. 223-224.

## HURST FAMILY



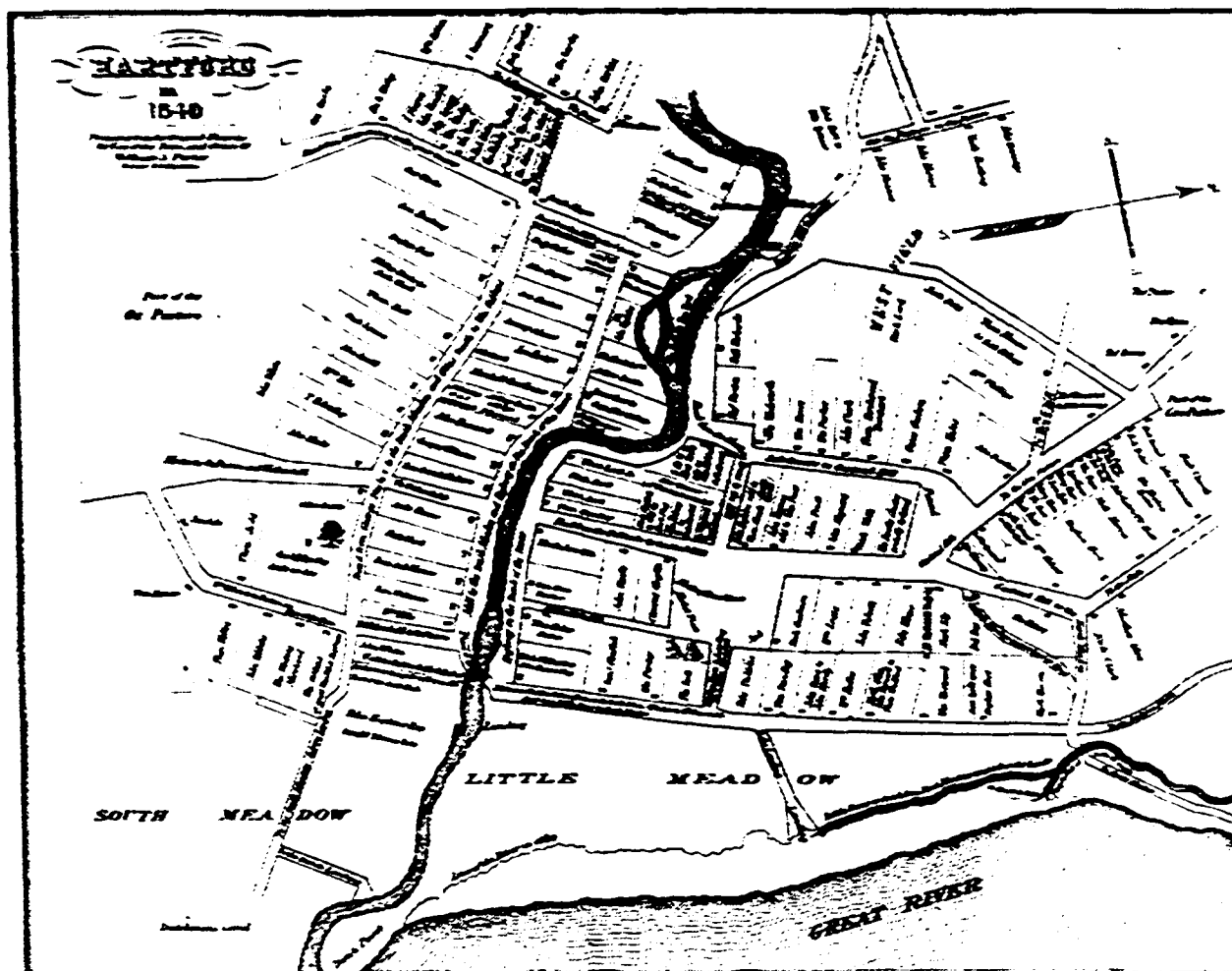
JAMES HURST was at Plymouth in 1632, a "Tanner". He erected the first works in the town about 1640. He was one of the purchasers of Dartmouth, Mass. and was deceased in Dec. 1657. His will of Dec. 10, 1657 gave house to his wife whose baptismal name is not well made out by Winsor though he is confident of its resemblance to Gartend, and I doubt not, it was Catharine, appoints her executrix and names no children.

His daughter Patience married first Henry Cobb.

(See Cobb Family)

### REFERENCE:

Savage Gen. Dict., vol. ii, p. 506.



## JUDD FAMILY



THOMAS JUDD came from England in 1633-34 and settled at Cambridge, Mass. His homelot of four acres was granted in August 1634. His name is among those who were to receive their proportion of meadow ground Aug. 20, 1635, and also in the list of those who had a house or houses in Cambridge in Feb. 1636.

He removed to Hartford, Conn. in 1636 where he was one of the first proprietors. He removed to Farmington, Conn. about 1644 where he was one of the first proprietors, where he was a substantial farmer and an influential man. He was Deputy to the General Court 1647-48-49-1650-51-57-58-59-1660-62-63-66-68-70-1677-78-1679. The wife of Thomas Judd died at Farmington about 1678. Her death is not recorded. He married second Dec. 2, 1679 widow of Clemence Mason, and resided with her in Northampton, Mass. where he was selectman in 1682. He died Nov. 2, 1688, about 80 years of age. He was probably married before coming to New England. Her family name was not known. The Christian name of his first wife has not been found.

Their children were:

2. I. Elizabeth, born 1633 to 1636; m. Samuel Loomis.
3. II. William, born —; m. Mary Steele Mar. 30, 1658.
4. III. Thomas, born 1638; m. Mary Steele.
5. IV. John, born 1640; m. Mary Hawkins.
- \*6. V. Benjamin, born c 1642; m. Mary Lewis.
7. VI. Mary, born c 1644.
8. VII. Ruth, born c 1647.
9. VIII. Philip, born 1649; m. Hannah Loomis.
10. IX. Samuel, born 1651; m. Sarah Strong.

\* 6. Benjamin<sup>2</sup> ( Thomas<sup>1</sup>) was born at Hartford, Conn. c 1642. He lived at Farmington, Conn. Married Mary, daughter of Capt. William Lewis of Farmington. She was born May 1645, and he died in 1689. She died 1691.

Their children were:

- 11. I. Elizabeth, born Aug. 21, 1668; died young.
- 12. II. Benjamin, born 1671; m. Susanna North.
- 13. III. Mary, born 1675; m. Joseph Webster.
- 14. IV. Sarah, born 1677; m. Thomas Buck.
- 15. V. Hannah, bapt. 1681; m. Gershom Smith.
- 16. VI. Nathaniel, bapt. 1683; d. 1742.
- 17. VII. Esther, bapt. 1686; m. Jonathan Webster.
- \*18. VIII. Jonathan, bapt. Sept. 22, 1688; m. Mary Diggins.

\* 18. Jonathan<sup>3</sup> (*Benjamin*,<sup>2</sup> *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>) lived sometime at Hartford, Conn. and a few years at Glastenbury, Conn. He removed to East Middletown about 1716, where all his children were born, except the two oldest. He was a member of the church organized at East Middletown in 1721. He died Aug. 2, 1725 aged 37 years. He married Hannah Diggins, daughter of Jeremiah Diggins of East Windsor, Conn. Nov. 27, 1712. She survived him and married Stephen Hand of East Guilford, Conn. in 1743.

#### Children of Jonathan and Hannah (Diggins) Judd:

- 19. I. Jonathan, born Jan. 13, 1714; m. Hannah Hubbard.
- 20. II. Philip, born Dec. 31, 1715; m. Mary Peters.
- 21. III. Hannah, born Oct. 20, 1717; m. Elisha Taylor.
- 22. IV. Mary, born Oct. 20, 1717; said to have married a Judd of Farmington, Conn.
- 25. V. Timothy, born Aug. 26, 1720; m. Lois Curtis.
- 24. VI. Thomas, born Aug. 26, 1720; m. Juliana Dow.
- \*25. VII. Sarah, born Sept. 26, 1722; m. Jabez Clark of East Middletown, now Chatham, 1742.
- 26. VIII. Daniel, born Oct. 10, 1724; m. Lydia Jones.

\* 25. Sarah Judd married Jabez Clark.

(See Clark Family)

#### REFERENCE:

Thomas Judd and His Descendants by S. Judd, pp. 9-61; Savage Gen. Dict., vol. ii.

## LEWIS FAMILY



WILLIAM LEWIS came from England in the ship "Lion" arriving at Boston, Mass. Sept. 16, 1632. He was admitted freeman Nov. 6, 1632 and belonged to the Braintree Company, which in August 1632, removed from Braintree to Cambridge, Mass. He was in 1636 one of the earliest settlers of Hartford, Conn. where his was an original proprietor. He removed to Hadley, Mass., where he was one of the founders. He was Representative for Hadley, Mass. in 1662, and from Northampton, Mass. in 1644. Prior to Nov. 29, 1677, he removed to Farmington, Conn. and there died Aug. 2, 1683. He married Felix, who died in Hadley, Mass. Apr. 17, 1671. Their only child was:

2. I. WILLIAM<sup>2</sup> (*William*<sup>1</sup>) was born in Hadley, Mass. In 1644 he was a resident of Farmington, Conn. and the first recorder of the town on its incorporation in 1645. Though one of the original engagers, there is no evidence that he ever removed to Hadley, Mass. He died in Farmington, Conn. Aug. 18, 1690. He married first Mary Hopkins, daughter of the wife of Richard Whitehead of Windsor, Conn. He married second Nov. 22, 1671, Mary Cheever born Nov. 29, 1640, daughter of the famous schoolmaster, Ezekiel Cheever of New Haven, Conn. After the death of Lewis, she married on Jan. 3, 1692 Dea. Thomas Bull.

His children by first wife were:

- \*3. I. Mary, born May 6, 1645; m. Benjamin Judd.
4. II. Philip, born Dec. 13, 1646; resided at Hartford, Conn.
5. III. Samuel, born Aug. 18, 1648.
6. IV. Sarah, born c 1652; m. Samuel Boltwood.
7. V. Hannah, born ———; m. (1) Samuel Crow; m. (2) Daniel Marsh.
8. VI. William, bapt. Mar. 15, 1656; m. Phebe Moore.
9. VII. Felix, bapt. Dec. 12, 1658; m. Thomas Selding.
10. VIII. Ebenezer, m. Elizabeth ———.

\* 3. Mary Lewis married Benjamin Judd.  
(See Judd Family)



11. IX. James, born July 10, 1667; a trader, ran away to Jamaica.
12. X. Elizabeth, born Oct. 20, 1672; d. 1674.
13. XI. Ezekiel, born Nov. 7, 1674; m. Mary Breaden.
14. XII. Nathaniel, born Oct. 1, 1676; m. Abigail Ashley.
15. VIII. Abigail, born Sept. 19, 1678; m. 1696 Wm. Wadsworth.
16. IX. Joseph, born Mar. 15, 1679.
17. X. Daniel, born July 16, 1681.

## REFERENCE:

Hist. of Hadley, Mass. by Judd & Boltwood, pp. 530-531; Savage Gen. Dict., vol. iii, p. 89; Memorial Hist. of Hartford, Conn., vol. i, p. 248.

## LEWIS FAMILY



GEORGE LEWIS, the ancestor of the Barnstable family, came from East Greenwich, in the County of Kent, England. He was by trade a "Clothier". He married about 1626, Sarah Jenkins, a sister of Edward, who settled at Scituate, Mass. He was at Plymouth, Mass. in 1633. George Lewis was one of those who were dismissed from the church in Plymouth in 1634, and was a member of the church of Scituate, Mass. in 1635. He removed in 1639 to Barnstable, Mass. He was seldom employed in public business. In 1648-50, he was surveyor of highways. In 1649 he was Juryman and Constable in 1651. He married second Mary——. He died in 1662-3.

His children by first wife were:

2. I. Mary, born England c 1623; m. 1643 John Bryant.
3. II. Thomas, born England; m. Jan. 15, 1653 Mary Davis.
4. III. George, born England; m. Dec. 1, 1654 Mary Lumber.
5. IV. James, born England 1631; m. 1655 Sarah Lane.
6. V. Edward, born England; m. 1661 Hannah Cobb.
7. VI. John, born Scituate, Mass., Mar. 2, 1637; killed in 1676.
8. VII. Ephriam, born July 23, 1641; probably died before 1670.
- \*9. VIII. Sarah, born Feb. 2, 1643; m. James Cobb Dec. 26, 1663; m. (2) Jonathan Sparrow, as her third husband.

\* 9. Sarah Lewis married James Cobb.

(See Cobb Family)

### REFERENCE:

Gen. Notes of Barnstable Families by Otis, pp. 115-121; Savage Gen. Dict., vol. iii.

## LIPSCOMB FAMILY



DABNEY LIPSCOMB was born in Virginia and moved to Kentucky before statehood. Settled at Richmond, Ky. He was given 2000 acres from the state of Virginia. Dabney Lipscomb settled near Independence, Mo. 1844. His farm bordered on Kansas line, then a territory and an Indian Reservation. He died near Independence, Jackson Co., Missouri in 1852-53. She died 1845-6 of Cholera, that swept the west at that time. (Ref: letter written by grandson James Houston Simms.)

This Dabney Lipscomb ancestor William Lipscomb of Louisa Co. Va.

### Children:

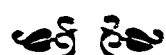
- \*1. Eliza Simpson Lipscomb.
2. Nannie, the youngest; m. a Ward.
3. Henrietta, resided at Fort Worth.
4. Taylor, who died at Simms home 1868 in San Rafael, Calif. and left no descendants.
5. Dick Lipscomb, had 3 boys, living at Vesalia, Cal. He died in 1916.
6. Richard.
7. Robert.
8. William.
9. Mary, m. a Riggs and left a family of 5 or 6 children.

### REFERENCE:

The father, a Mexican War Veteran, a member of Territorial legislature and perhaps Territorial Governor by appointment of the President.

William Lipscomb married Elizabeth Smith of Louisa Co., Va., 1752. William Lipscomb (1736-183—) member of the Committee of Safety, Louisa Co., Va., where he was born. He died in Limestone Springs, South Carolina.

## MATTHEWS FAMILY



FRANCIS MATTHEWS was of Oyster River. On Oct. 1, 1637, wives Jocelyn and Wannerton as agents for Georges and Mason, leased to him 1,000 years, 100 acres on the north west side of the Great Island, commonly called Muskete Hall. He signed the Exeter, N.H. Combination in 1639, and removed to Exeter, N.H. He was Bondsman for Matthew Giles's wife Elizabeth. He was on Grand Jury 1646, and was elected to hear and decide local cases 1647. He died between May 10, 1648 and Dec. 19, 1648. His widow Thomasine (Channon) married at Ollery St. Mary Co. Devon, Nov. 22, 1622. She died in 1690.

Their children were:

2. I. Elizabeth, bapt. Dec. 27, 1623 St. Mary's England; m. 1st William Drew; m. (2) William Follott.
3. II. Walter, died 1678; m. Mary ———.
4. III. Martha, married 1st ——— Snell; m. (2) ——— Brown.
- \*5. IV. Benjamin, born 1634; m. Dorothy Hull.
6. V. Katharine, born 1638; m. Thomas Foolman; m. (2) William Durgen.

\* 5. Benjamin<sup>2</sup> (*Francis*<sup>1</sup>) born 1634. He was of Oyster River in 1681. On Jury and sold marsh on Stony Brook to John Woodman in 1663, then in Upper Kittery, where he was trial juror in 1664. He was Constable in 1666-67. In N.H. again freeman in 1669, Grand Juror 1670-73-75-96. Married after June 28, 1670, Dorothy, daughter of Rev. Joseph Hull, who was living in July 1685. He died before Mar. 9, 1701, when his administration of his estate was made.

Their only child was:

7. I. Francis<sup>3</sup> (*Benjamin*,<sup>2</sup> *Francis*<sup>1</sup>) was of Oyster River. He married Feb. 23, 1691-2 Ruth, daughter of Arthur Bennett. Ht refused office of Selectman in 1703. Served 13 times afterwards 1704-1732. Moderator in 1728. Representative 1728-1731. Called Sergeant 1707. Ensign 1712 and Captain 1716. He died between 1749 and 1755.

Their children were:

- \*8. I. Francis, m. in Newington Nov. 28, 1710, Lydia, daughter of Thomas Drew.
- 9. II. Benjamin, m. Dec. 17, 1716 Abigail Hill.
- 10. III. Abraham, m. Phebe Davis.

\* 8. Francis<sup>1</sup> (*Francis*,<sup>3</sup> *Benjamin*,<sup>2</sup> *Francis*<sup>1</sup>) married in 1710 in Newington Nov. 28, 1720 Lydia, daughter of Thomas Drew, who took administration May 26, 1742, list 368. In 1749 his father deeded to two of the four children Gershom and Benjamin Jr. and to their mother, widow Lydia for life.

Their children were:

- 11. I. Ruth, born Oct. 12, 1721; m. Joseph Sias.
- 12. II. Gershom, m. June 22, 1757 Elizabeth Whittier.
- 13. III. Benjamin, born c 1724; m. June 20, 1745 Anne Coleman.
- \*14. IV. Gideon, born Nov. 7, 1728; m. Anna Randall; m. (2) Anna Whitcher.

\* 14. Gideon<sup>5</sup> (*Francis*,<sup>4</sup> *Francis*,<sup>3</sup> *Benjamin*,<sup>2</sup> *Francis*<sup>1</sup>) married first Jan. 23, 1755, Anna, daughter of Nathaniel and Mary (Hodgden) Randall. She died May 16, 1763. He married second Anna, daughter of Benjamin and Abigail (Stevens) Whitcher of Nottingham. She was born May 10, 1748 and died Nov. 11, 1822. He died Jan. 3, 1815.

His children by first wife were:

- 15. I. Tamson, m. Isaac Meador.
- 16. II. Abigail, m. Ichabod Whidden.
- 17. III. Francis, m. Lydia ———.

His children by second wife were:

- 18. IV. John, m. a Tuttle.
- 19. V. Sally, m. a Fox.
- 20. VI. Anna, m. Jan. 7, 1789 Ebenezer Scales.
- 21. VII. Lydia, born Dec. 11, 1779; m. Thomas Randall.
- \*22. VIII. Gideon, born Aug. 10, 1768; m. Lois Scales.

\* 22. Gideon<sup>6</sup> (*Gideon*,<sup>5</sup> *Francis*,<sup>4</sup> *Francis*,<sup>3</sup> *Benjamin*,<sup>2</sup> *Francis*<sup>1</sup>) was born in Lee, N.H. Aug. 10, 1768. Married Apr. 1, 1789 Lois, daughter of Abraham and Sarah (Thompson) Scales, who was born Dec. 29, 1769 and died Mar. 2, 1849. He died Nov. 6, 1837.

Their children were:

- 23. I. David, born June 28, 1790; m. July 28, 1823 Betsey Reynolds.
- 24. II. Jesse, m. Oct. 1828 Adeline Osborne.
- 25. III. Job, born Dec. 12, 1793; m. Harriet Norris.
- 26. IV. Lois, born July 26, 1798; m. 1821 Jacob Burley.
- 27. V. Judith, born Mar. 27, 1803; m. ——— Osborne.

\*28. VI. Reuben, born Sept. 28, 1809; m. Lydia Ann Stevens; m. (2)  
Sally Bartlett.

29. VII. John, born Feb. 20, 1810; m. c 1832 Emily Jane Cartland.

\* 28. Reuben<sup>7</sup> (*Gideon*,<sup>6</sup> *Gideon*,<sup>5</sup> *Francis*,<sup>4</sup> *Francis*,<sup>3</sup> *Benjamin*,<sup>2</sup> *Francis*<sup>1</sup>) married first Dec. 11, 1831 Lydia Ann Stevens, daughter of Joseph and Catherine (Giles) Stevens. He married second Sally, daughter of Joseph Bartlett of Nottingham.

His daughter by first wife:

30. I. Adelaide, born Feb. 2, 1837 at Lee, N. H. Died at Chicago, Ill.,  
May 14, 1922. Married Nov. 7, 1853 at Peoria, Ill., to George  
Franklin Harding.

(See Harding Family)

REFERENCES:

Hist. of Durham, N.H. by Stackpole and W. S. Meserve, vol. 2, pp. 263-267; Vital Records of Lee, N.H.; Vital Records of Nottingham, N.H.; Gen. & Dict. of Me. & N.H. Families by Libby, pp. 467-8.

## McCAIN FAMILY



The McCain family record is as follows in births, HUGH McCAIN was born in Antrim County, Ireland in 1729. He was an officer under Washington at Braddock's defeat. Soon after the war of 1756, he moved to Mecklenberg (now Union) County, North Carolina. He died on August 26, 1821.

His home was where Bob Simpson now lives on Cane Creek. At this place when Cornwallis was coming through the Waxhaws, a party of British troops came to the house of Hugh McCain, and demanded of him all the money he had, which was said to have been a considerable amount for a backwoodsman. He refused to deliver it, as any man would have done, who did not want to enrich the enemies of his country, and the soldiers hanged him to a nearby walnut tree. There he would have died, had it not been for one of his cargo slaves, who upon the soldier's immediately leaving, ran to his master's rescue and cut him down. The old man had nearly choked to death, but came to and lived till 1821.

The descendants of Hugh McCain, Sr. through eight generations, have gone into the many thousands in numbers and have settled in every state, pretty much, in the union. Members of this family have colonized in Georgia, Tennessee, South Carolina and other southern states, besides North Carolina, and have gone west to the Pacific coast. Thousands of this large family connection took active and gallant parts in the civil war and since then many members have been prominent in other walks of life. From the time that Hugh McCain Sr. member of the Anson Guards, and Hugh McCain Jr. served Mecklenburg, members of the family have taken leading parts in the life of Charlotte and of North Carolina at large.

Hugh McCain married a Miss Jane Davis, a niece of Gen. Andrew Pickens, and they pitched their tent on the east bank of the Catawba river at Landsford, now known as the Foster Mill place. They lived there only one year on account of Indian hostility. They were forced to flee for their lives and moved eastward up the Landsford road to the

place now known as the John Neely place, and remained there two years, suffering many hardships and privations. Here they had skirmishes with the Indians and had to flee, still moving eastward up the Landsford road to the old Potter road. Then they turned southward, going into the rich valleys of the Cain Creek and as soon as they crossed the creek, they located on the hilltop where Bob Simpson now lives not far from Unity. A.R.P. church, and near the South Carolina line. They lived in peace and harmony there, blessed with prosperity on every hand. There they flourished like a green bay tree, rearing a large and intelligent family of boys and girls, and accumulated huge sums of money for a backwoodsman in that day and time.

But alas, during the Revolution, his four sons volunteered and fought valiantly. With his sons in the army and no banking facilities, he decided to bury his money between the creek and the house, and he was very old and could not protect it.

At the close of the war, about the day before Cornwallis men came back up the Potter road, a band of Tories who had heard of his wealth, came along and found him under a walnut tree, close to the creek. They captured him and demanded his money, but he refused to deliver it. They threatened to hang him. "I would rather suffer the tortures of the Britons, and die a martyr's death on the walnut tree, than to surrender the gold I have earned by the sweat of my own brow. I have no desire to enrich the enemies of my country."

Then they tied his hands behind his back, ran a noose around his neck and pulled him up, then let him down and told him if he would lead them to the gold, they would turn him loose. If not they would finish him the next time. Still he refused and they pulled him up again and tied the rope to a bush and let him dangle in the air. Soon old "Tener," the old mammy servant, and her two sons caught on to the situation and hurried to the scene, screaming at the top of their voices. The Tories thinking it was Cornwallis men, fled from the scene.

Tener and her boys cut the old man down and carried him to the house. He rallied and lived some years, but on account of the pressure of the rope on his spinal cord he never regained consciousness. No one, so far as we know, has ever found the gold, although many searches have been made. The old pioneer died at the ripe old age of 93, leaving a great many descendants behind him. There are over 2,000 of them living in the Carolina today.

2. WILLIAM MCCAIN, son of Hugh McCain was the eldest of seven



brothers, the others being James, Hugh, Andrew, Robert and Joseph, and one daughter Eleanor. Said William McCain was born in Union County, North Carolina, about 1748. He married Eleanor Johnson, and was a Revolutionary soldier. He died in 1824 and is buried at Tirza Church, Lancaster Co. So. Carolina, about twenty feet from the old cemetery gate.

His children were:

3. I. George.
4. II. Johnson.
5. III. Betsy, m. Alex Huey.
6. IV. Jannay, m. Robert Hood.
- \*7. V. Hugh Johnson McCain.

\*7. Hugh John McCain was born in Union (then Mecklenberg) County, North Carolina in 1785 and was married in 1806 to Martha Moore. Hugh Johnson McCain had nine children who reached maturity namely,

- \*8. I. William Ross.
9. II. James M.
10. III. Alexander L. of Iowa.
11. IV. Eleanor E. McKinshy.
- \*12. V. Rev. John Nesbit of Texas.
13. VI. Margaret G. McQuiston of Tennessee.
14. VII. Albert G.
15. VIII. Henry C. of Tipton, Co. Tennessee.

\*8. William Ross McCain was born Nov. 1, 1807 in Union County No. Carolina and moved to Tipton Co. Tennessee when a young man. He married Margaret Simonton in 1836. He was one of the original founders and members of the Salem church in Tipton Co. His wife Margaret died Oct. 1, 1854. He married a second time, to Margaret (Strong) Simonton, widow, in February 1856.

\*12. Rev. John Nesbit McCain born in 1804 at St. Mary's Texas. He married Apr. 12, 1849 Sarah Amanda Hearst.

His children by first wife were:

16. I. Mary Catharine, m. Rev. J. A. Dickson.
17. II. Eliza Hemphill, m. A. J. Wilson of Arkansas.
18. III. William S. Simonton.
19. IV. Margaret Eleanor, m. John T. Lynn.
20. V. Charles Luther McCain of Arkansas.
21. VI. An infant.
22. VII. An infant.

His children by second wife were:

23. VIII. John Irenaeus McCain of Due West, S. C.

- 24. IX. Luvinda.
- 25. X. An infant.

Their children were:

- \*1. Lucius Metullis McCain, born Jan. 18, 1850.
- 2. John Hearst, born Mar. 18, 1852; m. Mary Savage.
- 3. Margaret Isabella, born Jan. 15, 1854; m. William Bridge.
- 4. Albert Gallatin, m. Amanda Atchley.
- 5. Joseph Pressley.
- 6. Pearl Trent, born May 20, 1858.
- 7. Martha Eleanor, born Oct. 2, 1860; died childless.
- 8. Eliza Jane, born Nov. 19, 1863; d. in infancy.
- 9. Anna, born May 27, 1867; m. Charles Moore.
- 10. Henry Ross, born June 17, 1870; d. unmarried.

\* 1. Lucius Metullis was born Jan. 18, 1850 and died Dec. 22, 1892 in Wharton, Texas. He married at St. Mary's Texas May 1876 to Georgia Simms born in 1860 at Sacramento, California and died Dec. 31, 1892 at Wharton, Texas. She was the daughter of John Wallace Simms.

(See Simms Family)

Their children were:

- 1. Mollie, m. Louis Stratman.
- \*2. Maud McCain, born Feb. 25, 1886 Matagorda, Texas; m. Abner Clark Harding. She died Sept. 14, 1941 in Chicago, Ill.

(See Harding Family)

## MOORE FAMILY



JAMES MOORE died in latter part of 1795, or the first two months of 1796. His widow married William McCain, son of Hugh Johnson McCain. After Williams death the widow came to Tifton Co. and Hugh J. McCain died probably in 1834. She died Nov. 23, 1841, and is buried at Salem. Headstone marked, "Margaret McCain died in the 87th year of her age." James Moore married Margaret Nesbit in Mecklinburg Co. N.C. about 1685.

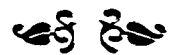
### Children:

- \*2. I. Martha, born Oct. 8, 1786; m. Hugh Johnson McCain 1806.
3. II. James Jr., married and moved to Haywood Co., Tenn.
4. III. Elizabeth, m. Robert Wilson and started to Tenn. but her husband died on the way, and she and family came on with her.
5. IV. Alexander, m. Nancy McComb and moved to Tifton Co.
6. V. Margaret, m. James Wright and moved to Tifton Co.
7. VI. John Nesbit, m. Leannal McComb Aug. 1, 1822, and came to Tifton Co. abt. 1833.

"My grandfather on my father's side was John Nesbit Moore and my grandfather on my mother's side was James M. McCain, son of Hugh Johnson McCain and brother of John Nesbit McCain your grandfather. I live on the site where Hugh Johnson McCain lived, but not in the house as the old house burned about 1876."

(From a letter written by J. Lemuel McCain, Atoka, near Salem, Tenn.)

## NEALLEY FAMILY



WILLIAM NEALLY was of a Scottish family born near the city of Londonberry, in the north of Ireland, in the latter part of the seventeenth century. He came to this country with his family in 1718 and settled first at Boston, Mass. Removed to Nottingham, N.H. about 1725. William was a sturdy Scottish Presbyterian. He was a man of great force of character. He was not given to office seeking or office holding, but he did his share in subduing the earth and make it yield its bounties as the good Book directs.

His children were:

2. I. William.
- \*3. II. Mary, m. John Gile.
4. III. Matthew, m. Margaret Beverland.
5. IV. John.

\* 3. Mary Nealley married John Gile.

(See Gile Family)

### REFERENCE:

N.H. Families by Stearn, vol. iii, p. 100; Vital Records of Nottingham, N.H.

## NOYES FAMILY



PETER NOYES came in the ship "Confidence" in 1638 with Walter Haynes and other settlers of Sudbury, Mass. With him were two children, Thomas 15, and Elizabeth. The ship passenger list reads: "Peter Noyes of South (Southampton) yeoman 47." Then following the names of the two children are given. "Robert Davis 30, John Rutter 22, Margaret Davis 26, his servants." Though he is entered on the passenger list as yeoman, he is repeatedly mentioned in the records of his service in the community as "Gentleman", and the term "Mr." is often used, that being in those days a term of great respect. After a short stay in New England, he returned to England, coming back in 1639 in the ship "Jonathan", with him were his children, Nicholas, Dorothy, Abigail and Peter, also John Waterman, Richard Barnes and William Street, servants.

Peter Noyes was very active in Sudbury's development. He was a free-man May 13, 1640 and selectman for 18 years. He died Sept. 23, 1657. The day before his death, he made a will making his son Thomas, his executor. He makes bequests to his other children viz: Peter, Joseph, Elizabeth, wife of Josiah Haynes, Dorothy wife of Dea. John Haynes, Abigail wife of Thomas Plympton, his daughter-in-law Mary (Haynes) Noyes, wife of his son Thomas, and his kinsman Shadrach Hopgood.

Children of Peter Noyes were:

2. I. Thomas, born 1623; m. Mary Haynes; d. 1666.
3. II. Elizabeth, m. Josiah Haynes in 1646.
4. III. Joseph, born ———; married Mary Norton.
- \*5. IV. Dorothy, born 1626; m. John Haynes.
6. V. Abigail, born ———; m. Thomas Plympton.
7. VI. Peter, married Elizabeth Darwell.

\* 5. Dorothy Noyes married John Haynes.

(See Haynes Family)

### REFERENCES:

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## OTIS FAMILY



RICHARD OTIS son of Stephen and Elizabeth Otis and grandson of Richard Otis of Glastonbury, Somerset Co. England was born not far from 1626. The first mention made of him in any of the New England records is as far as ascertained in 1655, when in May he was admitted as an inhabitant of Boston, being called a "Smith." In the same year he was recorded at Dover, N.H. among a list of those qualified to vote, and where he was granted ten acres of land that year. His first wife was Rose Stoughton, daughter of Anthony of Surry, England. She died before Nov. 5, 1677. He married second Shuah (Starbuck) Heard. He married third Grizzel Warren about 1685. On the 28th of June 1689 his Garrison was attacked by Indians. Admitted by treachery and he was murdered by Indians. Some of his family shared his fate.

His children by first wife:

2. I. Richard, married Susannah ———.
3. II. Stephen, married Apr. 16, 1674 Mary Pitman.
4. III. Martha, married John Pinkham.
5. IV. Anne, married Thomas Austin.
6. V. Solomon, born Oct. 15, 1663; died soon.
7. VI. Nicholas, killed July 26, 1696.
8. VII. Experience, born Nov. 7, 1666; m. Samuel Heard.
- \*9. VIII. Judith, m. John Tuttle.
10. IX. Hannah, killed by Indians 1689.
11. X. Margaret, born Mar. 15, 1689; taken with her mother to Canada; m. (1) at Villa Maria June 14, 1707, Louis L. Beau. Returned to New England with Capt. Thomas Baker in 1714 and married him.

\* 9. Judith Otis married John Tuttle.

( See Tuttle Family)

### REFERENCES:

Gen. & Dict. of Maine & N.H. by Libby, pp. 520-21; Otis Family by W. A. Otis; Savage Gen. Dict., vol. iii.

## PILLSBURY FAMILY



WILLIAM PILLSBURY, the common ancestor of the Pillsbury family in this country came from England to Boston, Mass. with the great flood of immigration which set westward during the tyranny of Charles I, (1629-1640). He married in 1641 Dorothy Crosby. He resided in Dorchester, Mass. and in 1651 he removed to Newbury, Mass. and where his homestead has remained in the family from father to son, through nearly 250 years and is still held and occupied by members of the ninth generation. He died in June 19, 1686.

### Children of William and Dorothy (Crosby) Pillsbury:

2. I. Deborah, born Apr. 16, 1642; m. ——— Ewens.
3. II. Job, born Oct. 16, 1643; m. Apr. 5, 1677 Katherine Gavet.
4. III. Moses, born 1645; m. Susannah Worth.
5. IV. Abel, d. before 1697; m. Mary ———.
6. V. Caleb, born June 28, 1653; d. July 4, 1680.
- \*7. VI. William, born July 27, 1656; m. Mary Kenney.
8. VII. Experience, born Apr. 10, 1658; d. 1708.
9. VIII. Increase, born Oct. 10, 1660; drowned 1690 in Nova Scotia.
10. IX. Thankful, born Apr. 22, 1662.
11. X. Joshua, born June 20, 1671; d. July 1674.

\* 7. William<sup>2</sup> (*William*<sup>1</sup>) was born in Newbury, Mass. July 27, 1656. He died at Salisbury, Mass. in 1730. Married Dec. 13, 1677 Mary Kenny. In the Annals of King Philip's War, we find mention among the garrison at Springfield June 24, 1676, William Pillsbury. On another record has been found an entry for, "allowance for personal service at Newbury Blockhouse 1704. William Pillsbury Jr. 18s, 6d." In his old age he appears to have removed to Salisbury and made his home with his daughter Apphia, where he died between 1730 and 1740.

### Children of William and Mary (Kenny) Pillsbury:

12. I. A daughter, born Nov. 1678; d. Mar. 24, 1679.
13. II. William, born Mar. 22, 1680; d. 1681.
14. III. Experience, born Apr. 16, 1682.

- \*15. IV. Deborah, m. Reuben Whittier.
- 16. V. William, born July 7, 1687.
- 17. VI. Lydia, born Dec. 25, 1689; m. William B. Morrill.
- 18. VII. Increase, born Jan. 5, 1694; d. Jan. 7, 1716.
- 19. VIII. Aphia, born May 8, 1700; d. July 8, 1774; m. Joseph Osgood.
- 20. IX. Mary, born Oct. 26, 1702; m. Timothy Wells.
- 21. X. Henry, m. Elizabeth Ring.

\* 15. Deborah Pillsbury married Reuben Whittier.

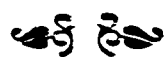
(See Whittier Family)

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## PRENCE FAMILY



Gov. THOMAS PRENCE came in the ship "Fortune" in 1621 to New England. He was the son of Thomas of Lechlade in County of Gloucester, near Cricklade, in Wilts. He married Aug. 5, 1624, Patience, daughter of Elder William Brewster. He settled first at Plymouth, Mass. Removed to Duxbury, Mass. His wife died in 1634, and he married second April 1, 1635 Mary, daughter of William Collier. He was chosen Governor of Mass. in 1635 and for two or three years afterwards, and was assistant and Governor again in 1638. In 1645 he removed to Eastham, Mass. and there again was chosen Governor in 1658 and there his wife died. He married third Mary, widow of Samuel Freeman, Sr. and removed to Plymouth, Mass. in 1663. He died there Mar. 29, 1673, aged 72 years, leaving widow Mary.

His children by first wife:

2. I. Thomas, went to England, leaving widow Susanna. He died young.
- \*3. II. Hannah, m. Feb. 13, 1650; Nathaniel Mayo; m. (2) Jonathan Sparrow.
4. III. Mercy, m. Feb. 13, 1650 John Freeman.
5. IV. Sarah, m. 1650 Jeremiah Howe.

His children by second wife:

6. V. Jane, m. Jan. 9, 1661 Mark Snow.
7. VI. Mary, m. John Tracy.
8. VII. Elizabeth, born —; m. Dec. 9, 1667 Arthur Howland, Jr.
9. VIII. Judith, m. Dec. 28, 1665 Isaac Barker.

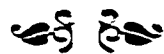
\* 3. Hannah Prence married Jonathan Sparrow.

(See Sparrow Family)

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## ROGERS FAMILY



THOMAS ROGERS and his son Joseph came over in the "Mayflower" in 1620. His other children came later. They all settled in what was then Plymouth. Writing in 1650, Bradford says, "Thomas Rogers died in the first sickness in 1621, but his son is still living and is married and hath six children, the rest of his children came over and are married and have many children. His son:

JOSEPH,<sup>2</sup> *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>) came with his father in the Mayflower in 1620. He settled on Duxbury side before Duxbury was made a town, and after that in Duxbury, on the Jones river, across which by special authority, he maintained a public ferry, "near his house." About 1655, he moved with his family to Eastham, where he spent the remainder of his life, and died early in 1678. His will dated Jan. 2, 1677 O. S. Eastham, and proven Mar. 5, 1677. His wife's Christian name was Hannah.

Their children were:

3. I. Sarah, born Aug. 6, 1633; died young.
4. II. Joseph, born July 19, 1635; m. Susannah Deane.
- \*5. III. Thomas, born Mar. 29, 1638; m. Elizabeth Snow.
6. IV. Elizabeth, born Sept. 29, 1639; m. Jonathan Higgins.
7. V. John, born Apr. 3, 1642; m. Elizabeth Twining.
8. VI. Mary, born Sept. 22, 1644; m. John Finney.
9. VII. James, born Oct. 18, 1648; m. June 11, 1670 Mary Paine.
10. VIII. Hannah, born Aug. 8, 1652.

\* 5. Thomas<sup>3</sup> (*Joseph*,<sup>2</sup> *Thomas*<sup>1</sup>) was born in Duxbury, Mass. Mar. 29, 1638. He married Dec. 13, 1665, Elizabeth, daughter of Nicholas and Constance (Hopkins) Snow at Eastham, Mass. She died June 16, 1678.

Their children were:

11. I. Elizabeth, born Oct. 8, 1666.
12. II. Joseph, born Feb. 1, 1668.
- \*13. III. Hannah, born Mar. 20, 1669-70.

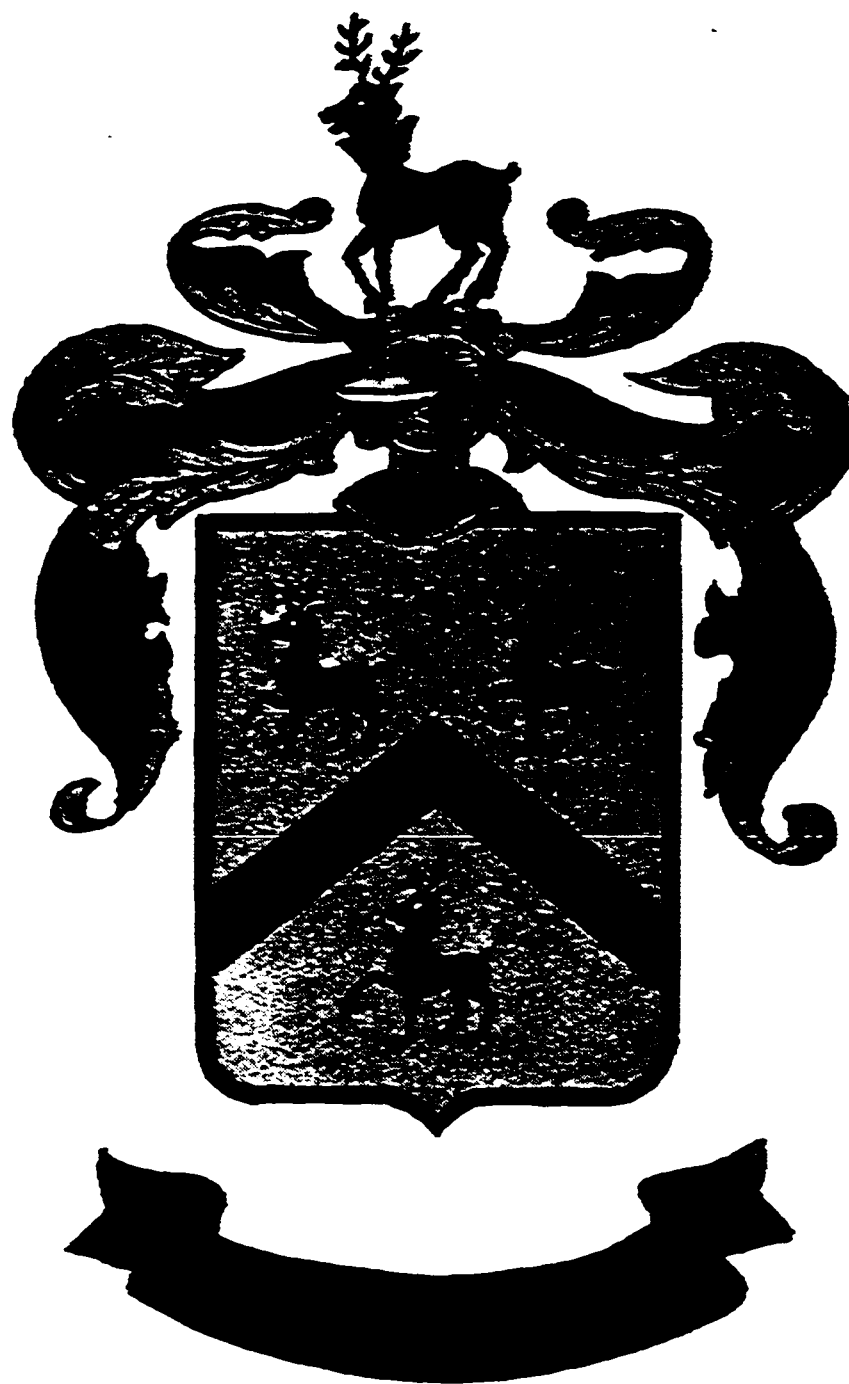
\* 13. Hannah Rogers married Amaziah Harding.

(See Harding Family)

- 14. IV. Thomas, born Mar. 1671; died in infancy.
- 15. V. Thomas, born May 6, 1672.
- 16. VI. Eleazer, born Nov. 3, 1673.
- 17. VII. Nathaniel, born Jan. 18, 1676.

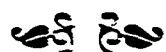
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## SCALES FAMILY



WILLIAM SCALES the immigrant ancestor was born about 1612 and came with his wife and three children and settled at Rowley, Mass. where he was made freeman May 13, 1640. His house lot like his neighbors contained one acre of land. He built his house on it and resided there till his death in 1682, the record of which is as follows: "William Scales buried July ye tenth day of Anno 1682." The record of his wife's death is as follows: "Ann, widow of William Scales buried ye 26th day of Sept. Anno. 1682."

William Scales received numerous grants of land from the town. He was largely engaged in lumber business, farming and stock raising.

Children of William and Ann Scales were:

- \*2. I. James, m. Sarah Curtiss.
- 3. II. William, killed by falling tree about Jan. 26, 1670.

\*2. James<sup>2</sup> (*William*<sup>1</sup>) was born in 1654 at Rowley, Mass. and died in 1686. He was a farmer and resided on the homestead in Rowley village. He married Nov. 7, 1677. Susannah, daughter of Zacheus Curtiss. She died in 1691.

Their children were:

- 4. I. James, born Mar. 30, 1679; m. Sarah Curtis.
- 5. II. Sarah, born Jan. 18, 1680-1; m. Feb. 12, 1713 George Burroughs.
- 6. III. William, born Mar. 1, 1682; m. Susanna Ayres.
- \*7. IV. Matthew, born Mar. 29, 1685; m. Sarah —.

\*7. Matthew<sup>3</sup> (*James*<sup>2</sup> *William*<sup>1</sup>) was born in Rowley, Mass. on Mar. 29, 1685. He was only one year when his father died. His mother died when he was six years old and he was left in the care of John Harris of Ipswich. Soon after 1712 he began housekeeping in Portsmouth, N.H. The record book of the North Parish of that city has the following entry made by the Pastor Rev. John Emerson, April 25, 1714, "Matthew Scales owned ye covenant and his son Matthew was baptized." In the same book are these further records:

"April 18, 1715 James Scales baptized June 2, 1717. Mary Scales baptized Oct. 26, 1718. Abraham Scales bapt. at Portsmouth, N.H. Matthew Scales was engaged in house building and general carpenter work. He was a master mechanic, a good citizen and a devout church member. He does not appear to have taken any part in public office holding. In 1718 he went to Falmouth Maine and joined his brother William, who had settled there three years be-

fore. In 1710 he moved his family there, where they continued to reside until his death at the hands of the Indians, at the same time his brother William was slain in April 1725. At Falmouth he was a selectman several years. He served under Major Moody as a soldier in the Fort there. He married Sarah—— of Ipswich, Mass. in 1712. She probably returned to Ipswich after his death.

Their children were:

- 8. I. Matthew.
- \*9. II. Abraham.
- 10. III. Edward.

\* 9. Abraham<sup>4</sup> (*Matthew*,<sup>3</sup> *James*,<sup>2</sup> *William*<sup>1</sup>) was born in 1718 and was but seven years old when his father was killed. When he was 14 years old he commenced to serve his apprenticeship of seven years with a house carpenter in Boston. He and his brother went to reside in Durham, N.H. about 1739, and practiced their trade there and in the towns around. He removed to Nottingham, N.H. in 1749 and resided there until his death in 1796. He was selectman of that town 1754-55. Moderator and held various minor offices. He married July 8, 1747, Sarah Thompson of Durham, N.H. born Jan. 5, 1724, and died 1804, daughter of John and Mary (Davis) Thompson and granddaughter of John and Sarah (Woodman) Thompson.

Their children were:

- 11. I. John, born Sept. 9, 1748; d. 1754 (died of a disease, now called
- 12. II. Sarah, born Aug. 17, 1752; d. 1754 diphtheria).
- 13. III. Abraham, born Aug. 17, 1752; d. 1754.
- 14. IV. Samuel, born Sept. 9, 1754; m. Hannah Langley.
- 15. V. James, born May 1, 1757; d. 1760.
- 16. VI. Mary, born Oct. 19, 1759; d. 1760.
- 17. VII. Hannah, born Aug. 2, 1761; m. Nathan Clough.
- 18. VIII. Abigail, born Jan. 29, 1764; m. Elijah Cortland.
- 19. IX. Ebenezer, born Nov. 6, 1766; m. Anna Methis.
- \*20. X. Lois, born Dec. 20, 1769; d. in Lee, N. H., Mar. 21, 1849; m. Gideon Matthews of Lee.

\* 20. Lois Scales married Gideon Matthews.

(See Matthews Family)

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## SEARS FAMILY



RICHARD SEARS name is first found upon the records of Plymouth Colony, in the tax list of Mar. 25, 1633, when he was one of the forty-four, in a list of eighty-six persons, who were assessed nine shillings in corn, at six shillings per bushel. He soon after crossed over to Marblehead, Mass. and was taxed as a resident of that place, in the rate list for Jan. 1637-8. He removed in 1639 to Yarmouth, Mass. Here he appears in the list of inhabitants between the age of 16 and 60 years, able to bear arms. He was made freeman in 1652, chosen on the grand jury 1653, Constable in 1660, Representative 1662, to the General Court. His will dated May 3, 1667 mentions wife Dorothy, eldest son Paul, younger son Syllas, daughter Deborah. He was buried in Yarmouth Aug. 26, 1676 and his widow Dorothy buried there Mar. 19, 1678-9.

Their children were:

- \*2. I. Paul, born 1637; d. Feb. 20, 1707; m. Deborah Willard.
3. II. Silas, born —; d. 1697; m. Anne —.
4. III. Deborah, born 1639; m. 1659 Zachary Paddock.

\* 2. Paul<sup>2</sup> (*Richard*<sup>1</sup>) was born probably in Marblehead, Mass. after Feb. 20, 1637-8 and died at Yarmouth, Mass. Feb. 20, 1707 in his 70th year. He married at Yarmouth, Mass. 1658 Deborah Willard, daughter of George Willard. She was baptized at Scituate, Mass. Sept. 14, 1645. She died at Yarmouth, Mass. on May 13, 1721. He took the Oath of Fidelity in 1657. Had a Commission as Captain in the Militia and made claim for a horse lost in the Narragansett War. Oct. 30, 1667 was on Grand Jury. Was an original proprietor of Harwich in 1667. In the ancient cemetery in Yarmouth, lies a stone removed from its place to make room for the Granite monument to the Sears, which bears the following inscription, surmounted by a Cherub's head and scroll work: "Here lyes the body of Paul Sears, who departed this life February ye 20th, 1707, in ye 70th year of his age." His will was proven Apr. 8, 1708.

Children of Paul and Deborah (Willard) Sears were:

5. I. Mercy, born July 3, 1659.
6. II. Bethiah, born Jan. 3, 1661; m. May 27, 1684 John Crowell, Jr.
7. III. Samuel, born Jan. 1663; m. Mercy Mayo.

8. IV. A daughter, born Oct. 24, 1667; m. Eleazer Hamblen.
- \*9. V. Paul, born June 15, 1669; m. 1693 Mercy Freeman.
10. VI. Mary, born Oct. 24, 1672; m. John Knowles.
11. VII. Ann, born Mar. 27, 1675; m. John Merrick.
12. VIII. John, born 1677; m. June 1704 Priscilla Freeman.
13. IX. Richard, born 1682; m. 1706 Hope Howes.
14. X. Daniel, born 1683; m. Feb. 12, 1708 Sarah Howes.

\* 9. Paul<sup>3</sup> (*Paul*,<sup>2</sup> *Richard*<sup>1</sup>) was born in Yarmouth, Mass., June 15, 1669. He died on Feb. 14, 1739-40 in his 71st year. Married in Harwich in 1693 Mercy, daughter of Dea. Thomas and Rebecca (Sparrow) Freeman. She was born at Harwich, Oct. 30, 1674 and died Aug. 30, 1747 in her 74th year. He lived in Quivet Neck and was prominent in the church of the East precinct of Yarmouth, to which he was admitted June 23, 1728 and his wife Aug. 6, 1727. He was in 1724 on a committee to inform Mr. Taylor to call to ministry. He was buried by the side of his wife in the old family burying ground at Bound Brook in West Brewster. His wife known as "Mercy Paul," was a granddaughter of Major John and Mercy (Prentice) Freeman, and great granddaughter of Edmund Freeman. Her mother Rebecca Sparrow was the daughter of John and Rebecca (Bangs) Sparrow and her grandmother Mercy Prentice, was daughter of Gov. Thomas Prentice and Patience Brewster, and granddaughter of Elder William Brewster. Her will dated Dec. 13, 1746 proven Sept. 9, 1747 names children; Ebenezer, Paul, Thomas, Joshua, Daniel, Edmund, Rebecca, Hall, Deborah, Mercy Blakmore, and Ann Bangs. The estate was appraised at £ 562, 04, 02.

Children of Paul and Mercy (Freeman) Sears were:

- \*15. I. Ebenezer, born Aug. 15, 1694; m. Mar. 26, 1720 Sarah Howes.
16. II. Paul, born Dec. 21, 1695; m. May 30, 1721 Charity Whittredge.
17. III. Elizabeth, born Aug. 27, 1697; m. 1725 Nathaniel Crosby.
18. IV. Thomas, born June 6, 1699; m. 1734 Elizabeth Bartlett.
19. V. Rebecca, born Apr. 2, 1701; m. Oct. 15, 1719 Joseph Hall, Jr.
20. VI. Mercy, born Feb. 7, 1702; m. Jan. 9, 1724 Joseph Blackmore.
21. VII. Deborah, born Mar. 11, 1705; m. Thomas Howes.
22. VIII. Ann, born Dec. 27, 1706; m. 1727 Ebenezer Bangs.
23. IX. Joshua, born Nov. 20, 1708; m. 1731 Rebecca Mayo.
24. X. Daniel, born July 16, 1710; m. Jan. 13, 1736 Mercy Snow.
25. XI. Edmund, born Aug. 6, 1712; m. Apr. 7, 1743 Hannah Crowell.
26. XII. Hannah, born Mar. 6, 1714; m. 1734 Thomas Howes.

\* 15. Ebenezer<sup>4</sup> (*Paul*,<sup>3</sup> *Paul*,<sup>2</sup> *Richard*<sup>1</sup>) was born in Yarmouth, Mass. Aug. 15, 1694 and died in East Hampton, Conn. He married in Yarmouth, Mass. May 26, 1720 Sarah, daughter of Ebenezer and Sarah (Gorham) Howes. She was born Jan. 20, 1699. He removed with his family to Middletown, Conn. where in 1748, he made a purchase of land on the east side of the Conn. River in that part of the town that was afterwards set off as Chatham. His will dated Dec. 3, 1760.

Children of Ebenezer and Sarah (Howes) Sears were:

27. I. Sarah, born Mar. 10, 1721; m. 1742 James Higgins.
28. II. Desire, born Apr. 23, 1722; d. July 6, 1723.

- \*29. III. Ebenezer, born June 13, 1723; m. Elizabeth Cook; m. (2) Dorcas Beebe.
- 30. IV. Desire, born Aug. 15, 1725; m. Nov. 13, 1748 John Markham.
- 31. V. Hezekiah, born May 25, 1727; d. 1727.
- 32. VI. Hezekiah, born Dec. 30, 1728; m. Deborah Spencer.
- 33. VII. Thomas, born Sept. 22, 1731.
- 34. VIII. Betsey, born Aug. 27, 1733; m. Oct. 5, 1753 Wm. Norcutt.
- 35. IX. Dinah, born Dec. 1, 1735.
- 36. X. Mercy, born Feb. 11, 1738; m. Jan. 10, 1760 Thomas Shepard.
- 37. XI. Hannah, born Nov. 23, 1739; d. Apr. 26, 1742.
- 38. XII. Ann, born 1741; d. 1741.
- 39. XIII. A son, born 1742; d. 1743.
- 40. XIV. Paul, born Nov. 29, 1744; m. —; m. (2) Mercy Stevens abt. 1776.

\* 29. Ebenezer,<sup>5</sup> (*Ebenezer*,<sup>4</sup> *Paul*,<sup>3</sup> *Paul*,<sup>2</sup> *Richard*<sup>1</sup>) was born at Yarmouth, Mass. June 13, 1723. He died at Chatham, Conn. in 1814. He married there Jan. 25, 1753 Elizabeth Cook, who died July 4, 1797 aged 63. He married second Apr. 25, 1798 Dorcas Beebe.

Their children were:

- \*41. I. Anna, born at Chatham, Conn., Feb. 17, 1755; m. July 12, 1781 Amos Clark, son of Jabez and Sarah (Judd) Clark.
- 42. II. David, born Nov. 27, 1757.
- 43. III. Sarah, born —; m. Sept. 5, 1793 Seth Alvord.
- 44. IV. Hannah, born June 3, 1760; m. Capt. Timothy Ruggles.
- 45. V. Betsey, born —; m. Aug. 5, 1794 John Willey, Jr.

\* 41. Anna Sears married Amos Clark.

(See Clark Family)

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## SIMMS FAMILY



The Simms family were of Scotch Irish descent. They settled in Laurens District, South Carolina. James Houston Simms says his grandfather's name was Kelett. He married a sister of Governor Wallace of South Carolina.

His children were:

1. Esther, married Mr. Dunn, a Georgian, and had five children, 2 boys and 3 girls.  
(a) William Martin Dunn had a large family, 2 boys and 6 girls, one married Dr. Rand. Another Dr. McMahon. They lived in Cars Co. and moved to Stephenville, Texas.
2. A daughter married Wurtzbaugh and lived in Jefferson Co., Texas, in 1906. The oldest one was at that time in the Navy, a Captain on the staff of Admiral Eaton. Later given an appointment at Annapolis Naval Station.
3. James Houston Simms died in Mobile, Alabama. Had 4 or 5 children. His widow survived him many years. She was quite a literary woman, writing for Harper's Magazine.
4. William Martin Simms was killed in a war with the Creek Indians. His company was cut off and massacred. He with others in the company were buried in the public square of Greensboro, Alabama.
- \*5. John Wallace Simms was born 1813 in Laurens, District, S. C. The family moved to South Carolina and then on to Georgia when he was six years old and settled in the East bank of the Chatahoochie, an Indian Reservation, Cherokee, on the West bank. His mother was a sister of Rep. John Wallace of North Carolina. He married in 1852 in Independence, Missouri, Eliza Simpson Lipscomb, daughter of Dabney Lipscomb and Susanna Davis Lipscomb. He left home, when 15 years of age. He was gone four years and returned for a short visit and left, never to see any of his father's people or folks again. Adventurously he went to Mobile, Alabama, up the Mississippi river in 1830. Was up the Illinois River. He bought 32 dozen

eggs, 3 cents a dozen, being speculatively inclined. Later he moved to Independence, Missouri. It was there he met and married Eliza Simpson Lipscomb. He was in Santa Fe trade ten years and spent plenty of money, but his weakness was spending. Returned to New Mexico in 1851 and married in 1852. Went to California and returned by way of Isthmus and on up the Mississippi to West Point Landing, where Kansas City now stands.

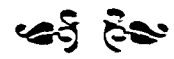
John Wallace Simms was in Mexico in 1846, during the war between this country and that, after having disposed of their goods. He was working with a trading company. He was under General Ward, having had years of freighting experience; he was given charge of the baggage department, as baggage master.

His children were:

1. Mary Elinor Simms, born 1854 Stocktown, California; m. Marcellus Carrico, resided in Louisiana. Joined the D.A.R. Her line is in Vol. 85 of the D.A.R. Lineage books.
2. Kate, born 1856.
3. James Houston, born June 16, 1858.
4. Audrey, born 1859.
- \*5. Georgia Simms, born 1860 in Sacramento, California, and died Dec. 31, 1892 in Wharton, Texas. Married Lucius Metullis McCain, who was born Jan. 18, 1850.  
(See McCain Family).
6. Jefferson Davis Simms, born 1861.

\* 5. Georgia Simms married Lucius Metullis McCain in St. Mary's, Texas. Their daughter Maud McCain was born Feb. 25, 1886 at Matagorda, Texas and died in Chicago, Ill. Sept. 14, 1941. Married Abner Clark Harding born Jan. 27, 1880 in Peoria, Ill. and died at New Orleans, La. (lost at sea. Married Nov. 2, 1903 in Chicago, Ill.  
(See Harding Family)

## SIMPSON FAMILY



RICHARD DUKE SIMPSON born 1770 North Carolina and died in 1853. He married in 1787 to Henrietta Williams born in 1770 in N.C. and died in 1842. She was the daughter of Col. John Williams a Revolutionary soldier and Elizabeth Williamson. (See Williams Family).

Their children were:

- \*2. I. Susanna Davis Simpson, died 1845; m. Dabney Lipscomb.
3. II. Henrietta Simpson, born 1804; m. John Harris.
4. III. Benjamin F. Simpson, m. Eliza C. Tarver.
5. IV. Duke.

## SMITH FAMILY



LT. SAMUEL SMITH came in the ship "Elizabeth" in 1634 from Ipswich, then by the Custom house records aged about 32, with wife Elizabeth 32, children Samuel 9, Elizabeth 7, Mary 4, and Philip 1. He was made a freeman Sept. 3, 1634. Was first perhaps at Watertown, Mass. Removed to Wethersfield, Conn. where he was a Representative in 1641-52. At almost all sessions, more than any other man, was in 1658 exempt from training. He removed to Hadley, Mass. where he was very highly reputed. Representative 1661 to 1673. Lieut. of Militia from 1663 to 1678. His widow Elizabeth died Mar. 16, 1685. He is supposed to have died in 1680, aged 78 years.

Their children were:

2. I. Samuel, born c 1625; m. Elizabeth Smith.
3. II. Elizabeth, born c 1627; m. Nathaniel Foote; m. (2) William Gull.
- \*4. III. Mary, born c 1630; m. John Graves.
5. IV. Philip, born c 1633; m. Rebecca Foote.
6. V. Chileab, born c 1635; m. Hannah Hitchcock.
7. VI. John, born c 1637; m. Mary Partridge.

\* 4. Mary Smith married John Graves.

(See Graves Family)

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## SNOW FAMILY



NICHOLAS SNOW came to America in the ship "Ann" in 1623 and had a share in the division of land in Plymouth, Mass. in 1624. He removed to Eastham, Mass. in 1645. He was a man of much note. He was made free-man in 1633. He with six others, Mr. Thomas Prentice, John Doane, Nicholas Snow, Josiah Cooke, Richard Higgins, John Smally and Edward Bangs, seven families in all, forty-nine souls, began the settlement of Eastham, Mass. which was first called Nauset, early in 1645. It is granted to be a township, and to have all the privileges of a township, and to have government as a town in 1646. Thus recognized a meeting of the inhabitants, duly convened, elected Nicholas Snow, town clerk, Josiah Cooke town constable, Nicholas Snow was town clerk for sixteen years. He was a Deputy from 1648, three years, and Selectman from 1663, seven years. He was one of Gov. Thomas Prentice's Associates. He died at Eastham, Mass., Nov. 15, 1676. He married in Plymouth, Constance Hopkins, daughter of Mr. Stephen Hopkins. They came on the "Mayflower". Bradford in his history of Plymouth Plantation, (Coll. of Mass. Historical Society, 4th Series Vol. 3 p. 448) gives in the list of the Mayflowerites:—"Mr. Stephen Hopkins, and Elizabeth his wife and two children called Giles and Constance, a daughter by a former wife, and two more by this wife called Damaris and Oceanus, the last was born at sea and two servants, called Edward Dotey and Edward Litster." In 1650 he writes: "Mr. Hopkins and his wife are now both dead, but they lived about 20 years in this place and had one son and four daughters born here."

Children of Nicholas and Constance (Hopkins) Snow were:

2. I. Mark, born May 9, 1628; m. Ann Cooke.
3. II. Mary, born c 1630.
4. III. Sarah, born c 1632.
5. IV. Joseph, born c 1634.
6. V. Stephen, born c 1636.

- 7. VI. John, born c 1638.
- \*8. VII. Elizabeth, born c 1640.
- 9. VIII. Jabez, born c 1642.
- 10. IX. Ruth, born c 1644.
- 11. X. Hannah, born c 1646.
- 12. XI. Rebecca, born c 1648.
- 13. XII. Unknown.

\* 8. Elizabeth Snow married Thomas Rogers.

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## STEBBINS FAMILY



EDWARD STEBBINS was of Cambridge, Mass. in 1633. He was made free-man on May 14, 1634 and removed to Hartford, Conn. where he was one of the original proprietors and was Representative often after 1639 to 1656. He had several children, but no sons. He died in 1663 and his widow whose name was Frances died ten years later.

Their children were:

2. I. Mary, m. Apr. 29, 1648 Walter Gaylord.
- \*3. II. Elizabeth, m. Robert Wilson; m. (2) Thomas Cadwell in 1658.
4. III. Lydia, m. Dea. John Wilson.
5. IV. A daughter, m. in England John Chester.

\* 3. Elizabeth Stebbins married Thomas Cadwell.

( See Cadwell Family)

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Savage Gen. Dict., vol. iv, p. 175.

## STEVENS FAMILY



JOHN STEVENS "Sergt." of Salisbury, Mass. Also "husbandman", probably born about 1611. Married Catherine——, who died July 31, 1682. He received from the first division of land in 1640 and 1645, land in Salisbury. He was a Commoner and taxed in 1650-52-64. Signed Petition of 1658 and 1680 Member of church in 1687. He died Feb. 1688. Will was made Apr. 17, 1686, and proven Nov. 26, 1689.

Their children were:

2. I. John, born Nov. 2, 1639; m. Feb. 17, 1669 Joanna Thorn.
3. II. Elizabeth, born Mar. 7, 1641; d. 1641.
4. III. Elizabeth, born Feb. 4, 1642; m. Oct. 14, 1661 Morris Tucker.
5. IV. Nathaniel, born Nov. 11, 1645; m. Mary ——; m. (2) Dec. 20, 1677 Mehitable Colcord.
- \*6. V. Mary, born 1647; m. Nov. 5, 1668 John Osgood; m. (2) Nathaniel Whittier.
7. VI. Benjamin, born Feb. 2, 1650; m. Oct. 23, 1673 Hannah Barnard.

\* 6. Mary Stevens married Nathaniel Whittier, on Aug. 26, 1685.

(See Whittier Family)

### REFERENCES:

Old Families of Salisbury & Amesbury, Mass. by Hoyt, pp. 325-26; Savage Gen. Dict., vol. iv.



## STURGIS FAMILY



The first mention of this name was in a French volume of a book published by Abbe MacGroghegan, which reads: "About the year 815, during the reign of Conor, who reigned fourteen years, Turgesius, a son of a King of Norway landed a formidable fleet on the north coast of Ireland and again about the year 835. The first authentic mention is in English History, when William De Turges had grants of land from Edward I, King of England, in the village of Turges, County of Northampton, afterwards called Northfield.

1. ROGER STURGES of Clipston, Northampton, England, married Alice. His will dated Nov. 10, 1530. He had son:

2. RICHARD<sup>2</sup> (*Roger*<sup>1</sup>) married in Clipston and had:

3. ROGER<sup>3</sup> (*Richard*,<sup>2</sup> *Roger*<sup>1</sup>) was of Clipston. He married Agnes—and had:

4. ROBERT<sup>4</sup> (*Roger*,<sup>3</sup> *Richard*,<sup>2</sup> *Roger*<sup>1</sup>) was buried at Faxon, Northampton Co. England Jan. 2, 1611 and had son:

5. PHILIP,<sup>5</sup> (*Robert*,<sup>4</sup> *Roger*,<sup>3</sup> *Richard*,<sup>2</sup> *Roger*<sup>1</sup>) was of Hannington, Northampton Co. England. His will dated 1615. He married twice. His second wife being Anne Lewis. By first wife he had:

6. EDWARD,<sup>6</sup> (*Philip*,<sup>5</sup> *Robert*,<sup>4</sup> *Roger*,<sup>3</sup> *Richard*,<sup>2</sup> *Roger*<sup>1</sup>) was born at Hannington, England. He came to New England about 1634, and settled in Sandwich, Mass. He was in Charlestown in 1634 and in Yarmouth, Cape Cod in 1639. He married first Elizabeth——. She died Feb. 14, 1691. He married second Apr. 20, 1692 Mary, widow of Zephaniah Rider. Edward Sturgis was Constable of Yarmouth in 1640-41. Member of Grand Inquest in 1650. Surveyor of Highways in 1651. Deputy to General Court 1672 and died at Sandwich, Mass. Oct. 1693.

Children of Edward and Elizabeth Sturgis were:

7. I. Alice, born England Dec. 23, 1619.
8. II. Maria, born Oct. 2, 1621.

9. III. Edward, born Apr. 10, 1624.
10. IV. Rebecca, born Feb. 17, 1636.
11. V. Samuel, born 1638.
12. VI. Thomas, born —; m. Abigail —.
13. VII. Mary, bapt. Jan. 1, 1646; m. Benjamin Gorham.
14. VIII. Elizabeth, born Apr. 20, 1648.
- \*15. IX. Sarah, married Joseph Gorham.
16. X. Hannah, married a Gray; m. (2) Jabez Gorham.

\* 15. Sarah Sturgis Married Joseph Gorham.

(See Gorham Family)

REFERENCES:

New England Families by Lewis Pub. Co., vol. i, p. 333; Savage Gen. Dict., vol. iv.

## THOMPSON FAMILY



WILLIAM THOMPSON had a grant of land in Dover in 1656, the same year that a dozen Scotchmen who had worked in the saw-mill at Kittery, Maine had their grants. His descendants are called Scotchmen, in the history of Kennebunkport. The grant of fifty acres made to William Thompson in 1656 lay beyond Cochecho log swamp and it was conveyed by John Thompson of Dover Nov. 8, 1715 to John Tuttle. In the conveyance it is declared to be land, granted to my father William Thompson, by the town of Dover. He married probably a daughter of John White, as he was presented at York Court for rebellion against his father-in-law John White. He died in 1676 and his wife died before 1676.

His children were:

- \*2. I. John, m. Sarah Woodman.
- 3. II. William, m. probably Mary Loving.
- 4. III. Robert, living with Tobey Hansen at Dover.
- 5. IV. James, m. Elizabeth Frye.
- 6. V. Alexander, m. Anna Curtis.
- 7. VI. Judith.

\*2. John<sup>2</sup> (*William<sup>2</sup>*) was born about 1659. He was of Oyster River. Married 1678-79 Sarah, daughter of Capt. John and Mary (Field) Woodman. In 1684 he gave bond to clear administration of father's estate. He deposes in 1719 aged 60 years. Mar. 30, 1708 John Thompson and brother James, sons of William Thompson, late of Kittery, conveyed the homestead at Cold Harbor in what is now Eliot, Maine to Francis Allen. His will was dated Apr. 12, 1733 and proved July 24, 1734. His wife Sarah survived him.

Their children were:

- \*8. I. John, m. Mary Davis.
- 9. II. Jonathan, m. Sarah Burnham.
- 10. III. Robert, m. Abigail Emerson.
- 11. IV. Sarah, m. Samuel Hill 1718.

\*8. John<sup>3</sup> (*John<sup>2</sup> William<sup>1</sup>*) was born in 1687, as a deposition shows. He married Mary, daughter of Ensign John Davis of Durham, N.H. who was admitted to church at Oyster River Sept. 25, 1718 by letter of dismission from Dover.

- 12. V. Hannah, m. Moses Stevens.
- 13. VI. Elizabeth, m. Hubbard Stevens.
- 14. VII. Mary, m. Eleazer Clark.

Their children were:

- 15. I. James, bapt. Mar. 21, 1717; m. Mary Clark.
- 16. II. Robert, bapt. Mar. 21, 1717; no record of marriage.
- 17. III. Patience, bapt. May 1719; no further record.
- 18. IV. Benjamin, a tanner, removed to Pembroke aft. 1757.
- 19. V. Seth, was in the Crown Point Expedition 1761.
- 20. VI. Nathaniel, bapt. May 29, 1726; m. Elizabeth Stevens.
- 21. VII. Ebenezer, bapt. Nov. 17, 1728.
- \*22. VIII. Sarah, born Jan. 5, 1724; m. July 8, 1747; Abraham Scales.

\* 22. Sarah Thompson married Abraham Scales.  
(See Scales Family)

REFERENCES:

Hist. of Durham, N.H., vol. ii, pp. 359-60; Gen. & Dict. of Me. & N.H. by Libby, p. 680;  
Old Families of Kittery, Maine by Stackpole, pp. 766-67.

## TILLIE FAMILY



JOHN TILLIE came in the "Mayflower" in 1620. He signed the Mayflower Compact. He resided at Plymouth, Mass. and took part in the explorations, and died from the exposure and hardships in the spring of 1621. He brought his wife and daughter Elizabeth, the wife died about the same time as he.

Their daughter was:

- \*2. I. Elizabeth Tillie married John Howland.

(See Howland Family)

### REFERENCES:

Pioneers of Mass. by Pope, p. 455; Mayflower Desc., vol. x, p. 23.

## TUTTLE FAMILY



JOHN TUTTLE the immigrant ancestor of the New Hampshire family, sailed from Bristol, England in the ship "Angel-Gabriel" in 1635. The vessel was wrecked at Pemafruid on the coast of Maine, Aug. 15, 1635. He went first to Ipswich, Mass. In 1640 his name appears among the first settlers of Dover, where he received lot No. 7 of the 20 acre lots. He was styled in the public records, "John Tuttle, Planter". He died intestate May 1663, leaving a widow Dorothy and three children.

Their children were:

2. I. A daughter, prob. Elizabeth; m. Capt. Philip Cromwell.
3. II. Thomas, accidentally killed by the fall of a tree, while a young lad.
- \*4. III. John, born 1646.
5. IV. Dorothy, married Capt. Samuel Tibbits.

\* 4. John<sup>2</sup> (*John*<sup>1</sup>) was a man of distinction in Civil and Military life. He filled successively every public office within the gift of the citizens of Dover. Was by appointment in 1695, Judge of their Majesties Court of Common Pleas. Selectman of Dover, 1686-87-88. Town Clerk from 1694 to 1717. Town Treasurer 1705. Member of the Provincial Assembly 1698-99-1705-6-7. Commissioner from Dover to the Convention of 1689, to confer about and resolve upon a method of Government within the Province. Member of the General Assembly 1698. Lieut. 1689. Captain 1692, and remained so for ten years. He died in 1720, leaving a large estate, his wife Mary survived him.

Their children were:

6. I. Mary, m. John Wallingford.
- \*7. II. John, killed by Indians May 7, 1699.
8. III. Sarah, m. Edward Cloutman.
9. IV. Elizabeth, m. Samuel Edgerly.
10. V. James, born Apr. 7, 1683; m. Rose Pinkham.
11. VI. Ebenezer.
12. VII. Thomas, b. Apr. 4, 1674; d. Apr. 26, 1699.

\* 7. John<sup>3</sup> (*John*<sup>2</sup>, *John*<sup>1</sup>) married Judith, daughter of Richard and Rose (Stoughton) Otis. Rose and her brother Sir Nicholas Stoughton were the only children of Anthony Stoughton Esq. in Surry, England.

John Tuttle held several offices. Ensign of the Dover Military Co. He was cut off in the prime of life by the hand of the Indian enemy, on the 7th of May 1712, while attending to some business at his Mill of the Cochecho. Accompanied by his eldest son, he was suddenly set upon by a party of Indians, who overpowered and slew him. Thomas the son escaped. This melancholy tragedy recalls in this connection, the fact that his wife Judith at the time of the "Great Massacre," in Dover in 1689, when her father, brother and sister were slain, and her father's garrison burned by the Indians was taken captive with her two sisters, all young girls, and carried away. But the Indians were overtaken by a party of soldiers at Conway, on their way to Canada, and Judith and her two sisters were rescued.

Children of John and Judith (Otis) Tuttle were:

13. I. Mary, born Jan. 7, 1697-8; m. James Canney.
14. II. Thomas, born Mar. 15, 1699; m. Mary Brackett.
15. III. Judith, born May 10, 1702; unmarried in 1734.
16. IV. John, born May 8, 1704; m. Elizabeth Nute.
- \*17. V. Nicholas, born July 27, 1708; d. 1793; m. Deborah Hunt; m. (2) Bethia Davis.
18. VI. Dorothy, born July 21, 1706; died young.
19. VII. James, born Feb. 9, 1710; d. June 9, 1790; m. Mary Allen.

\* 17. Nicholas<sup>4</sup> (*John*,<sup>3</sup> *John*,<sup>2</sup> *John*<sup>1</sup>) married first Deborah Hunt. He married second Bethia Davis. He settled in that part of Dover, which is now called Lee, N. H. He subsequently removed to Nottingham, where he died in 1793.

Their children were:

- \*20. I. George, born 1737; d. —; married Catherine Stevens.
21. II. Stolen, born Sept. 30, 1739; m. Lydia Stevens, sister of Catherine.
22. III. Nicholas, born —; m. Sarah Smart.
23. IV. Judith, m. Josiah Burleigh.
24. V. Elizabeth, m. Peter Stillings.
25. VI. Deborah, m. Moses Perkins.
26. VII. Keziah, m. Joseph Sanborn.

\* 20. George<sup>5</sup> (*Nicholas*,<sup>4</sup> *John*,<sup>3</sup> *John*,<sup>2</sup> *John*<sup>1</sup>) was born in 1737. He married Catherine Stevens and lived in Lee, N.H. He was Captain in the army of the Revolution and was with Gen. Gates at Saratoga in 1777, and for many years a member of the Legislature and Justice of the Peace. The late Rev. John Gil Tuttle was his grandson. He died Apr. 12, 1816.

Their daughter was:

27. I. Catherine, married John Gile, and had:
28. I. Catherine Gile, who married Joseph Stevens, and had:
29. I. Lydia Ann, who married Reuben Mathes or Mathews.

(See Mathes Family)

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New England Reg., vol. xxi, pp. 133-141; Tuttle Family by G. F. Tuttle, p. xxviii; Gen. & Dict. of Me. & N.H. Families, p. 700; Vital Records of Nottingham, & Lee, N.H.



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## WHITE FAMILY



ROBERT WHITE of Messing Co. Essex, England, yeoman, buried on June 17, 1617. He resided at Shelford from June 24, 1585 the date of his marriage to Bridget Allgar, baptized as "Brydgette Allgar, Mar. 11, 1562, daughter of William Allgar. The Baptism of nearly all the children of Robert White are recorded at Shelford, also the marriages of the two daughters. His will names wife Bridget, Sarah wife of James Boutell, Marie, wife of Joseph Lumis, Elizabeth wife of William Goodwin of Hartford, Bridgit and Ann, who were single and sons Nathaniel and John and Daniel.

Children of Robert and Bridget (Allgar) White were:

2. I. Mary, bapt. 1614.
3. II. Elizabeth, bapt. 1617; m. William Goodwin.
4. III. Sarah, m. James Boutell.
5. IV. Marie, m. Joseph Lumis.
6. V. Ann.
7. VI. Bridget.
8. VII. Nathaniel.
- \*9. VIII. John.
10. IX. Daniel.

\* 9. John<sup>2</sup> (*Robert*<sup>1</sup>) married Dec. 26, 1622 Mary Levitt, probably daughter of William Levitt, whose will in 1626 was witnessed by John White. He came with Elder William Goodwin in the ship "Lyon", which sailed about June 22, 1632 and arrived at Boston, Mass. on Sunday Sept. 16, 1632. He settled at Cambridge, Mass. His homelot being on the street then called Cow-yard Row, now occupied by Gov. Hall, of Harvard University. Admitted freeman Mar. 4, 1633, townsman 1635. He removed to Hartford, Conn. in 1636 with the Hooker company, where in 1642 he was a selectman. He removed to Hadley, Mass. where in 1659 he and other families founded the town, where he held many offices. He returned to Hartford in 1670 and died there Dec. 17, 1683.

Children of John and Mary (Levitt) White were:

11. I. Mary, born England c 1625; m. Jonathan Gilbert.
- \*12. II. Nathaniel, born England 1629; m. Elizabeth; m. (2) Mrs. Martha Mould.

13. III. John, born c 1632; m. Sarah Bunce.
14. IV. Daniel, born c 1638; m. Sarah Crowe.
15. V. Sarah, born c 1641; m. Stephen Taylor; m. (2) Barnabas Hinsdale; m. (3) Walter Hickson.
16. VI. Jacob, born Oct. 8, 1645; m. Elizabeth Bunce.

\* 12. Nathaniel<sup>3</sup> (*John*,<sup>2</sup> *Robert*<sup>1</sup>) was born in England about 1629. He removed in 1650 to Middletown Upper-houses, Conn. He acquired great influence, was the most prominent settler of all Middletown, and held a high position in the early colony. He was first chosen in 1659, to the Great and General Court, and from 1661 to 1710, he was chosen once and generally twice a year to sit in the Legislature of the colony, having been elected 85 times. In 1669 he was appointed by the Legislature a Magistrate, and Commissioner for Middletown. He rose to the rank of Captain, and then the North Train-band. His first wife's Christian name was Elizabeth, who died in 1690, aged about 65 years. Her tombstone is in Riverside cemetery at Middletown by the side of his own. He married second Mrs. Martha, widow of Hugh Mould of New London, Conn. and daughter of John Coit.

His children by first wife were:

17. I. Nathaniel, born July 7, 1652; m. Elizabeth Savage.
- \*18. II. Elizabeth, born Mar. 7, 1655; m. John Clark; d. Dec. 25, 1711.
19. III. John, born Apr. 9, 1657; m. Mary —; d. July 1748.
20. IV. Mary, born Apr. 7, 1659; m. Jacob Cornwall; m. (2) John Bacon.
21. V. Daniel, born Feb. 23, 1661; m. Susannah Mould.
22. VI. Sarah, born Jan. 22, 1664; m. John Smith.
23. VII. Jacob, born May 10, 1665; m. Deborah Shepard; m. (2) Rebecca Ranney; d. Mar. 29, 1738.
24. VIII. Joseph, born Feb. 20, 1667; m. Mary Mould.

\* 18. Elizabeth White married John Clark.

(See Clark Family)

#### REFERENCES:

Roderick White & Desc. by A. C. White, pp. 5-6; Middletown Upper Houses, Conn., pp. 713-714; Savage Gen. Dict., vol. iv.

## WHITE FAMILY



SERGT. JOHN White<sup>2</sup> (*Elder John*<sup>1</sup>) settled in Hatfield, Mass. His lot was on the east side of the Main street, the fifth from the south end of the original allotment. He was buried in Hatfield on Sept. 15, 1665, aged about 35 years. He married Sarah Bunce of Hartford and she married second Nicholas Worthington of Hatfield. She died in Hatfield, Mass. June 20, 1676.

Children of Sergt. John and Sarah (Bunce) White:

- \*3. Sarah, born Hartford; m. Feb. 2, 1678 John Graves.
- 4. John, married July 7, 1687 Hannah Wells.

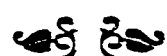
\* 3. Sarah White married John Graves.

(See Graves Family)

### REFERENCES:

Hist. of Hartford, Mass. by Wells, p. 451; Savage Gen. Dict., vol. iv.

## WHITTIER FAMILY



1. HENRY WHYTEAR of Landlord Co. Wilts, England. His will dated Mar. 10, 1583 and proved Aug. 22, 1584. His son:
2. RICHARD, born about 1550-60. Had children John b. bef. 1584, Joanna b. bef. 1584 and \* Richard born c 1585.
3. RICHARD<sup>3</sup> (*Richard*,<sup>2</sup> *Henry*<sup>1</sup>) was of Sarum, Salisbury Co. Wilts, England and born about 1585. He married at Whiteparish Co. Wilts Jan. 23, 1608 to Mary Rolfe, daughter of John and Honor Rolfe. She was baptized at Whitparish July 16, 1582.

Their children were:

4. I. Richard, living 1663, apparently remained in England.
5. II. John, living 1663, apparently remained in England.
- \*6. III. Thomas, born c 1620, came to New England in 1638.

\* 6. Thomas<sup>4</sup> (*Richard*,<sup>3</sup> *Richard*,<sup>2</sup> *Henry*<sup>1</sup>) was born in England, about 1620. He died at Haverhill, Mass. Nov. 28, 1696. He married Ruth Green, who died at Haverhill July 1710. Nothing is known of her parentage. He was given liberty to make three barrels of tar at Salisbury, Mass. early in 1649.

Their children were:

7. I. Mary, born Salisbury, Mass., Aug. 9, 1647; m. Benjamin Page.
8. II. John, born Dec. 23, 1649; m. Mary Hoyt.
9. III. Ruth, born Aug. 9, 1651; m. Joseph True.
10. IV. Thomas, born Jan. 12, 1653; d. Haverhill, Mass., Oct. 1728.
11. V. Susannah, born Mar. 27, 1656; m. Jacob Morrill.
- \*12. VI. Nathaniel, born Aug. 11, 1658; m. Mary (Stevens) Osgood; m. (2) Mary (Brackett) Ring.
13. VII. Hannah, born Sept. 10, 1660.
14. VIII. Richard, born June 7, 1663; d. Haverhill, Mass., Mar. 5, 1724.

\* 12. Nathaniel<sup>5</sup> (*Thomas*,<sup>4</sup> *Richard*,<sup>3</sup> *Richard*,<sup>2</sup> *Henry*<sup>1</sup>) was born at Haverhill, Mass. Aug. 11, 1658 and died at Salisbury, Mass. July 18, 1722. He married at Salisbury Aug. 26, 1685 Mary (Stevens) Osgood, who was born in 1647 and died at Salisbury in May 11, 1705. She was daughter of John and Catherine Stevens of Salisbury. He married second at Salisbury June 1710, Mary (Brackett) Ring of Falmouth (Portland, Me.) and died at Salisbury, Mass. July 19, 1742.

- 15. IX. Elizabeth, born Nov. 21, 1666; m. James Sanders.
- 16. X. Joseph, born May 8, 1669; m. Mary Peaslee.

His children by first wife were:

- \*17. I. Reuben, born Mar. 17, 1685; m. Deborah Pillsbury.
- 18. II. Ruth, born Oct. 14, 1688; m. Benjamin Green.

\* 17. Reuben<sup>6</sup> (*Nathaniel*,<sup>5</sup> *Thomas*,<sup>4</sup> *Richard*,<sup>3</sup> *Richard*,<sup>2</sup> *Henry*<sup>1</sup>) was born at Salisbury, Mass. Mar. 17, 1685-6 and died at Salisbury Nov. 17, 1722. He married at Newbury, Mass. Dec. 19, 1682 Deborah, daughter of William Pillsbury born July 27, 1656 and his wife Mary Kenny or Kenney. She married second Sept. 24, 1725 as his third wife Zachariah Eastman.

Children of Reuben and Deborah (Pillsbury) Whittier:

- 19. I. Mary, born Sept. 25, 1709; m. Samuel French.
- 20. II. Nathaniel, born Aug. 12, 1711; m. Hannah Clough.
- 21. III. William, born Nov. 20, 1714; m. Phebe Morrill; m. (2) Sarah Huntington.
- 22. IV. Reuben, born Apr. 28, 1717; m. Mary Flanders.
- 23. V. Richard, born Apr. 28, 1717, twin; m. Tabitha Piper; m. (2) Mary Chase.
- 24. VI. Joseph, born May 2, 1721; m. Martha Evans.
- \*25. VII. Benjamin, born Mar. 4, 1722; m. Abigail Stevens.

\* 25. Benjamin<sup>7</sup> (*Reuben*,<sup>6</sup> *Nathaniel*,<sup>5</sup> *Thomas*,<sup>4</sup> *Richard*,<sup>3</sup> *Richard*,<sup>2</sup> *Henry*<sup>1</sup>) was born at Salisbury, Mass. Mar. 4, 1722 and died at Nottingham, N.H. Feb. 22, 1803. He married Nov. 20, 1744 Abigail Stevens, who was born Aug. 3, 1726 and died at Nottingham, N.H. Dec. 29, 1785.

Their children were:

- 26. I. Sarah, born Oct. 12, 1746; m. ——— Bonfield.
- \*27. II. Anna, born May 10, 1748; m. Gideon Matthews.
- 28. III. Benjamin, born Mar. 17, 1750; m. Mary Shepard.
- 29. IV. Nathaniel, born Nov. 30, 1751; m. Sarah Harvey.
- 30. V. Reuben, born July 10, 1754; m. a Harvey.
- 31. VI. Jonathan, born July 11, 1756; m. Mary Pike.
- 32. VII. William, born July 15, 1758; m. Polly Eliot; m. (2) Anna Sanborn.
- 33. VIII. Abigail, born Mar. 10, 1763; m. Nehemiah Bartlett.

\* 27. Anna Whittier married Gideon Matthews.  
(See Matthews Family)

#### REFERENCES:

Thomas Whittier & His Desc. by C. C. Whittier, pp. 12-35; Old Families of Salisbury & Amesbury, Mass. by Hoyt, pp. 258-59; Granite Monthly of N.H., vol. iv, pp. 336-337.

## WILLARD FAMILY



GEORGE WILLARD, younger brother of Major Simon Willard was baptized Dec. 4, 1614 at Horsmonden, Kent England. He came to New England as early as 1638, and perhaps at the same time, as his older brother in 1634. We find no record of him anywhere in the colony till the winter of 1638-39, when he was one of the citizens of Scituate, Mass. where he took the Oath of Allegiance on Feb. 1, 1639. He removed to Maryland, where in the land records at Baltimore on Jan. 9, 1652 George Willard demandeth 200 acres of land for transporting himself and Samuel and Daniel his sons, and John Rele his servant. He purchased land in Nottingham, Maryland. The records of Maryland have been searched in vain for any other token of him till after his decease. Then the probate records have the following in the Annals of the year 1656: "Whereas George Willard deceased, is indebted by account unto William Stevens the summe of one hundred pounds of tobacco. It is ordered that the said debt be satisfied out of the estate of the said George Willard deceased."

His children were:

- \*2. I. Deborah, bapt. at Scituate, Mass., Sept. 14, 1645. She came from Maryland to Yarmouth, Mass., and married Paul Sears.
3. II. Daniel, bapt. Sept. 14, 1645; m. Esther Matthews.
4. III. Joshua, born c 1650; no further record.
5. IV. Jacob, born c 1652.
6. V. Samuel, mentioned in Maryland records.

\* 2. Deborah Willard married Paul Sears.

(See Sears Family)

### REFERENCES:

Willard Genealogy by C. H. Pope, pp. 10-14; Savage Gen. Dict., vol. iv.

## WILLIAMS FAMILY



The founder of this family was JOHN WILLIAMS born in Wales Jan. 26, 1679 and his wife Mary—— born in Wales Sept. 26, 1684. They lived in Hanover, Va. Their son:

2. Daniel<sup>2</sup> (*John*<sup>1</sup>) resided at Old Fork Church, Hanover Co., Va. He married Ursula and had:
3. Col. John<sup>3</sup> (*Daniel*<sup>2</sup>, *John*<sup>1</sup>) was a distinguished Jurist. He married in 1763 Elizabeth Williamson and had:
4. Henrietta, born 1770. Married 1887 Richard Duke Simpson, and had:
5. Susanna Davis Simpson, who married Dabney Lipscomb.

(See Lipscomb Family)

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Va. Magazine, vol. iii, pp. 327-8; King Mountains and It's Heroes by L. C. Drapper, pp. 465-66.



## WILSON FAMILY



LIEUT. JOHN WILSON, the first of the line in America was born in 1631. He was the youngest son of Roger Wilson and his wife Mary (Fuller) and the only one who came to America. He made the journey in 1651. Fought as a Lieut. in the Indian Wars and proved himself a most worthy man. He died in 1691. He was twice married and his second wife was buried in the Old Seekonk cemetery. His children were born in Woburn, Mass. as follows:

2. I. Samuel, born Dec. 29, 1658; m. Elizabeth Pierce Feb. 24, 1682.
3. II. Abigail, born Aug. 8, 1666.
4. III. Elizabeth, born Aug. 6, 1668; m. 1685 Isaac Hildreth.
- \*5. IV. Benjamin, born Oct. 15, 1670.
6. V. Hannah, born May 31, 1672; died young.
7. VI. John, born Jan. 3, 1674.
8. VII. Hannah, born Dec. 28, 1676; died young.
9. VIII. Hannah, born Mar. 11, 1677.
10. IX. Susannah, born Mar. 12, 1679.

\* 5. Benjamin<sup>2</sup> (*John*<sup>1</sup>) removed from Woburn to Rehoboth, Mass. after the death of his father in 1691, and became a man of property, and is often alluded to in the records of Rehoboth. He was twice married there, and had eighteen children all born in Rehoboth.

Children by his first wife:

11. I. Jonathan, born Nov. 8, 1698; died young.
12. II. Rebecca, born Jan. 20, 1701.
13. III. Hannah, born Oct. 7, 1702.
14. IV. Frances, born Sept. 7, 1704.
15. V. Elizabeth, born Sept. 7, 1706.
16. VI. Samuel, born Jan. 5, 1708.
17. VII. Ruth, born Apr. 7, 1710.
18. VIII. Bethiah, born Dec. 4, 1711.
19. IX. Abigail, born Aug. 30, 1713.
- \*20. X. Mary, born Oct. 17, 1714.

\* 20. Mary Wilson married Ebenezer Cole.

21. XI. Sarah, born Feb. 23, 1729.

Children by second wife were:

22. XII. John, born Oct. 29, 1733.  
23. XIII. Lucas, born Aug. 16, 1735.  
24. XIV. Anna, born Apr. 26, 1737.  
25. XV. Benjamin, born Apr. 11, 1739.  
26. XVI. Jonathan, born Apr. 7, 1740.  
27. XVII. Ezekiel, born May 11, 1744.  
28. XVIII. Chloe, born June 23, 1746.

(See Cole Family)

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## WOODMAN FAMILY



EDWARD WOODMAN baptized in Corsham, Wiltshire, England Dec. 27, 1606, the son of Edward and Olive (Mallott) Woodman. He came over in the ship "James" embarking April 6th and arriving June 3, 1635. He settled at Newbury, Mass. and was one of the prominent men in the history of the town of Newbury. He was Representative several times to the General Court.

His wife's name was Joanna.

Their son:

John<sup>2</sup> (*Edward*<sup>1</sup>) was born in England in 1630. He married July 15, 1656 Mary, daughter of Darby Field of Oyster River Point. He had a grant of land soon after, which is recorded in Dover town book of (20 acres). He built his Garrison on an elevated spot with commanding view, where it could be easily defended. The unsuccessful attack of 1694 was the proof of his wisdom. He was Captain and Representative in 1684. He died Sept. 17, 1706. His first wife died July 6, 1698, and he married second Oct. 17, 1700 widow Sarah Burnham, Huckins.

His children by first wife were:

3. I. John, born —; died June 10, 1705.
4. II. Mary, married Edward Small.
- \*5. III. Sarah, married John Thompson.
6. IV. Jonathan, married Elizabeth Downing.

\* 5. Sarah Woodman married John Thompson.

(See Thompson Family)

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