

# The Descendants of Thomas Kimber

A GENEALOGICAL HISTORY OF THE  
DESCENDANTS OF THOMAS KIMBER  
OF DOWN AMPNEY, NEAR CIREN-  
CESTER, GLOUCESTERSHIRE  
ENGLAND



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KIMBER ARMS — ARGENT THREE CORNISH  
CHOUGHS SABLE BEAKS AND LEGS GULES ON A CHIEF  
OF THE SECOND AS MANY MULLETS OF THE FIRST  
CREST — A BULL'S HEAD AFFRONTÉE PROPER  
MOTTO — FRANGAS NON FLECTES\*

\* You may break but you cannot bend me



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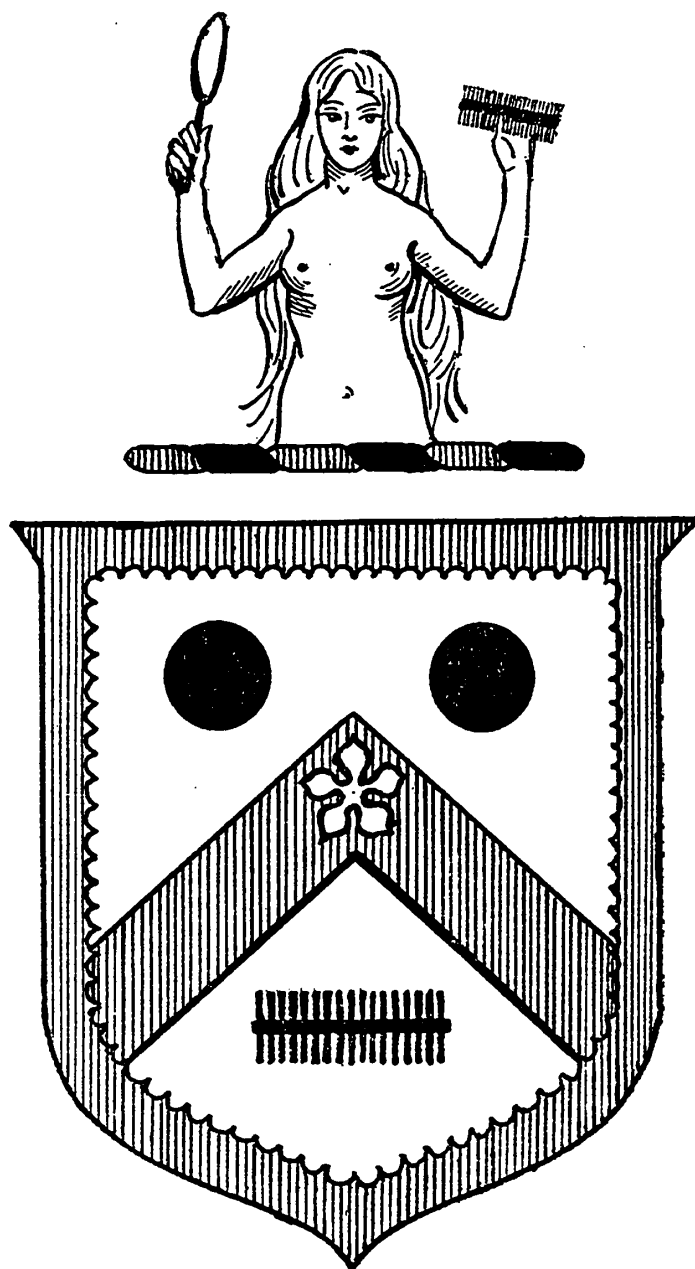
## NOTES ON THE NAME OF KIMBER

THE registers of births, marriages, and deaths began to be kept in England about 1550. The earliest of these records were usually written in Latin, and in many cases are now almost illegible. It is common to find the name of a person spelled in different ways. Thus Edmund, Edward, and Edmond are sometimes confused. Further, we find a variation in the surname in these old records. Kimber, Kember, Kymber, Kimmer, Cimber, Comber, and even Camber are all synonymous. For instance, we read in a record of 1603 that Robert Kimber was the son of Edmund Kember

The earliest record of the name in England so far found is given in "Inquisitions" of Devonshire, where Joan, daughter of Elias de Kymbeare, married Peter Hylioun, 20 May, 13, Edward II (1320); and the same family is mentioned in a "Visitation of Cornwall," where Elizabeth, daughter and heiress of Richard Kimbere, of Trewalward, in the county of Cornwall, married, in 1454, Sir Henry Kelly. Her grandfather was John, and her great-grandfather was Elias de Kimbere. Elias, therefore, was born before 1300. The prefix *de* suggests a place name.

In his "Patronymica Cornu-Britannica," R. S. Charnock says that Kimber, Kymber (Kember?) is from the place South Kimber in Cornwall, and that in Cornish the word *KŪM-BER* means a little valley. He also says that in local names Comb, Combe, Coombe, Cumber, as shown by the places Combe, Ilfracombe, Chilcomb, Comb Basset, etc., is the Anglo-Saxon *comb*, a low place enclosed with hills. Such names abound in the south-western part of England.

There is little doubt but that the Kimbers are an ancient Cornish-British family, having their first home in Cornwall or Devonshire, opposite the Brittany shore of France. In bearing out this theory it is to be noted that one John Kimber was granted a coat of arms in 1499, the



THE ARMS OF JOHN KIMBER CONFIRMED  
14TH HENRY VII (1499)

ARMS — (the color of the field is not given), on a chevron gules between two pellets in chief and a comb in base sable a cinquefoil argent all within a Bordure engrailed of the second.

CREST — On a wreath of the colours a demi-mermaid proper crined or holding in her dexter hand a glass and in her sinister hand a comb sable.



crest being that of a demi-mermaid holding a comb and mirror. A very pretty Cornish legend is connected with this device, and it may not be out of place to narrate it here, and to consider if said John Kimber was influenced by the legend and the carving in the church (illustrated here), when he selected his crest. The legend follows:

#### THE MERMAID OF ZENNOR

"Carved on one of the pews in the church of Zennor in West Cornwall, about five miles from St. Ives, is a strange figure of a mermaid. Depicted with flowing hair, a mirror in one hand and a comb in the other, the Zennor folk tell a strange story about her.

"Years and years ago, they say, a beautiful and richly dressed lady used to attend the church sometimes. Nobody knew where she came from, although her unusual beauty and her glorious voice caused her to be the subject of discussion throughout the parish.

"So attractive was she that half the young men of the village fell in love with her, and one of them, Mathey Trewella, a handsome youth and one of the best singers in the neighborhood, determined that he would discover who she was.

"The beautiful stranger had smiled at him in church one Sunday, and after service he followed her as she walked away towards the cliffs.

"Mathey Trewella never returned to Zennor, nor did the lovely stranger ever attend church again.

"Years passed by, and Mathey's strange disappearance was almost forgotten when, one Sunday morning, a ship cast anchor off Pendower Cove, near Zennor. The captain of the vessel was sitting idling on the deck when he heard a beautiful voice hailing from the sea. Looking over the side he saw the mermaid, her long yellow hair floating all around her.

"She asked him to be so kind as to pull up his anchor, for it was resting upon the doorway of her house under the sea and she was anxious to get back to Mathey, her husband, and her children.

"In alarm, the captain weighed anchor and stood out to sea, for sailors fear that mermaids will bring bad luck. But later he returned and told the Zennor folk of Mathey's fate, and they, to commemorate the strange event, and to warn other young men against the wiles of the mermaids, had the mermaid figure carved on one of the bench-ends in the church.



"And there it is today for all the world to see."

The other theory of the selection of this crest is that it was common in those days to make pictorial puns on family names (the early printers were particularly addicted to this pleasantry). Now the old

English *kemb* means to comb, the form still being in use in the poetic phrase "unkempt locks." The comb in the mermaid's hand and the comb on the shield decidedly suggest a play on the name Kember-Kimber, as indeed they also indicate another possible derivation of the name, for it must be borne in mind that in the west (particularly in Gloucestershire) there was a great wool industry, West of England cloth being famous. An authority on names says that a female comber of wool was known as a *kemster*. What an easy transition to apply the name *kember* to a male comber, until he finally acquires a trade name—Kember.

Further, to show the plausibility of the Cornish origin it is to be noted that the coat of arms used as a frontispiece to this work depicts three Cornish choughs (a species of crow) on the base of the shield. When Sir Henry Kimber of London was created a baronet in 1904, he revived these arms with minor changes.

The chief town of the French department of Finisterre, Quimper, anciently the capital of Cornouailles, lies across the English Channel from Cornwall. In Bas-Breton, Quimper is found written Kimper, Kemper, and Qemper.

The Kimbers from 1500 to 1800 lived chiefly in the middle southwest and south of England. In Berkshire, about seventy-five years ago, where the ratio of Kimbers to the population was highest, the proportion was 20 to 10,000.

Early in the eighteenth century they began to emigrate. In America especially and Australia there are many branches whose ancestral home is England. It is amusing to note an exception. A 'family of color' living in Lynn, Massachusetts, in 1882-86 and bearing the rather common name of Kimball, saw fit by 1889 to change it to Kimber!

## THE DESCENDANTS OF THOMAS KIMBER

THIS genealogy begins with Thomas Kimber, who lived in Down Ampney, a village of Gloucestershire, about six miles south-east from the old Roman town of Cirencester, and about three and a half miles south-west from the village of Fairford to which place the family removed from Down Ampney. Eastleach is four miles north-east from Fairford.

The records immediately following this note were extracted from the Parish Records in the Church at Down Ampney by Mr. Edmund Kimber (No. 38 herein) of Avening, near Stroud, Glos., in 1851, for Mr. Thomas Kimber of Richmond Hill, Long Island, N. Y., and were verified in 1899 by the late Rev. Arthur C. Kimber (No. 92 herein) of New York.

While it is possible that this branch may trace its ancestry to Edmund, who died July 5, 1636, the records are not sufficient to warrant any such assumption

Besides the records above referred to Mr. Thomas Kimber had two water-color sketches made—one of the Down Ampney Church and the other of what was then known as the old “Kimber House.” These paintings came into the possession of the late Mr. Anthony M. Kimber of Newport, R. I., and it was through his kindness that it is now possible to make reproductions of them. Both Edmund and Thomas became convinced that their respective branches of the family had a common ancestral home in Down Ampney. Of the church, Edmund said “where our fathers worshipped, first as Catholics for centuries, afterwards as devoted members of the Church of England, so fierce, that when one of their number joined the Friends and went over two hundred years ago to Pennsylvania, they turned his portrait face to the wall where it hangs to this day as the only member of the family who ever disgraced it by joining a dissenting congregation.”\* In a letter written in 1890, forty years later, Thomas Kimber, in referring to this tradition, said that

\* From a letter to Mr. Anthony M. Kimber from his brother Thomas.

Edmund had told him the place where the portrait was then hanging was (he thought) Wantage, Berks, 30 miles off (from Down Ampney). Traditions are usually unreliable, though they may be founded on fact. In this connection it is interesting to note that the first Kimber name so far found in the Pennsylvania records is that of Thomas Kimber, a Quaker, who in 1692 voted in favor of one Keith at a religious trial held in Burlington, Pa. No further trace of him has been found.

Subsequent researches have indeed determined that the ancestor in Pennsylvania of Thomas Kimber of Richmond Hill was a Quaker. He was Richard Kimber, who was born in Wantage, and who died in Bradford, Chester Co., Pa., in 1753. No connection has yet been found between the Down Ampney and Wantage families, though they were probably related.

#### DOWN AMPNEY RECORDS

1603,	Apr. 14,	Alicia Kimber, buried.
1603,	Oct. 2,	Robert Kimber, son of Edmund Kember, baptized.
1609,	—	Edmund Kember, Churchwarden.
1620,	—	Edmund Kember, Churchwarden.
1622,	Mar. 9,	Thomas Kimber, buried.
1623,	July 12,	Thomas Kimber and Alicia House married.
1627,	May 19,	Edmund Kember, son of Thomas Kember, baptized.
1631,	—	Alicia, dau. of Thomas Kimber, baptized.
1632,	—	Edmond Kimber, Churchwarden.
1635,	Sept. 20,	Edith Kember, dau. of Thomas Kember and Alice, baptized.
1636,	July 5,	Edmund Kember, Senior (or Senex), buried.
1639,	May 12,	Joahanna otherwise Joano Kember, dau. of Thomas Kember, baptized.
1642,	Mar. 15,	Elizabeth Kember, baptized.
1643,	—	Wm. Kimber of Marston married Bridgetta King.
1644,	—	Thomas, Kember, Churchwarden.
1650,	June 19,	Elizabetha Kember, wife of Edmund Kimber, died.
1664 or 1665,	May 2,	Alicia Kember, widow, died. (The date is obscure.)
1686,	Sept. 2,	Edward, son of Edmund Kember, baptized.
1688,	June 27,	Thomas, son of Edmund Kember and Katherine, baptized.
1691,	Jan. 17,	William, son of Edward Kember and Catherine, baptized.



CHURCH AT DOWN AMPNEY  
Gloucestershire, England



THE KIMBER HOUSE, DOWN AMPNEY  
From a water-color drawing made in 1851 for Thomas Kimber of Richmond Hill, Long Island N. Y.



1695,	Sept. 21,	John, son of Edward Kember and Katherine, baptized.
1698,	Mar. 10,	Mary, dau. of Edward Kember and Catherine, baptized.
1702,	Oct. 31,	Edward Kember, buried. Yeoman beneath the superior rate, common rate paid by his widow Katherine.
1712,	Apr. 22,	Mary Kember, buried.
1714,	May 1,	Edward, son of Thomas and Sarah Kimmer, baptized.
1715,	Sept. 3,	William, son of Edward and Elizabeth Kimmer, baptized.
1717,	Aug. 15,	Edmund, son of Edward and Elizabeth Kimmer, baptized.
1719,	Jan. 6,	Elizabeth, dau. of Edward and Elizabeth Kimmer, baptized.
1735,	Aug. 6,	Catherine, dau. of William and Mary Kimmer, baptized.
1736,	Mar. 11,	William, son of William and Mary Kimmer, baptized.
1742-3,	Feb. 6,	Elizabeth, wife of Edward Kimmer, buried.
1744,	Jan. 1,	John Kimmer, buried.
1751,	Aug. 25,	Mary, dau. of William and Mary Kimber, baptized.
1753,	Sept. 7,	Mary, dau. of William and Mary Kimber, buried.
1760,	Dec. 25,	William Kimber, buried.
1762,	May 14,	Edward Kimber, son of Edward and Elizabeth Kimber, buried.
1762,	Aug. 31,	Mary Kimber, widow, buried.
1766,	Apr. 17,	Edward Kimber, buried.
1775,	Mar. 15,	Catherine, dau. of William and Amy Kimber of Shorncot, buried.
1779,	Mar. 30,	Thomas Kimber of North Cerney, buried.
1782,	Aug. 7,	William Kimber, buried.
1786,	Aug. 15,	Hester, wife of William Kimber, buried.





## THE DESCENDANTS OF THOMAS KIMBER

### I

THOMAS KIMBER (of Down Ampney)

b. about 1598, m. Alicia House, July 12, 1623. Churchwarden,  
1644.

#### CHILDREN

- 2     I   EDMOND, baptized May 19, 1627.
- 3     II   ALICIA, baptized 1631.
- 4     III   EDITHA, baptized Sept. 20, 1635.
- 5     IV   JOAHANNA or JOANO, baptized May 12, 1639.
- 6     V   ELIZABETH, baptized March 5, 1642.

### 2

EDMOND KIMBER

(Thomas<sup>1</sup>), b. May 13, 1627 in Down Ampney, m. about 1652, d  
about 1699.

#### CHILDREN

- 7     I   EDMUND, b. about 1656, d. 1702.

### 7

EDMUND (also known as EDWARD)

(Edmond<sup>2</sup> Thomas<sup>1</sup>), b. about 1656 in Down Ampney, m. about 1685  
Katherine who was b. about 1662 and d. about 1732. He d. Oct. 31,  
1702. In the burial record he is described "Yeoman beneath the superior  
rate."

#### CHILDREN

- 8     I   EDWARD, b. August 27, 1686, m. Elizabeth (b. 1687, d. 1742).  
He d. 1766. Had a son John, b. 1717, d. 1762.
- 9     II   THOMAS, b. June 21, 1688.
- 10   III   WILLIAM, b. Jan. 11, 1691, d. Dec. 23, 1760.
- 11   IV   JOHN, b. Sept. 20, 1695, d. Dec. 29, 1743 or Dec. 30, 1744.  
Discrepancy between record and grave-stone.
- 12   V   MARY, baptized March 10, 1698, d. April 20, 1712.

### THOMAS KIMBER

(Edmund<sup>7</sup>, Edmond<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>) b. June 21, 1688 in Down Ampney, m. in Fairford (Glos.) Church, May 1, 1712, by license, to Sarah Betterton. He d. Nov. 28, 1784.

#### CHILDREN

- 13 I EDWARD, baptized May 1, 1714 at Down Ampney.
- 14 II JOHN, baptized Aug. 5, 1716.
- 15 III THOMAS, baptized Aug. 22, 1718.
- 16 IV SARAH, baptized Mar. 2, 1720, m. 1746 by license to Thomas Davies.

### WILLIAM KIMBER

(Edmund<sup>7</sup>, Edmond<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>), baptized Jan. 17, 1691, in Down Ampney Church, buried in Down Ampney, Dec. 25, 1760, m. Mary —. She buried Aug. 31, 1762.

#### CHILDREN

- 17 I WILLIAM, b. Mar. 4, 1736.

### JOHN KIMBER (of Fairford)

(Thomas<sup>9</sup>, Edmund<sup>7</sup>, Edmond<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>), b. Aug. 5, 1716, m. 1st. about 1739, Elizabeth who d. 1769. He m. 2dly Mary. The gravestone is inscribed Mr. John Kimber. He d. Dec. 8, 1787. In the Gentleman's Magazine obituary notice his business is given as mealman of Fairford.

#### CHILDREN

- 18 I JOHN, b. 1740, d. Nov. 4, 1760.
- 19 II HANNAH,
- 20 III WILLIAM, m. May 18, 1769, Susannah Cryer by license.
- 21 IV TIMOTHY, b. 1746, d. 1816.
- 22 V JAMES,
- 23 VI EBENEZER, d. in infancy.

### WILLIAM KIMBER

(William<sup>10</sup>, Edmund<sup>7</sup>, Edmond<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>), b. Mar. 4, baptized Mar. 11, 1736 at Down Ampney. d. at Sapperton, Glos., Oct. 3, 1793, m. Amy Jenner at Castle Eaton (?) May 26, 1736 and d. at Park Arner (?), May 28, 1786.

#### CHILDREN, born at Shorncot.

- 24 I AMY, b. June 16, 1763.
- 25 II MARY, b. Aug. 17, 1766.



TIMOTHY KIMBER

b. 1746, d. 1816



FRANCES KIMBER

b. 1749, d. 1819

From miniatures made in 1801 and 1811 respectively, and now owned  
by Mrs. Clara E. Kimber of Palo Alto, California.



- 26 III ELIZABETH, b. Jan. 2, 1768.  
 27 IV KATHERINE, b. July 16, 1769, buried Mar. 15, 1775 at Down Ampney.  
 28 V ANN, b. May 15, 1771.  
 29 VI WILLIAM, b. June 5, 1773, d. Nov. 7, 1855, aged 82.  
 30 VII EDMUND, b. May 1, 1776, d. Oct. 14, 1856, aged 80. Unmarried.  
 31 VIII THOMAS, b. May 23, 1778, d. Sept. 1, 1857, aged 79.  
 The last three with the father and mother were buried in Sapperton Churchyard.

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TIMOTHY KIMBER

(John<sup>14</sup>, Thomas<sup>9</sup>, Edmund<sup>7</sup>, Edmond<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>), of Fairford, b. 1746 (according to grave-stone), m. Dec. 21, 1767, Frances Turner, a minor of Fairford, (or Hatherop, or as some say of Shipton, near Oxford) with consent of parents by license. She b. 1749 and d. Nov. 3, 1819. He d. 1816.

CHILDREN

- 32 I JOHN, b. 1769.  
 33 II ELIZABETH FRANCES, b. 1781, d. June 4, 1858.

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WILLIAM KIMBER

(William<sup>17</sup>, William<sup>10</sup>, Edmund<sup>7</sup>, Edmond<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>), b. June 5, 1773 at Shorncot (Sharncott, Wiltshire, close to the Glos. border), m. Esther Plain.(?)

CHILDREN

- 34 I GEORGE, b. , m. Mary Harris, res. Mo.  
 35 II WILLIAM, b. , d. when a young man.  
 36 III RICHARD, b. . Issue: Rev. Ernest E. who d. leaving one dau. Katherine, unmarried, and Anne, married, three children. (Res. England).  
 37 IV SUSAN, b. , m. Wm. Bennett, res. Michigan. Issue: one son, two dau.  
 38 V EDMUND, b. about 1820, m. . (Res. Avening House, Stroud, Glos.) He d. 1906 without issue. He left a large estate to his nephew, Rev. Ernest E. Kimber, Episcopalian minister, son of Richard (above).  
 39 VI MARY, b. , m. — Moore, three children, res. England.  
 40 VII JOHN, b. , m. . One dau., Frances. (Res. Chicago.)  
 41 VIII ANN, b. , m. Wm. Shergold.  
 42 IX FREDERICK FRANCIS, b. Feb. 18, 1825, d. Nov. 2, 1892.

## THOMAS KIMBER

(William<sup>17</sup>, William<sup>10</sup>, Edmund<sup>7</sup>, Edmond<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>), of Sapperton, Glos. Farmer, b. May 23, 1778, d. Sept. 1, 1857, m. Ann Hewes, dau. of Henry Hewes of Coates, Glos. She d. June 7, 1823.

## CHILDREN

- 43 I JANE, b. 1812, d. May 8, 1877. (Res. Frampton Mancell, Glos.)
- 44 II ESTHER, b. 1814, d. Dec. 22, 1859.
- 45 III WILLIAM, b. Feb. 28, 1816, d. Oct. 13, 1852.
- 46 IV HENRY, b. April, 1818, d. Sept. 13, 1831.
- 47 V CHARLES, b. 1818 (?) (Res. Australia.)
- 48 VI SARAH, b. Mar., 1820, m. John Allen. (Res. London in 1890, in Sapperton, Glos. in 1899.)

## JOHN KIMBER

(Timothy<sup>21</sup>, John<sup>14</sup>, Thomas<sup>9</sup>, Edmund<sup>7</sup>, Edmond<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>) of Butherop (Botherop, Bouthrop), Eastleach Martin, Glos., b. 1769 (stone) d. Aug. 6, 1822 at Eastleach, Glos. He m. Mary Pegler about 1793. She was born 1773 in Bledington, Glos., and d. Feb. 22, 1824 in Eastleach Martin.

## CHILDREN, all born in England.

- 49 I MARY, b. Oct. 10, 1794, d. Feb. 21, 1802.
- 50 II ELIZABETH, b. June 22, 1796, m. Jan. 22, 1825, Joseph Collins. She d. Jan. 15, 1867, buried in Bampton Churchyard. Issue: Mary Elizabeth (Mrs. Joseph Plaster of Bampton), Thomas John, and Elizabeth Frances.
- 51 III FRANCES ANN, b. May 9, 1798, m. Jan. 22, 1825—Digger, of Shipscomb, d. April 30, 1825 without issue.
- 52 IV SARAH, b. Mar. 17, 1800, m. Oct. 29, 1823 William Andrews of Bampton, d. 1857, buried in Bampton Churchyard. Issue: John, James, Charles, Amelia (Mrs. Cecoli).
- 53 V JOHN, b. Sept. 7, 1801, d. about 1878 without issue. Buried in Butherop by the side of his father and mother.
- 54 VI TIMOTHY, b. Jan. 20, 1803, d. April, 1872.
- 55 VII JAMES, b. July 21, 1804, d. March, 1819.
- 56 VIII JOSEPH CLIFFORD, b. Nov. 27, 1805, d. Nov. 21, 1891.
- 57 IX THOMAS PEGLER, b. May 25, 1807, d. Jan. 21, 1892. He came from London to New York, 1836 and with his brother Arthur C. (No. 59), went into the fur business. He m. Anna Maria Penticost. She was a milliner. In 1841-2 he lived in Albany, N. Y. Later lived in Smyrna, N. Y., where he was either a maker or dealer in pianofortes. He d. 1895 in

- Smyrna. No issue. He assumed the name Pegler after marriage.
- 58    X    CHARLES, b. Dec. 10, 1808, d. without issue at Edmonton, Middlesex, England, about 1860.
- 59    XI    ARTHUR CLIFFORD, b. May 10, 1811, d. April 22, 1881.
- 60    XII    RALPH, b. June 25, 1814, d. without issue in New York, May 15, 1886. Buried in south-eastern corner of lot in Trinity Cemetery, New York City.
- 61    XIII    MARY, b. April 21, 1816, m. William Hudden, d. 1900. (Res. Stroud Green, London, England.) Issue: Frances Ann Catherine Hudden, Emma Elizabeth Hudden.

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GEORGE KIMBER

(William<sup>20</sup>, William<sup>17</sup>, William<sup>10</sup>, Edmund<sup>7</sup>, Edmond<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>)  
b. in England. He came to America, prior to 1845, m. Mary Harris. (Res. Browning, Mo.)

CHILDREN

- 62    I    WILLIAM, b. , m. Nine children.
- 63    II    ALICE, b. , m. Five children (Res. Calif.)
- 64    III    GEORGE, b. , m. Three children. (Res. Missouri.)
- 65    IV    JOHN, b. , m. Four children. (Res. Missouri.)

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FREDERICK FRANCIS KIMBER

(William<sup>29</sup>, William<sup>17</sup>, William<sup>10</sup>, Edmund<sup>7</sup>, Edmond<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>), b. Feb. 18, 1825 in Gloucestershire, m. 1850 at Waukegan, Ill., Olivia Trowbridge, dau. of John and Elizabeth (McCracken) Clark. She b. in Ohio, Oct. 15, 1828 and d. at Parsons, Kansas, July 12, 1870. In his youth he was private secretary to Lord Bathurst. When 20 yrs. of age he went to Chicago, then a trading post. He later went into farming and stock raising. He d. at Parsons, Kan. Nov. 2, 1892.

CHILDREN

- 66    I    RICHARD M., b. Aug. 24, 1852, m. Emma A. Thompson.
- 67    II    ELIZABETH, b. 1852, d. 1862.
- 68    III    ROBERT C., b. 1856. Not married. (Res. Portland, Ore.)
- 69    IV    ANNA S., b. May 7, 1859, m. Jos. W. Scott. (Res. Parsons, Kan.)
- 70    V    CHARLOTTE A., b. Aug. 18, 1863, m. 1899, Clarence C. Canoyer, DD.S. (Res. Brookfield, Mo.)
- 71    VI    HELEN M., b. Feb. 2, 1867. Business woman. (Res. [1922] Decatur, Ill.)
- 72    VII    FREDERICK FRANCIS, b. 1868, d. July 10, 1881.

CHILDREN of 2nd wife:

- 73 VIII MARGARET, b. 1892. Not married (1922). (Res. California.)
- 74 IX FRANCES, b. 1894, m. 1913, Edgar Barrier. Farmer. (Res. Parsons, Kansas.) Issue: Max, b. 1914, Dorothy, b. 1917. Robert Edgar, b. 1922.

Nearly all the information about this family was furnished by Richard M. Kimber (No. 66). There is some doubt as to the accuracy of the dates.

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WILLIAM KIMBER

(Thomas<sup>31</sup>, William<sup>17</sup>, William<sup>10</sup>, Edmund<sup>7</sup>, Edmond<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>)  
b. Feb. 28, 1816, d. Oct. 13, 1852, m. Hannah Caseldin, dau. of Thomas Caseldin of Nottinghamshire. She d. Aug. 16, 1869. He was a grocer. (Res. London).

CHILDREN

- 75 I THOMAS, b. Mar. 18, 1839, d. Aug. 8, 1860 or 70.
- 76 II SARAH, b. June 7, 1846, d. July 26, 1869.
- 77 III WILLIAM, b. Dec. 6, 1849, m. Cordelia Mary Burt of London. (Res. London [1890]). Two children: Mabel and William.

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TIMOTHY KIMBER

(John<sup>32</sup>, Timothy<sup>21</sup>, John<sup>14</sup>, Thomas<sup>9</sup>, Edmund<sup>7</sup>, Edmond<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>)  
b. Jan. 20, 1803 at Hatherop, Glos., d. April, 1872, at Eastleach. He m. at Eastleach, Maria Baker, dau. of Thomas and Elizabeth (Malen) Baker, of Eastleach, Glos. He was a laborer. She d. April, 1870.

CHILDREN, all b. in England.

- 79 I JAMES, b. June 10, 1832 at Eastleach, m. Charlotte Adams. (Res. Eastleach.)
- 80 II FREDERICK BAKER, b. Feb. 7, 1835. (Res. Fall River, Mass.)
- 81 III THOMAS BAKER, b. Mar. 11, 1838, m. Mary Love. (Res. Manchester, England.)
- 82 IV ELIZABETH, b. April 10, 1839, m. Edward Robbins. (Res. Bristol, England.)
- 83 V WILLIAM, b. June 2, 1841, m. Sarah Ann Longford. (Res. Australia.)

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JOSEPH CLIFFORD KIMBER

(John<sup>32</sup>, Timothy<sup>21</sup>, John<sup>14</sup>, Thomas<sup>9</sup>, Edmund<sup>7</sup>, Edmond<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>)  
b. Nov. 27, 1805, d. Oct. 11, 1891 or (d. Nov. 21, 1891). He came to Albany about 1850. He m. Abigail Baker. She b. 1798, d. 1882. In his son's (Thomas) marriage certificate 1865, his occupation is given as butcher. Later he became a gardener.





ARTHUR CLIFFORD KIMBER (1st)  
b. 1811, d. 1881  
From photograph taken in 1876.

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CHILDREN, all b. in England.

- 84 I MARY ANN. (Res. in England.) Had issue.
- 85 II JOHN. (Res. in England.) No issue.
- 86 III PRISCILLA, m. Joseph Lawton of Walsall, Staffordshire, England. Had four daughters and one son, Thomas, a musician. Some of these children still (1922) live in Walsall.
- 87 IV FRANCES, b. July, 1834. Still (1922) living in Kanapolis, Kansas. She m. her own cousin, James Andrews, who was a son of Sarah — (No. 52 in this genealogy). Had four daughters: Annie, Lutie, Olive, Lethie, and two sons, Charles, still living in Kanapolis, and George, deceased. She is 88 years of age (1922). She came to America, 1854.
- 88 V CHARLES, b. . He came to America about 1846. Was very young then and lived with his uncle, Thomas P., (No. 57 in this list). He disappeared about the time of the Civil War.
- 89 VI THOMAS, b. Mar. 28, 1839, d. June 27, 1908.
- 90 VII AMELIA, b. , m. John Newman in America. No issue.
- 91 VIII KATHERINE, b. , came to America when quite young, m. George Powell at Albany, N. Y. He d. May, 1917. She still (1922) living.

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## ARTHUR CLIFFORD KIMBER

(John<sup>32</sup>, Timothy<sup>21</sup>, John<sup>14</sup>, Thomas<sup>9</sup>, Edmund<sup>7</sup>, Edmond<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>)  
 b. May 10, 1811 at Bouthrop, Eastleach Martin, Glos. Assumed name Clifford in addition to his baptismal name, Arthur. He m. at Westchester, N. Y., Dec. 24, 1843, Elizabeth, dau. of Clark and Mary (Bliss) Card. His wife and her parents were born at Bruton, Somersetshire, England. She b. Apr. 10, 1817 and d. at Bryn Mawr, Pa., May 9, 1902. He was apprenticed to his brother to learn the miller's trade, but he never followed up this training. Preferring work of a creative nature, he studied horticulture and landscape architecture at Kew Gardens, London. Desiring the greatest possible freedom of action, he left England in 1836, arriving in New York that year.

With his brother Thomas and two others, he started a fur factory in Albany. Pushing west, he established trading posts with the Indians as far west as Winona, Minnesota. Returning from an expedition, he found that the company had failed owing to the embezzlement of one of the members who had left the country. He turned to agriculture, living at various times at Newhamburg, N. Y., Saugertuck, Conn., Barrytown, N. Y. and Newtown, Long Island, N. Y.

At the time of his death he was senior warden of the Episcopal Church at Newtown. He died at Newtown, N. Y. Apr. 22, 1881. He and his wife were buried in Trinity Cemetery, New York City.

CHILDREN (b. in America).

- 92 I ARTHUR CLIFFORD (Rev.) b. Nov. 5, 1844, d. July 26, 1909.
- 93 II MARY ELIZABETH, b. Aug. 2, 1847, d. Feb. 14, 1849.
- 94 III FANNY CARD, b. July 29, 1850, m. July 23, 1880, Clarence Miles Boutelle. (Res. Lake City, Minn.)  
Children: Anna Kimber Boutelle, b. June 5, 1881, B.A., M.A., Ph.D.; Louisa Elizabeth Boutelle, b. Jan. 14, 1886, B.A., M.A., M.D., (L.M.B.M.E.). (Res. Clear Lake, S. D.)
- 95 IV ANNE ADELE, b. May 25, 1854. (Res. [1922] New York City.)

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WILLIAM KIMBER

(George<sup>34</sup>, Wm.<sup>29</sup>, Wm.<sup>17</sup>, Wm.<sup>10</sup>, Edmund<sup>7</sup>, Edmond<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>).

CHILDREN

- 96 I EDMUND, b. , m. Two children. (Res. Arkansas).
- 97 II MAY, b. , m. Two dau. (Res. Missouri.)
- 98 III OSCAR, b. , m. (Res. Iowa.)
- 99 IV FRANK, b. , m. (Res. Missouri.)
- 100 V MARGARET, b. , m. Two children. (Res. Missouri)
- 101 VI ELLA, b. , died.
- 102 VII ELIZABETH, b. , m. (Res. Indiana.)
- 103 VIII JOHN, b. , m. (Res. Missouri.)
- 104 IX VINCENT, b. , m. (Res. Missouri.)

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RICHARD M. KIMBER

(F. F.<sup>42</sup>, William<sup>29</sup>, Wm.<sup>17</sup>, Wm.<sup>10</sup>, Edmund<sup>7</sup>, Edmond<sup>2</sup>, Thos.<sup>1</sup>),  
b. Aug. 24, 1852 at Kenosha, Wis., m. May 15, 1877 at Clayton, Ill., Emma A., dau. of Lorenzo Don, and Mary (Kirkpatrick) Thompson, She b. Jan. 17, 1858. He d. 1905. (Res. Galesburg, Ill.) Associated with C. B. & Q. R. R. as superintendent of one of its divisions.

CHILDREN

- 105 I HARRY FRANCIS, b. Mar. 15, 1878, m. 1903, Adah Harbison. He is an embalmer and undertaker. (Res. Galesburg, Ill.)  
No issue.

## ANNA S. KIMBER

(F. F.<sup>42</sup>, Wm.<sup>29</sup>, Wm.<sup>17</sup>, Wm.<sup>10</sup>, Edmund<sup>7</sup>, Edmond<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>)  
 b. May 7, 1859, m. 1890 J. W. Scott, agriculturist and stockgrower.  
 (Res. Parsons, Kansas.)

## SCOTT CHILDREN

- 106 I JESSIE, b. , m. 1912, Walter Midford Oliver,  
 machinist. Issue: Evelyn, Beryl Maxine, Anna Lee. (Res.  
 Parsons.)
- 107 II CHARLES H., b. , m. 1921, Hildegard Hewitt.  
 In Postal service in World War, Private in Co. C. Training  
 Branch, Signal Corps.
- 108 III MARY L., b. , Prof. of Dom. Science and Art.  
 Did canteen work during war.
- 109 IV FREDERICK PAUL, b. , m. Ethel Oyler, 1919.  
 Son, James H., b. 1921. In World war, Corporal Co. B.,  
 305th Branch of Tank Corps, Civil Engineer. (Now [1922]  
 at Tulsa, Okla.)
- 110 V LEETA MAXEY, b. . Teacher of Mathematics.  
 Did canteen work during the war.

## FREDERICK BAKER KIMBER

(Timothy<sup>54</sup>, John<sup>32</sup>, Timothy<sup>21</sup>, John<sup>14</sup>, Thomas<sup>9</sup>, Edmund<sup>7</sup>, Ed-  
 mond<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>), b. Feb. 7, 1835, at Eastleach, Gloucestershire, Eng-  
 land, m. Aug. 22, 1871 at Cirencester, Gloucestershire, Emma Benton,  
 widow, daughter of Thomas Thorn of Hatherop, Glos. She was b.  
 June 24, 1846. He came to America in 1873, arriving at New Bruns-  
 wick, Canada, where he with the help of the other members of the family,  
 built a log cabin. Blair Athol at this time was a wilderness. Enough  
 land was cleared to start farming, and while the crops were growing,  
 the family made shingles by hand for which they received five shillings  
 per thousand. A thousand shingles being a full day's work for the mo-  
 ther, father and three children. When the colony was formed, he was  
 postmaster, school committeeman, and foreman on the road building.  
 He was not successful at Blair Athol, so came, in October, 1883, to the  
 United States, arriving at Fall River, Mass., where the family was put  
 to work in the mills. About 1895 he became a shoemaker, which busi-  
 ness he continued until 1910, leaving Fall River and living in New Bed-  
 ford, Mass. for about one year, where he conducted a variety store.  
 Leaving New Bedford about the first of March, 1911, he returned to  
 Fall River, and d. there Mar. 19, 1911. Buried in Oak Grove Cemetery,  
 Fall River, Mass. His wife d. Dec. 17, 1905, and was also buried in  
 Oak Grove Cemetery.

#### CHILDREN

- III I ANNIE MILLICENT, b. at Eastleach, Glos., England, m. at Fall River, Mass. Sept. 11, 1906, Fred. William Borden, son of Andrew R. and Maria J. Borden, now (1922) living at Fall River, Mass.
- III II LUCY MARIA, b. July 24, 1873, d. Oct., 1874, at Blair Athol, New Brunswick.
- III III WILLIAM FRANCIS, b. July 7, 1875.
- III IV FREDERICK AUSTIN, b. Sept. 9, 1877.
- III V JOSEPH SEBASTIAN, b. July 9, 1879.
- III VI JOHN B., b. at Blair Athol, New Brunswick, Feb. 3, 1881, d. Feb. 24, 1881, at Blair Athol, N. B.
- III VII LENA ELIZABETH, b. at Blair Athol, Jan. 28, 1882. Came to the United States in 1883, m. at Fall River, Mass., July 22, 1902, LeBaron, son of William and Harriet Stebbins, who was born Sept. 15, 1862, and d. Apr. 21, 1915. Buried in Oak Grove Cemetery, Fall River, Mass. She d. in Brooklyn Feb. 10, 1923 and was buried in the same place.
- III VIII FLORENCE MAY, b. at Fall River, Mass., April 29, 1884, m. May 6, 1905, at Fall River, Andrew Leroy, son of William and Isabell Wheelock. (Res. Fall River, Mass.)  
Children: Florence Isabell Wheelock, b. at Fall River, Feb. 6, 1906; William Major Wheelock, b. at Fall River, Oct. 4, 1907.
- III IX GERTRUDE ALICE, b. at Fall River, Sept. 7, 1885. Unmarried, living with her brother, William F. Kimber at Kenyon, R. I. Employed as forewoman of inspection dept. of Columbia Narrow Fabric Co., Kenyon.

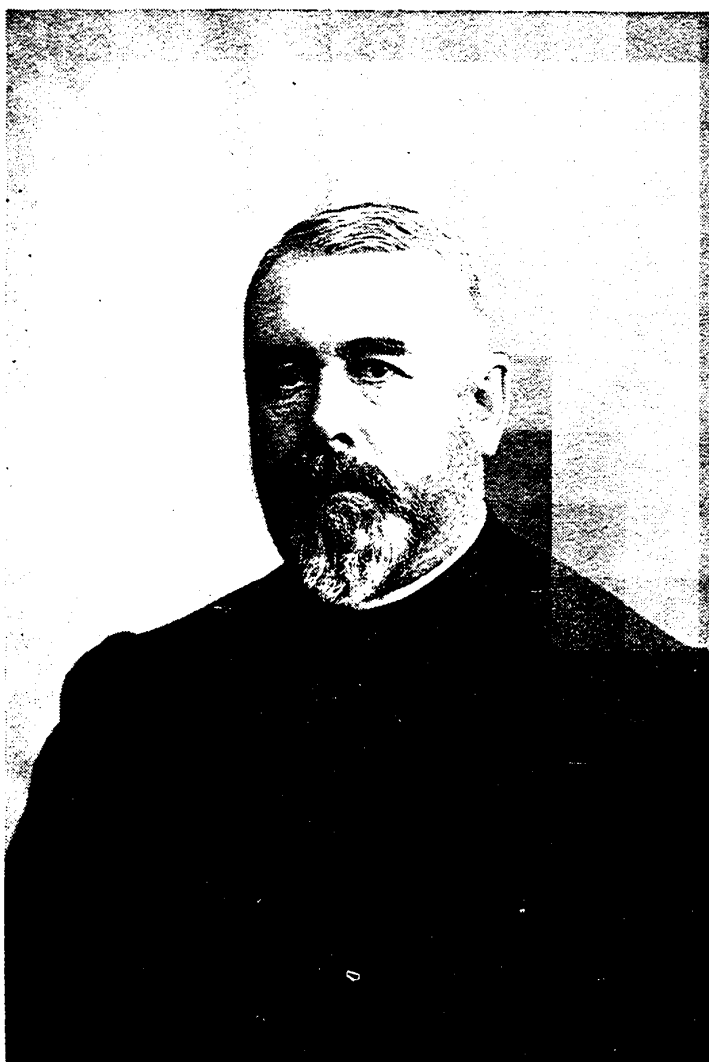
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#### THOMAS KIMBER

(Joseph<sup>56</sup>, John<sup>32</sup>, Timothy<sup>21</sup>, John<sup>14</sup>, Thomas<sup>9</sup>, Edmund<sup>7</sup>, Edmond<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>) b. Mar. 28, 1839, d. June 27, 1908. He m. Emma Leary, an orphan, dau. of John Leary, Jan. 2, 1865 in St. Matthew's Church, Walsall, Staffordshire, England. They sailed for America a few days after marriage and arrived March 1, 1865. She d. Sept. 7, 1881. She b. 1840. He was a blacksmith at Albany, N. Y.

#### CHILDREN

- 120 I ABIGAIL, b. Sept. 23, 1865 at Albany, N. Y. She m. Charles Snyder of Rensselaer, N. Y. June 23, 1891. He d. Dec. 29, 1921. One son, Charles Arthur Snyder, M. A. b. Aug. 13, 1892. (Res. [1922] at Rensselaer, with his mother.)



REV. ARTHUR CLIFFORD KIMBER, (2nd) M.A., B.D., S.T.D.  
b. 1844, d. 1909

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- 121    II    THOMAS B., b. Jan. 19, 1867 in Greenbush (now Rensselaer) N. Y.
- 122    III   EMMA, b. Aug. 13, 1870 at Rensselaer. (Res. [1922] Albany, N. Y.)
- 123    IV    JOHN A., b. Feb. 9, 1872, m. Myrtle Tansett at Rensselaer in 1900. She d. Dec. 15, 1919. No children. He is a locomotive boiler inspector. (Res. [1922] Atlanta, Ga.)
- 124    V     GEORGE POWELL, b. Sept. 11, 1874 at Rensselaer.
- 125    VI    JOSEPH, b. Aug. 6, 1878 at Rensselaer. Bachelor. (Res. [1922] at Schenectady, N. Y.)
- 126    VII   ANNA M., b. June 4, 1881 at Rensselaer, d. July 3, 1881.

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ARTHUR CLIFFORD KIMBER

(Arthur C.<sup>59</sup>, John<sup>32</sup>, Timothy<sup>21</sup>, John<sup>14</sup>, Thomas<sup>9</sup>, Edmund<sup>7</sup>, Edmond<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>), clergyman, b. Nov. 5, 1844, near New Hamburg, New York. He d. at St. Augustines' Chapel, 105 E. Houston St., New York City, July 26, 1909, of apoplexy.

He was educated at the Richards Academy, Westport, Conn., the Flushing (N.Y.) public school, of which Nelson Jesse Gates, father of the Girls' High School, Brooklyn, was then head, at St. Stephen's College, Annandale-on-Hudson, and the General Theological Seminary, New York. He entered St. Stephen's in 1861, at the suggestion of his staunch friend, John L. Aspinwall. In 1862 he won the Pruyn Gold medal for the highest standing and afterward the prizes for Latin, Greek, Hebrew, mathematics, and ethics. He held simultaneously the three highest student offices, being Eulexian Society president, Boat Club captain, and chairman of the undergraduates. Graduating primus he was made tutor in Greek and Latin, and, 1868, acting professor of Mathematics.

He entered the General Theological Seminary in 1869, graduating Hellenistic Greek prizeman 1871. He was made deacon, reading the Gospel, by Bishop H. Potter, July 2, 1871, and was ordained priest May 26, 1872. The first part of his deaconate was served at St. Paul's Trinity Parish, New York City, immediately under the Rector, the eminent Dr. Morgan Dix; the remainder at the Parish Church under Dr. Francis Vinton, a senior assistant, of strong character and great ability. November, 1872, the Trinity Vestry elected him Vicar of St. Augustine's Chapel, then temporarily in the Bowery, with the understanding that if the work justified it a proper building would be erected. The Vestry accordingly built, 1876-7, in Houston Street between the Bowery and Second Avenue, the present church and mission house, at an approximate cost of \$300,000. When consecrated, this was the most complete establishment of its kind in the country. The building is now used as a community center (1921). Many plans which he devised for

St. Augustine's, such as the new extensively used service leaflets, have been adopted widely.

He always took a great deal of interest in civic affairs, and in those of his Alma Mater. He took the degree of B.A. in 1866, M.A., 1869, B.D., 1879, and S.T.D., 1886. In 1898, when President of the Alumni, his prompt, vigorous action frustrated schemes that threatened the existence of the college. As a member of Mayor Strong's advisory committee on the Hamilton Fish and Fred. W. Seward parks, it was due to him and to Col. S. V. R. Cruger that those parks were greatly enlarged, instead of but one block each. He was a member of the National Arts Club.

Of an inventive turn of mind, he devised plans for torpedo warfare, one of which was incorporated in the British tactics, and the other in the American. He took the keenest interest in scientific progress, and followed closely the achievements of those engaged in discovery.

He m. June 12, 1894, in Vancouver, Wash. Clarissa, dau. of George Weston and Josephine Naomi (Kirby) Evans. She was b. Aug. 20, 1866, at Bainbridge, N. Y. She seemed destined for a musical career, but this was checked when she was married. Since her husband's death, she again turned to music, and has achieved great success as a teacher. For her ancestry see "The Kirbys of New England," p. 228.

#### CHILDREN

- 127     I    JOHN EVANS, b. Mar. 14, 1895 in Williamsburg, Brooklyn, N. Y. He was educated in Brooklyn at Froebel Academy and Public School 44. In 1907 he went to Kent College, Canterbury, Kent, England, for a year and then was at Trinity School, New York City. After his father's death in 1909, when the family removed to California, he attended the High Schools at Hanford, Berkeley, and graduated in 1913 at Palo Alto. In 1914 he entered Stanford University; graduating B.A. in 1917. He is (1922) planning to take up agriculture along scientific lines. He m. June 17, 1922, Mary Alice, dau. of Edwin E. Barnes of Santa Barbara, Calif.
- 128     II    ARTHUR CLIFFORD (3rd) b. Mar. 29, 1896 in Bayville, Long Island. His schooling until 1909 was identical with that of his older brother. He graduated from the Palo Alto High School in 1914 and then entered Stanford University. He was a volunteer in the American Field Service, an organization which, from the time of its inception at the beginning of the World War, stood squarely for the cause of France. Its ambulances served the French army. In April, 1917, he became a member of the Second Stanford University Unit, and on him was conferred the honor of taking to France



ARTHUR CLIFFORD KIMBER (3rd)  
b. 1896, d. 1918

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for delivery to the First Stanford Unit, the first officially authorized flag of the United States carried to the front. On May 14 he left New York for Liverpool, Paris was reached May 26 and on June 4 the distinguished mission was completed, the flag being received and officially recognized by the French Army at a splendid review and consecration at Treveray.

When the Field Service, on Oct. 1, 1917, was taken over by the United States Army, Arthur C. Kimber decided to enlist in aviation, and trained as a chasse pilot. This ambition he later realized becoming a Lieutenant in the 22nd Aero Squadron, and during the heat of the great battles over the fields of France, in the summer of 1918, he was doing his share of the work as a fighting scout. It was while he was so flying, and after a record of splendid achievement, that he was killed within the German lines, near Romagne, September 26, 1918.

A full account of Lieutenant Kimber's mission is contained in "The Story of the First Flag," published 1920, under the auspices of "The Friends of France," San Francisco. The book was compiled from his letters and other documents by his mother, Mrs. Clara E. Kimber.

- 129    III    GEORGE CARD, b. July 4, 1898 in Brooklyn, N. Y. He attended Froebel Academy, Brooklyn, and then was for a term at Kent College, Canterbury, England. He then entered the Choir School of the Cathedral of St. John the Divine in New York, becoming a chorister until the family removed to California in 1909. Graduating from Palo Alto High School in 1916, he entered Stanford University, receiving a B.A. degree in 1920. He was honored by election to the Phi Beta Kappa Society of the College. The award of a fellowship permitted him to study abroad for a year. In 1921 he returned to America and is now (1922) planning to take up agriculture as his life work with his brother. (Res. Palo Alto, California.)
- 130    IV    CLARA EVANS, b. Sept. 11, 1903 in Brooklyn. She d. Palm Sunday, 1906.

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#### WILLIAM FRANCIS KIMBER

(Frederick B.<sup>80</sup>, Timothy<sup>54</sup>, John<sup>32</sup>, Timothy<sup>21</sup>, John<sup>14</sup>, Thomas<sup>9</sup>, Edmund<sup>7</sup>, Edmond<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>) b. July 7, 1875, at Blair Athol, New Brunswick, m. Emma Chaffee at Fall River, Mass. Dec. 2, 1899, who d. Mar. 13, 1901 at Kenyon, R. I. and was buried at the Friends' Cemetery

at Richmond, R. I. He m. 2ndly at Providence, R. I. Nov. 25, 1903, Lena Mable, dau. of Ellery E. and Martha S. Tucker. His business (1922) is weaving elastic fabrics. He came to Fall River from Canada in 1883. (Res. Kenyon, R. I.)

#### CHILDREN

- 131     I   HAZEL MAY, b. at Kenyon, R. I. Sept. 9, 1904. Attending (1922) Kingston (R. I.) College.
- 132     II   WILMA MYRTLE, b. at Kenyon, R. I. Feb. 16, 1908. Attending Westerly, R. I. High School.
- 133     III   WILLIAM ELLERY, b. at Kenyon, R. I., June 21, 1910. Attending Westerly, R. I. High School.
- 134     IV   HELEN FRANCIS, b. at Kenyon, R. I., Oct. 14, 1914.

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#### FREDERICK AUSTIN KIMBER

(Frederick B.<sup>80</sup>, Timothy<sup>54</sup>, John<sup>32</sup>, Timothy<sup>21</sup>, John<sup>14</sup>, Thomas<sup>9</sup>, Edmund<sup>7</sup>, Edmond<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>), b. at Blair Athol, New Brunswick, Sept. 9, 1877, m. at Fall River, Mar. 10, 1904 Agnes, dau. of James and Mary Percy. He came to Fall River from Canada in 1883. Business, cotton mill operative, at present (1922) employed as assistant foreman of Carding Dept., King Phillip Mills. (Res. Fall River, Mass.)

#### CHILDREN

- 135     I   EMMA, b. at Fall River, May 1, 1905.
- 136     II   LENA, b. at Fall River, Jan. 22, 1907.

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#### JOSEPH SEBASTIAN KIMBER

(Frederick B.<sup>80</sup>, Timothy<sup>54</sup>, John<sup>32</sup>, Timothy<sup>21</sup>, John<sup>14</sup>, Thomas<sup>9</sup>, Edmund<sup>7</sup>, Edmond<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>), b. at Blair Athol, New Brunswick, July 9, 1879, m. Feb. 10, 1904 at Fall River, Edith Alice dau. of Thomas B. and Ellen Minikin. At the age of 12 he went to work as a cotton mill operative in Fall River, Mass., and contributed to the support of his father's family. In 1902 he became overseer of the Wampanaog Mills, Fall River, being then but 23 years of age, the youngest man ever to hold such a position. By his ability and industry he has risen to positions of greater responsibility in the mills at Fall River and New Bedford. At the present time (1922) he is overseer of the cloth room in the Social Mills at Woonsocket, R. I. and has charge of the inspection and packing. (Res. Woonsocket, R. I.) He joined the Masonic fraternity in 1902.

#### CHILDREN

- 137     I   MILDRED RUTH, b. at Fall River, Mass., May 16, 1905.
- 138     II   FREDERICK MINIKIN, b. at Fall River, Aug. 13, 1907.
- 139     III   ROBERT BURROWS, b. New Bedford, Dec. 1, 1908.
- 140     IV   ELEANOR THORN, b. New Bedford, Sept. 30, 1911.

- 141    V    JOSEPH SEBASTIAN, Jr., b. New Bedford, Aug. 6, 1915.  
 142    VI    LOUISE GLADYS, b. New Bedford, May 5, 1917.  
 143    VII    DOROTHY PHYLLIS, b. Woonsocket, R. I., June 2, 1922, d.  
             June 9 and buried in Oak Grove Cemetery at Fall River,  
             Mass.

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THOMAS B. KIMBER

(Thomas<sup>89</sup>, Joseph<sup>56</sup>, John<sup>32</sup>, Timothy<sup>21</sup>, John<sup>14</sup>, Thomas<sup>9</sup>, Edmund<sup>7</sup>,  
 Edmond<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>), b. Jan. 19, 1867 in Greenbush (now Rensselaer,  
 N. Y.), m. July 3, 1889 Babetha A. Buch at Oneonta, N. Y. (Res.  
 [1922] Rensselaer, N. Y.)

CHILDREN

- 144    I    THOMAS B. Jr., b. Sept. 22, 1891 at Oneonta, N. Y., d. April,  
             1892.  
 145    II    BESSIE, b. Apr. 30, 1894, at Rensselaer, N. Y.  
 146    III    MELVINA, b. Jan. 10, 1897, at Rensselaer, N. Y.

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GEORGE POWELL KIMBER

(Thomas<sup>89</sup>, Joseph<sup>56</sup>, John<sup>32</sup>, Timothy<sup>21</sup>, John<sup>14</sup>, Thomas<sup>9</sup>, Edmund<sup>7</sup>,  
 Edmond<sup>2</sup>, Thomas<sup>1</sup>), b. Sept. 11, 1874 at Rensselaer, N. Y., m. Mabel M.  
 Burkman at Rensselaer, June 1, 1898. (Res. [1923] Boston, Mass.)

CHILDREN

- 147    I    HELEN M., b. Mar. 13, 1899 at Rensselaer, m. C. Arthur  
             Smith Oct. 16, 1920. (Res. [1922] Boston, Mass.)  
             Children: William Kimber Smith, b. Feb. 13, 1922.  
 148    II    THOMAS G., b. Oct. 6, 1905, d. Dec. 20, 1905.  
 149    III    MARIETTA, b. Nov. 5, 1907. (Res. [1922] Rensselaer, N.Y.)





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