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## Early Records of English Merrits.

The earliest known was Eadnoth, an Anglo Thane of Somersetshire, 1050. Killed in battle, 1068. His son was Harding de Meriet, and there is a full pedigree of descendants down to 1418, when the last one, Thomas Meriet, of Stanlinch, Wilts, disappeared. (Somerset Arch, Society Proceedings for 1882.)
Galfrido de Merith, tent maker to the King, 1229. (Wardrobe Book, Edward I., p. 01).

#### BERKSHIRE.

Joan, late wife of John Merret, tenant-in-chief, had license to marry, Windsor, 14 July, 1308. (Patent Rolls.)

John Meriot of Wantage made his will, 1533. (Berkshire Wills, A, 286.)

John Meritt mar. Elizabeth Tubbs at St. Mary's Church, Reading, 5 May, 1655.

Thomas Meritt and Mary had sons Edward and John baptized Reading, 28 Mar.,

Thomas Meryet and wife Mary, buried St. Mary's Church, Reading, 6 Aug., 1660. William Merritt and wife Elizabeth had son, William, baptized at St. Mary's Church, Reading, April 16, 1647.

William Meritt and wife Mary had son, John, bapt. St. Mary's Church, 2 Feb., 1655. Alexander Merritt, a Quaker, released from Reading jail by Charles II., 1672.

#### BUCKINGHAMSHIRE.

Adam Meriet or Merite, tenant, 40 acres, Bunstow Hundred, 1279; also 20 acres, 1246. (Hundred Rolls.)

Symon Meriet of Brockton, 1216-1272. (Patent Rolls.) (Hundred Rolls.) William Meriot, tenant, Hampslape, Bondsowe Hundred, 1346.

Richard Merriot of Manchester, made his will 1618.

Richard Meriet and wife, innkeepers, died of the plague at Manchester, 22 Dec., 1030.

#### CORNWALL.

Robert Meriot, tenant of part of Manor of Olneye, 22 March, 1284. (Close Rolls.) John Merett mar. Mary, dau, of Thomas Hearle of Prideaux Hearle. He was born before 1537. (Visitation of Cornwall.)

John Meriet, mar. Johan, dau. of Hugh Spry of Tillond; living 1620. John Merrett, mar. Elizabeth, dau. of Thomas Lawrence at Padstow, 3 May, 1659. Richard Merrett of Probus, had daughter, who mar. Arthur Hext, born 1503.

Richard Merrett, mar. Blanche, dau. of David Pendarvis of Crowan before 1600.

Thomas Merrett, mar. Margerie — at Luxulyan, 28 Jan., 1650. John Merret, gent., had daughter Elizabeth, who married John Trehane of Trehane,

living 1620. John Marrett of Landivery, had children John and Mary, 14 May, 1651.

## DEVONSHIRE.

Robert Meriot of Devon, had dau. Jane, who mar. John Cole about 1417. John's

father, John, living 1415. (Mis. Gen. Vol. 2.)
John Meryet held land in Treneslynch, formerly Simon Meriet's, 1248. (Pat. Roll.)

Edward Merratt of Calstocke made his will, 1595. (Devonshire Wills.) (Vis. of

## DORSETSHIRE.

Richard Merieth, Roger Merieth, Merieth Juvenus, Benedick brother of Merieth of Almer, witnesses to convey of land of Symon de Brion, 1247. (Somerset Record Sy.)

Thomas Merethe held part of Stodlonde, Rouseburgh Hundred, 5 March, 1316. (Patent Rolls.) (Parliamentary Writs.)

Thomas Merethe buried at Sturminster Marshall, 5 March, 1567.

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Richard Merrett, Will administered July, 1653. (Calendar of Dorset Wills.)
Walter Meriett of Poole, made his Will, 1590. (Prerogative Court, Canterbury.)
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Geoffry de Mereth, the tailor had 27s, due him 18 Feb., 1292. (Close Rolls.) Roger Meriet owes homage in Twynstedt, 1252. (Essex Arch. 57, part VII, 192.) John Meryott, a monk, of Stratford Langthorne, 1539. Johanes Meret buried at St. Mary's, Borking, 4 Feb., 1619. Robert Merritt, husbandman, Wrabness, made his Will, 1598. (Prerogative Court, Canterbury.)

Christopher Merett or Merenth, carrier, bachelor, aged 24, son of John of All Saints Maldon, and Anne, widow of John Rogers, of Fryerninge, aged 26, mar. at Ingastone, 28 March, 1612. (Bp. of London, Mar. Licenses.)

#### GLOUCESTERSHIRE.

John of Meryet, Rector of St. Michaels, Gloucester, granted land outside east gate to Master Richard, 1262-3. (Gloucester Corp. Records.) Henry Meryet, a customary tenant in the manor of Harescombe, near Gloucester. 1284-1300. (Bristol & Glouc. Arch. 57.) John Meryot had grant from Richard Brenton of tenement in Gloucester, 8 Oct., 1412. (Gloucester Records.)

Daniel Merrit made his Will, 1631. (Calendar of Bristol Wills, Vol. II.)

Anthony Merrett, mar. Joane — at Matson, 23 Sept., 1609. (Glouc. Mar.) Edward Merrett mar. Joan Hebbard at Minchinhampton, 28 Nov., 1605. (Glouc.

John Merriat, mar. Walthian Browninge at Standish, 29 July, 1580. (Glouc. Mar.) John Merret, mar. Ann Parsons at Leonard Stanley, 22 Oct., 1588. (Glouc. Mar.)

John Merret, mar. Ann Tyler at Standish, 25 Jan., 1584. (Glouc, Mar.) John Merritt, mar. Margery Perre at Leonard Stanley, 26 Feb., 1600. (Glouc, Mar.)

Richard Merret, mar. Alice Clarke at Cheltenham, 11 May, 1574. (Glouc, Mar.) Richard Merret, mar. Margery Tiler at Standish, 15 July, 1583. (Glouc, Mar.)

Richard Merrett, mar. Margaret Gardner at Painswick, 3 Mar., 1605.

Richard Merret, mar. Anne Sellman at Stinchcombe, 17 Feb., 1614. (Glouc. Mar.) Richard Merrett, mar. Sarah Longe at Hinchinghampton, 25 Nov., 1632.

Richard Merret, mar. Elizabeth West at Matson, 8 Oct., 1646. (Glouc. Mar.)

Samuel Merrett, mar. Joane Veale at Leonard Stanley, 26 Oct., 1590. (Glouc. Mar.) Thomas Merret, mar. Margery Merret at Matson, 28 Nov., 1588. (Glouc. Mar.)

Thomas Merret, mar. Anne Coope at Painswick, 3 Feb., 1613.

Anthony Merrett of Matson, made his Will 1614. (Gloucester Wills.)

Mar. Joane.

Edward Meret of Tytherington, 1572. (Consistory Court.) John Merrett of Standish, 1568. John Meryet of Twining, John Merrett of Matson, 1570. 1578. \*\*

John Merete of Standish 1608. Mar. Walthian

Browning.

John Merrett of Wotton, mar. Anne Parsons, and had son Richard, who had son John living 6 Feb., 1660.

John Merrett of Stanley St. Leonard, made his Will 1644. Mar. Ann Parsons. John Merrett of Saul,

Joseph Merriote of Sanger had daughter Elizabeth, 2 Feb., 1653. (Berkeley Records.)

Richard Merrett versus Thomas Hide, pleading 1558-79.

Richard Merrett of Cirencester, made his Will 10 Apr., 1657; proved 24 Jan., 1658; mentions wife Elizabeth, brothers Anthony and John, sisters Elizabeth, Mary Pearce and Rebecca; nephew Richard and niece Elizabeth; children of brother Anthony. Executor, brother John.

Richard Myrreat of Standish, made his Will 1552. Richard Merrett of Gloucester, 1568. Richard Merriatt of Oxlinche, 1618. Thomas Meritte of Chedworth, Walter Merret of Woodchester, 1557. 44 44 1558. 44 Thomas Merritt of Michelhampton, 1501. Walter Merritt of Painswick, 1609.

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William Meret of Gloucester,
William Merrett of Matson,
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William Myrrett of Matson
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William Merrett of Leonard Stanley,
                                                      1613.
William Merrett of Longford,
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William Merrett of Gloucester, merchant, made Will 29 Oct., 1632, nephew Anthony. (Canterbury Court.)

Juseph, son of Joseph Merriote of Sainger, 4 Sept., 1655. Berkeley Records.

Nicholas Marret and Anne Griggs, mar. at St. Thomas Apostle, 1 Jan., 1606. Elizabeth, daughter of Joseph Merrett of Fisheringe, 15 Feb., 1661. Berkeley Records.

Katharine, wife of Thomas Merriot of Berkeley, 23 July, 1656. Berkeley Records. Thomas Merrett and Edith Atkins, both of Berkeley, Nov., 1657. Thomas Merrett of Berkeley, Dec., 1664.

William Meret, mar. Hester Ouldham at Skipton Moyne, 14 July, 1653.

Mr. Robert Meriott and Mary his wife, named as friends of Gabriel Tomlinson,

Esqr., in his Will, proved 21 May, 1658.

Richard Merrett of Cheltenham, mar. Alice, dau. of Thomas Machin, or Alice, dau. of — Clarke, 11 May, 1574; made his Will 1581. (British Record Sy.) Son Christopher who mar. Andrea, dau. of George Smith of Woodhouse, 29 June. 1662. In the Visitation of 12 Aug., 1623, he was declared to have no coat of arms. Made his Will as Yeoman of Cheltenham, left the Crown Inn at Winchcombe to his wife Adriana or Audrey, and the shop adjoining to son George if he followed the trade of mercer, land to youngest son, Francis, when of the age of 22. (Gloucester Inquisitions.) His son Richard put up two brass plates in the church in memory of his parents; made his Will, 31 Dec., 1624; died 7 Jan., 1625; buried in Winchcombe Church. Children: Richard, George, Christopher, Francis, Sarah, Robert.

Richard, born 18 June, 1606; mar. probably, Elizabeth West, 8 Oct., 1646. He was buried in Winchcombe Church 29 March, 1670.

George of Swindon, made his Will 10 Mar., 1644; died 1671.

rge, mar. Ann ——. Children: Christopher, Richard, George and Robert, Richard was offered £500 by his uncle Richard to start a trade. George, mar. Ann -

Christopher, born 1614, mar. Anne, dau. of Robert Jennour of Kempsford; took his degree of M.D. at Oxford; Fellow of College of Physicians and of Royal Society; a naturalist and author 1660-78 in London; the Meriet arms granted to him, 13 July, 1666; Barry of six or et sable, crest, a talbots head; died 1695. Children: Robert, aged 27 in 1666, Christopher and Anne.

Francis, mar. Anne, daughter of Solomon Smith of London. Children: Solomon,

Richard.

Thomas Marrott, yeoman, of St. Leonard, Shoredetch and Mary Esken, mar. 19 Sept., 1598.

#### HAMPSHIRE.

Henry de Meriet or Meriethe, imprisoned at Winchester, bailed out 14 Oct., 1275, pardoned for his outlawry for killing Robert de la Doule in self defense, 14 Nov., 1281, lands in Somerset restored to him 24 Sept., 1282. (Patent Rolls.)

William de Mereit or Meret, merchant of Genoa, complains that goods were taken from his ship at Southampton, 21 July, 1322; he receives protection from the court while in England, 16 April, 1326. (Patent Rolls.)

John Meret, a parishioner of Shirley in 1341. (Woodward's Hist, of Hampshire.)

J. Meriet sold 10 acres near Winchester to King Edward III, 1342. (Year Book. Ed. III.)

Thomas Meriet, Chaplain, presented to the Church of St. Sampson, Island of Jersey, 12 March, 1353. Westminster. (Patent Rolls.)

William Meriot or Meryot of Christchurch, Twinham, merchant, sold a tenement in Castle St. to William Batten 19 Oct., 1529. (Cal. of Ancient Deeds.)
Henry Meriot had daughter Joanne baptized at Priors Deane, 5 Nov., 1586.

(Baptisms.)

Henry Meriot had son Stephen baptized at Priors Deane, 23 March, 1588. Witness to Will of John Compton at Priors Deane, 3 April, 1605.

Henry Meriat buried at Priors Deane, Jan., 1613.

Mary Meriott, widow, buried at Priors Deane, 11 Jan., 1624.

Matthew Merrett, aged about 73, buried at Priors Deane, 14 Jan., 1693; had son Matthew, born 3 Sept., 1658. Elizabeth, his wife, buried 4 April, 1690.

Charles Merrott, Receiver of Island of Jersey, 31 Aug., 1653. (State Papers.) Daniel Meriot had a pass to Ireland, 30 March, 1655. Nathaniel Merritt had a pass to France, 1 July, 1650.

#### HEREFORD.

Richard Merritt of Staunton, married 1651, Ann - Sued Richard Meredith for a loan, 2 Nov., 1652.

#### HERTFORDSHIRE.

John Merrett, malster, and wife Mary, of Ware, sued John Larke, 15 July, 1671.

#### HUNTINGTONSHIRE.

George Merritt, gent., and wife Susanna, of Brampton, sued Richard Annis, 4 June,

#### KENT.

Francis Merritt and his sister Elizabeth, children of the sister of John Rowe of Brenchly, Kent, were left bequests by him 16 Nov., 1560. John Merytt, witness. (Rochester Wills, Vol. XII, p. 447.)

Francis Merritt, pilot of Ann Royal of Rochester, 1636. George Merrett, overseer of Hearne, 1569. (Kent Archæological Society.)

Henry Merrit, mar. Katherine Baker, 16 April, 1661. (Maidstone Mar.) John Meryett, Rector of St. Michael's Church, Kingsworth, 1524. (Kent Records.)

John Merritt, mar. Elizabeth Merriam, 10 Feb., 1503. (Goodhurst Register.)

John Merritt, husbandman, of Elmston, had daughter Jane, aged 38 in 1623. Stephen Merrit of St. Lawrence in Thanet, aged 28; mar. Mary Faireman, 20 Feb.,

1638. William Merrit, husbandman, of Folkestone, about 24; mar. Phyllis Harte, 8 April, 1637.

Charles Merritt, sailor in "William," died abroad, wife Sarah, Will proved 17 Aug.,

Joan Merritt, widow, mar. Robert Barton, Lamberhurst, Kent, 9 Feb., 1585.

#### LANCASHIRE.

Richard Merriott, mar. Jane Marshall, Manchester Cathedral, 17 Nov., 1594. Jane Merriotte, wife of Richard, buried 29 Jan., 1604. Richard Merriott, mar. Anne Merriden 8 Apr., 1605. Richard Meryott, son of Richard, baptized 3 Jan., 1606. Anne Mariott, daughter of Richard, baptized 1611.

#### LEICESTERSHIRE.

John Meryet of Ingoldemels, pardoned for killing Robert Cokle before Dec., 1374, 12 Jan., 1385. (Pat. Rolls.)
James Merrett of Loughborowe, made his Will, 1639-40. (Leicestershire Wills.)

## LINCOLNSHIRE.

Simon de Meriet is given protection, Northampton, 28 Dec., 1265. (Pat. Rolls.) Simon Merriote of Knayth grants to son Richard a croft at Knayth, St. John Bapt. Day, 1400. (Cat. of Ancient Deeds.)

#### LONDON.

Walter Miriet, witness to lease of Edward le Blount, Westchepe. 3 May, 1326. Walter Meyrot, tailor and linen armourer, Dec., 1328. (Cal. of Letter Books.) Richard Meyrot, barber, of Westminster, had goods stolen 16 March, 1403. (Patent Rolls.)

Lawrence Merrytt, sexton, mar. Jane Green at St. Michael's, Cornhill, 12 July, 1562. She was buried 15 June, 1569. He was buried 31 Oct., 1569, at St. Michael's, Cornhill. His first wife, Katherine, buried 19 Apr., 1562.

John Marret, mar. Margaret Gymber at St. Thomas Apostle, 4 Sept., 1575. Matthew Merrett, gent. of London, and Elizabeth Adrinson of Shoreditch, 12 Feb.,

1567. (Mar. Lic.)

Robert Merritt, mar. Alice Normantown at St. Dunstans, Stepney, 30 May, 1580. Thomas Marrett, gent. of Inner Temple, and Dorothy Philbie of Holborn, 20 Oct., 1567. (Mar. Lic.)

Thomas Morrett, mar. Avis Nookes at St. Dunstans, Stepney, 24 May, 1573.

William Merrit, mar. Dorothy Agar at St. Dunstans, 25 Feb., 1571.

William Merrett of Poole, defendant at Greenwich, 24 May, 1573. (Privy Council Papers.)

William Meritt, a stranger from Islington, buried at St. James, Clerkenwall, 6 Oct., 1594. Had son William, buried 23 Nov., 1642. Azaria Mereyt, mar. Marion Stafford at St. Dunstans, Stepney, 15 July, 1606.

Charles Merret, mariner, of Shadwell, mar. Sarah Winter at St. Dunstans, Stepney, 18 Nov., 1627.

Ferdinando Merrett of Limehouse, mar. Ann Hoare at St. Dunstans, Stepney, 15 Jan., 1619.

Francis Merriott, cordwainer for the Irish Army, 1649.

George Merritt of St. Sepulchers Parish, died before 1651, leaving wife Elizabeth. He was a seaman. Went to West Indies 1634, returned 1641.

Harry Merritt, mar. Mary Selby at St. Dunstans, Stepney, 28 Jan., 1582.

Henry Merritt, vestryman, 1600-1602; churchwarden, 1603, St. Dunstans. Henry Merritt, mar. Sarah Wilkinson, both of Hammersmith, at Kensington Church, 4 Oct., 1607.

Henry Merritt and Margery Packer at St. Mary le Strand, 28 May, 1607. (Marriage Licenses.)

Hugh Merritt, a pensioner, Signet Bills, May, 1604.

Hugh Merrit, prisoner in Colchester to be sent to East Indies, 1651.

James Merritt, son of John, buried St. Thomas Apostle Church, 4 Oct., 1597.

James Merrett, mar. Francis Dalle at St. James, Clerkenwall, 26 July, 1605.

James Merrett, church warden of St. Vedast Church, Nov., 1620-22

James Merritt of Limehouse, mar. Mary Nelson at St. Dunstans, Stepney, 4 Dec., 1644.

Jeremiah Merrett, cooper of London, and Rose Fox at St. Bennet, 20 Feb., 1622. (Mar. Lic.)

John Merrett of Ratcliffe, mar. Joan Peryn at St. Dunstans, Stepney, 2 Oct., 1622. John Merrett, mar. Sarah Belcher at St. Dionis Backchurch, 13 Aug., 1649.

John Merrett, about 23, of St. Botolphs Aldgate, and Rosamond Alley, 24 Aug., 1665. (Mar. Lic.)

Matthew Merrett, shipwright, of Popler, mar. Ellen Horne at St. Dunstans, Stepney, 16 Oct., 1659. Nathaniel Merritt of Westminster, died before 1647, had son Nathaniel and daugh-

ter Mary.

Nathaniel Merriett of Westminster, gent., born 1621, living 1652, son of Nathaniel, who died 1638, son of William of Southampton, who gave a deed of lands to Andrew Harris 23 Aug., 1619, and made his will 19 Sept., 1624; died 1642.

Nathaniel Merriat, received a pass for France, 1650. Nicholas Marret and Anne Griggs, mar. at St. Thomas Apostle, 1 Jan., 1606.

Nicholas Meret and Martha had son Edward baptized at All Hallows, 7 June, 1640. Robert Merryt of Whitechapel, mar. Ellen Lowfield at St. Dunstans, Stepney, 7 June, 1601.

Robert Merrit, mar. Marion Stafford, at St. Mary, Whitechapel, 27 Dec., 1623 Mr. Robert Meriott and Mary his wife, named as friends of Gabriel Tomlinson, Esqr., in his will, proved 21 May, 1658.

Samuel Merrett had dau. Elizabeth, bap. at St. Mary, Alderney, 20 March, 1617. Samuel Merrett had widow Hester of Stepney, who mar. John Bond, 18 Sept., 1621. (Mar. Lic.)

Thomas Marrett, fishmonger of St. Botolphs, mar. Jane Locklay, 21 Oct., 1589. Thomas Marrott, yeoman, of St. Leonard, Shoreditch, and Mary Esken, mar. 19 Sept., 1598.

Thomas Merryett of St. Edmunds, and Dorothy Burton of St. Dunstans, 23 Feb., 1617. (Mar. Lic.)

Thomas Maret, gent. of St. Martins on the Fields, aged 30, and Mary Barret, 4 Jan., 1630. (Mar. Lic.)

Thomas Merriott, desires to be employed for setting fish, 29 Oct., 1649.

Thomas Merritt, a fugitive from England at Rotterdam, 1663.

William Merrytt of Mileindgreen, mar. Margery Lawrence at St. Dunstans, Stepney, 29 Jan., 1607

William Marett, mar. Maudlyn Tatome at St. James, Clerkenwall, 22 Nov., 1608. William Meriot had son John buried 2 June, 1651, and son Thomas, 28 March, 1651. Thomas Merritt, mar. Hester Brighte at St. Helens, Bishopgate, 5 Mar., 1632.

#### NORTHAMPTONSHIRE.

Henry Meyratt of Higham Ferrers, made his will 1510-20.

#### OXFORDSHIRE.

Andrew Meryott, admitted a banaster of Oxford, 1551.

Henry Meriet, witness to deed from Osbert Honiman to Hospital of St. John, Oxford, of land at Lalexham 15 Feb., 1270. (Charter Rolls, Vol. II.) Thomas Meriett, witness to Will of Richard Wickham of Swaycliffe, 22 May, 1635.

#### SOMERSETSHIRE.

Baldwin de Meryett had dau., Matilda or Maud, who mar. about 1620, Richard Knolles of Little Kempton, the first of the Devon line. (Westgate's Hist, of

Baldwin de Meriet, first wife Joane, put in claims for lands in Hylecomb, Pusemeyr and Illegh, 1279-80. He and others ordered to build a bridge at Donlisforde, 1280. (Som. Rec. Sy., Vol. 14.)

Henry de Merietesford acknowledges debt of £20 13s. to Ralph le Botellier, secured on his lands in Somerset 11 April, 1282. (Close Rolls.)

Henry de Merietford held lands in 1292. (Original Rolls.)

Richard de Moriet killed by a mill wheel 1242.

Richard Meryet, Juror, Hundesberge, 1284-5. (Patent Rolls.)

Robert de Meryetford and wife Margareta, defendants against Hugh de Courtenay for 2 virgates of land in Wulmerston; they gave a warranty deed for 49 marcs, Octave of St. Michael, 1304-5. (Somerset Fines.)

Walter Meryot pardoned for killing Ellis de Compton in self defense 12 Sept., 1256. (Pat. Rolls.)

William de Meryot with John de Moun in Wales 24 Jan., 1277. (Pat. Rolls.) William de Meriet, son of John and brother of John and George, had part of Marston Bigot. Ed. II, 1307-27. (Collinson's Somerset.)

William Meryet, rector of Sutton, Bingham, 1427. (Batten's Hist. Collections.) William Meryt of Crewkerne, husbandman, made his Will Sept., 1544, leaving money to St. Andrews Church, Wells, and to Crewkerne Church, remainder

to wife Elizabeth, who was executrix. (Arch. of Taunton, Vol. I.) John Merrit claimed Shobenesh Park, Hinton, in 1607. (Smyth's Lives of the Berkeleys.)

John Merritt of Littleton versus Robert Taylor; judgment for John for £20. Ilchester, 1620.

John Merriott of Littleton, Somerton, gent., compounded for £16 for not appearing for Knighthood, 23 Sept., 1631.

John Merriot petitions to be released from bond for care of a foundling, Taunton, 4 July, 1621; of Somerton, butcher, 1627-30.

John, son of John Merrett, tombstone at Compton Dundon, 6 June, 1640.

Edward Merret, mar. Mary Clarke at Kingsbury, 17 Jan., 1610. (Somerset Mar.) Henry Merret, mar. Edith Bettye at Aller, 20 June, 1631. (Somerset Mar.)

John Meriot, mar. Elizabeth Marden, at High Ham, 7 May, 1603. (Somerset Mar.) John Meriot, mar. Julianna Scott at High Ham, 3 June, 1611. (Somerset Mar.)

Joannes Meryott, mar. Maria Stacie at High Ham, 30 May, 1636. (Somerset Mar.) John Merriott, mar. Christianna Higges at High Ham, 3 May, 1641. (Somerset Mar.)

John Merrit, mar. Joanna Willie at Kingsbury, 21 April, 1619. (Somerset Mar.) Nicholas Merriott, mar. Joanna Petty at High Ham, 23 May, 1641.

Peter Meryet was made a monk, 1531. (Som. Rec. Society, Vol. XIV.)

William Merritt, mar. Avis Couche at Aller, 21 Nov., 1503. (Somerset Mar.)

William Merit, mar. Edith Watts at Martock, 9 Oct., 1598. (Somerset Mar.)

William Merret, mar. Anne Martine at Aller, 23 July, 1627. (Somerset Mar.) William Meriet, mar. Edith Bradford at Kingsbury Episcopi, 1 Dec., 1658.

Andrew Merit of Queen Camel had dau. Dorothea who mar. Roger Collins; living 1620.

John Merrett of Martock, mar. 20 Jan., 1585, Elinor, dau. of Joane Hillard, who left her £60 Dec. 24, 1611. Children: John, Thomas, Alice, Elinor, Robert,

Richard Merryett, born in Huishe, ordered to be supported, Netherham 7 Feb., 1608.

Thomas Merrett, glover and ale house keeper, Somerton, June, 1627.

Thomas Meriat had son Thomas baptized at High Ham, 2 May, 1622, and daughter Joan baptized 30 Nov., 1623.

Thomas Meriott of High Ham, Will proved 15 May, 1634, wife Margaret.

Edward Meryott, inquisitioner, post mortem, 1612.

James Merritt had dau. Mary buried at Wandsworth, 10 Nov., 1644. (Wandsworth Records.)

Thomas Merritt had son Thomas, bap, at Wandsworth, 24 May, 1674. (Wandsworth Records.) Also sons Richard, Peter, Joseph and Robert, 1676-83.

#### WARWICKSHIRE.

Robert Marett, mar. Anne Bregis at Stratford on Avon, 22 July, 1596.

#### WILTSHIRE.

John de Meriet and wife Mary held manor of Aldeborne, 1326. (Wilts. Notes and Queries.)

Robert de Meriot, surety for Robert de Wyrtelle, member for Leicester, 1295; also

for Robert Cauntelor for Wilts. Clipston, 1319. (Parl. Writs.)
John Meriot accused of carrying off the goods of Richard Danesay, of Dulton, 23 March, 1327.

Gilbert Meriott, mar. Beatrice, dau. of John Thatcham and died childless at Alderbury before 1467. (Hoare's Modern Wiltshire.)

John Merit, mar. Thomas Taylor at Urchport, 25 Sept., 1564.

John Merrit of Hanging Langford, paid £5 for army dues 6 Feb., 1645. (Wilts. Arch. Mag.)

Nycholas Meret, assessed 20s. 2d. at Marden, Swanburgh Hundred, 1542.

Robert Merriott, aged 19, of Wiltshire, admitted to New College, Oxford, 14 Oct.,

Thomas Merriott, Rev., born at Steeple, Langford, 1589; admitted to New College, 14 Oct., 1608; Vicar of Swallcliffe; died 19 July, 1662. (Hoare's Modern Wiltshire.)

Thomas Merriott, admitted to New College, 22 Nov., 1615.

William Merriott in 1482 was repaid 20 shillings given for silver candlesticks for Salisbury Cathedral. Churchwarden, 1456-84. (Churchwarden Accounts.)

William Merret, mar. Elizabeth Carter, Urchport, 22 Oct., 1567.

Edward Meret, mar. Sarah Stockwell at Start, 27 Oct., 1656. (Wilts Parish Reg.) Richard Merritt of Christian Malford signs a petition 4 Dec., 1660.

William Merret, mar. Grace Simons at Mere, 28 June, 1630.

#### WORCESTERSHIRE.

Robert de Meriet, 1316. He and others carried off the goods of John Chaumbre, 13 Feb., 1325. (Pat. Rolls.)

William de Meryet went to Wales with John de Moun on King's service, 24 Jan., 1277. (Patent Rolls.)

John Merriott had a dau, who married Sir William Blount of Worcestershire before 1569.

Thomas Marret of Brycklehampton, husbandman, made his Will, 1584. (Worcester Wills.)

#### YORKSHIRE.

Thomas Meriot, defendant in suit for Hansworth and Woodhouse, 1529. (Yorkshire Fines.)

Robert Merritt, witness to Will of Philip Marshall of Offendike, husbandman, 10 Oct., 1670.

Jane Merritt and Robert Peck, betrothed at Leyden, Holland, 1609, both from England.

John Morret, gent., had the manor of Sherburne, son John, who had son William living 1601, died before 1648, who had son John of London.

#### ISLAND OF JERSEY.

Benjamin Merrett and wife Mary, sued Thomas Obbinson, 5 Nov., 1667. Charles Merrett sued William Barber, 17 April, 1660.

# Henry Merritt of Scituate. Mass.

1. HENRY¹ MERRITT, son of born died Nov., 1652, married le is supposed to have come from Tenterden, Kent, England. Probably one of the first settlers of Scituate, having gone there from Plymouth in 1626. He took the oath of fidelity, not the freeman's oath, implying that his land was purchased, not allotted. On April 10, 1628, he sold to Nathaniel Tilden for 20 shillings the land "inside the fence at the north end of the third cliff," which he had bought from Goodman Byrd; recorded 20 April, 1644 (Plymouth, Colonial Records). His house and lot was at the corner of Greenfield Lane and the Drift way in 1633. Freeman 1638. He had large shares in the New Harbor marshes and was one of the Conihasset partners, having bought one thirtieth of Timothy Hatherly's land 1 Dec., 1646. Constable 7 June, 1642. Surveyor 7 March, 1643-4. Owned land next to Joseph Tilden's in 1649. Commissioner of Excise in 1650, called Senior. Inventory, 24 Jan., 1653, amount £121 168. 3d., of things jointly purchased by Henry Merritt, deceased, and his brother John Merritt; which remain undivided. His wife called Goodwife Merritt joined the church 1637. (Plymouth Reg. Wills, Vol. 1, p. 123). Name spelled Merict in Plymouth Record, 1 Feb., 1638, and Merriott.

#### Children:

Henry<sup>2</sup>, born , died , 1667. John, born about 1625, died 6 Nov., 1676.

Katherine, born , died 8 Dec., 1655, married 16 June, 1644, John Daman, of Scituate.

2. HENRY<sup>2</sup> MERRITT, son of Henry<sup>1</sup>, married Judith, daughter of ..... • Able to bear arms in Scituate 1643. Freeman of Boston 1657. Creditor of estate of Mahalaleel Munnings of Dorchester, 1659 (Early Wills of Boston). Made his Will 9 Feb., 1662, leaving property to wife, eldest son John, two other children not named, and grandchild, Samuel Hett.

#### Children:

John<sup>3</sup>, born , died Anne, born , died died

JOHN<sup>2</sup> MERRITT, son of Henry<sup>1</sup>, married 2 Mar., 1655, Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Wyborne and Elizabeth of Boston, who died Oct., 1656, leaving property by Will 12 Sept., 1656, to her and her infant daughter Deborah. Able to bear arms in Scituate 1643. Administrator of Will of Henry Merritt 6 June, 1654 (Plymouth Records Vol. 3, p. 51). A grand juror, 3 June, 1656, Constable 6 June, 1660. On jury 29 Oct., 1673. Land assigned to him 1673. He and Charles Stockbridge complain against Isaac Chittenden for setting a fence on the common near Merrits' Meadow 29 Oct., 1673. Occupied his father's homestead. Inquest 6 March, 1676, on the body of John Merritt, he having fallen from the works on the rocks 1 March, 1676. On 7 June, 1677, the Court orders that Elizabeth, wife of John Merritt, deceased, shall have the improvements of the estate until the children come of age (Plymouth Reg. Wills, Vol. 2, p. 68).

#### Children:

Ichabod<sup>3</sup>, born Mar., 1655, died Deborah, born 1656, died before 1677 John, born 17 Feb., 1661, died 5 June, 1740 Henry, born Jan., 1663, died 1732 Jonathan, born July, 1665, died

Mary, born Dec., 1668, died ; married 1683, Benjamin

Elizabeth; born July, 1671, died Mar., 1733

Studley.

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3. JOHN<sup>3</sup> MERRITT, son of Henry<sup>2</sup>, married perhaps Mehitabel
                                                                                          Gave
    deed of 3 acres swamp land to Nicholas Lichfield, 20 March, 1733.
    Children:
     John*, born
                                        , died
ICHABOD3 Merritt, son of John2, married (?)
    Children (?)
JOHN3 MERRITT, son of John3, married 1686, Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas
    Hyland and Elizabeth Stockbridge. She died 13 April, 1746, aged 87; buried in
    Scituate graveyard. He was part proprietor of Conihasset 20 May, 1686.
    Buried in Scituate graveyard, aged 79 years, 3 months, 16 days.
    Children:
      John<sup>4</sup>, born
                          Aug., 1687, died
      Thomas, born
                           Sept., 1688, died
     Deborah, born
                          Dec., 1689. died
                                                          ; married 11 May, 1721, Jeremiah
                                                                                         Hatch
                                                           ; married 1711, Isaac Prouly. -- }
     Elizabeth, born
                           Feb., 1691, died
     Mary, born
                           Nov., 1692, died
                                                             ; married 23 Dec., 1712, Isaac
                                                                                          Buck
                          May, 1694, died 16 Oct., 1721; married 14 Nov., 1717, Jacob
     Ruth, born
     Ichabod, born
                           Oct., 1695, died
     Hannah, born
                           Feb., 1696, died
                          May, 1699, died
Nov., 1700, died
     Henry, born
      Abigail, born
                                                          ; married 1728, Edward Jenkins.
                          May, 1702, died 21 Oct. 1758.
      Jonathan, born
     David, born Oct., 1703, died
Ebenezer, born 25 Dec., 1705, died
     Ezekiel, born 22 Dec., 1709, died
HENRY<sup>2</sup> MERRITT, son of John<sup>2</sup>, married Deborah, daughter of Lieut, Isaac Buck, Land adjoined Nicholas Lichfield's 24 May, 1710. Witness to deed Lichfield to Collamore 19 Feb., 1722. Left no Will and son Jonathan adminis-
   tered 2 Feb., 1732.
    Children:
     Jonathan4, born 7 Feb., 1687, died
     Henry, born I Jan., 1689, died
                                                   , 1771
      James, born 14 Nov., 1691, died
     Deborah, born 2 Mar., 1694, died
                                                          ; married 1731, Joseph Nash.
                      21 Feb., 1697, died
     Leah, born
                                                          ; married 7 Dec., 1719, Benjamin
                                                                                        Briggs.
                                                          ; married 1718, Eleazer Peekes.
     Rachel, born 29 Apr., 1699, died
                      29 Sept., 1702, died
     Isaac, born
JONATHAN<sup>3</sup> MERRITT, son of John<sup>2</sup>, married 7 June, 1706, Sarah Cudworth, Had lands assigned to him 1699. Had land adjoining Nicholas Lichfield's 24
   May, 1710.
   Children:
     Hannah<sup>4</sup>, born
                              . died
                                            ; married 18 May, 17-, Jonathan Cudworth.
4. JOHN MERRITT, son of John 3, married 1727, Hannah, daughter of
   Peakes. A husbandman, he gave deed to Nicholas Lichfield of one and a half
   share of upland and swamp, granted in 1723 to John Merritt, Jr., and Jonathan Merritt, Sr., 1 Aug., 1727. Married 2nd, Thankful ———.
   Children:
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Joseph Woodworth and Sarah Stockbridge. She was born

were baptized in Second Church, Scituate, 11 Sept., 1720.

THOMAS MERRITT, son of John 3, married 7 Nov., 1711, Abigail, daughter of

13

; married Issacher Wade.

, 1685. They

Thankfuls, bapt. 18 July, 1729, died

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Children:
     Agathas, born 11 Feb., 1712, died
                                                          : married 1730. Clarmond Bate.
                                                          ; married 16 Dec., 1746, Moses
     Abigail, born 21 Sept., 1714, died
                                                                                 Simmons.
                      21 Dec., 1716, died
      Amy, born
     Mary, born
                      11 Feb., 1718, died
                           , 1721, died
      Thomas, born
                                                     1804
ICHABOD4 MERRITT, son of John3, married 23 April, 1728, Mary, daughter of Thorn. Of Leicester and Worcester, a partner of Land Bank
   of Mass., 1740.
   Children:
      Joseph<sup>5</sup>, born, bapt. 29 Mar., 1729, died
     Mary, bapt. 11 Oct., 1730, died
     Benjamin, bapt. 2 Apr., 1732, died
     Hannah, bapt. 4 Aug., 1734, died
HENRY MERRITT, son of John, married 13 April, 1726, Margaret, daughter of
                    Dwelly. Lived in Hanover, Mass.
   Children:
     Ruth<sup>5</sup>, born
                       6 Nov., 1726, died
                      11 May, 1728, died 17 Oct., 1802
     Asa, born
     Susanna, born 8 June, 1729, died
Noah, born 6 Aug., 1731, died
                                                     1814
     Henry, born
                      16 Sept., 1733, died
     John, born 6 Apr., 1736, died
Simeon, born 1 June, 1738, died
JONATHAN<sup>4</sup> MERRITT, son of John<sup>2</sup>, married 8 Jan., 1727, Mehitabel, daughter of Zachary Damon and Mehitabel Chittenden. Bapt. Second Church 9 Nov.,
   1735. Moved to Hebron, Conn., before 1730.
   Children:
     Simeon<sup>5</sup>, b. bap. 4 Sept., 1728, died
                              , 1730, died 24 Mar. 1814
     Noah, born
     Jonathan, born
Elizabeth, bapt.
                              , died
, 1743, died
                               1744, died
     Sarah, bapt.
DAVID MERRITT, son of John married 28 Oct., 1736, Hannah, daughter of
                   Barrell.
   Children:
                             , 1737, died
     Lydia, born
     David, b., bap. 17 Feb., 1740, died
     John, b., bap. 18 Sept., 1743, died
     Hannah, born
                              , 1748, died
EBENEZER4 MERRITT, son of John3, married (?)
   Children (?)
EZEKIEL4 MERRITT, son of John3, married 13 Aug., 1758, Rachel, daughter of Vinal.
   No children on record.
JONATHAN4 MERRITT, son of Henry3, married 8 Aug., 1710, Elizabeth, daugh-
   ter of Ibrook Tower and Margaret Harden, of Cohasset, and widow of Mat-
   thew Whiton. She was born 9 June, 1682; married 2nd, 6 April, 1742, Elizabeth,
   daughter of
                             Pratt, and widow of Rev. Nehemiah Hobart.
   Children:
     Deborah, b., bp. 14 Apr., 1711. died
                                                          ; married 21 May, 1730, Joseph
                                                                                     Nash.
     Nehemiah, born 17 Oct., 1712, died
                                               June, 1789.
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June, 1789.

Jonathan, born 16 Sept., 1715, died

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Elizabeth, b., bp. 2 Apr., 1719, died
                                                       ; married 14 Jan., 1741, David
                                                                              Jenkins.
     Obadiah, b., bap. 9 Mar., 1723, died 13 Sept., 1794.
HENRY MERRITT, son of Henry, married 6 Jan., 1712, Hannah, daughter of
   Israel Cowing and Hannah Litchfield. She was born 12 Aug., 1694. On 13
   May, 1771, his son-in-law, David Nash, administered his estate, which was ren-
   dered insolvent.
   Children:
     Hannahs, born 21 Oct., 1713, died
                                                       ; married 18 May, 1738, Jona-
                                                                      than Cudworth.
    Henry, born 13 Nov., 1715, died 9 Feb., 1718.
Mary, born 18 Oct., 1717, died
                                                       ; married 18 Mar., 1743, Jona-
                                                                           than Fish.
     Penelope, born 1 Mar., 1719, died
                                                       ; married 23 Nov., 1740, David
                                                                                Nash.
     Deborah, born 3 May, 1721, died 28 Mar., 1731.
     Sarah, born 21 Feb., 1724, died
                                                       ; married 14 Aug., 1746, Israel
                                                                              Damon.
     Martha, born 18 Mar., 1726, died
                                                       ; married 1 May, 1755, Ezekiel
                                                                               Pierce.
     Henry, born 19 Aug., 1728, died
     Ruth, born
                    18 Mar., 1730, died 16 May, 1771; married 26 Dec., 1769, Micah
JAMES<sup>4</sup> MERRITT, son of Henry<sup>3</sup>, married 9 Feb., 1715, Ruth, daughter of
   Nicholas Wade. She was born
                                          , 1692.
   Children:
    James<sup>5</sup>, b., bap. 13 May, 1717, died
     Elisha, b., bap. 3 Sept., 1722, died
                   14 Aug., 1724, died
     Seth, born
ISAAC4 MERRITT, son of Henry3, married 1724, Jerusha, daughter of
   Hayden of Braintree. They moved to Charlton in 1736; there the last three
   children were born.
  Children:
    Henry 5, born
                            , 1725, died
     Jerusha, born
                            , 1727, died
     Rachel, born
                            , 1729, died
     Isaac, born
                            , 1731, died
    Delight, b., bp. 8 May, 1734, died
                                 , died
     Job, born
                                  , died
     Samuel, born
                                  , died
     Benjamin, born
5. THOMAS<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Thomas<sup>4</sup>, married 2 Nov., 1749, Jane, daughter of Joseph Nichols and Bathsheba Pincin. Moved from Scituate to Brooklyn,
   Windham Co., Conn., and died there. Made his Will 26 Apr., 1804; proved 10
   Nov., 1804; recorded at Plainfield 28 Dec., 1804.
   Children:
     Janes, born 28 Aug., 1752, died young.
     Thomas, born 2 Apr., 1754, died
     Joseph, born 17 Mar., 1756, died
                                                  1776.
    Elizabeth, born 20 July, 1758, died 2 May, 1841; mar. 1785 Joseph Bradford.
                    5 June, 1760, died
    Mary, born
                                                       ; mar. Ebenezer Adams.
    Charles, born 26 Nov., 1761, died
    Jane, born 31 Aug., 1764, died young.
Abigail, born 7 Oct., 1766, died
                                                       ; mar. Cornelius Williams.
                          , 1767, died
    Benjamin, born
                                         1 Aug., 1836.
                           , 1768, died
    Nathan, born
    Mabel, born 27 July, 1769, died
                                                       ; mar. Philip Abbott.
    Zintha, born 27 July, 1769, died 8 Nov., 1835; mar. Benjamin Lewis.
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JOSEPH<sup>3</sup> MERRITT, son of Ichabod<sup>4</sup>, married, perhaps, Mary Farnesworth at
    Leicester, Mass., 25 June, 1754.
    Children (?)
BENJAMIN<sup>2</sup> MERRITT, son of Ichabod<sup>4</sup>, married at Scituate 28 Jan., 1758,
    Sarah, daughter of
                                      Blanchard.
    Children (?)
ASAs MERRITT, son of Henrys, married
                                                               Anna, daughter of
    Moved from Brimfield to Conway, Mass., in 1767-8. An Asa Merritt from Northfield was in Capt. Melvins' Rangers of Winchester, N. H., 26 Mar. to
    13 June, 1748.
   Children:
      Lucy<sup>6</sup>, born
                       6 Apr., 1760, died
                                                                           Bartlett.
                                                            ; mar.
      Simcon, born
                       9 July, 1762, died 29 Jan., 1829.
      Asa, born
                              , 1770, died 24 Jan., 1838.
      Margaretta, b. 19 July, 1782, died
                                                           ; unmarried.
NOAHs MERRITT, son of Henry+, married(?)
    Children (?)
HENRY's MERRITT, son of Henry's, married(?)
   Children (?)
JOHN<sup>a</sup> MERRITT, son of Henry<sup>4</sup>, married(?)
   Children (?)
SIMEON<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Henry<sup>4</sup>, married(?)
    Children (?)
SIMEON<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Jonathan<sup>4</sup>, married(?)
   Children (?)
NOAH* MERRITT, son of Jonathan*, married (?) Sarah, daughter of
   Lee. Meved to Templeton, Mass., about 1753.
   Children:
      Noahs, born
                          May, 1758, died
      Abigail, born 27 May, 1760, died 29 Nov., 1824.
      Lucy, born
                      25 May, 1762, died
      Sarah, born
                                            5 Feb., 1830.
                      20 Aug., 1764, died
      Henry, born
                      1 Mar., 1767, died 14 Sept., 1784.
      Esther, born 17 Mar., 1760, died
      Simeon, born 23 May, 1771, died
                                            6 Dec., 1844.
      Moliy, born 17 June, 1773, died 30 Sept., 1777.
      Eunice, born 17 June, 1773, died Wilks, born 7 Sept., 1775, died 31 Aug., 1777.
      Dytha, born
                       4 July. 1776, died
     Uriah, born 19 Nov., 1777, died 3 Feb., 1827.
Hannah, born 16 June, 1782, died 6 Aug., 1843; mar. Abel Wilder.
JONATHAN<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Jonathan<sup>4</sup>, married
    Child:
      Ruth<sup>6</sup>, bapt. 16 Feb., 1752, died
DAVID's MERRITT, son of David's, married at Scituate 17 Feb., 1766, Sarah,
   daughter of
                              Curtis.
   Children (?)
JOHN<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of David<sup>4</sup>, married(?)
NEHEMIAH<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Jonathan<sup>4</sup>, married(?)
   Children (?)
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IONATHAN® MERRITT, son of Jonathan®, married 31 Jan., 1741, Sarah, daugh-
                       Wade, Married 2nd 6 Nov., 1746, Ruth, daughter of Elijah
   ter of
   Stetson and Ruth Chittenden.
   Children:
     Neliemiah<sup>6</sup>, born
                            , 1742, died
                                                         ; 1818.
     Elizabeth, born 15 May, 1743, died
Sarah, born 17 Nov., 1744, died
                    30 July, 1758, died before 1790.
28 Sept., 1755, died 22 Sept., 1834.
16 Feb., 1752, died
     Joshua, bapt.
     Daniel, bapt.
     Ruth, bapt.
                                                         ; married Micha Mott.
OBADIAH<sup>®</sup> MERRITT, son of Jonathan<sup>®</sup>, married 29 Jan., 1746, Deborah, daugh-
   ter of Samuel Litchfield and Abigail Buck.
   Children:
                             , 1747, died
     Hannaha, born
                                                    1753.
                            , 1750, died
     Lucy, born
                                                         ; unmarried, 1794.
     Jonathan, born
                             , 1754, died
                                                         ; living 1794.
     Charles, bapt. 21 June, 1756. died
                                                    1756.
                            , 1757. died
     Melachi, born
                                                    1763.
     Noah, born
                             , 1759, died
                             , 1760, died
     Luke, born
                                                     1760.
                             , 1761, died
     Gamaliel, born
                             , 1763, died
     Deborah, born
                                                         ; mar. Eli Curtis, Jr.
                            . 1765, died
. 1768, died
     Malachi, born
     Ensign, born
     Israel, born
                             , 1770; died
HENRY's MERRITT, son of Henry's, married 17 Mar., 1763, at Scituate, Ann,
                            Studley. He was a Captain in Scituate.
   daughter of
   Children (?)
JAMES: MERRITT, son of James, married 17 May, 1739, Elizabeth, daughter of
                Cole. Bought the Lanman lot at Plymouth from John Howard in
   1771 and sold it to Thomas Jackson 1773.
   Children:
     Ruth<sup>6</sup>, born
                             , 1740, died
                                                         ; mar. perhaps James Nash.
     James, born
                             , 1745, died
                             , 1749, died
     Mary, born
     Amos, born
                             , 1755. died
                             , 1757, died
     Elizabeth, born
                             , 1759, died
     Melza, born
                             , 1761, died
     Asa, born
ELISHAS MERRITT, son of James, married 17 Sept., 1741, Priscilla, daughter
   οí
                  Holbrook.
   Children:
     Priscilla<sup>6</sup>, born
                             , 1744, died
                            , 1746, died young.
, 1748, died 7 Apr., 1827.
     Elisha, born
     Henry, born
     Consider, born
                            , 1751, died
                                                    1831.
SETH<sup>2</sup> MERRITT, son of James<sup>4</sup>, married 21 Dec., 1751, Mercy, daughter of
                Stodder of Hingham.
   Children:
     Seth<sup>6</sup>, born
                             , 1757, died
     Paul, born
                            , 1761, died
     Barnabas, b., bp. 22 July, 1764, died young.
     Caleb, born
                            , 1770, died
HENRY's MERRITT, son of Isaac', married
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   Children:
     Petere, born 22 Aug., 1753, died
    Aaron, born 22 Aug., 1755, died
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6 Apr., 1758, died 10 Sept., 1842.
      Amos, born
      Jude, born
                     19 Mar., 1764, died
     Henry, born
                     5 June, 1767, died 10 Nov., 1822.
      Moses, born
                     14 May, 1771, died
     Bernard, born
                                     died
ISAAC: MERRITT, son of Isaac, married Apr., 1758, Martha or Elizabeth,
   daughter of James Marr of Warren.
   Children:
      William<sup>6</sup>, born
                                              Sept., 1845.
                     11 May, 1759, died 17 Aug., 1828.
     Asa, born
     Eunice, born
                                     died
                                                         ; mar. perhaps,
                                                                                  Davis.
      John, born
                                     died
                                     died
      James, born
      (Perhaps) Thomas, born
                                     died
IOB5 MERRITT, son of Isaac4, married 18 Oct., 1769, Hannah, daughter of
   Thompson.
   Children:
     Walters, born 4 Apr., 1770, died
                                           6 May, 1847.
                      1 Dec , 1771, died
     Phebe, born
     Jemima, born 14 Apr., 1773, died
     Olive, born
                     18 Dec., 1776, died
     Oliver, born
                     4 July, 1779, died
                                                    1804.
     Jenison, born 4 July, 1781, died
SAMUEL<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Isaac<sup>4</sup>, married
                                                                 Hannah, daughter of
                . She married Levi Ward 3 Sept., 1772.
   Children:
     Ruth<sup>6</sup>, born
                      4 Apr., 1757, died
                      2 Mar., 1766, died
     Lydia, born
     Ezekiel, born 18 Feb., 1769, died
BENJAMIN<sup>2</sup> MERRITT, son of Isaac<sup>4</sup>, married 19 Apr., 1764, Elizabeth, daugh-
   ter of
                      Smith.
   Children:
     Jesse<sup>6</sup>, born
Sybil, born
                                           9 Aug., 1849.
                     16 Oct., 1764, died
                     22 July, 1767, died
                                                    1768.
     Luke, born
                     25 July, 1769, died
                                                    1813.
     Nehemiah, born 3 Mar., 1773, died
                                                    1844.
     Benjamin, born 30 Apr., 1775, died
                                                    1778.
     Elizabeth, born 30 June, 1777, died
                                                    1859; mar.
                                                                        Baldwin.
                     22 Feb., 1780, died
                                             Dec., 1862; mar.
     Sarah, born
                                                                       Ormsby.
     Benjamin, born 2 Apr., 1782, died
                                           6 Feb., 1874.
                     18 July, 1785, died
     Isaac, born
     Relief, born
                       1 Nov., 1787, died 26 July, 1860; mar. John Eddy.
     Salmon, born 28 July, 1791, died 16 Apr., 1866.
6. THOMAS MERRITT, son of Thomas, married at Canterbury, 14 July, 1777,
   Zilpha, daughter of Thomas Tyler. Married 2nd, 8 July, 1787, Elizabeth, daughter of Mark Cressy and Elizabeth Richards. He was in Capt. Nathan Hale's
   Company in Revolution.
   Children:
     Eunice7, born 15 Sept., 1778, died
                                                        ; mar. Joseph Scott,
     Septimus, born
                             , 1782, died
     Elizabeth, born
                                     died
                                                        ; mar. Josiah Bradford.
JOSEPH<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Thomas<sup>5</sup>, married
                                                                  . Killed in battle at
   Flatbush, L. I., 1776.
   Children (?)
CHARLES<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Thomas<sup>5</sup>, married 26 Mar., 1789, Mehitabel, daugh-
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Children:
      Sylon<sup>†</sup>, born
                                           died
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      Joseph, born
      Charles, born
                                           died
      Mehitabel, born
                                           died
BENJAMIN<sup>a</sup> MERRITT, son of Thomas<sup>5</sup>, married 7 Dec., 1800, Mehitable, daughter of Lieut. Thomas Vail. She was born at Pomfret, Vt., 28 July, 1777;
    died 18 June, 1846.
    Children:
      Benjamin, b. 14 Oct., 1801, died 28 Sept., 1861.
      Samuel, born 30 Jan., 1804, died Mehitabel, b. 19 Dec., 1807, died
                                                            1814.
                                                                  ; unmarried.
      Elizabeth, born 25 Sept., 1812, died
NATHAN<sup>a</sup> MERRITT, son of Thomas<sup>5</sup>, married 24 Dec., 1795. Elizabeth, daugh-
                         Wheat of Brutus, N. Y.
   ter of
   Children:
      Mary<sup>7</sup>, born
Eliza, born
                                          died
                                          died
      Daughter, born
                                          died
                                                                                   Sheldon.
                                                                  ; mar.
      Daughter, born
                                          died
                                                                  ; mar.
                                                                                   Sheldon.
SIMEON® MERRITT, son of Asas, married 14 Nov., 1792, Pamelia, daughter of
                  Baker. Served in Revolution.
    Children:
      Pliny<sup>7</sup>, born
                      19 Jan., 1794, died 14 Oct., 1863.
ASA<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Asa<sup>5</sup>, married Rebecca, daughter of Luce. She died 20 Jan., 1821. He was drowned with his horse in an ice pond.
      Henry<sup>7</sup>, born
William, born
                                          died
                                          died
      Butler, born
                                          died
                                          died
      Asa, born
                        23 Nov., 1806, died 23 May, 1873.
      Austin, born
      Simeon, born
                                          died
      Leonard, died
                                          died
                                                                  ; mar. Reuben Smith.
      Margaretta, born
                                          died
                                                                  ; mar. L. J. Torreny.
      Rebecca, born
                                          died
NOAH<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Noah<sup>2</sup>, married Eunice, daughter of Metcalf. He was born at Templeton. Served six years in Revolutionary Army.
   Died at Sudbury, Vt.
   Children:
      Noadiah<sup>7</sup>, born 23 Dec., 1782, died 1 Jan., 1854.
      Henry, born
Eunice, born
                                          died
                                          died
      Anna, born
                                          died
      Esther, born
                                          died
                                                                                   Atkins.
                                                                 : mar.
      Roxie, born
                                          died
      Achsah, born
                                          died
HENRY® MERRITT, son of Noahs, unmarried(?)
SIMEON6 MERRITT, son of Noah5, married 26 July, 1799, Dorcas, daughter of
                  Gay. Lived at Templeton.
   Children:
      Increase Sumner<sup>7</sup>.
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born 15 Oct., 1799, died 15 Apr., 1877.

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Cynthia, born 13 Feb., 1801, died 1 July, 1886.
      Lucy, born 12 June, 1803, died
      Dorcas, born 13 Dec., 1804, died
                                            2 Aug., 1856.
      Cordelia, born 16 Jan., 1806, died
      Mercy, born 25 Nov., 1808, died
     Salome, born 25 Mar., 1811, died 30 Apr., 1837.
Mary Ann, born Nov., 1813, died Nov., 1846.
Julia Fisher, b. 22 Oct., 1816, died 25 Dec., 1867.
URIAH® MERRITT, son of Noah®, married
                                                            Louisa, daughter of
    Penniman.
    Child:
     Dexter P.7, b. 27 Dec., 1816, died
NEHEMIAH MERRITT, son of Jonathan, married
                                                                        Sarah, daughter
   of Atwood Mott and widow of Nathaniel Litchfield.
     Nehemiah<sup>7</sup>, b. 26 Apr., 1796, died 31 Aug., 1871.
     Sophia, born
                                      died
                                               Sept., 1884.
JOSHUA<sup>a</sup> MERRITT, son of Jonathan<sup>a</sup>, married 1780, Priscilla Litchfield.
   No children.
DANIEL<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Jonathan<sup>5</sup>, married 23 Mar., 1786, Molly, daughter
   of Aaron Simmons and Elizabeth Hyland. Served in Third Scituate Regiment
   Apr.-Oct., 1775.
   Children:
     Joseph<sup>7</sup>, born 20 Oct., 1797, died
Daniel, born 19 Mar., 1787, died
                                                          ; unmarried.
                                           2 Aug., 1818.
     Aaron, born
                        Mar., 1791, died
     Cynthia, born
                                     died
     Jonathan, born 14 Nov., 1794, died
     Joshua, born 30 Aug., 1789, died I June, 1847; unmarried.
JONATHAN's MERRITT, son of Obadiah's, married (?)
   Children (?)
NOAH® MERRITT, son of Obadiahs, married 1786, Elizabeth, daughter of
   Bryant.
   Children:
     Elizabeth<sup>‡</sup>, born
                               1789, died
                                                     1839.
     Charles, born
                               1791, died
                               1793, died
     Noah, born
                               1794, died
1802, died
     Obadialı, born
     Joseph, born
     John, born
                               1805, died
                                                     1854; unmarried.
GAMALIEL® MERRITT, son of Obadiahs, married 1782, Hannah, daughter of
                Mott and widow of Laban Rose.
   Children (?)
MALACHI<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Obadiah<sup>5</sup>, married
                                                              1790, Mercy, daughter of
                Webb.
   Children:
     Mercy7, bapt. 22 July, 1791, died
     Otis, born
                               1803, died
ENSIGN® MERRITT, son of Obadiahs, married 1802, Sallie, daughter of
   Cook.
   Children:
     Sallie7, born
                               1805, died
     Deborah, born
                               1808, died
     Robert, born
                               1810, died
     James, born
                               1813, died
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Joseph, born
                               1817, died
     Lucy, born
                               1819, died
     Benjamin, born
                               1821, died
                               1823, died
     Obadiah, born
     Henry, born
                               1826, died
ISRAEL<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Obadiah<sup>5</sup>, married 1797, Celia Little, daughter of
                Young.
   Children:
     Cynthia, born
                                     died
     Eliza, born
                                     died
     Henry, born
                               1802, died
     Celia, born
                                     died
     Julia, born
                                     died
     Joshua, born
                                     died
     Israel, born
                               1809, died
     Emmeline, born
                                     died
     Almeric, born
                                     died
JAMES MERRITT, son of James, married at Scituate 1 Dec., 1768, Mary, daugh-
   ter of
                      Northey.
   Children (?)
AMOS<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of James<sup>5</sup>, married June, 1779, Lydia, daughter of
   Bailey.
   Children (?)
MELZAR<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of James<sup>5</sup>, marriee(?)
   Children (?)
ASA6 MERRITT, son of James5, married 15 June, 1785, Betty, daughter of
   Briggs.
   Children (?)
HENRY<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Elisha<sup>5</sup>, married
                                                               Mary, daughter of Dea-
   con Isaac Snow. He was born in Scituate, moved to Kennebunk, died at Harps-
   well, Maine.
   Children:
     Stephen<sup>7</sup>, born
                         Feb., 1779, died
                                                     1835 or 6.
     William, born
                               1781, died
     Priscilla, born
                                                          ; mar. Wm. C. Curtis.
                               1783, died
     Isaac, born
                               1786, died
                                                     1837; unmarried.
     Elizabeth, born
                               1788, died
                                                          ; mar. Jesse Snow.
     Jesse, born
                               1790, died
                               1793, died
     Henry, born
     Samuel, born
                               1796, died
                                                     1817.
                      1799, died 1843
11 Oct., 1800, died 12 Oct., 1869.
     Fanny, born
                                                     1843; unmarried.
     Elisha, born
     Jane S., born
                               1804, died
                                                     1826; unmarried.
CONSIDER<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Elisha<sup>5</sup>, married
                                                                     Sarah, daughter of
                Beals.
   Children:
     Sarah<sup>7</sup>, born 22 Apr., 1779, died
Polly, born 23 May, 1780, died
                                                          ; mar. Zacheus Crooker.
     Joanna, bapt.
                      2 June, 1783, died
     Joas, born
                      2 June, 1786, died
     Benjamin, born 2 Nov., 1785, died
     Roxa, born 19 Mar., 1788, died
     Consider, born
                         Jan., 1790, died
                               1794, died
1798, died
      Joseph, born
     Henry, born
     Elisha, born
                               1799, died
     Francis, born
                                1800. died
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SETH<sup>a</sup> MERRITT, son of Seth<sup>a</sup>, married, perhaps, at Scituate, 28 Nov., 1782,
    Susanna, daughter of
                                       Gannett.
    Children (?)
PAUL® MERRITT, son of Seth®, married
                                                          Deborah, daughter of
                                     Loa, daughter of
   Nash. Married 2nd
                                                                    Litchfield.
   Children:
     Isabella7, born
     Paul Brooks, born
                                     died about 1800.
CALEB® MERRITT, son of Seths, married 24 Nov., 1799, Huldah, daughter of
                 Briggs.
   Children (?)
PETER<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Henry<sup>5</sup>, married (?)
   Children (?)
AARON® MERRITT, son of Henrys, married
                                                                Prudence, daughter of
   Children:
     Bernard<sup>7</sup>, born 16 Sept., 1780, died
     Sylvanus, born 24 July, 1782, died
                      5 Jan., 1785, died
     Esther, born
     Prudence, born 26 Oct., 1786, died
     Marvin, born 23 Aug., 1788, died 19 May, 1818.
Pamela, born 12 July, 1790, died ;
                                                         : mar.
                                                                        Clark.
     Melinda, born 21 July, 1792, died
                                                         : mar.
                                                                       Fitch.
     Sally, born
                      28 Aug., 1796, died
                                                                        Wingate.
                                                         ; mar.
     Charlotte, born 22 Apr., 1799, died
                                                                       Harrington.
                                                         : mar.
     Caroline, born 10 July, 1801, died
                                                         ; mar.
                                                                       Ryan.
AMOS<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Henry<sup>5</sup>, married 16 Sept., 1784, Esther, daughter of
                Blanchard. Married 2nd, Submit, daughter of
                                                                              Stow and
   Persis
                      . He was in Revolutionary War.
   Children:
                      4 June, 1792, died 4 Mar., 1851.
10 Mar., 1796, died 5 Sept., 1820.
     Hervey7, born
     Lovice, born
                      21 Jan., 1798, died 10 Dec., 1845; mar. Capt. Jesse Williams.
     Augusta, born
                     19 July, 1800, died 23 Nov., 1881.
     Chester, born
                      31 Mar., 1806, died 4 Jan., 1843.
     Lucinda, born
     Celestina, born 12 May, 1809, died 4 Feb., 1843.
JUDE<sup>a</sup> Merritt, son of Henry<sup>a</sup>, married (?)
   Children (?)
HENRY MERRITT, son of Henry, married 9 Feb., 1791, Chloe, daughter of
                Dresser. She died 30 Mar., 1835.
   Children:
     Louis7, born
                      28 Nov., 1791, died
     Ceney, born
                      16 Mar., 1794, died
     Chloe, born
                      15 May, 1800, died
     Henry Dresser,
                born I Jan., 1802, died
     Richard Holloway,
born 12 Feb., 1804, died
                     12 July, 1805, died 31 Mar., 1835.
17 Nov., 1808, died 18 Oct., 1831.
     Jerry, born
     Loshia, born
MOSES<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Henry<sup>5</sup>, married 28 Mar., 1793, Phebe, daughter of
                . Moved to Hamilton, N. Y.
   Children:
     Leonard7, born 28 May, 1794, died
     Calvin, born 28 Mar., 1797, died
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Orrin, born
                      13 May, 1800, died
                      27 Nov., 1802, died
     Dexter, born
                      27 Jan., 1805, died
     Moses, born
     Olive, born
                      28 May, 1808, died
BERNARD<sup>®</sup> MERRITT, son of Henry<sup>a</sup>, married (?)
   Children (?)
WILLIAMS MERRITT, son of Isaacs, married
                                                                      Ruth, daughter of
                Needham of Wales. Intention of marriage between William Mer-
   ritt of Palmer and Ruth Needham of Wales, 17 Aug., 1789.
   Children:
                      27 May, 1790, died
25 Sept., 1791, died
     lsaac<sup>7</sup>, born
     Martha, born
                                                         ; mar. Dana Lamb.
     Phila, born
                      22 Apr., 1793, died
                                                      1850.
     William, born
                      I Apr., 1795, died & Dec., 1860.
     Mary, born
                      25 Mar., 1798, died 17 May, 1880.
     Irwin, born
                      20 Feb., 1799, died 17 Oct., 1875.
                      23 Feb., 1801, died
     Elam, born
                                                         , aged 19.
                               1809, died 10 Oct., 1884.
     Jasper, born
     Ruth, born
                                      died
                                                          : unmarried.
     Levi, born
                                      died
ASA<sup>a</sup> MERRITT, son of Isaac<sup>a</sup>, married
                                                               1785. Bethia, daughter of
   Silas Noble. He was born at Palmer and moved to Blandford.
   Children:
     Silas Noble<sup>7</sup>, b. 12 Nov., 1786, died
                                                     1862.
     Asa, born
                      25 July, 1788, died
                                               Oct., 1821.
     Almon, born
                      27 Mar., 1791, died
                              1793, died
     Eli, born
     Artemas, born 27 Apr., 1797, died 28 Mar., 1864.
Relief, born 3 May, 1801, died 29 Dec., 1870; mar. John Richards.
                      20 Mar., 1804, died 13 Mar., 1876.
     Harvey, born
   He married 2nd, 25 Dec., 1806, Eunice, daughter of John Langdon and Eunice
   Terry of Wilbraham.
   Children:
     Eunice7, born 14 Nov., 1812, died
                                                          ; mar. John Hunter.
                                                          ; mar. Percival Davison.
     Harmony, born 16 Dec., 18-, died
JOHN<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Isaac<sup>5</sup>, married (?)
   Children (?)
JAMES<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Isaac<sup>5</sup>, married (?)
   Children (?)
WALTER<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Job<sup>2</sup>, married 25 Mar., 1800, Sarah, daughter of
  Jonas Ward and Persis Stow. She was born 16 Oct., 1778.
  Children:
     Lory", born
                      29 Mar., 1801, died
     Lucina, born
                      23 Apr., 1803, died 28 July, 1842.
     Persis, born
                      20 Dec., 1804, died 10 Feb., 1812.
     Simon, born 17 Mar., 1811, died 14 June, 1885.
Augustus, born 7 Mar., 1823, died 10 Sept., 1867.
OLIVER® MERRITT, son of Jobs, married (?)
   Children (?)
JENISON<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Job<sup>5</sup>, married
   Children:
     Oliver7, born
                                     died
     Lavinia, born
                                     died
                                                          ; mar.
                                                                         Young.
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Walter, born
                                     died
     Jenison, born
                                     died
                                                    1876.
     Harvey, born
                               1801, died
                                                    1878.
     Nye, born
                               1804, died
EZEKIEL® MERRITT, son of Samuel®, married (?)
   Children (?)
                                                                  Louisa, daughter of
JESSE<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Benjamin<sup>5</sup>, married
                Stow of Charlton.
   Children: .
     Submit7, born
                         July, 1791, died 29 May, 1834; mar. Samuel Tucker.
     Jesse Smith, b. 22 Oct., 1793, died 18 Nov., 1876.
                      11 Feb., 1796, died 15 Feb., 1876.
     Nancy, born
     Persis, born 26 Dec., 1797, died Apr., 1827.
Henrietta, born 23 Apr., 1800, died 6 July, 1864.
Louisa, born 2 Feb., 1803, died 6 Aug., 1825.
                                             Apr., 1827.
LUKE<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Benjamin<sup>5</sup>, married (?)
   Children (?)
                                                                              Went to
'NEHEMIAH' MERRITT, son of Benjamin', married (?)
   Calais, Vt.
   Children (?)
BENJAMING MERRITT, son of Benjaming, married (?)
   Children (?)
ISAACa MERRITT, son of Benjamina, married 8 May, 1810, Phebe, daughter of
                Cummings.
   Child:
     Brigham Comings7, b. 11 Apr., 1811, died
SALMON® MERRITT, son of Benjamins, married Mary or Sally, daughter of
   Isaac Merritt. He was in the War of 1812. Lived at Clinton, N. Y., 1815.
   Children:
     Erastus Smith<sup>7</sup>.
                born 23 Jan., 1817, died 26 Feb., 1871.
                      2 June, 1821, died 18 Apr., 1834.
     Francis Elbridge,
                born 18 May, 1832 died
7. SEPTIMIUS7 MERRITT, son of Thomas6, married Lora, daughter of
   Swift of Wilmington, Vt.
   Children:
     Lucius<sup>8</sup>, born
                                    died
     Lydia, born
                                    died
                                                        ; mar.
                                                                      Mack.
     Lora, born
                                    died
                                                        : mar.
                                                                      Ingraham.
                                                   1863.
     Jesse, born
                                    died
     Louisa, born
                                    died
     Nelson, born
                                                   1864; mar.
                                    died
                                                   ...ar.
; mar.
1863.
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                                                                       Norcross.
     Zilpha, born
                                    died
                                                                       Warren.
     Catherine, born
                              1827, died
                                                   1864.
     Fanning Tracy, born
                              1831, died
JOSEPH: MERRITT, son of Charles, married (?)
   Children (?)
CHARLES' MERRITT, son of Charles', married (?)
   Children (?)
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BENJAMIN' MERRITT, son of Benjamin', married
                                                                         Mary, daughter
   of Capt. John Keith. Lived at Pomfret, Vt.
   Children:
     Mira E.s., born 8 Jan., 1830, died
                                                         ; mar. Adin Bugbee.
     Lucy A., born 9 Oct., 1831, died
Martha M., b. 13 Dec., 1834, died
                                                         mar. Ira Carpenter.
mar. H. B. Barker.
     Mary M., born 15 Jan., 1838, died
                                                         : mar. Wm. Lewis.
     Wesley Milton.
                born 22 Aug., 1840, died 29 June, 1869.
     Lucinda T., b. 24 June, 1843, died 20 Oct., 1859.
PLINY<sup>7</sup> MERRITT, son of Simon<sup>6</sup>, married 14 Oct., 1819, Sophia, daughter of
   Josiah Boyden. She was born 16 July, 1794; died 19 Feb., 1867.
   Child:
     Charles B.*, b. 3 Mar., 1823, died 29 Apr., 1899.
HENRY' MERRITT, son of Asa', married
                                                           Vashti, daughter of
   Hunt.
   Children:
     Cornelias, born
                                     died
                                                         : mar. Sears Luce.
     Jerusha, born
                                     died
                                                                        Thorpe.
                                                         ; mar.
     Lyman, born
                                     died
     Samuel, born
                                     died
     E. Whitney, born
                                     died
     Edward, born
                                     died
     Phebe, born
                                     died
                                                         : unmarried.
     Jerome, born
                                     died
WILLIAM7 MERRITT, son of Asa6, married
                                                                 Elizabeth, daughter of
                Lampson.
   Children:
     Lewis<sup>8</sup>, born
                                     died
     Charles, born
                                     died
     George, born
                                     died
     Albert, born
                                     died
     Ozro, born
                                     died
     Roswell, born
                                     died
     Asa, born
                                     died
BUTLER<sup>7</sup> MERRITT, son of Asa<sup>6</sup>, married
                                                                  Victoria, daughter of
                Hemminway. Lived at Williamsburgh, N. Y.
   Children:
     Isabel<sup>8</sup>, born
                                     died
     Mayhew, born
                                     died
     Edwin, born
                                     died
     Arthur, born
                                     died
     Margaret, born
                                     died
ASA7 MERRITT, son of Asa6, married
                                                       Clarissa, daughter of
   Tilden. Lived at Haydensville, Mass.
   Children:
     Mary<sup>8</sup>, born
                                     died
     Newland, born
                                     died
     Martha, born
                                     died
     Lucian, born
                                     died
AUSTIN<sup>7</sup> MERRITT, son of Asa<sup>6</sup>, married 23 Jan., 1833, Lavina, daughter of Stanton. Lived at Williamsburg.
   Children:
     Nancy<sup>8</sup>, born
                      3 Nov., 1833, died
     Susan, born
                      23 Apr., 1835, died
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8 Apr., 1837, died

Maria, born

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16 Apr., 1839, died 7 May, 1876.
     Fanny, born
     Larvy, born
                       9 Oct., 1841, died
                      10 July, 1844, died
     Luanna, born
                       6 Feb., 1849, died 13 Dec., 1875.
     Ella, born
     Louise, born
                      14 May, 1855, died
SIMEON7 MERRITT, son of Asa6, married
                                                           Clio, daughter of
   French. Lived at Conway.
   Children:
LEONARD<sup>7</sup> MERRITT, son of Asa<sup>6</sup>, married
   Children:
     Henrys, born
                                     died
                                     died
     Caroline, born
     Charles, born
                                     died
     Minerva, born
                                     died
NOADIAH7 MERRITT, son of Noah6, married 26 Nov., 1807, Urania, daughter of Goodrich. Died at Pierrepoint, N. Y.
   Children:
     Polly<sup>8</sup>, born
                                     died
     Lucy M.8, born
Esther A., born
                                     died
                                     died
     Henry H., born
                                     died
     Nelly, born
                                     died
     Roxie, born
                                    died
                                                        ; mar.
                                                                       Lewis.
     Achsah B., born
                                    died
   He married 2nd 25 Nov., 1821, Relief, daughter of
                                                                      Parker.
   Children:
     Noadiah Parker<sup>8</sup>, born
                                    died
     Emily Urania, born
Julia Ellen, born
                                     died
                                    died
     Darwin Hamilton, born
                                    died
     Edwin Atkins,
                born 26 Feb., 1828, died
     Julius Fernando, born
                                    died
                                    died
     William Wallace, born
     Marshall Josephus, born
                                    died
     John Harvey, born
                                    died
HENRY' MERRITT, son of Noahs, married
   Children:
     John H.s, born
                                    died
     Cornelius A., born
                                    died
                                    died
     Benjamin, born
     Charles, born
                                    died
INCREASE SUMNER? MERRITT, son of Simeon®, married
                                                                                 Susan,
   daughter of Ezra Penniman of Gardner. He lived some time at Gardner, Mass.,
   and died at Templeton.
   Children:
     Simeon<sup>8</sup>, born 21 Mar., 1823, died 19 Dec., 1882.
     Ezra Moore, b. 2 Mar., 1825, died
     Sumner Lincoln,
               born 25 Feb., 1827, died
                                             Apr., 1882.
     Sarah Dorcas, b. 5 Nov., 1828, died
     Christopher Col.,
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born 29 Sept., 1830, died

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Dulcinea, born 1 Jan., 1835, died
                                                        :mar. Elbridge Coleman.
     Cordelia, born 22 Mar., 1837, died
     Marcus Morton,
     born 1 Apr., 1839, died
Martin S. B., b. 6 Jan., 1841, died
     Salome, born 22 Feb., 1843, died
DEXTER P.7 MERRITT, son of Uriahe, married
                                                                    Mary, daughter of
   Jonathan Baldwin. Lived at
   Children:
     John A.*, born
                                     died
     Charles, born
                                     died
     Monroe D., born
                                     died
NEHEMIAH7 MERRITT, son of Nehemiaho, married 14 Nov., 1820, Anna, daugh-
   ter of Benjamin Brown.
   Children:
     Anna B.8, born 15 Jan., 1822, died 19 Apr., 1872; mar. Stephen Stockwell.
     Nehemiah T., b. 18 June, 1824, died
     Charles Torrey,
                born 28 Oct., 1827, died
     George W., b. 27 Feb., 1833, died
DANIELT MERRITT, son of Daniels, married (?)
   Children (?)
AARON7 MERRITT, son of Daniel<sup>a</sup>, married (?)
                                                               . Left Scituate for the
   West while a young man.
   Children (?)
JONATHAN? MERRITT, son of Daniels, married May, 1826, Caroline W., daugh-
  ter of Lemuel Fernald and Mary Evans. A boat builder of Scituate. Moved
   to Quincy about 1850.
  Children:
    George F.8, b. 16 Mar., 1827, died 5 Aug., 1874.
Mary Ann, b. 13 Apr., 1828, died 24 Apr., 1832; unmarried.
     Caroline, born 29 May, 1829, died 17 Mar., 1887; mar.T. W. Fowels.
     Jonathan, born 12 Aug., 1830, died 14 Sept., 1880.
     William H., b. 13 Feb., 1832, died
                                             May, 1899.
    Amos, born 29 June, 1835, died 24 Sept., 1909.
Louisa, born 21 Jan., 1837, died 16 July, 1842.
    Helen F., born 4 Oct., 1839, died ;
Charles, born 8 Sept., 1841, died 24 Oct., 1904.
                                                       ; mar. James Thomas.
    Albert, born I Jan., 1844, died 3 Mar., 1911.
Benjamin F., b. 16 Sept., 1845, died 6 June, 1888.
    Louisa Evans, b. 5 Aug., 1848, died 25 Dec., 1896; mar. James P. Jones.
     Catherine Foster,
                born 5 Jan., 1850, died
                                                        : unmarried.
CHARLES<sup>†</sup> MERRITT, son of Noah<sup>6</sup>, married (?)
  Children (?)
NOAH? MERRITT, son of Noahs, married
                                                                 Matilda, daughter of
               Shaw of Portsmouth, N. H. Moved to New Orleans.
  Children:
         - M---s, born
     Charles H. B.8, born
                                    died
                                                    1872.
OBADIAH7 MERRITT, son of Noah6, married
                                                                   Nancy, daughter of
                Bingham of Mississippi.
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8 Jan., 1833, died

Henry, born

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Child:
                                 died
     Frank B.*, born
JOSEPH7 MERRITT, son of Noah6, married (?)
   Children (?)
OTIS7 MERRITT, son of Malachin, married 1 Jan., 1832, Caroline, daughter of
   Jonathan Prescott and Betsy Richards.
     Frances<sup>8</sup>, born 20 Oct., 1833, died
                                                       ; mar. Rev. A. J. Quick.
ROBERT? MERRITT, son of Ensign<sup>6</sup>, married (?)
   Children (?)
JAMES<sup>7</sup> MERRITT, son of Ensign<sup>6</sup>, married (?)
   Children (?)
JOSEPH7 MERRITT, son of Ensign*, married (?)
   Children (?)
BENJAMIN' MERRITT, son of Ensign's, married (?)
   Children (?)
OBADIAH7 MERRITT, son of Ensign<sup>6</sup>, married (?)
   Children (?)
HENRY MERRITT, son of Ensign married (?)
   Children (?)
HENRY: MERRITT, son of Israel<sup>6</sup>, married (?)
   Children (?)
JOSHUA? MERRITT, son of Israel<sup>6</sup>, married (?)
   Children (?)
ISRAEL7 MERRITT, son of Israel6, married
                                                         1849, Julia A., daughter of
               Litchfield.
   Children:
     Frances Adelaides, born 1851, died
     Israel Franklin, born
                            1856, died
STEPHEN<sup>7</sup> MERRITT, son of Henry<sup>6</sup>, married
Purinton. Lived at Harpersville, Me.
                                                                Joanna, daughter of
   Children:
     Mary J.*, born
                                   died young.
                             1811, died
     Isaac, born
                                                  1862.
     Katherine, born 9 Aug., 1814, died
                                                     ; mar. Dr. Seward Garcelon.
     Dr. Samuel, born
                                   died
                                                      ; unmarried, Oakland, Cal.
WILLIAM? MERRITT, son of Henry, married
                                                               Priscilla, daughter of
               Snow. Lived at Harpswell, Me.
   Children:
     Harriet<sup>8</sup>, born
                                   died
     Harvey, born
                                   died
     Thankful, born
                                   died
     John, born
                                   died
     Maria, born
                                   died
JESSE7 MERRITT, son of Henry6, married
                                                        Jane, daughter of
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Curtis.

Children: Henry's, born died Curtis, born died Charles, born died HENRYT MERRITT, son of Henryt, married Almira, daughter of Purinton. Children: - Lydia Ann<sup>8</sup>, born ; mar. Capt. Ellis Brown. 1822, died Stephen Henry, born 1824, died SAMUELT MERRITT, son of Henrye, died at Point Petre, West Indies, un-ELISHAT MERRITT, son of Henry's, married Harriet, daughter of Elder. He died at Harpswell. Children: Palmers, born died Samuel Henry, born died BENJAMIN' MERRITT, son of Considers, married (?) Children (?) CONSIDER MERRITT, son of Consider, married (?) Children (?) JOSEPH7 MERRITT, son of Consider6, married (?) Children (?) HENRY7 MERRITT, son of Consider6, married Isabella, daughter of Litchfield. Children: Henry<sup>8</sup>, born died Emmeline, born died George, born died ELISHA7 MERRITT, son of Consider6, married (?) Children (?) FRANCIS<sup>7</sup> MERRITT, son of Consider<sup>6</sup>, married (?) Children (?) PAUL BROOKS<sup>7</sup> MERRITT, son of Paul<sup>6</sup>, married (?) Children (?) BERNARD7 MERRITT, son of Aaron6, married 15 Apr., 1802, Martha, daughter Willard. οf Children: Turner\*, born 15 July, 1802, died Jerome, born 15 Nov., 1805, died 13 Aug., 1808, died Fidelia, born Martha, born 20 Aug., 1811, died ; mar. Hayward. SYLVANUS<sup>7</sup> MERRITT, son of Aaron<sup>6</sup>, married Children (?)

Children (?)

HERVEY' MERRITT, son of Amos<sup>6</sup>, married

Nancy H., da

MARVIN' MERRITT, son of Aaron's, married

HERVEY' MERRITT, son of Amos<sup>6</sup>, married Nancy H., daughter of John McGinley and Wealthy Ann Brown. She was born Aug., 1815, died 9 Jan., 1885. He was born at Charlton and died at New London.

Margaret

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Children:
     Augusta Nancy<sup>8</sup>,
                born 2 Jan., 1836, died
     Mary Jerome, b. 25 Aug., 1837, died
     Edward Hervey,
               born 1 Sept., 1839, died
     Elizabeth Tompkins,
               born 15 Apr., 1841, died
     Cornelia Deziah,
               born 3 July, 1843, died
                                                     ; mar. George C. Wilfong.
     Augusta Nancy,
                born 11 Sept., 1845, died
                                                     ; mar. Willis Richardson.
     Hervey Chester,
               born 3 Dec., 1847, died
     Edwin Bryant,
                born 25 Feb., 1850, died
CHESTER, MERRITT, son of Amos, married 19 Oct., 1830, Elizabeth, daughter
                 Henshaw. She was born at Brookfield 24 Jan., 1803. He was
 · born at Charlton and died at Beverley.
   Children:
                                                     ; mar. John M. Tompkins.; mar. Wm. M. Johnson.
     Fidelia, born 25 Sept., 1831, died
     Elizabeth, born 20 Nov., 1832, died
     Lucy A., born 24 Apr., 1838, died
                                                     ; mar. Alonzo Mossman.
LOUIS' MERRITT, son of Henry', married (?)
   Children (?)
HENRY DRESSER<sup>7</sup> MERRITT, son of Henry<sup>6</sup>, marrie-i
   Children:
     Son.
RICHARD HOLLOWAY MERRITT, son of Henry's, married (?)
JERRYT MERRITT, son of Henry<sup>6</sup>, married (?)
   Children (?)
LEONARD MERRITT, son of Moses married (?)
   Children (?)
CALVIN7 MERRITT, son of Moses<sup>6</sup>, married (?)
   Children (?)
ORRINT MERRITT, son of Moses<sup>6</sup>, married (?)
   Children (?)
DEXTER? MERRITT, son of Moses, married (?)
   Children (?)
MOSES7 MERRITT, son of Moses6, married (?)
   Children (?)
ISAAC? MERRITT, son of Williams, married
                                                              Betsey, daughter of
               Davis. Moved from Palmer to Willington, Conn.
   Children:
    Orrils, born
                    21 Oct., 1819, died
                                                 1844; mar. Bateman Sherman.
    Lucy, born
                    24 Feb., 1821, died
                                                1830.
     Martha, born
                    14 Mar., 1823, died
                                                 1867.
                    11 Dec., 1825, died
                                                1863 or 4.
    Elam, born
    Sarah, born 17 Oct., 1827, died
Elizabeth, born 27 Jan., 1830, died
                                                    ; mar. Horatio Sherman.
                                                1855; mar. John Cummings.
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Horace, born 15 Feb., 1832, died
Sylvester, born 25 Oct., 1834, died
                                                   1846.
                     17 Mar., 1846, died
     Albert, born
WILLIAM? MERRITT, son of Williams, married
                                                              1821, Abigail, daughter
   of Joel and Abigail Brown.
   Children:
     Orril*, born
                        Nov., 1822, died 30 Oct., 1886; mar. David Shaw.
                                    died aged 10 years.
     James, born
                     28 Feb., 1826, died 29 Feb., 1856; mar. William Hyland.
     Ruth, born
     Eli, born
                      9 Nov., 1828, died
                      1 Mar., 1830, died 17 June, 1884; mar. S. Cady.
     Mary, born
     Abigail, born
                     20 Mar., 1832, died 14 Aug., 1883; mar. George Goff.
                                                      ; mar. Charles Butler.
                      2 May, 1834, died
     Sarah, born
                     14 Apr., 1836, died
     Frances, born
                                                       ; mar. Austin Doane.
                    28 Jan., 1839, died
     William L., b.
     Sophronia, born 4 Apr., 1841, died
                                                       ; mar. C. H. Backus.
     Eliza, born
                     21 Feb., 1844, died
     Josephine, born 12 Nov., 1846, died
                                                                  Livia, daughter of
IRWIN7 MERRITT, son of Williams, married
               Hathaway of Warren.
   Children:
     Washington<sup>8</sup>, b. 4 Nov., 1825, died
     Joseph, born 15 Mar., 1827, died
                                                       ; mar. Lucian Harwood.
                     24 Sept., 1829, died
     Susan, born
                             1835, died
                                                   1882; mar. Thaddeus Hunt.
     Ann, born
JASPER MERRITT, son of Williams, married 9 July, 1832, Charlotte, daughter
   of Eben Cutter and Sally Harwood. He was born at Salem, died at Worcester.
   Children:
     Marion Frances<sup>8</sup>.
                                                      ; mar. Pliny S. Doane.
               born 13 Sept., 1833, died
    John Augustus,
               born 14 Oct., 1834, died
    C. Waldo, born 29 Mar., 1836, died
    Augusta Charlotte,
               born 14 July, 1838, died
    Candis Caroline, born 1846, died
                                                      ; mar. B. W. Harmon.
    Eva Lillian, b. 10 Oct., 1853, died
LEVI7 MERRITT, son of Williams, married
                                                       Salora, daughter of
  Swift.
   Children:
                                   died
                                                      ; mar. E. E. Towne.
    Emily<sup>8</sup>, born
    Evelyn, born
                                   died
                                                      ; mar.
                                                                    Beals.
                                   died young.
    Herbert, born
    Henry, born
                                   died .
    Frances, born
                                   died
    Julia, born
                                   died
                                                      ; mar.
                                                                    Millington.
SILAS NOBLE? MERRITT, son of Asac, married
                                                                 Sophia, daughter of
               Walton. Lived at Volney, N. Y.
   Children:
    Emory<sup>8</sup>, born
                                   died
    Harriet, born
                                   died
                                                                   Wood
                                                      ; mar.
ASA<sup>7</sup> MERRITT, son of Asa<sup>6</sup>, married Clarissa, daughter of
                                                                             Blair.
   Children (?)
ALMON<sup>7</sup> MERRITT, son of Asa<sup>6</sup>, married (?)
   Children (?)
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Bradner. Moved to Delphi, Ind.
    Children (?)
HARVEY' MERRITT, son of Asa', married 1 Dec., 1856, Harriet, daughter of
    John and Irene Noble.
      Harvey Lester*, b. 5 Sept., 1858, died
SIMON? MERRITT, son of Walter<sup>4</sup>, married Oct., 1841, Maria, daughter of
   Pendleton of Stonington.
   Children:
     Agnes<sup>8</sup>, born
Roswell A., b.
                      14 Mar., 1845, died
8 Oct., 1852, died
     Frank J., born 28 Nov., 1858, died 25 Oct., 1881.
AUGUSTUS7 MERRITT, son of Walter<sup>6</sup>, married 3 May, 1864, Sarah, daughter
                  Tinsley.
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   Child:
     Mary Tinsley*, b. 21 Jan., 1865, died
OLIVER? MERRITT, son of Jenison<sup>n</sup>, married
   Children:
     Walters, born
                                    died
     Barnard, born
                                    died
     Arnold, born
                                    died
     Hiram, born
                                    died
                                    born
     Luman, born
WALTER? MERRITT, son of Jenison<sup>6</sup>, married (?)
   Children (?)
JENISON7 MERRITT, son of Jenison<sup>a</sup>, married (?)
   Children (?)
HARVEY' MERRITT, son of Jenison', married
   Children:
     Haskell J.s. born
                              1829, died
                              1831, died
     L. L. M., born
     Frances L., born
                              1833, died
                              1835, died
     Lavinia, born
NYE: MERRITT, son of Jenison<sup>6</sup>, married
                                                       1827.
   Children:
                              1829, died
     Cynthia, born
                                                   1851.
                              1831, died
     Lorinda, born
                              1835, died
     James<sup>8</sup>, born
JESSE SMITH: MERRITT, son of Jesse Smith, married 11 Dec., 1820, Serena,
                            Comins.
   daughter of
   Children:
     Columbus Comins<sup>8</sup>
               born 3 Jan., 1822, died 25 Mar., 1848.
     Franklin Smith.
                born 16 June, 1824, died 13 Jan., 1877.
     Louise Serena,
               born 27 May, 1828, died
     Mercy Lucy, b. 5 Feb., 1835, died
BRIGHAM COMINGS? MERRITT, son of Isaac<sup>6</sup>, married (?)
   Children (?)
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ARTEMAS? MERRITT, son of Asan, married Jan., 1830, Maria, daughter of

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ERASTUS SMITH, MERRITT, son of Salmon, married (?)
   Children (?)
FRANCIS ELBRIDGET MERRITT, son of Salmon", married 18 Sept., 1856,
   Mary, daughter of Carr. She died 26 Jan., 1896. He was publisher of the "Oneida Chief" at Clinton, N. Y., 1855-7; "Sandy Creek Times,"
   1862-79. Entered Home for Aged Men, Utica, 1903.
   Children:
     Juliet Elizabeth*,
                born 15 Feb., 1858, died
     Benjamin Sherburne,
                born 27 Oct., 1860, died 16 Aug., 1862.
     Mary Carr, b. 18 Nov., 1862, died
     Francis Elbridge,
                born 12 June, 1864, died
     Luella Isabel, b. 24 Jan., 1869, died 1 Oct., 1875.
8. LUCIUS MERRITT*, son of Septimius<sup>7</sup>, married Windsor, Conn.
                                                                            . Moved to
   Children (?)
JESSE<sup>8</sup> MERRITT, son of Septimius<sup>7</sup>, married
                                                                   Harriet, daughter of
                Briggs of Wilmington, Vt.
   Children:
     Hattie9, born
                                     died
     George, born
                                     died
     Mary, born
                                     died
     Charles, born
                                     died
NELSON<sup>8</sup> MERRITT, son of Septimius<sup>7</sup>, married
                                                                    . Was of the firm
  of Merritt, Parkhurst & Co., Boston.
   Children:
     Lizzie<sup>9</sup>, born
                                     died
     William, born
                                     died
                                     died
     Mattie, born
FANNING TRACY'S MERRITT, son of Septimius, married
                                                                           Sarah, daugh-
   ter of Isaac Lawrence of Gardiner, Me. He was killed in Battle of Spottsyl-
   vania.
   Children:
     Edward Lawrence<sup>9</sup>, b.
                               1856, died
                               1858, died
     Richard Henry, born
     Frank Tracy, born
                               1861, died
WESLEY MILTON® MERRITT, son of Benjamin7, married 16 Apr., 1864, Emma,
   daughter of Joseph Keith. Lived at Lowell; died at Fitchburg.
   Child:
     Walter J.9, b. 29 Jan., 1867, died
CHARLES B.* MERRITT, son of Pliny<sup>7</sup>, married 26 Nov., 1857, Mary A., daughter of Joel Stearns. She was born 24 May, 1824. Lived at Conway.
     Ella E.", born 14 Jan., 1859, died
                                                         ; mar. Charles F. Elmer.
LYMAN<sup>8</sup> MERRITT, son of Henry<sup>7</sup>, married (?)
   Children (?)
SAMUEL<sup>8</sup> MERRITT, son of Henry<sup>7</sup>, married (?)
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E. WHITNEY* MERRITT, son of Henry*, married Eliza Jane, daughter of
   Leonard N. Strong and Maria S. Wells. A minister living at Hanover, Conn.,
   1900. Moved to 52 Pleasant Ave., Orange, N. J.
   Children:
     Joseph Leonard9,
               born 5 July, 1869, died
     Lucy Sophie, born
                             1871, died
     May Catherine, born
                             1874, died
EDWARD* MERRITT, son of Henry*, married (?)
   Children:
JEROME* MERRITT, son of Henry<sup>7</sup>, married (?)
   Children (?)
LEWIS* MERRITT, son of William?, married (?)
   Children (?)
CHARLES* MERRITT, son of William7, married (?)
   Children (?)
GEORGE<sup>8</sup> MERRITT, son of William<sup>7</sup>, married (?)
   Children (?)
ALBERT's MERRITT, son of William?, married (?)
   Children (?)
OZRO<sup>8</sup> MERRITT, son of William<sup>7</sup>, married (?)
   Children (?)
ROSWELL* MERRITT, son of William?, married (?)
   Children (?)
ASA* MERRITT, son of William<sup>7</sup>, married (?)
   Children (?)
MAYHEW<sup>8</sup> MERRITT, son of Butler<sup>7</sup>, married (?)
   Children (?)
EDWIN<sup>8</sup> MERRITT, son of Butler<sup>7</sup>, married (?)
   Children (?)
ARTHUR<sup>8</sup> MERRITT, son of Butler<sup>7</sup>, married (?)
   Children (?)
NEWLAND* MERRITT, son of Asa7, married (?)
   Children:
     Daughter9.
     Daughter,
LUCIAN<sup>8</sup> MERRITT, son of Asa<sup>7</sup>, married (?)
   Children (?)
LARVY8 MERRITT, son of Austin7, married
                                                         Ida, daughter of
   Hastings.
   Children (?)
HENRY<sup>8</sup> MERRITT, son of Leonard<sup>7</sup>, married (?)
   Children (?)
CHARLES' MERRITT, son of Leonard', married (?)
   Children (?)
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HENRY H. MERRITT, son of Noadiah, married (?)
     Belle". born
                                    died
                                                        ; mar. Walton Quinn.
NOADIAH PARKER* MERRITT, son of Noadiah*, married (?)
   Children (?)
DARWIN HAMILTON'S MERRITT, son of Noadiah<sup>7</sup>, married
                                                                              . 51st
   Regt. Iowa, in Philippines.
   Child:
     Darwin R.", born
                                                      ; drowned in the "Maine."
                                    died
EDWIN ATKINS<sup>8</sup> MERRITT, son of Noadiah<sup>7</sup>, married 5 May, 1858, Eliza, daughter of Rich. He was born in Sudbury, Vt. Surveyor of Port
   of New York. Consul-General in London. Member of Assembly 1859-60. Quar-
   termaster-General Naval Officer. Collector.
   Children:
    Edwin Albert9, born
                                   died
     Arthur Wilson, born
                                   died
     Parker Rich, born
                                   died
     Darwin Fenton, born
                                   died
JULIUS FERNANDO<sup>8</sup> MERRITT, son of Noadiah<sup>7</sup>, married (?)
  Children (?)
WILLIAM WALLACE<sup>8</sup> MERRITT, son of Noadiah<sup>7</sup>, married
                                                                         . . Lived
  at Red Oak, Iowa.
   Child:
                                                      ; drowned in the "Maine."
     Edwin A., born
                                    died
MARSHALL JOSEPHUS* MERRITT, son of Noadiah<sup>7</sup>, married (?)
  Lived at
  Children (?)
JOHN HARVEY<sup>8</sup> MERRITT, son of Noadiah<sup>7</sup>, married (?)
                                                                         . Lived at
  Denver, Col.
  Children (?)
JOHN H.* MERRITT, son of Henry7, married
                                                              Martha W., daughter
  of Josiah Atkins and Esther Merritt.
   Children:
    Eaton9, born
                             1854, died
                             1858, died
1861, died
     Henry, born
                                         young.
    Leonard A, born
    Ella, born
                             1863, died
                                                  1872.
CORNELIUS A. MERRITT, son of Henry, married
                                                                          Katherine,
  daughter of
                          Roger. Lived at Endeavor, Wis.
  Children:
    Charles<sup>9</sup>, born
                             1855, died
     Agnes, born
                             1857. died
    Louisa, born
                             1859, died
    David, born
                             1868, died
    Lillia, born
                                   died
    Belle, born
                                   died
BENJAMIN<sup>8</sup> MERRITT, son of Henry<sup>7</sup>, married
  Children:
     Alice J.9, born
                                   died
    Jessie, born
                                   died
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died

Jennie, born

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CHARLES* MERRITT, son of Henry*, disappeared at age of 17.
SIMEON' MERRITT, son of Increase Sumner, married 13 Aug., 1846, Eunice,
                        Taylor. She died 3 Dec., 1872. Married 2nd., 1 Jan., 1877, or of Parrell. A prominent resident of Ash-
   daughter of
   Abbie E. W., daughter of
   burnham, Mass. In Legislature 1877.
   Children:
     Eunice Jane9,
               born 27 May, 1847, died 25 Aug., 1847.
     Ellen Ann, b. 29 Oct., 1851, died 15 Dec., 1851.
EZRA MOORE* MERRITT, son of Increase Sumner, married 11 Nov., 1855, Adeline M., daughter of Sawyer. She died 14 Aug., 1886. Lived at
   Child:
     Carrie", born 11 Nov., 1861, died 16 June, 1865.
SUMNER LINCOLN® MERRITT, son of Increase Sumner, married 22 Oct,
   1853, Laura A., daughter of
                                          Hodgkins. Lived at
   Children:
        - S---9, b. 7 Mar., 1854, died 12 May, 1855.
     Alice H., born 29 Apr., 1856, died
                                                    ; mar. John J. Doremus.
                    16 Aug., 1860, died
     Nellie, born
CHRISTOPHER COLUMBUS* MERRITT, son of Increase Sumner*, married
   13 Oct., 1860, Elvira P., daughter of
                                                    Brooks. Lived at Springfield.
   Children:
     Josie M.9, born 3 May, 1861, died
     Hattie S., born 11 Nov., 1863, died
     Romeo, born 24 Dec., 1869, died
     Charles J., born 21 Feb., 1874, died
                                                                    Helen, daugh-
HENRY<sup>8</sup> MERRITT, son of Increase Sumner, married
                    Sawyer of Streetboro, Ohio.
   ter of
   Children (?)
MARCUS MORTON® MERRITT, son of Increase Sumner, married
   Emma, daughter of
                                  Kimball.
   Children:
     Marion<sup>9</sup>, born 15 Feb., 1876, died
     Alice Salome, b. 7 May, 1877, died
MARTIN V. B.* MERRITT, son of Increase Sumner, married 5 June, 1875.
   Annie Christine, daughter of
                                            Schaat.
   Children (?)
JOHN A.8 MERRITT, son of Dexter P.7, married (?)
   Children (?)
CHARLES* MERRITT, son of Dexter P.7, married (?)
   Children (?)
MONROE D.8 MERRITT, son of Dexter P.7, married (?)
   Children (?)
NEHEMIAH T.8 MERRITT, son of Nehemiah<sup>7</sup>, married 24 July, 1851, Mary E.,
   daughter of William Frederick. He lived at 85 Devonshire Street, Boston.
   Children:
    William Frederick9,
              born 10 Jan., 1853, died
    Nehemiah Thomas,
              born 21 Aug., 1859, died
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Mary Anna, b. 31 Aug., 1866, died

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CHARLES TORREY* MERRITT, son of Nehemiah<sup>7</sup>, married (?)
   Children (?)
GEORGE W.8 MERRITT, son of Nehemiah<sup>7</sup>, married
                                                                            Almira B.,
   daughter of
                            Curtis.
   Child:
     Edward P.", born
                                    died
GEORGE T. MERRITT, son of Jonathan, married (?)
   Children (?)
JONATHAN's MERRITT, son of Jonathan', married (?)
   Children (?)
WILLIAM A.* MERRITT, son of Jonathan7, married (?)
   Children (?)
AMOS* MERRITT, son of Jonathan<sup>7</sup>, married (?)
   Child:
     Amos<sup>9</sup>, born
                                    died
CHARLES<sup>8</sup> MERRITT, son of Jonathan<sup>7</sup>, married (?)
   Children:
ALBERT<sup>8</sup> MERRITT, son of JONATHAN<sup>7</sup>, married 2 Oct., 1867, Annie E., daughter of Samuel C. Denton of Poughkeepsie. Served in Civil War 1864-5.
   State Senator, New Jersey, 1881-4. Buried in Poughkeepsie.
   Children:
     Frank Denton9,
               born 18 Feb., 1870, died
     Ethel Adams, b. 5 Dec., 1873, died
                                                       : mar. Dr. Herbert S. Dixon.
BENJAMIN F.8 MERRITT, son of Jonathan, unmarried.
     — M——8 MERRITT, son of Noah7, married
                                                                     . Lived at Pen-
   sacola, Fla., 31 Mar., 1890.
   Child:
     E. Bryant<sup>n</sup>, born
                                    died
CHARLES H. B.8 MERRITT, son of Noah7, married
                                                                      Mary, daughter
                  Gusman. Lived in Louisiana.
   Children (?)
FRANK B.8 MERRITT, son of Obadiah7, married (?)
                                                             . Lived in Louis-
   Children (?)
ISRAEL FRANKLIN<sup>8</sup>, son of Israel<sup>7</sup>, married (?)
   Children (?)
ISAAC8 MERRITT, son of Stephen<sup>7</sup>, married
                                                              Hannah Ann, daughter
   of
                  Batchelder.
   Children:
     Frederick A.9, born
                                    died
                                                               , East Oakland, Cal.
     James P., born
Harry P., born
                                    died
                                    died
SAMUEL<sup>8</sup> MERRITT, M.D., son of Stephen<sup>7</sup>, unmarried. Moved to Oakland,
   Cal. A prominent physician.
HARVEY<sup>8</sup> MERRITT, son of William<sup>7</sup>, married (?)
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Children (?)

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JOHN* MERRITT, son of William<sup>7</sup>, married (?)
   Children (?)
HENRY* MERRITT, son of Jesse<sup>7</sup>, married (?)
   Children (?)
CURTIS* MERRITT, son of Jesse<sup>7</sup>, married (?)
   Children (?)
CHARLES* MERRITT, son of Jesse*, married (?)
   Children (?)
STEPHEN HENRY'S MERRITT, son of Henry', married
                                                                                 Almira,
   daughter of
                             Batchelder.
   Children:
     Harry9, born
                                     died
     Clara Morse, born
                                     died
PALMER* MERRITT, son of Elisha<sup>7</sup>, married (?)
   Children (?)
SAMUEL HENRY* MERRITT, son of Elisha7, married (?)
   Children (?)
HENRY* MERRITT, son of Henry<sup>7</sup>, married
   ENRY<sup>8</sup> MERRITT, son of Henry<sup>7</sup>, married Mary B., daughter of Lincoln Litchfield and Isabelle Merritt. She died 20 Nov., 1887. Lived in Los
   Angeles, Cal.
   Children:
     Henry Lincoln<sup>9</sup>, born
                                     died
     Mary Isabella, born
                                     died
     Annie Whitney, born
                                     died
GEORGE<sup>8</sup> MERRITT, son of Henry<sup>7</sup>, married (?)
 Children (?)
TURNER<sup>8</sup> MERRITT, son of Bernard<sup>7</sup>, married (?)
   Children (?)
JEROME® MERRITT, son of Bernard7, married 8 Sept., 1831, Sarah Judith,
   daughter of Rev. William Jenks.
   Children:
     Alice Jenks9, b. 19 May, 1832, died 9 Apr., 1909; mar. Henry Taylor.
     Jerome William,
                born 23 Jan., 1834, died 7 Sept., 1909.
     William Jenks,
                born 19 Feb., 1847, died
HERVEY CHESTER<sup>8</sup> MERRITT, son of Hervey<sup>7</sup>, married(?)
                                                                                  Lived
   at Orange, N. J.
   Children (?)
EDWARD HERVEY'S MERRITT, son of Hervey', married (?)
   Children (?)
EDWIN BRYANT<sup>8</sup> MERRITT, son of Hervey<sup>7</sup>, married (?)
                                                                               Lived at
   Upper Montelair, N. J.
   Children (?)
ELAM<sup>8</sup> MERRITT, son of Isaac<sup>7</sup>, married
                                                         Almena, daughter of
   Stratton. Was in the Union Army 1863.
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No children.

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HORACE<sup>®</sup> MERRITT, son of Isaac<sup>7</sup>, married
                                                       1851, Eliza, daughter of
   Dimmick. Lived near Brinfield, Mass.
   Children:
     Sarah<sup>9</sup>, born
                                     died
     Charles, born
                                     died
ALBERT<sup>8</sup> MERRITT, son of Isaac<sup>7</sup>, married Hatch. Lived at Springfield, Mass.
                                                            Emily, daughter of
   Children:
     Rosa<sup>9</sup>, born
                                     died
     Albert, born
                                     died
     Maud, born
                                     died
     William, born
                                     died
ELI* MERRITT, son of William<sup>7</sup>, married (?)
   Children (?)
WILLIAM L.8 MERRITT, son of William<sup>7</sup>, married 24 Jan., 1863, Lucy, daughter
   of
                   Barnes.
   Children:
     William L.9, b. 21 Aug., 1863, died
     Charles W., b.
                      29 May, 1865, died 19 Oct., 1870.
     Lcon B., born
                      1 Feb., 1868, died
     Cora B., born
                     19 Aug., 1871, died
     Daisy R., born 25 Jan., 1874, died
WASHINGTON<sup>8</sup> MERRITT, son of Irwin<sup>7</sup>, married (?)
   Children (?)
JOSEPH* MERRITT, son of Irwin7, married (?)
   Children (?)
JOHN AUGUSTUS* MERRITT, son of Jasper<sup>7</sup>, married 13 Apr., 1860, Eliza,
   daughter of
                             Wheelock of Barre, Mass.
   Child:
     Henry Foster®, b. 9 Apr., 1861, died
C. WALTER<sup>8</sup> MERRITT, son of Jasper<sup>7</sup>, married 9 Apr., 1866, Ann. daughter
   οſ
                  McGorham of Brattleboro, Vt.
   Children:
     Lottic9, born
                               1868, died
     John Francis, born
                                     died
HENRY8 MERRITT, son of Levi7, married
                                                              , daughter of
   Sawtelle. Lived at North Adams, Mass.
   Children (?)
EMORY<sup>8</sup> MERRITT, son of Silas<sup>7</sup>, married (?)
   Child:
     Silas H.º, born
                                     died
                                                         ; of Volney Center, N. Y.
HARVEY LESTER* MERRITT, son of Harvey*, married (?)
   Children (?)
ROSWELL A.8 MERRITT, son of Simon<sup>7</sup>, married 29 Apr., 1879, Cornelia A.,
   daughter of
                             Loney. Lived at Macon, Ga.
   Children:
    Cornelia, born 29 May, 1881, died
Roswell C., born 1 Feb., 1883, died
     Joseph H., b. 22 Jan., 1885, died 28 Mar., 1886.
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FRANK J.* MERRITT, son of Simon*, married (?)
   Children (?)
WALTER* MERRITT, son of Oliver7, married (?)
   Children (?)
BARNARD's MERRITT, son of Oliver', married (?)
   Children (?)
ARNOLD' MERRITT, son of Oliver, married (?)
   Children (?)
HIRAM* MERRITT, son of Oliver7, married (?)
   Children (?)
LUMAN* MERRITT, son of Oliver7, married (?)
   Children (?)
                                                               . Lived at New
HASKELL J.* MERRITT, son of Harvey<sup>7</sup>, married (?)
   Bedford.
   Children (?)
L. L. M.* MERRITT, son of Harvey, married (?)
   Children (?)
FRANCES L.* MERRITT, son of Harvey<sup>7</sup>, married (?)
   Children (?)
JAMES* MERRITT, son of Nye<sup>7</sup>, married (?)
   Children (?)
COLUMBUS COMING* MERRITT, son of Jesse Smith7, married (?)
   Children (?)
FRANKLIN SMITH* MERRITT, son of Jesse Smith7, married (?)
   Children (?)
FRANCIS ELBRIDGE<sup>8</sup> MERRITT, son of Francis Elbridge<sup>7</sup>, married 25 Dec., 1909, Mrs. Katherine Bicking Laubenheimer. He was on the "Utica Daily Press"
   1882-98. At Hoboken and Paterson.
   Children (?)
ELIZABETH MERRITT, daughter of John2 (perhaps), baptized on her death-
   bed aged 63, Scituate, 18 Mar., 1730; born 1667.
   Children (?)
ICHABOD MERRITT of Ware and Lydia Wheeler of Hardwick, intention of
   marriage Scituate, 9 Apr., 1789.
   Children (?)
MARTHA MERRITT of Ware and Nathan Davis of Ware, intention of marriage,
   25 Dec., 1794.
   Children (?)
SHADRACH B. MERRITT had son Allen who married Emeline, daughter of
   David Hunt. She was born 25 June, 1825.
   Children (?)
    Scituate inhabitants moved to Barnstable 1640, York 1650, Barbadoes 1658,
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Reboth and Swansey 1670, Norwich, Conn., 1690.

# Thomas Wyborne

1. RICHARD WYBORNE, of Wrotham, Kent, married 21 Jan., 1564; died 1584. Son:

Thomas, bapt. 5 June, 1580; died Oct., 1650.

2. THOMAS WYBORNE, son of Richard, married at Addington, 27 Nov., 1605, Emma Millow; married 2nd Elizabeth , at Tenterden. Came to America about 1638. Made his will at Boston, 12 Sept., 1656, leaving property to daughter, Elizabeth Merritt, and her infant daughter, Deborah. His widow Elizabeth married Henry Fitch in 1667. Children (?)

## Nicholas Merritt of Salem, Mass.

NICHOLAS MERRITT, son of , born about 1613, died married Mary, daughter of Arthur Sandin and Margaret 1. NICHOLAS MERRITT, son of of Marblehead. He was in Salem 1636. Had half of a 5 acre plot at Marblehead, 28 June, 1636, which he and John Peach fenced off from the Common. Taxed on £30 I Nov., 1637, Selectman 1648. Allowed pasture for two cows 1648. He and wife Mary were executors of the Will of her mother, Margaret Sandin, in which she left property to their eight sons and daughters 30 Aug., 1667; proved May, 1675. (Essex Institute Collections Vol. 2, 1860.) Signed protest against imports 1668. Among the settlers of Essex and old Norfolk were Nicholas Merritt aged 59 in 1672, and John Merritt aged 29 in 1671. On church committee 1672. Took inventory of estate of Samuel Leach 26 June, 1673. Made his Will 17 July, 1685; proved 9 Dec., 1686. Children: Martha<sup>2</sup>, born Rebecca, born , died Owens. : mar. , died ; mar. ; called "helpless." Mary, born , died 1642, died John, born , died James, born , died about Samuel, born

, died

2. JOHN MERRITT, son of Nicholas, married (?)
He was a householder at Marblehead 1674. Witness to Will of Peter Barrow 25 Aug., 1675, Freeman 7 Mar., 1684. Appraiser of estate of Henry Stacey of Marblehead, 26 Nov., 1689; sold 3 acres at Marblehead to John Palmer before 1701. John Merritt joined in a deed with his brothers Samuel and Nicholas to their brother James of their father's land, Marblehead, 12 Jan., 1689. (Essex Registry Deeds 16 Dec., 1718; Lib. 35, p. 108.)

#### Children:

Nicholas, born

John, born 25 Apr., 1670, died

JAMES<sup>2</sup> MERRITT, son of Nicholas<sup>1</sup>, married (?)

Is perhaps the James Merritt of Boston, appraiser of goods of George Stephen in Suffolk Co., to Nov., 1665. Signed protest against imports 1688. Children (?)

SAMUEL<sup>2</sup> MERRITT, son of Nicholas<sup>1</sup>, married Abigail

Signed protest against imports at Boston 1688. His administrator gave his house and lot to Nicholas for £45 20 Oct., 1710. Children (?)

#### NICHOLAS: MERRITT, son of Nicholas: married (?)

#### Children:

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Nicholas, born	, died	; bapt. at First Church, Salem, 21 Aug., 1667.
Elizabeth, born	, died	; bapt. at First Church, Salem, 21 Aug., 1667.
Hannah, born	, died	; bapt. at First Church, Salem, 21 Aug., 1667.
John, born	, died	; bapt. at First Church, Salem, 2 Sept., 1683.
Mary, born	, died	; bapt. at First Church, Salem, 2 Sept., 1683.

2 Sept., 1683. Nicholas, born , died ; bapt. at First Church, Salem, 2 Sept., 1683. ; bapt. at First Church, Salem, David, born . died 2 Sept., 1683. His daughter's children, Mary and Elizabeth, bapt. 19 May, 1678, and Obedience bapt. Nov., 1678. 3. JOHN MERRITT, son of John (?), married 2 June, 1696, Sarah, daughter of Francis Grant and Susanna Cooms. He was administrator of his father's estate, Ipswich, 29 Mar., 1707. (Essex Probates, Lib. 309, p. 180.) His widow administered his estate 27 Dec., 1711. Children: John, bapt. 23 Apr., 1699, died Francis, born 10 July, 1699, died Samuel, bapt. 8 June, 1701, died 25 Jan., 1705, died ; mar. Thomas Clark, 1722. Mary, born Sarah, born 23 July, 1709, died SAMUEL MERRITT, son of . , born 1689, died 25 Feb., 1713, aged 24. Marblehead Cemetery. Children (?) FRANCIS MERRITT, son of , born 1764, died at sea 29 March, 1816, aged 52. Marblehead Cemetery. His wife Mary born 1769, died 25 Dec., 1837, aged 68. Marblehead Cemetery. Children (?) JOHN MERRITT, son of John and Elizabeth, born 1850, died 1859, aged 9. Marblehead Cemetery. Children (?) JOHN MERRITT, son of , married Jane, , born died of Marblehead. daughter of Wilmott Hubbard, 24 Dec., 1719, Children: Sarah, born 26 Aug., 1721, died Jane, born 19 Aug., 1720, died young. Mary, born 10 Aug., 1726, died NICHOLAS MERRITT, son of , born died and his cousin Philip Ashton were captured by pirates in 1722 and escaped back to Marblehead after several months captivity 28 Sept., 1723. Children (?) SAMUEL MERRITT, son of , born From Salem in expedition to Canada, 1757, died Children (?) CAPTAIN MERRITT of Gloves Regt., a worthy citizen, wounded by British soldiers, 1774 Children (?) SARAH MERRITT, daughter of , married Nathaniel Woodbury, Salem, 11 Sept., 1785. Children (?) BETSEY MERRITT, daughter of , married Nathaniel Tuttle, Salem, 1 Jan., 1807. Children (?)

, died

; bapt. at First Church, Salem,

Hannah; born

# Philip Merritt of Boston

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, born
                                                                                   , 1662, died 29 March.
1. PHILIP MERRITT, son of
                                                              . She was born 1676, died 20 Sept.,
     1741, married Mary, daughter of
    1741, married Mary, daughter of She was born 10,0, died 20 Sept., 1735. Of Gloucester, 1700, Hogreeve of Boston, 9 March, 1723. Buried at Copps Hill Burying Ground, Boston. "Here lys ye body of Mr. Philip Merritt, deed March ye 20th, 1741, in ye 70th year of his age." "Here lys ye body of Mrs. Mary
     Merritt, wife of Mr. Philip Merritt. Died Sept. ye 20th, 1735, in ye 60th year of
     her age."
     Children:
       Mary, born
                            31 Aug., 1695, bapt. 18 Feb., 1705, 2nd Church, Boston; died
                            19 Dec., 1698, bapt. 18 Feb., 1705, 2nd Church, Boston; died
       John, born
                                             , bapt. 18 Feb., 1705, 2nd Church, Boston; died
, bapt. 14 Apr., 1706, 2nd Church, Boston, died
       Daniel, born
       Susannah, born
                                             , bapt. 13 July, 1707, 2nd Church, Boston, died
, bapt. 10 July, 1709, 2nd Church, Boston, died
       Henry, born
        Rachel, born
                                                                              probably young.
       Experience, born , bapt. 31 Dec., 1709, 2nd Church, Boston, died Rachel, born 22 Mar., 1713, bapt. 28 Mar., 1714, 2nd Church, Boston, died Sarah, born , bapt. 24 July, 1715, 2nd Church, Boston, died Church, Boston, died Church, Boston, died Church, Boston, died
                                             , bapt. 2 June, 1717, 2nd Church, Boston, died
, bapt. 2 June, 1717, 2nd Church, Boston, died
       Experience, born
2. JOHN MERRITT, son of Philip, married (?)
     Children (?)
DANIEL MERRITT, son of Philip, married 10 March, 1725, Eunice, daughter of David Norton and Temperance . She was born 4 Jan., 1706, married 2nd 11 Dec., 1739, Lydia, daughter of Sweetzer of Malden. Member of
    John Earle's Fire Engine Co., 27 July, 1733. (Boston Town Records.)
       Daniel, born 17 June, 1727, bapt. 6 Aug., 1727.
                                             , bapt. 16 Mar., 1729.
       David, born
                          11 May, 1730,
       Eunice, born
                           27 Feb., 1731.
       John, born
       Sarah, born
                           24 Feb., 1733,
       William born 21 June, 1735,
       Jonathan, born 20 Sept., 1737,
       Lydia, born
                            7 Sept., 1741,
       Samuel, born 17 July, 1743,
HENRY MERRITT, son of Philip, married (?)
    Children (?)
JACOB MERRITT, son of Philip, married (?)
     Children (?)
JACOB MERRITT, son of Philip, married (?)
     Children (?)
EBENEZER MERRITT, son of Philip, married (?)
     Children (?)
3. DANIEL MERRITT, son of Danie!, married Mary, daughter of Wm. Gowell,
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of Kittery, Me.

Children: All born at York.

John, born 28 Feb., 1755, died
Daniel, born 26 Mar., 1756, died
Eunice, born 4 Feb., 1758, died
William, born 2 Sept., 1759, died

PHILIP MERRITT, son of , intended marriage with Rachel Barron of Watertown, 24 Jan., 1731 (Boston Records), married 16 Mar., 1632.

Children (?)

PHILIP MERRITT, son of Smith. (Boston Records.)
Children (?)
. married in Boston, 2 Aug., 1732, Martha

PHILIP MERRITT, son of Hitchburne. (Boston Records.)
Children (?)

## William Merritt of New York

married Margery, daughter of , born , died , Captain of "Trial," Barbadoes to New York, 1662; recorded by Sec. Matthew Nichols, 16 Aug., 1671. Among the Dutch inhabitants of New York he swore alleginess to the Captain of the captai WILLIAM MERRITT, son of Dutch inhabitants of New York he swore allegiance to the Crown, 21 Oct., 1664. Appeared in Court 1668; plaintiff vs. Martin Hoffman for freight from Delaware, 93 florins, 12 Nov., 1670. Called "Mariner" in a deed to him 16 April, 1669 (New York). Bought from Lourens Hollst a house and lot on west side of Heere Grabt (Broad Street) for valuable consideration 12 April, 1671 (lib. 2 p. —). Owed Lourens Holt 675 florins for the house and lot 7 Feb., 1672. Came to New York about 1671 as a ship captain and merchant (Valentine's Hist of N. Y.). Had been skipper of the "Rebecca and Sarah" before 8 Sept., 1673, when his ketch was confiscated. Called a "merchant trading to New England." Plaintiff vs. Pieter Smith, 134 florins, 17 Oct., 1673. Referee 31 Oct., 1673. Of English descent, said to be worth \$5,000. Owned first-class property in or near Beaver Street, 1674 (Valentine's Hist.). On committee to survey vacant lands 3 Feb., 1675. Constable 1675. Brought suit against William White, New York, 8 April, 1676. On tax list £300 10 Nov., 1676. On tax lists of Brooklyn, Newtown and Hempstead. Owned a house in Field Street 24 July, 1677. Bondsman for John Sharp, surveyor, 19 Sept., 1677 (Albany). Owed £5 to the estate of John Winder, 1678. Farmer of the Excise 1679-82. Executor of John Schackery 25 July, 1679 (New York). Suit against Lodovick Post 16 Sept., 1679. On 23 April, 1680, deposite that he became survey for a note from John Schackery to Mrs. Mary Phillips. Licensed to sell wines and liquors 21 April, 1680. On tax list Brooklyn £5.9.4., 1680. On inventory of estate of Capt. Robert Moyne 27 Dec., 1680. Licutenant in Capt. Stephen Cortlandt's Co., 25 March, 1681. On a jury 24 Sept., 1683. Offered £20 rental for ferry to Long Island 23 Feb., 1684. Owned a sloop 1684. Commissioned as quartermaster 4 July, 1684. Elected to Common Council 31 Oct., 1684. On committee to appraise anchors, guns, etc., of sloop "Sea Flower," 16 Dec., 1684. Description 5 May, 1685, of 847 acres of land at Hempstead, Little Plains, L. I., laid out for Wm. Merritt and John Knight. Petition of John Tuder, Wm. Merritt, and Henry Filkins to buy land at Oyster Bay and Hempstead 22 Oct., 1685. Assignee for Samuel Davis and Caleb Pomeroy, Suffolk Co., 18 Nov., 1685. He and others formed the excise 9 Dec., 1685. Petitioned to be paid his bill for entertaining the auditor of accounts of Sheriff of Long Island 17 Dec., 1685. Ordered to be paid. Sued Thomas Young, damages £15, 13 March, 1686. Lieut. of Cavalry, 21 Apr., 1686. Warrant to Wm. Merritt and others to seize and bring to the city a supposed piratical vessel, 5 July, 1686. Whereas Petrus Stuyvesant granted to Wolphert Webber 2 April, 1681, land on further side of the Fresh Water between Jacob Stille and the Valley, and whereas his assignees conveyed it to William Merritt, mariner, who is in peaceable possession and has applied for a grant, I confirm the same at a quit rent of nine pence, 25 Nov., 1686 (Sec. of State, Albany, Lib. 6, p. 64). As Collector of Excise he petitions that persons who keep boarders be obliged to take out licenses 29 Sept., 1687. Alderman for Out Ward, 30 Sept., 1687. George Lockhart, of New York, surgeon, makes his loving brother, Wm. Merritt, his attorney, 15 Oct., 1687 (Albany). A deed from Lockhart to John Merritt, son of William, was recorded for William 21 Dec., 1687. Alderman April 27 to Aug. 16, 1689. Common Council met at his house 1689. On Committees to represent Council and to provide materials for fortifications May, 1689. Visitor to militia 6 June, 1689. Householder 6 June, 1689. Merchant in New York, wrongfully arrested with his son John, 10 Aug., 1689. "Alderman William Merritt greatly desiring to see his grandchild before its death, made application to his cruel gaoler Leyster for leave to visit the child, offering any security he should demand for his return thither, or if he pleased to send a guard of soldiers with him he would satisfy them for their trouble; but nothing could prevail with this barbarous man, who resolved to keep the said Merritt with the others named, during his own will and pleasure close prisoners in the Fort, which continued twenty-one days, and then were set at liberty as yet being strangers to their crimes that deserved to severe punishment." Gov. Leisler

writes to the Governor of Boston 28 Aug., 1689, that Mr. William Merit received in his house five armed strangers who were arrested. Signed address of New York merchants to King and Queen of England 19 May, 1690. Alderman for Dock Ward, Sept., 1690. Called Captain. Had a house above the division land of New York and New Jersey, near the Hudson, 1690. Captain of 1st Co. Cavalry 1691. Commission of William and John and others to be a court martial 14 Sept., 1691. Report of committee of House of Representatives to inquire into the claims of Wm. Merritt and others 28 Sept., 1691. Petitions for return of Peter Parsons an indented apprentice taken from him by Jacob Leister 1691.
Applies for letters of administration on the estate of Joseph Baker of East Jersey 22 Oct., 1691 (Albany Col. Mss., Vol. 41). Creditor and administrator of estate of Jon. Bockhart, 22 Oct., 1691. Creditor of estate of William Cox, 1691. Leased Excise 18 Nov., 1691. Member of General Assembly 1691. Alderman 1691-4. Overseer of the poor 5 Nov., 1692. Ordered to wait on the Government of the Control of the Contr nor 5 Feb., 1692. Major in Gov. Fletcher's Expedition, 18 Feb., 1692; arrived at Schenectady with the city detachment 18 Feb., 1693. Major of Cavalry March, 1692-5. Bought two lots from the city for £61 9 Aug., 1692. Appointed to provide £20 for welcoming Gov. Fletcher by the Common Council 30 Aug., 1692 ("Pictures of New York," p. 37). Petitions for payment of his loan to the Government 1 March, 1694. Justice in New York 12 May, 1694. With other members of the Church of England petitions for license to purchase a small piece of land without the North Gate, between the King's garden and the burying ground, on which to erect a Protestant Episcopal Church 19 March, 1695. Member of Trinity Church 19 March, 1695, and 6 May, 1697. Elected Mayor of New York 14 Oct., 1695. With other managers of the building of Trinity Church be patitions that contain managers collected for managers and a strain managers. Church he petitions that certain moneys collected for ransoming certain slaves, Christians, be paid to the managers, as some of the Christians are dead and others escaped, 16 July, 1696. He and John were among first ventrymen of Trinity Church, 1697. Re-elected Mayor 1696 and 1697. Petitions to be paid amount due him by city 1697. Admitted a freeman of New York 1698. Taxed on £60 Bowery Ward, and £200 South Ward, 1698. Creditor and administrator of estate of George Lockhart 18 March, 1698. He and wife Margery sold to Wm. Janeway land near the Freshwater for £1,000 14 May, 1698 (Albany). He and Margery sold the Heere Grabt property bought 12 April, 1671, to John Corbett, 4 Jan., 1699. Witness to deed from Wm. Jewell, formerly of West-chester Co., to Wm. Davenport, 3 Sept., 1699. Called Lieut. Col. 6 Sept., 1699-1700. Signed a petition as of East Jersey, 1700. His account with the city ordered to be arbitrated 13 April, 1700. Ordered to be sued by the city for the balance due 9 May, 1701. Owed £85 to the city at his death. A Justice in Orange Co. over sixty years of age, with two female descendants, four male slaves, two female slaves and three child slaves, 1702. Sold land called "Tapan" in Orange Co. to John Corbett, 1703 (Goshen, Lib. A., p. 1). Bought the patent of Daniel Honan in Orange Co. 18 April, 1705. Of "Cheer Hall," Orange Co., he sold two lots in Maiden Lane, New York, to Daniel Honan, reserving the right of way to the house of his son, John Merritt, 18 April, 1705 (New York, Lib. 26, p. 1). He and Margery with John and Jennet sold 3,400 acres at Tappan to John Corbett for £1,800, 14 May, 1705. Sold a house in Queen Street to Esaiah Valleau for £453, 4 Dec., 1705 (Albany). Commissioned to be pilot of H. M. Ship "Lowestaffe," 24 April, 1706. Executor, called Colonel, of Nicholas Croxton of Bridgetown, Barbadoes, 13 Dec., 1706. Made his Will 1 Feb., 1706; proved 9 July, 1708. All real and personal estate to wife Margery for life, afterward to son John. Executors, wife Margery, son John, and William Anderson. Petition of Margery, widow, to excuse debt of John Tuder, 20 Jan., 1709. Marjory and son John sold the Honan patent to Adrian Hoaglandt and Anthony Rutgers (Goshen, Lib. B, pp. 56 and 62).

2. JOHN MERRITT, son of William, born , died 7 March, 1732. On 11 Oct., 1671, John Hadden of Jamaica, in his will left £10 to Wm. Merritt for his son John when he comes of age; he left also 30 shillings to Margaret Welham, a servant of Wm. Merritt for her care of him in sickness. Married in New York 17 Sept., 1686, Jane or Jennet, daughter of George Lockhart and Janet —. They gave John 3,400 acres at Tappan 25 Oct., 1687 (Eng. Mss., Vol. 33). Signed his mark to Will of Joshua Jacockes, Hempstead, N. Y., 15 Feb., 1688. Householder in New York 1689. Complains of Indians shooting at him May, 1689.

Arrested wrongfully with his father 16 Aug., 1689. "Mr. John Merritt after twenty-four hours confinement, himself being ill, his wife much indisposed and his only son lying on his deathbed, had his liberty." Alderman for Out Ward 1690-2. On Court Martial 14 Sept., 1691. Captain of 6th Co. 1691-5. Creditor of estate of Humphrey Hull 25 May, 1696. Petitions for payment of his claim and reports thereon a Aug. 1697 (Vol. 17, 2017). Vacantage of Tables Captain and reports thereon 5 Aug., 1697 (Vol. 41, p. 101). Vestryman of Trinity Church 1697. Freeman of New York 1698. Owned one-seventh of a patent called Cheesecocks in Orange Co., bounded east by Haverstraw and south by Kakiat, the patent of D. Honan, 13 Dec., 1702. Owned part of the patent of Wawayanda 25 Sept., 1703. Appointed by Queen Anne a Justice in Orange Co. 8 Mar., 1702. Petitions in behalf of the Justices of Orange Co. to have proper court days. In Flushing, L. I., 1704. He and Mercy Raymond bought 600 acres at Montville, Conn., 1704. Philip Rockeley sold his patent at Goshen to John Merritt, Daniel Cromline and Elias Boudinet 10 June, 1704. John sold his third to Cromline in 1705 (Goshen Lib. N. p. 62). Gave a deed to Ann Bridges 1705 (Goshen Lib. A, p. 76). Gave a deed to Benj. Aske (Lib. B., pp. 3, 8, 13). Wm. Morris and Rebecca, his wife, granted a ninth interest in a patent on the Mohawk near Schenectady to Jeanette, wife of John Merritt, 4 Nov., 1708 (Recorded 19 of Oct., 1733, Lib. 31, p. 500). He gave 5 s. 6d. towards finishing the steeple of Trinity Church in 1711. Of New London, in order to protect his interests in New York he appoints his mother, Marjory, widow, his wife Jennet, and his friends, Ebenezer Wilson and Wm. Anderson, as attorneys to settle up his accounts as executor of his father's estate 29 April, 1712 (Recorded 27 May, 1712, New York Lib. 26, p. 526). They mortgage one lot 21x150 to Derick Benson of New York for two years for £80 22 May, 1712. Mortgage another lot for one year for £75 3 Nov., 1712, Marjory being then dead. In New London, Conn., 1713. He sold half his Orange Co. patent to John Everett for £210 25 Feb., 1714. Revoked power of attorney I Aug., 1717, and appointed Samuel Clowes his attorney 31 Aug., 1719 (New York Lib. 30, p. 13). Member of Council 22 June, 1720. On bond to John Du Morrisey of New York, Will of Du Morrisey 19 March, 1721 (Cal. of Wills, D. 12 and 13). He and Mercy Raymond gave a deed of land at New London to John Livingston 11 May, 1717, and from that date until 1732 Major John Merritt is a frequent grantor or grantee at New London. Lived for some time in the North Parish and "liberally patronized" the Congregational Church erected in 1722. Surveyor of highways 1723. Gave deed to Samuel Clowery, 1724 (Goshen Lib. B., p. 218). Headed a subscription list with £50 for building the first Episcopal Church 6 June, 1725. One of the persons of "most consequence" who occupied the first four pews in the Second Congrega-tional Church 1727. He and Jennet sold a lot in Queen Street, New York, to Benjamin Peck for £312 17 Dec., 1728. Made his Will 14 Aug., 1727; proved 25 May, 1732, mentions no children and gives all property, real and personal, to wife Jennet, the sole executrix. "The Honorable Major Merritt who subscribed £50 for the church is now dead" (Letter of Seabury to S. P. G., New London, 22 Aug., 1753). Jeannette, wife of John Merritt, late of New York, orders John Kelly and Wm. Anderson to sell the patent on the Mohawk 21 Nov., 1732, and appoints them her attorneys 2 Nov., 1733 (New York Lib. 31, p. 503). His widow and grandson, Merritt Smith, were members of the Episcopal Church, New London. She died 20 Aug., 1743. Mr. Merritt Smith appointed administrator of the estate of Major John Merritt, the executrix being now dead, 4 June, 1744. Appointed administrator of estate of Mrs. Jennet Merritt, inventory £80 S Oct., 1745.

MAJOR WILLIAM SMITH, son of Col. William, called "Tangier," born 4 Jan., 1683, died 27 Jan., 1743, married Hannah, probably daughter of John Merritt and Janet Lockhart. Will proved 26 Feb., 1743.

Children:	
William, born	, died
Merritt, born	, died
Caleb, born	. died
Elizabeth, born	, died
Sarah, born	, died
Jane, born	, died
Martha, born	, died
Hannah, born	, died
Daughter, born	. died

# Thomas Merritt of Rye, N. Y.

1. THOMAS<sup>1</sup> MERRITT, son of , born May, 1634 (?), died 10 Nov., 1725(?), mar. 3 Dec., 1656, Jane, daughter of Thomas Sherwood and Alice Seabrook (?). She was born 1636, died 4 Jan., 1685; married 2nd 13 Aug., 1688, Abigatl, daughter of Robert and Joan Francis, of Wethersfield, Conn. She was born 14 Feb., 1660. She died : married 3rd, 1696, Mary, daughter of Jeffrey Ferris of Wethersfield, and widow of Jonathan Lockwood. Mary made provision for her Lockwood children 5 June, 1696, being about to marry Merritt (Lockwood Gen.). She died 1708. He bought a home lot in Wethersfield, Conn., from Thomas Standish in 1662, adjoining the land of Standish on the north and the lot of Robert Francis on the west and the highway south (Wethersfield Town Records, Vol. 2, p. 30). He settled at Rye, N. Y., 1673. Witness to deed to Thomas Statham, 24 Jan., 1676. One of the purchasers of Hog-pen Ridge, 4 Sept., 1680. Bought land adjoining John Merritt's from Jonathan Vowles, 22 Nov., 1682. On list of Rye proprietors, 1683. Constable 12 July, 1684. Witness to deed from Isaac Sherwood to Caleb Hyatt, 15 Sept., 1684. Appraiser of Will of Caleb Hyatt, 15 Sept., 1684. Bought a half lotment next to Disbrow's from Robert Bloomer & March, 1685. (Rye Records, Lib. R. p. 42). Francis and Thomas Bloomer, 5 March, 1685 (Rye Records, Lib. B, p. 43). Francis and Thomas Brown and Thomas Marritt deliver to executors of John Budd of Southold, L. I., certain animals from his farm at Rye, 11 June, 1685. One of the grantors of land to John Brondige, 28 Aug., 1687. Witness to deed to Lockwood, 15 Jan., 1688. Owned a home lot between Boyd and Disbrow and two acres in the plains between Richard and Jonathan Vowles, 1688. Rye proprietors acknowledged grant to Thomas Merritt of a parcel of land called Pine Island, adjoining said Merritt's meadows. 14 Feb. 1600. Commissioner to renew the Indian purchase Merritt's meadows, 14 Feb., 1690. Commissioner to renew the Indian purchase at White Plains, 12 April, 1694. Vestryman of Rye, 28 Feb., 1694, 1695, 1697. On committee to select a minister, 22 July, 1697. On committee to build a meeting house, 25 Sept., 1697. A collector of minister's salary, 1667-98. The patent of Rye was granted to Joseph Theale, Thomas Merritt, Deliverance Brown and others at Hartford, 22 Jan., 1696. He and Brown appeared before the General Court of Conn., to obtain a charter for Rye, 19 Jan., 1697. Called Senior 1698. Deputy to General Court, Oct., 1699. Townsman or trustee, 1697-99. A proprietor of Peningo Neck, 11 Dec., 1699. On committee to run a line between White Plains and Col. Heathcote's patent, 24 Feb., 1702. Gave his son Thomas a house and lot then occupied by the son, 20 Jan., 1703. He and Robert Bloomer granted land to John Merrit, 7 Feb., 1704 (Lib. 3, p. 152). Owned land at Rye, 6 Dec., 1704. Bought land adjoining his from Caleb Hyatt, 1 May, 1705; deed recorded 23 Jan., 1722. Supervisor, 1705. Bought 15 acres from Wm. Fowler for £27, 25 Dec., 1706. On committee to settle the line between Greenwich and Rye, 1 Nov., 1707. One of the grantors of land in Wills Purchase to Samuel Lane, 17 Oct., 1700. Witness to petition of Stephen Sharmond of Purchase Lane, 17 Oct., 1709. Witness to petition of Stephen Sherwood of Rye for a patent May, 1710, also to petition of Samuel Purdy, Oct., 1710. On grand jury 2 June, 1713, 14, 15, 16. Gave a deed to his son Joseph of Rye, yeoman, 5 Aug., 1714. Witness to deed from George Lane to John Boyd, 9 Sept., 1714. He and son Thomas sign a permission for building a mill to Isaac Anderson, 6 Jan., 1717. A proprietor of Peningo Neck, 1715. Sold 6 acres at Rye for £25 to Ebenezer Kniffen, 19 May, 1719; acknowledged 29 April, 1721. Sold 40 acres at White Plains for £40 to Samuel Merritt, 21 March, 1720; acknowledged 17 June, 1721. He lived nearly opposite the site of the present Park Institute.

This indenture made ye 20 October in ye fourth year of ye Reign of our Sovereign Lord James ye Second by ye Grace of God of England, Scotland, France and Ireland, King, Defender of ye faith and in ye year of our Lord God 1688. Between Thomas Merrit of Rye in ye County of Westchester in his Majesty's Territories and Dominion of New England on ye one part and John Welles of Wethersfield of A Marriage some time since Solemnized Between the said Thomas and Abigail now wife of ye sd. Thomas Merrit and the Daughter of Robert Francis of Wethersfield aforesed. As also for ye great good will love & affection which the said Thomas

hath & Beareth to ve said Abigail his wife & to the intent that the Messuages, Lands, Tenements, Goods and chattels movable and immovable hereafter in these presents specified shall Come and Continue in ye issue of ye said Thomas and Abigail in such sort manner & form as hereafter in these presents is Expressed, mentioned and Declared it is Covenanted granted Concluded & fully Agreed Upon By & Between ye said parties to these presents in manner & form following. And the said Thomas Merrit for the considerations aforesaid doth Covenant, grant & promise for himself his heirs executors administrators & assigns to and with the said John Welles & ye heirs executors administrators & assigns of ye sd. John Welles by these presents that ye sd. Thomas Merrit & his heirs & assigns shall stand secured of and in his new Dwelling house & home lott Scituated in ye Township of Rye aforesd. Containing five acres more or less. Bounded on land of John Boyd northeast and Peter Disbrow southwest, fronting on a highway & the Rear against Peter Disbrow, as also two acres more or Less in ye plains or town of sd. Rye. Lying between ye Land of Richard Vowls and Jonathan Vowls, as also Sixty Pounds in movable Estate so to be valued according to ye Current pay of this County, and all ye aforesaid Housing lands tenements movable Goods of ye value aforesaid or defect thereof to be made good to ye value of Sixty Pounds as aforesaid out of other ye lands of ye sd. Thomas Merrit & ye Reversion and ye Reversions of ye premises & every part and parcel thereof to ye uses purposes & intent—hereafter in these presents expressed. Limitted & to no other use intent & purpose whatsoever. That is to say to ye use and Behoofs of ye sd. Thomas Merrit for ye term of his Natural Life without Impeachment or Any Manner of waste & after his Decease to ye use and Behoofs of the said Abigail now wife of the sd. Thomas Merrit for ye term | her Natural Life & after ye decease of ye sd. Thomas & Abigail his wife the above house and home lott is to be ye proper Estate of ye eldest son of ye said Thomas & Abigail of their two Bodies Begotten & to his heirs & assigns forever. And in Defect of such a son to ye eldest son of ye sd. Thomas Merrit & to his heirs & assigns forever. Only ye sd. two acres of land abovementioned is to ye use & Behoofs of ye said Abigail for & During her widowhood & the Remainder of the said Sixty Pounds if any be after ye Decease of ye sd. Thomas & Abigail his wife then to be to the use & Behoofs of such of ye children of the sd. Thomas & Abigail as the sd. Abigail by her Last Will & Testament or other writing to be signed & subscribed by the sd. Abigail in her life time then to ye use of ye heirs of ye sd. Thomas & ye sd. Abigail their Bodies Begotten & to their heirs & assigns forever. And Further the said Thomas for himself his heirs and assigns Doth Covenant grant & promise to & with ye sd. John Welles & his heirs & assigns that ye sd. Thoms & his heirs & assigns shall & will permit ye sd. Abigail & all & every other person & persons to whom ye said Housings & Lands or movables or any part & parcel of ye premises shall happen or Come or of Right ought to Come By Reason of these presents peaceably and Quietly to Have Hold & enjoy all & singular ye premises Before in these presents Engrossed & mentioned Without any manner of Let Sute trouble vexation or denial of ve sd. Thomas Merritt or his heirs or assigns or any other person or persons whatsoever Lawfully having or claiming or pretending to have or claim any estate or title of in or to the same or any part thereof from by or under hand of said Thomas his heirs or assigns according to ye true intent and meaning of these presents. In witness whereof the said Thomas Merrit hath hereunto set his hand and seal the day and year above written it is to be understood this obligation is to be full satisfaction of ye sd. Abigail thirds if she shall survive the said Thomas.

Signed Seallen in ye Presence of us Nathaell Butler Joseph Talcott

THOMAS MERRIT

Recorded May ye 15 1690 in ye Records of Rye

Wethersfield in ye County of Hartford. in New England October 27 1688 Thomas Merrit personally appeared and acknowled the within written Instrument to be his free & voluntary Act & Deed before me

Samuel Talcott, Justice

A true Coppy pr me. Samuel Lane

Clark of the town of Rye

On back of this is written: "Thomas Merritt, the Grandfather, survived his wife Abigail and then he died."

#### NOTICE.

"These are to give notice to all people to whom it may any ways concern, that I Thomas Merritt, senior of the Town of Rye, do by these presents forewarne any person or persons whatsoever from entertaining my Wife Mary Merritt and likewise from buy, selling, Bartering or Trading directly or indirectly, with my above named Wife without my consent.

As witness my hand this 9th day of October in the year of our Lord 1698.

Thomas Merritt."

The above is taken from the Town Record.

#### Children:

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(?) John<sup>2</sup>, born
                        10 Oct., 1657, died 10 Apr., 1726.
                         1 Jan., 1660, died 10 June, 1680.
6 June, 1662, died 12 May, 1754.
(?) Alice, born
    Joseph, born
(?) Ephraim, born 5 Apr., 1664, died
(?) Jane, born
                         7 Nov., 1666, died
(?) Isaac, born
                         3 May, 1668, died
    Thomas, born 31 Jan., 1670, died 30 Jan., 1719.
(?) Samuel, born 21 Aug., 1672, died
 ?) Rose, born
                        17 Apr., 1674, died
 (?) Stephen, born 26 Feb., 1677, died
(?) Edward, born 10 Mar., 1679, died
(?) Matthew, born 3 Sept., 1681, died
(?) Elizabeth, born 14 Apr., 1683, died
(r) Robert, born 19 Jan., 1690, died
(?) Joanna, born
                      18 Nov., 1672, died
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2. JOHN? MERRITT, son of Thomas¹(?), married 1 May, 1680, Mary, daughter of Brown(?). Supposed to be a son or brother of Thomas Merritt of Rye. Bought land near John Boyd's, 17 Apr., 1678. Bought 40 acres between Bryam River and Gunn Brook Creek from several persons, 1680. A proprietor of Wills Purchase, 1682. Bought land from Robert Bloomer, 30 Nov., 1682 (Rye, Lib., B, p. 45). A proprietor of Rye, 1683. Executor of Andrew Benton, Hartford, 18 Dec., 1683. Witness to a deed 20 Oct., 1683. Exchanged land with John Boyd 20 Feb., 1685. Received fourth allottment of 20 acres at Peningo Neck, 8 Apr., 1686. Bought 7 acres at Lyons Point from Thomas Brown 1687 and afterwards owned a large tract beginning at Lyons (then Merritt's) Point and extending on both sides of Grace Church St. to below Port Chester. Bought land from Thomas and Mary Brown 4 Feb., 1688. A proprietor of Rye, 1690. One of the patentees of Rye, 22 Jan., 1697. On committee to lay out highways at Peningo Neck, 27 Feb., 1698. Surveyor 1 April, 1699, called senior. Trustee 1701. On committee to lay out Grace Church St. 1701. Gave deed of house and land to son Andrew 14 March, 1707. His lot was next to Deliverance Brown's, 20 March, 1707. Vestryman 9 Jan., 1710-11. Received lots in division of Will Purchase 18 Feb., 1711. Witness to deed of Thomas to Joseph Merritt, 5 August, 1714, signs his mark. A proprietor of Peningo Neck, 1715. Signed permission to Christopher Bridge to move his fence 18 Oct., 1715. Signed permission to Isaac Anderson to build a mill 6 Jan., 1717. Owned 39 acres at White Plains 9 Feb., 1717, also 1720 (Rye, Lib. C, p. 55). Sold 28 acres at Rye for £28 to Isaac Anderson, 23 Feb., 1723. Signed his mark to deed of 8 acres to Samuel Brown, 22 March, 1724. Witness appeared 6 April, 1725. On 4 May, 1726, Jacob Hays sells to Daniel Horton for £20 the land formerly laid out for John Merritt, Sr., deceased, and the lots bought of his sons John and Andrew.

#### Children:

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John<sup>3</sup>, born 14 July, 1681, died 8 Sept., 1759.
(?) Elizabeth, born 10 Oct., 1683, died
Jonathan, born 7 Mar., 1685, died 24 July, 1760.
(?) Jane, born 26 Dec., 1687, died
Andrew, born 17 May, 1689, died 28 Nov., 1782.
(?) Thomas, born 4 Sept., 1691, died
(?) Alice, born 11 Mar., 1693, died
(?) Grace, born 7 Dec., 1694, died
(?) Ephraim, born 13 Feb., 1696, died
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JOSEPH<sup>2</sup>, MERRITT, son of Thomas<sup>3</sup>, married Jane, daughter of
Proprietor of Rye 1683. He and other surveyors of lands assigned to him 2
acres which he had fenced in on Hog-Pen Ridge 1707 (Rye, Lib. B, p. 155).
A Proprietor of Wills Purchase 1708. Owned lot No. 34 in 1710. His land joined
that of Jonathan Kniffen, 16 Jan., 1710. Had a deed from his father, Thomas,
5 Aug., 1714. On grand jury, 1717, 18-22. Ensign in Westchester Co. Military
Company, 27 Feb., 1722. Signed a petition of Presbyterians, 11 May, 1727. Sold
32 acres near the present Park Mill to Gilbert Bloomer for £130, 16 Dec., 1740.
Signed his mark. His n: 2 was spelled with two "t's." Joseph Merritt, yeoman,
sold 1/3 of an 18th share in the ledges within "Pening Neck purchase" in Rye,
including all the salt meadows in the grantor's possession, bounded southerly by
Roger Park's meadow and running northerly to David Haight's and John Clap's
meadow, purchased from George Laneson, deceased, 9 Aug., 1723, to Samuel
Treadwell, for £10, 3 Nov., 1742. Made his Will 27 March, 1752. Proved 6
June, 1754. Signed his mark (New York, Lib. 19, p. 56).
Children:

Joseph<sup>3</sup>, born 1 Feb., 1695, died
(?) Rose, born 10 Nov., 1697, died
Thomas, born 8 Oct., 1700, died
Elizabeth, born 31 Aug., 1702, died
(?) Joshua, born 6 July, 1704, died
Jane, born 3 Mar., 1708, died
(?) Rebecca, born 19 June, 1710, died

; mar. Joseph Brundage.

; mar. Samuel Williams.

(?) Sarah, born 28 Oct., 1712, died Nehemiah, born 7 May, 1715, died

1794.

Will gives to wife Jane a bed and furnishings, riding major side saddle and bridle, one cow, the use of house, land, meadows and all money at interest while she remains a widow. His wearing clothes to be divided among his sons, Joseph, Thomas and Nehemiah. After the death of his wife, the house and land on the west side of road to Hoppen Rigg to go to Joseph, the son of his eldest son Joseph. His executors to sell the lot on the east side of the same road after the death or marriage of his wife and to divide the proceeds, with the money at interest, the cattle and tools among his five children, Joseph, Thomas, Nehemiah, Elizabeth, wife of Joseph Brundage and Jane, wife of Samuel Williams. Household goods to his daughters. Joseph, Thomas and Nathaniel, executors. Joseph and Thomas swore, Nehemiah affirmed, 6 June, 1754.

EPHRAIM<sup>2</sup>, son of Thomas<sup>1</sup>, mentioned at Rye in 1713. Sold to his brother Thomas for £60, a house and barn, two allotments of land and two acres bounded by the Mill Road and the lands of Isaac Denham, Timothy Knapp and Jonatham Vowles (now in possession of his father Thomas, and given to Ephraim by an instrument in writing), to become the property of Thomas, his brother, after the death of their father, 26 Oct., 1718; recorded 13 Jan., 1710 (White Plains, Lib. E, p. 186). Bought land near the drift way from Stephen Stockham, 20 Feb., 1721 (Lib. F, p. 39). Van Horn and Roosevelt sued him for 40 shillings, 7 Dec., 1721. Not having any bail he surrendered himself, 1722. No wife or children known.

ISAAC<sup>2</sup> MERRITT, son of Thomas<sup>3</sup>(?), married (?) Children (?)

THOMAS<sup>2</sup>, son of Thomas<sup>1</sup>, born about 1670, died , 1719, , married Martha, daughter of John Marshall and Sarah Webb of . She was born about 1680. Called Sergeant Merritt. One of the surveyors of the White Plains purchase, 1699. Lived in a house at Rye given him by his father, 1702. Bought 6 acres at Rye from Jonathan Vowles for £7, 8 March, 1705 (Lib. B, p. 171). Bought 13 acres adjoining from Samuel Hoyt for £25, 21 Jan., 1709. One of the surveyors for school-house, 29 Jan., 1711. Vestryman, 7 May, 1711. Townsman, 1713. On jury, 1713. Signed permission to Christopher Bridge to move a fence, 18 Oct., 1815. A proprietor of Peningo Neck, 1715. Bought from his brother Ephraim for £85, certain houses and lands in possession of their father Thomas, 26 Dec., 1718. Sold 18 acres at Rye to his brother Ephraim for £85, 26 Dec., 1718; called junior in the deed. Made his will 26 Jan., 1719 (New

York, Lib. 9, p. 47). The house of Thomas Merritt, deceased, was in a place called the "Cedars," near Grace Church St., 1732.

#### Children:

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Thomasa, born died
Edward, born died 1791.
John, born died
Benoni, born died
Mercy, born died under age 6 May, 1721.
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## LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF THOMAS MERRITT, JR.

In the name of God Amen, this 26th Day of January in the year of our Lord God One Thousand Seven Hundred and Eighteen Nineteen, I Thomas Merritt Junr. of the Town of Rye in the County of West Chester and province of New York, Yeoman, being at this time Sick and Weak in Body but of Good and perfect Sound and Memory therefor Calling to Mind the Mortality of my Body well knowing that it is Appointed for all Men Once to Dye Do make, constitute and Ordain this my Last Will and Testament in Manner as followeth to say: Principally and first of all I Doo Recommend my Soul unto the Hands of Almighty God that gave it and my Body to the Earth from whence it came To be Buried in Decent Christian like manner at the Discretion of my Friends Nothing Doubting but that I shall Receive the same again at the General Resurrection by the Mighty power of God, and as touching this worldly Estate wherewith it hath pleased the Lord to Endow me with in this Life I Give and Bequeath as followeth:

Imprimis I Give and Bequeath unto my Dearly and Well Beloved Wife Martha Merrit One Third part of all my Moveable Estate to be at her Disposal forever, and also the use of my new Dwelling House, Barn, Orchard, Lands and Meadows During the time of her Widowhood.

Item. I Give and Bequeath unto my Son Thomas Merritt all that my new Dwelling house housing and Barn with my Orchard and all my Lands on the Westermost side of Blind Brook with a certain Lottment of Land Lying on the East side of: Joyning to Serg. Robert Bloomers Land to be employed for my said Son Thomas Merritt after his Mother's time is past in the Same, and after all my just Debts and Charges be Defrayed out of my Moveable Estate. I do give the Remainder of my said Moveable Estates to my Daughter Mercy Merritt. Item. I give and Bequeath unto my Son Edward Merritt all that my House, Barn, Orchard, Housings Lands and Meadows and Movable Estate that I Bought of my brother Ephraim Merritt And I do make and appoint my said Beloved Wife Martha Merritt and my brother Joseph Merritt and John Lyon, Jur., Living at Byram to be my sole Executors. And doe here by these presents give any two of them Three to full power take care and Mind and so this my last Will be ordered the Same according to theire Discretion to all Intents and Purposes according to the true meaning thereof and in Testimony.

Testimony of this to be my Last Will and Testament I have hereunto Set my hand and Seal the Day and Year above written. The Mark of Thomas Merritt ) [Ls.] Signed Sealed Published Declared and Pronounced by the above said Thomas Merritt to be his Last Will and Testament in the presence of us the Subscribers Joseph Sutton, Adam Ireland, John Stoakham.

ROBERT HUNTER, Esq., Capt. General and Gov. in Chief of the provinces of New York, New Jersey and Territories thereon Depending in America and Vice-Admiral of the same &c. To all to whom these presents shall come or may concern Greeting Know yee that at New York this Twenty-sixth Day of June the Last Will and Testament of Thomass Merrit was proved, approved and allowed by Me. Leaving while he lived and at the time of his death Goods Chattels and Credits in Divers places within this province by means whereof the full disposition of all and singular the Goods Chattels and Credits of the said Deceased and the granting administration of them, Also the Swaring of Account Calculation or Reckoning and the finall Discharge and Dismission from the same unto me Likely and which to any other inferior Judge are manifestly known to belong. And the Administration of all and singular the Goods Chattels and Credits of the said Deceased and his Last Will and Testament in any Manner of way concerning was granted unto Martha Merritt, Joseph Merritt and John Lyon, Jr., Executors of the said Last Will and Testament, named chiefly of Will and truly administrating the same and of

making a true and perfect Inventory of all and Singular the Goods Chattels and Credits of the said Deceased and Exhibetting the same into the Registry of the Prerogutive Court in the Secretary's Office at or before the twenty-sixth day of June next Ensuing and of Rendering a just and true account when thereunto required. In Testimony whereof I have caused the Prerogative Seal to be hereunto Affixed at New York this Twenty Sixth Day of June Annoye Domi 1719.

J. Bobin for Ju. Alexander, Dep'y Secy.

N. Y. Surrogate's Office, Lib. 9, p. 74.

SAMUEL<sup>2</sup>, son of Thomas<sup>1</sup>, married 1698 Elizabeth or Sarah, daughter of Humphrey and Sarah Underhill. Mentioned at Rye in 1706. Living at White Plains 1710. Pought land at White Plains from John Boyd for £20, 27 Nov., 1713. On grand jury, Feb., 1717. Bought his brother Thomas' land at White Plains, 21 March, 1720. Bought land at White Plains from Joseph Budd, 18 Jan., 1723. Granted a lot to Humphrey Underhill, who released his claim 27 May, 1722. Executor of Humphrey Underhill, 3 July, 1722. He was tried and imprisoned as a tory, 15 June, 1776, and petitioned to be released on parole, 18 Aug., 1776.

Children:

Children:

William<sup>3</sup>, born , died

George, born 23 Apr., 1702,

or 1711, died 2 Feb., 1759. , died , 1751.

or 1711, David, born

STEPHEN<sup>2</sup> MERRITT, son of Thomas<sup>1</sup> (?), married (?) Perhaps the Stephen who had suit vs. Thomas Watson 25 Oct., 1757.

Children (?)

EDWARD<sup>2</sup> MERRITT, son of Thomas<sup>2</sup>(?), married (?) Perhaps the Edward of New York, 1698-1710, who married Vrowtjie Cozynse 1702 and had a child baptized 1706.

Children (?)

MATTHEW: MERRITT, son of Thomas<sup>1</sup>(?), married (?) Perhaps the Matthew of Goshen, who signed a deed as agent, 1706.

Children (?)

ROBERT<sup>2</sup> MERRITT, son of Thomas<sup>1</sup>(?), married (?) Children (?)

8. JOHN<sup>3</sup> MERRITT, son of John<sup>2</sup>, married . Living in Rye 1700. A house lot above that of Thomas Merritt, Jr., was laid out for him 14 Sept., 1700. Sold 36 acres, half of lot 27 in Wills Purchase to Samuel Lane for £30, 7 June, 1720, no wife mentioned (Rye, Lib. D, p. 10). He and Andrew sold 40 acres to Jacob Hays for £12, 28 Jan., 1725 (White Plains). In 1741 Samuel Lane bought the house and 11½ acres formerly John Merritt's, Jr., on Merritt's Point. Buried at Port Chester; tombstone standing 1875.

Children:

John<sup>4</sup>, born , died

JONATHAN<sup>3</sup> MERRITT, son of John<sup>2</sup>, married . In Rye, 1708. Fox Island, 12 acres deeded to him for £16, 25 Oct., 1722. Lived near Byram River Harbor in 1744. Gave a deed to son Jonathan, 15 Oct., 1748.

Children:

Jonathan<sup>4</sup>, born Oct., 1710, or 1712, died John, born , died

ANDREW<sup>3</sup> MERRITT, son of John<sup>2</sup>, married 10 Dec., 1715, Rachel, daughter of Purdy. She died 8 Oct., 1741, married 2nd Mary, daughter of

In 1706 John Merritt, husbandman, gave his son Andrew "my farm where I dwell, bounded East by Byram River. North by Gunn Brook Cove, West by Hassocky Meadow Brook and the Country Road and South by Richard Ogden's land; to be his when he shall attain the age of twenty-one years." Signed petition of Presbyterians 11 May, 1727. He and others granted land near Thomas Merritt's, Jr., deceased, to the Presbyterian Society, 15 May, 1729. Trustee 1728. Churchwarden of Grace Church, 1738. Subscribed £1 10s. for a ferry to Oyster Bay, 1739. Witness to deed of Gilbert Bloomer, 8 Jan., 1743. Churchwarden, 21 Feb., 1763. Signed protest against Rebellion 13 Oct., 1774. Made his Will 2 July, 1780; proved 23 June, 1783. To wife Mary 1/3 of personalty and use of house, son Robert and his wife Phebe to take care of her; to eldest son Andrew 11 in full for all claims; land in Grace Church of Church St. to Bellevia. and Nehemiah; land and dwelling, East side of Grace Church St. to Robert; reserves land as a burying place around graves of his father and mother and former wife Rachel, all undivided lands at Rye to Gilbert and Robert equally; executor Robert and Nehemiah.

#### Children:

(?) Mary4, born 4 Jan., 1718, died (?) Jane, born 28 Oct., 1720, died Andrew, born 22 Feb., 1723, died 18 Aug., 1781. (?) Jonathan, born 1 July, 1724, died

Gilbert, born

1785.

9 Jan., 1725, died 8 May, 1727, died (?) Alice, born (?) Grace, born 23 Dec., 1729, died

Rachel, born 9 Sept., 1731, died ; mar. Gilbert Miller.

13 Jan., 1734, died 12 Feb., 1817. Robert, born

(?) Ephraim, born 27 Aug., 1736, died 1 Nehemiah, born 4 Sept., 1738, died 10 May, 1817.

JOSEPH2, son of Joseph2, married Mary, daughter of Ebenezer Theall, who left her a negro boy in his will, 27 May, 1747. Lived on the southeast corner of Ridge Road and Park's Mill Road. Called junior in 1727. Had one male slave, 26 March, 1755. Bought 61 acres adjoining his own land from John and Rebecca Purdy, 21 March, 1758, for £361.

#### Children:

Daniel<sup>4</sup>, born

, died 14 Jan., 1731, died 19 May, 1782. 29 Oct., 1749, died 29 June, 1819. Joseph, born Sarah, born

THOMAS3, son of Joseph2, married (?). Thomas Merritt of Rye, blacksmith in Capt. Stuyvesant's Co., age 24 years, height 5 ft. 6, 10 May, 1758 (Mil. Rec., New York). Perhaps the Thomas Merritt of Ulster Co., miller, who witnessed the will of George Merritt, 1759. A Thomas Merritt, of North East, Dutchess Co., signed Association for Rebellion, June, 1775. Children (?)

JOSHUA, son of Joseph (?), married (?) Children (?)

NEHEMIAH<sup>2</sup>, son of Joseph<sup>2</sup>, married Dinah, daughter of Ichabod Hopkins and Sarah Coles; married second, Mary, daughter of Robert Dingy before 1761. He showed a certificate of removal from the Mamaroneck Meeting at the Oblong Meeting at Quaker Hill, Dutchess County, December, 1758. On a committee to review the sufferings of the Friends at Oblong, 1760. He and nine others sign a petition in behalf of themselves and fifteen others for 25,000 acres on east side of Hudson River between Fort Edward and Lake George, 25 July, 1761. (Fort Ann, Washington Co., and Queensbury, Warren Co.) (Sec. of State, Albany). The Queensbury patent, 23,000 acres, was granted to twenty-three persons, not including him, 20 May, 1762. A meeting of the proprietors of Queensbury was held at the shop of Nehemiah and Daniel Merritt in Beekman Precinct, Dutchess Co., 10 July, 1762. A second meeting was held at the same place when partition deeds were given to the thirty proprietors, including Nehemiah and his sons

Daniel and Ichabod, 8 Nov., 1762. He received plot 32 in Division 103 and 69, and half of plots 38 and 39, 13 Jan., 1763. One of the trustees to rent out all undivided lands, 23 Feb., 1763. Nehemiah Merritt of Beekman's Precinct, gentleman, released his half of the saw-mill, house and utensils, built by them at Queensbury, to Abraham Wing for 5 shillings, 7 Oct., 1765 (Hist. of Queensbury, p. 376). Walter Franklin of New York, merchant, leased to Nehemiah Merritt, yeoman, of the Oblong, Lot 32 of 500 acres in the Oblong, for 5 shillings for one year, 21 Dec., 1768, and sold him the same for £1400, 22 Dec., 1768 (original with George Merritt, Auburn, N. Y.). He was agent for Franklin and signed a lease in his behalf to Elisha Smith of Lot 70, rental £14, 1 May, 1774. He and wife Mary granted to his son Daniel one-third of Lot 32, supposed to contain 167 acres, 4 March, 1774; acknowledged 2 Oct., 1793; recorded 17 Jan., 1794. Lease 1 May, 1774, Walter Franklin of New York, merchant, to Elisha Smith of Oblong Farm, south half of Lot 70, rent £14, Signed, Nehemiah Merritt in behalf of Franklin (original with Richard P. Merritt of Brooklyn). On a committee to visit Quaker slaveholders, 14 Aug., 1776. Had an attack of numb palsy, 25 June, 1786. Gave deeds of one-half of Lot 103, on north side of town plot at Queensbury to his grandson Benjamin, and one-half to his grandson Jacob, 10 and 18 Sept., 1792. Granted to his son Daniel, one-half of Lots 33, 39 and 76 of 125 acres each at Queensbury, 21 Sept., 1792. Conveyed to Daniel the remainder of Lot 32, being 333 acres in the Oblong, for £1250, 4 April, 1793; recorded 20 Jan., 1794 (Lib. 19, p. 122). This was given in consideration of the payment of all Nehemiah's debts, 25 May, 1790; recorded 25 March, 1805. He was buried in Quaker Hill Cemetery. Also second wife Mary.

#### Children:

Daniel<sup>4</sup>, born 23 July, 1738, died 25 May, 1805. Nehemiah, born 14 Jan., 1740, died Sept., 1793. Anna, born 19 Sept., 1742, died 22 Nov., 1760; killed by lightning. Ichabod, born 10 Sept., 1744, died

3. THOMAS<sup>3</sup>, son of Thomas<sup>2</sup>, married Elizabeth, daughter of . Overseer of roads at White Plains, 1739. He and wife Elizabeth sold 53 acres at White Plains to Monmouth Hart for £285, 17 June, 1740. Caleb Hyatt and Jane Merritt witnesses. Thomas Merritt of Phillipsburg, gent., sold to Edward Merritt, of same place, gent., for £3 25 Jan., 1742, three-quarters of an acre at Rye, bounded easterly by land of Edward Merritt, southerly by land of John Disbrow and westerly by the road; also all right to land given by Thomas Merritt, deceased, to his son Edward. Recorded 22 Jan., 1767, the grantor being dead. Bought a farm of 54 acres at Rye for £369, from John and Stephen Stoakham, 15 Nov., 1755, called of King St. Children:

Probably Thomas, born 24 April, 1736.

EDWARD<sup>3</sup>, son of Thomas<sup>2</sup>, married

I March, 1743, 6 acres received from his father Thomas Merritt, Jr., including land bought of his brother, Thomas. Bought 8 acres and house near the church at Rye from Benjamin Brown, Jr., for £300, 24 March, 1749. Recorded 15 July, 1769. Executor of John Sutton, 9 Dec., 1752. Was living at Mamaroneck and owned one male slave in 1755. Bought 40 acres at Mamaroneck from Anne de Lancey for £400, 20 June, 1760. Bought 8 acres adjoining this land from William Sutton for £59, 8 Aug., 1767. Daniel Brown mortgaged land to him, 14 April, 1768. Paid 13 March, 1776. Witness to Will of James Horton, 14 Jan, 1781. Signed protest against Rebellion at White Plains, 13 April, 1775. Mortgaged land to Robert Bloomer, 11 Feb., 1786. Made his Will, 20 June, 1789; proved 6 April, 1791. Gave to his grandsons, Edward and John, all the farm on which his son John now lives, on condition that they pay John £400, when the grandson John is age; gave to his son Edward the remainder of his lands; to his daughter Hannah, £250, also £300 to purchase land for her benefit. To his grandson Edward, £100. Executor, son Edward.

Children:

Edward<sup>4</sup>, born 4 June, 1753, died 14 Nov., 1803.

John, born , died Hannah, born , died

JOHN3, son of Thomas2, married Mary, daughter of Brundage. Mentioned 1721. Living in King St., Rye, 1727. Made his Will 1 July, 1753; proved 20 Aug., 1753 (New York, Lib. 18, p. 374). Appoints as a burial place, a half acre lot on the south side of King St., where some of his children are already buried; one-third of estate to wife Mary; to son Daniel, £160, already lent him; to son Calcb, land at Greenwich and 28 acres at Rye; to son Nathan, lands at Greenwich; to sons Nathan and Thomas lands at Rye. Thomas, when 25, to pay John £50; to son John £200; to daughters Phebe, Amy and Ruth, £30 each; remainder to daughters Mary and Hannah. Executors, Caleb, Nathan and son-in-law, Reuben Green. His wife Mary made her Will 9 Sept., 1757; proved 2 Nov., 1757 (N. Y., Lib. 20, p. 393). Bought land at Greenwich from Elizabeth Haight, 30 Dec., 1736.

; mar. Major Bazaleel Howe.

#### Children:

Daniel\*, born , died 16 July, 1799. Caleb, born 1710, died 20 July, 1722, died 28 Jan., 1813. Nathan, born John, born 19 Feb., 1740, died 23 Jan., 1816, or 27 Sept., 1798. Thomas, born 16 Sept., 1731, died , 1783. 19 Sept., 1734, died ; mar. Reuben Green. Mary, born Hannah, born ; mar. Samuel Pine. 11 Apr., 1725, died Phebe, born 1714, died Amy, born 24 Apr., 1730, died 17 Dec., 1805; mar. Samuel Brown. 1717, died Ruth, born ; mar. Solomon Purdy, Jr. Sarah, born 21 Dec., 1720, died ; mar. James Pine.

BENONI<sup>3</sup>, son of Thomas<sup>2</sup>, married Mary, daughter of . Sold land to John Merritt, 14 May, 1720. Bought 200 acres in Forcaneers West Patent from Richard Cornell for £135, 4 May, 1724; recorded 1742. Signed petition of Presbyterians to the Governor of Connecticut, 11 May, 1727, and a second petition, 6 Oct., 1627. He was a merchant of Oyster Bay in 1737, and sold his house and 16 acres on the country road at Rye. Sold lands to Solomon Purdy and Gilbert Bloomer, 22 May, 1738. Gave Jonathan Brundage a power of attorney to sell the 200 acres of Forcaneers, 5 Dec., 1745. Owned land adjoining Nehemiah Purdy, 20 April, 1747. He is probably the same as Benjamin Merritt of Rye. His wife Mary appears, 1 May, 1749.

Children:

Solomon\*, born , died

WILLIAM<sup>3</sup>, son of Samuel<sup>2</sup>, married Tamer, daughter of . He bought 100 acres in Harrison's Purchase on the White Plains Road from Joseph Haight for £200, 19 Feb., 1739 (White Plains, Lib. A). Executor of Nehemiah Palmer 18 July, 1760 (Lib. I). He and his wife mortgaged land to Job Hadden and Isaac Merritt for £628, 25 July, 1764. They sold 100 acres near Underhill Merritt's land to Alexander Haines for £687, 14 Oct., 1765 (White Plains, Lib. I, p. 193).

Children:

Joseph<sup>4</sup>, born 1734, died 3 Sept., 1793. Elisha, born 1740, died

Who were Isaac and Underhill Merritt?

GEORGE<sup>3</sup>, son of Samuel<sup>2</sup>, born 23 April, 1702 or 1711; died 2 Feb., 1759, married Glorianna, daughter of Samuel Purdy and Penelope Strang of Rye. She was born 31 March, 1715; died 13 Sept., 1765. He bought 100 acres north of his brother William's land at White Plains for £200, 19 Feb., 1739. Moved to Newburgh about 1747. He and Francis Purdy bought 1200 acres near Newburgh from William Campbell for £750, 28 March, 1750. Sold 17½ acres at White Plains to Caleb Hyatt for £240, 27 April, 1750 (Kingston Lib. FF. p. 31). Made his will 5 Jan., 1759; proved 23 March, 1759. Gave to his wife £25 and maintenance; to son Caleb, 83 acres on north side of homestead, and all lands at White

Plains inherited from grandfather Humphrey Underhill; to son Humphrey, 100 on west end of homestead; to son Samuel, too acres adjoining Humphreys; to son George 100 acres adjoining; to sons Gabriel and David, all remainder of homestead; to son Josiah, any remaining land in Ulster Co. allotment. The other sons to pay £10 each to Josiah when he is twenty-three. Land from his father at White Plains to be sold and proceeds given to daughters Elizabeth, Glorande and Jane. Executors, wife Glorande, Samuel Fowler and son Humphrey. Witness, Thomas Merritt of Ulster Co., miller (New York, book 21, p. 256). He and wife were buried in Old Town Cemetery, Newburgh.

Who was Thomas Merritt, miller?

Caleb\*, born 28 Feb., 1735, died 29 Nov., 1793. Elizabeth, born 13 Feb., 1733, died Humphrey, b. 17 May, 1737, died Samuel, born 22 April, 1739, died 6 Dec., 1811. 26 May, 1741, died 10 July, 1822. George, born 1 May, 1744, died 5 Jan., 1776. Gabriel, born ; mar. Joseph Morey. 11 Oct., 1745, died Glorianna, b. 25 Sept., 1747, died 2 Mar., 1807; mar. Morris Flewelling. Jane, born 31 Dec., 1749, died 27 Dec., 1817. 15 Nov., 1752, died 12 Mar., 1817. David, born Josiah, born

DAVID3, son of Samuel2, born , died , 1751, married Jane, Bought 122 acres at White Plains from Joseph daughter of Budd for £384, 6 Oct., 1742. Sold land to Isaac Oakley for £457, 12 April, 1745. Made his will 26 June, 1751; proved 25 July, 1751. Gave personalty to wife Jane and only child Mary, and to David and Jane, children of George Merritt and Elisha, son of William Merritt. Executors, wife Jane, brother George, and Elisha Budd (New York, Lib. 17, p. 408). Child:

Mary<sup>4</sup>, born . died

- 4. JOHN4 MERRITT, son of John3, married (?) Called junior 1732. Bought land at Hog-pen Ridge from John and Rebecca Purdy, 21 March, 1748. Mortgaged 200 acres part of Farm 76 to Rogers Morris of New York for £150; 26 May, 1772, recorded 10 June, 1772, not cancelled (Lib. 3, p. 158). The commissioners of Forfeiture sold to John Merritt 94½ acres in Fredericksburgh for £47 5s., former owner Roger Morris, 22 April, 1787 (Carmel and Kent, Putnam Co.). John Merritt of Duchess Co. mortgaged lot 7 of 95 acres at Cortland to Zebediah Dickenson 7 April, 1787, paid in 1790 (White Plains). Children:
- JONATHAN<sup>4</sup> MERRITT, son of Jonathan<sup>3</sup>, married Elizabeth, daughter of His father sold him his house and 20 acres between Byram River Harbor and the street in 1748. He and wife Elizabeth sold this land to Samuel Lyon, 13 Feb., 1751. Sold Fox Island to Samuel Lyon 1753. Lived in Hog-pen Ridge 1757. In Rye militia 1758, aged 48. In Capt. Haight's Co. of Westchester Co., 50 years, 6 feet, 5 April, 1762 (Military Records of N. Y. State). Children:

Jonathan<sup>5</sup>, born 1735, died

JOHN4 MERRITT, son of Jonathan3, married (?) Sold part of his father's estate to Samuel Lyon 1750. Children (?)

ANDREW4 MERRITT, son of Andrew3, married Mary, daughter of Called captain 1749-1760. Lived in Grace Church St. 1757. Had land next to Nathan Kniffen 1761. Churchwarden, 21 Feb., 1763. Signed protest against Rebellion 13 Oct., 1774. In 4th Regiment, Westchester Co. militia, 1776. He and others petitioned for 7,000 acres of land at Mamakating, Ulster Co., 17 Aug., 1790. 200 acres granted him 10 Sept., 1791.

#### Children:

Andrews, born 8 May, 1744, died

Sylvanus, born 28 Apr., 1745.

or 8 May, 1748, died 20 June, 1833.

Shubel, born 1 Nov., 1746, died 28 Aug., 1751, died 27 Feb., 1755, died 28 Dec., 1757, died

Robert, born 26 Nov., 1771, died

GILBERT<sup>4</sup> MERRITT, son of Andrew<sup>3</sup>, married Hannah, daughter of Daniel Lyon of Greenwich. Justice 1772, 1774, 1776. Signed protest against Rebellion 1775. Made his Will 20 Dec., 1782; proved 14 April, 1785; mentions wife Hannah, sons Daniel and Gilbert, daughter Sarah Carpenter, brother Robert and sister Rachel Miller; prohibits his sons from marrying a certain Mary Seaman (New York, Lib. 37, p. 473).

#### Children:

Daniel<sup>3</sup>, born 1749, died 1810. Gilbert, born 1753, died 2 Feb., 1823.

Sarah, born 1751, died 1847; mar. Daniel Carpenter.

ROBERT<sup>4</sup> MERRITT, son of Andrew<sup>3</sup>, married Phebe, daughter of She was born 27 June, 1734, died 18 Jan., 1817. Lived in the house lately Isaac Carpenter's. Member of Presbyterian Church 1790. Trustee 1795. Signed protest against Rebellion, 24 Sept., 1775. Made his Will, 3 Jan., 1817; proved 26 Feb., 1817; leaves his wife Phebe to the care of son Robert and wife; gives £100 each to daughter Rebecca, wife of Jonathan Merritt, Phebe wife of Andrew Purdy and Rachel-wife of Elias Purdy; household furniture to be divided amongst them, to his son Robert his "grate chest," wearing apparel and remains of personal property; executor Robert Merritt, Jr. Tombstone in Lyons point graveyard.

#### Children:

Rebecca<sup>5</sup>, born 15 Aug., 1757, died ; mar. Jonathan Merritt. Israel, born 4 Dec., 1759, died 22 Dec., 1777.

John, born 26 Dec., 1761, died Phebe, born 4 June, 1766, died ; mar. Andrew Purdy. Rachel, born 26 July, 1769, died ; mar. Elias Purdy.

NEHEMIAH<sup>4</sup> MERRITT, son of Andrew<sup>3</sup>, married Prudence, daughter of Mortgaged 43 acres to Jacob Mott of Oyster Bay, 8 Apr., 1775, paid 1798. Mortgaged 26 acres at Rye to John Park, 7 May, 1796, paid 1798 (White Plains, Lib. C and F). Made his Will 10 May, 1815; proved 21 May, 1817, to wife Prudence the household furniture she brought him; also interest on \$500, while she remains a widow; son Nathaniel \$7.50, Nehemiah \$3.75, Andrew \$3.75, daughter Deborah, wife of James Sutton, \$3.75; daughter Hannah, wife of Solomon Haines, \$500, grandson Samuel Merritt \$1, granddaughters Phebe and Ruth, daughters of John and Amy Ferris, \$1 each; after wife's death Nathaniel and Hannah to have the \$500, executor Nath. Merritt and Solomon Haines. Buried at Lyons Point.

#### Children:

Nathaniel<sup>5</sup>, b. 19 Oct., 1757, died 5 July, 1823.

Hannah, born , died ; mar. Solomon Haines.

Nehemiah, born , died ; mar. James Sutton. Andrew, born , died ; mar. James Sutton.

Amy, born , died ; mar. John Ferris.

DANIEL\*, son of Joseph\*, married perhaps Abigail, daughter of Thomas Lyon and Phebe Vowles. He was called the eldest son of Joseph and sued for trespass by Joseph Wilson, 21 Jan., 1758.

JOSEPH<sup>4</sup>, son of Joseph<sup>3</sup>, married Ruth, daughter of Sniffen. She was born 3 June, 1737. He served in the Rye Militia in 1758, cooper, 5 ft. 10, Capt.

Bloomer's Co., 26 Feb., 1759 (New York Mil. Rec.). Then said to be 24 years old (he should have been 27). Bought 200 acres, Lot 4, part of Farm 76, 18 Sept., 1771. In 1772 Joseph Merritt gave a deed to Roger Morris. He sold 200 acres at Rye to Ebenezer Boyd for £1200, 10 Feb., 1781, and sold him 204 acres in Fredericksburgh, Dutchess County, for £220, 15 Feb., 1781. Recorded Feb., 1784. Joseph Merritt of Capt. Brinkerhoff's Company, 2d Regiment of Dutchess County, had not signed the Association for Rebellion, 15 Aug., 1775. Made his Will 26 April, 1782. Proved 1 Nov., 1783 (New York, Lib. 36, p. 182). Left his wife Ruth the use of his estate for herself and minor children; to daughter Ann £60; residue to be divided among children Nehemiah, Daniel, Jotham, John and Lot. Executors, wife, Samuel Brown and Joseph Carpenter. His wife made her Will 18 Oct., 1809. Proved 22 May, 1822 (White Plains, Lib. T, p. 295). Children:

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Joseph<sup>a</sup>, born 15 Feb., 1753, died
Nehemiah, born 31 Mar., 1756, died
                                             , 1830.
Joseph, born
               12 Oct., 1760, died
Daniel, born
                 3 June, 1764, died
                                     7 June, 1836.
Anna, born
                20 June, 1766, died
                                                   ; mar. Nathaniel Brown.
Sarah, born
                14 May, 1768, died
Jotham, born
                19 Jan., 1771, died 26 Aug., 1822.
John, born
                 4 Apr., 1772, died
                 2 Mar., 1774, died 18 Sept., 1854.
Lot, born
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DANIEL<sup>4</sup>, son of Nehemiah<sup>3</sup>, married Hannah daughter of Abraham Wing and Anstis Wood, 23 Dec., 1761. She was born 28 Dec., 1745. Married 2d, Sarah, daughter of Michael Mudge and Sarah Hopkins, 1 Oct., 1765. She was born 17 April, 1746, died 13 May, 1833. He had a mortgage on land adjoining his at Rye from Marmaduke Palmer, 21 May, 1762. Paid 24 May, 1764 (White Plains, Lib. ). Had a shop at the Oblong with Nehemiah in 1762. A Proprietor of Queensbury, 1763. Owned 125 acres there. Also Lots 92, 354 Delaware St., 225 Hartford St., 51 Hudson St., 200 Market St., 101 and 305 Union St., 75 York St. He was clerk of the Oblong Meeting, 1781. Stephen Taff of Pawlings mortgaged a grist mill and one acre to Daniel Merritt of Pawlings and John Tallman of Flushing for £304, 21 Nov., 1786. Recorded 4 Jan., 1789 (Lib. 4, p. 418). Samuel and Ann Hoag of the Oblong sold him 1 acre in Lot 30 for £20, 6 June, 1787. Recorded 30 April. Jacob Arnold of Pawlings mortgaged 259 acres to Daniel Merritt and Edward Prior for \$3000, 5 Oct., 1790. Cancelled 29 Mar., 1793 (Lib. 6, p. 62). Stephen Lapham sold him half of Lots 32, 33 and 76 at Queensbury for 5 shillings 28 Sept., 1796. Nehemiah Merritt, witness. Made his Will 23 Nov., 1804. Proved 19 June, 1805 (Poughkeepsie, Lib. B, p. 529). Left his wife Sarah 30 acres of the farm on which his son Daniel and daughter Mary Searing live; also \$900; to sons Michael and Nehemiah \$2500 each; to John a house, to John, David and Daniel, 625 acres; to daughter Mary Searing \$800; to daughter Sarah Merritt \$1250. His wife made her Will, 4 June, 1833. Proved 16 July, 1833. He was buried in Quaker Hill Cemetery. Also 2nd wife Sarah. Children:

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William Pitt5.
            born 1 Aug., 1766, died 22 Sept., 1794.
Michael Mudge,
           born 31 May, 1768, died 8 June, 1822.
                                         3 Nov., 1849; mar. John Searing.
                  27 May, 1770, died
Mary, born
Nehemiah, born 26 Apr., 1772, died 10 Mar., 1863.
                   5 June, 1774, died 9 June, 1858.
John, born
                  14 June, 1776, died 17 Sept., 1794; unmarried.
Phebe, born
                  26 Jan., 1779, died 31 Jan., 1840.
30 Jan., 1781, died 26 Nov., 1844.
David, born
Daniel, born
                  7 June, 1783, died 16 Nov., 1794; unmarried.
15 Mar., 1788, died 30 Nov., 1817; mar. Albro Aiken.
Anne, born
Sarah, born
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NEHEMIAH<sup>4</sup>, son of Nehemiah<sup>3</sup>, married 25 June, 1760, Phebe, daughter of Abraham Wing and Anstis Wood, at Quaker Hill, N. Y. She was born 22 Feb., 1743; died 19 Mar., 1819, at Troy. He was of Beekman and had a deed from John Page of part of the Page Grant between Fort Edward and Lake George

(Queensbury), 25 June, 1762. Gave deed of lots at Queensbury to his brother Daniel, 13 Jan., 1763. Had deed from Abraham Wing of Lot No. 1, 10 acres, at Queensbury, 14 Mar., 1767. Requested to come under care of Nine Partners Meeting, 1776. Had deed from Edward Palmer of part of Lot 25 in Nine Partners, 125 acres, for £1400, 21 Mar., 1781. Had deed from J. Allen of 40 acres at Millbrook for £200, 1786. Appointed on committee to raise funds for White Creek Meeting House, 1786. He writes from Nine Partners to his father and mother, 19 May, 1786, that he will give the five acres of land desired for a meeting house lot. Mortgaged land to the loan officers of the country for \$60, 22 Aug., 1786. Paid interest on 3 July, 1787. Interest after that date paid by Thomas Poole. Had deed from Nathaniel Platt of 53 acres at Millbrook for £30, 22 May, 1789. Nehemiah Merritt, Jr., merchant, of Washington Township, sold to Consider Merritt about 53 acres in Great Nine Partners for £300, 8 Oct., 1790; acknowledged by witness, 17 May, 1794; recorded 9 July, 1796, Pough-keepsie (Lib. 14, p. 206). (This land is at Millbrook, now owned by Stephen H. Merritt). From Nine Partners Meeting to Saratoga Meeting 26 Mar., 1793; acknowledged at Saratoga, May, 1793. "Phebe Merritt, wife of Nehemiah, having removed with her husband and family to Queensbury within your meeting requests a certificate for herself and daughters Mary and Ruth." Ditto 11 Sept., 1793; acknowledged Jan., 1794. "Benjamin Merritt, son of Nehemiah, a youth and member of this meeting, having removed with his father to your parts, etc." Saratoga Meeting to Nine Partners Meeting, 16 May, 1794. "Certificate of removal is granted Phebe Merritt and her daughters Mary and Ruth." It is said that Nehemiah and his wife died of bilious colic.

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Abraham<sup>5</sup>, b.
                     11 May, 1761, died
Anna, born
                     21 Aug., 1762, died
                                                                   ; mar. Edward Brundage.
Daniel, born
                     23 Feb., 1765, died 9 May, 1830.
Consider Morgan,
              born 18 May, 1766, died 12 May, 1802.
                      25 Feb., 1768, died 25 Feb., 1848.
Isaac, born
Hannah, born
                     20 Nov., 1769, died
                                                                   ; mar. Isaac Thorne.
Sarah, born
                     21 Apr., 1771, died
Jacob, born 1 Sept., 1773, died 1 Nov., 1848.
Mary, born 12 May, 1775, died ; mar. Joseph Potter.
Benjamin, born 21 June, 1777, died 4 July, 1854.
Ruth, born 5 Aug., 1779, died 14 Oct., 1849; mar. Joseph Brintnall.
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# VERBATIM COPY TAKEN FROM RECORDS OF OBLONG MONTHLY MEETING OF THE "SOCIETY OF FRIENDS."

Whereas, Nehemiah Merritt, Gent., the son of Nehemiah Merritt and Dinah his Wife Deceased, & Phebe Wing, the daughter of Abraham Wing & Anstice his wife both of Oblong in Dutchess County & Province of New York having declared their intention of taking each other in marriage before several Monthly Meetings of The People called Quakers at Oblong & Nine Partners, according to the good order used amongst them, & proceding Therein after deliberate consideration thereof with regard to the Righteous Law of God in that case, They also appearing clear of all other engagements and having consent of Parents & others concerned therein, their Marriage was allowed by Said Meeting.

Now, these are to certify all whom it may concern that, for the full accomplishment of their said Marriage this 25th day of the Sixth Month Seventeen Hun-

dred and Sixty, they, the said Nehemiah Merritt & Phebe Wing appeared in a Public Meeting of the aforesaid People & others, met together at their Meeting House on the Oblong, and in a solemn Manner, he, the said Nehemiah Merritt, standing up, & taking the s'd Phebe Wing by the hand, did openly declare as follows: "Friends, I desire you to be my witnesses that I take this my friend Phebe Wing to be my Wife, promising, by the Lord's assistance to be unto her a true & loving Husband until it shall please God by death to separate us, & then & there in the same assembly the s'd Phebe Wing did in like manner openly declare as follows: Friends, I desire you to be my Witnesses that I take this my friend Nehemiah Merritt to be my Husband, promising by the Lord's assistance to be unto him a true & loving Wife until it shall please God by death to separate us.

And as a further Confirmation thereof, they, the s'd Nehemiah Merritt & Phebe

Wing, did to these presents set their hands.

NEHEMIAH MERRITT, PHEBE MERRITT.

She according to the custom of marriage assuming the name of her husband

And we whose names are underwritten being present amongst others, at the solemnization of their s'd Marriage and subscription aforesaid, as witnesses thereunto, have also to these presents set our names the day and year above written.

Samuel Russoll	Daniel Chase	Mary Merritt
Phebe Ferriss	George Soule	Edward Wing
Mary Chase	Nehemiah Merritt	Daniel Merritt
Sarah Akin	Reed Ferriss	Benjamin Ferris, Junr.
Hannah Wing	Elsie Soule	Abraham Wing
Sarah Ferriss	Annie Ferriss	Anne Merritt
Sarah Miles	John Tripp	Sarah Wing
Isaac Haviland	Nathaniel Stevenson	& divers more, &c.
Israel Howland	Abraham Thomas	·

ICHABOD<sup>4</sup>, son of Nehemiah<sup>2</sup>, married Sarah, daughter of Abraham Wing and Anstis Wood, 8 Feb., 1764. She was born 7 Dec., 1743. Married 2d, Ruth, daughter of Abner White and widow of Doty. He built the first house in Queensbury; it was near the Half Way Brook and was burned during Burgoyne's advance. Had deed from John Page of 1-44 part of Page grant at Queensbury, 23 June, 1762. At Beekman, 1762. He joined in deed of lots to Daniel, 13 Jan., 1763. Assessor 1766-70. Collector 1766-73. Owned one lot and 150 acres in 1791. Removed with his family to Duchess County, about 1777. Moved from Oblong to Nine Partners, 1784. Owned 150 acres at Queensbury, 1791. Ichabod Merritt and wife Ruth of Washington mortgaged 107 acres to Thomas Doty for 10 shillings, 14 Dec., 1795. Recorded 7 Sept., 1802 (Poughkeepsie, Lib. 9, p. 222). He mortgaged 123 acres at Nine Partners to Benjamin Delavergne for £54, 1 May, 1796. Was living 1826.

### Children:

Joseph<sup>5</sup>, born 17 Dec., 1766, died 15 Nov., 1826. Deborah, born , died 6 Mar., 1820; unmarried.

Mary, born , died ; mar. Amos Palmer, 1797.

We the heirs of Nehemiah Merritt, Deceased, Daniel and Ichabod Merritt and Phebe Merritt, widow of Nehemiah Merritt, Jr., Deceased, who appears on behalf of the said Nehemiah Merritt, Jrs., heirs, this first day of Ninth Month 1794, have met at the house of our deceased father, and with the assistance of Samuel Hoag & Wing Kelly have divided all the household goods equally to our full satisfaction; therefore we hereby fully discharge each other from all demands or further divisions hereafter, and hereunto interchangeably set our hands and seals the day and year above written.

(Signed) DANIEL MERRITT (Seal)
his
ICHABOD + MERRITT (Seal)
mark
PHEBE MERRITT (Seal)

WING KILLEY SAMUEL HOAG

(Copy of paper found at Quaker Hill.)

4. THOMAS\* MERRITT, probably son of Thomas\*, married Amy, daughter of Capt. John Purdy and Rebecca Brown. She was born 2 Nov., 1739. Living at Rye 1768. Mortgaged his homestead of 50 acres at Rye to Samuel Brown for £200, 23 April, 1770 (White Plains, Lib. K). He signed the protest against Rebellion, 13 April, 1775. Gave a bond to Nathan Merritt for £160, 15 May, 1775 (on 6 Aug., 1798, Nathan assigned it to his sons Nathan and James, saying Thomas had gone over to the enemy and his land was confiscated). He emigrated to St. John, N. B., with his sons David, Daniel and Nehemiah in 1782. Died at St. John 23 March, 1821, aged 91 years 11 months and 11 days. Buried in King St. Cemetery.

#### Children:

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Thomas<sup>5</sup>, born 28 Oct., 1759, died 12 May, 1842.
Shubael, born 4 Jan., 1762, died Apr., 1783.
David Daniel,
born 28 Nov., 1764, died 14 June, 1829.
John, born 4 May, 1766, died , 1795.
Phebe, born 22 July, 1768, died 31 May, 1855; mar. Benj. Woolsey Lyons.
Nehemiah, born 1 Dec., 1770, died 25 May, 1842.
William, born 22 Oct., 1775, died 30 Mar., 1840.
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EDWARD\*, son of Edward\*, married Jane, daughter of Griffin. He had a mortgage from Reuben Bloomer in 1787 (White Plains, Lib. D. p. 8). He and wife Jane sold 10 acres at Mamaroneck to Andrew Gale for £250, 1 April, 1798 (Lib. M., p. 192). Supervisor for Mamaroneck, 6 Oct., 1801. On committee to examine assessments, 1802. Bought 43 acres and 30 acres at Mamaroneck adjoining his land and formerly the property of William Lounsbury from Reuben Bloomer for £500, 26 Oct., 1784. Recorded 9 June, 1708. Witness John Merritt. Made his will 30 Oct., 1803. Proved 22 Nov., 1803 (White Plains, Lib. F). Left to his wife Jenny his large bay mare, riding chair, large looking glass and negro girl Grace, also furniture and farm tools, which are to be divided between his wife and his three sons, Henry, Edward and Gilbert, when Gilbert is of age; the cattle to be sold for wife and sons; to Edward his desk, four silver table spoons and his riding bay mare; to Gilbert his large copper kettle, four silver table spoons and his riding bay mare; to Henry a certain portion of the farm; to Edward and Gilbert other portions; his wife and Henry to have the use of all the land until youngest son is of age; the stone house and dock at Mamaroneck landing to be sold to Robert for \$250, provided he will pay a debt to Edward Thorne; executors to see that Robert does not waste the principal or interest; to his wife \$1000, to be paid by Henry from his lands; on her death one-quarter of this sum to Cornelius and John Edward, sons of Robert, and three-quarters to Henry, Edward and Gilbert. Edward and Gilbert to be bound out to learn trades; to each son \$125; to Henry his negro boy Charles; to Edward and Gilbert his negroes Tudor and Lucy; executors wife and trusty friend John Guion.

#### Children:

Robert <sup>a</sup> , born	1781, died	
Henry, born	1787, died	
Edward, born	1791, died	•
Gilbert, born	1793. died	. 1843.

A Portchester resurrectionist gave me the following:

"An old grave stone stands alone near the road known as Grand Park, with the following inscription:

"In Memory of Edward Merritt, who died 1803, aged 56 years.

To honest men with care this stone defend For he who lays beneath was once your friend By fates decree he moulders in this spot Years may roll on, but mer(rits) neer forgot."

JOHN<sup>4</sup>, son of Edward<sup>3</sup>, married
. He was a merchant
mariner. Mortgaged land to Giles Seaman, 25 Oct., 1787 (White Plains, Lib.
D, p. 69). Mortgaged the land bought of William Sutton, 9 April, 1775, to Gilbert Budd, Jr., 12 Aug., 1789 (Lib. D, p. 221). Living on his father's farm in
1789 when the latter's will was made.

Child:

John<sup>5</sup>, born

, died

DANIEL\*, son of John³, married . Lived at Harrison. Bought 122 acres at White Plains for £384 from Joseph Budd, 6 Oct., 1742 (Lib. C). Bought 130 acres at Brants Point for £600 from Anthony Hill, 14 Dec., 1749 (Lib. C, 247). Bought land from Wm. Horton and wife, 12 May, 1757 (Lib. D, 116). Made his will 1 Dec., 1797. Proved 20 July, 1799 (White Plains, Lib. I). Left to his son Caleb all the land bought of Anthony Hill and all the buildings except the east room and chamber overhead and 20 acres for his daughter Amy until her marriage or death. To his son James the lands bought of William Horton and Marmaduke Palmer, for which he shall pay £100 to grandson Elijah Anderson; to grandson John, son of Daniel, deceased, £100 when of age; to Amy a good horse and saddle and one-half of personalty, the other half to Mary and Hannah; out of personal estate to take negro slaves not disposed of. Executors, Caleb and Barek Prior.

#### Children:

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Caleb<sup>5</sup>, born
Daniel, born
                                , died
                                                 . 1825.
                                , died
                                , died
James, born
                                , died
Amy, born
                                                 , 1832; mar.
                                                                     Maybee.
                                , died
                                                        ; mar. Samuel Hynard.
Mary, born
                                , died
Hannah, born
                                                                       Seymour.
                                                        : mar.
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CALEB\*, son of John3, married Deborah, daughter of Gilbert Lyon, 20 April, 1738. Gave a demand note for £6 to John Merrit of Rye, Jan., 1746. Made his Will 15 Jan., 1779. Proved 29 Aug., 1780 (New York, Lib. 33, p. 181). Left his wife two-thirds of his land and £30; to Mary £15; to Esther £15; to Rachel, youngest, £45; remainder to Hannah, Elizabeth, Mary, Esther and Rachel; to Sylvanus one-third of land when of age; to Caleb £5; executors, wife, Caleb and Benjamin Hall. Died at Greenwich, Conn. Bought land at Greenwich from John Merritt, 16 Dec., 1741.

#### Children:

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Calebs, born
                  4 Feb., 1739, died
Daniel, born
                 14 Aug., 1742, died 15 July, 1782.
Reuben, born 6 June, 1745, died
Hannah, born 29 Mar., 1748, died
                                              , 1821.
                                                     ; mar.
                                                                    Lyon.
Elizabeth, born 2 Feb., 1750, died 12 Feb., 1846; mar. James Hall.
                                                    ; mar. Othniel Sands.
                 25 Nov., 1753, died
Mary, born
Esther, born
                 22 Nov., 1787, died
Sylvanus, born 16 Aug., 1758, died
                 20 Aug., 1760, died
                                                     ; mar. Thomas Sands.
Rachel, born
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NATHAN4, son of John3, married Dinah, daughter of Tucker. She was born , 1723, died 29 May, 1810, lived at Greenwich. Sold 28 acres at Greenwich left him by his father to his brother Caleb, 10 Dec., 1759. Administrator of Caleb Jordan, Oct., 1774. He and wife sold to sons Nathan and James a farm of 73 acres at Rye, on King St., adjoining land of James Pine, formerly of Thomas Merritt, for £250, 8 Sept., 1791. Dinah signs her mark. Joseph Merritt, witness. Recorded 26 April, 1790 (White Plains, Lib. M. p. 204). He had a bond from Thomas Merritt of Rye for £160, 15 May, 1775, Nathan being bound for the sole debt of Thomas, with Thomas to Amy Haines of Rye for £180. If Thomas pay £40 then Nathan is free. Nathan Merritt, witness (Original with Benj. E. Merritt of New Castle). As Thomas left the country Nathan had to pay the bond of £20 to Jeremiah Anderson to Amy Haines and assigned the claim to his sons Nathan and James, 6 Aug., 1798. Children:

John<sup>5</sup>, born , died Nathan, born 10 May, 1757, died 17 Jan., 1831. Joseph, born 11 Dec., 1759, died 15 Dec., 1809. Jotham, born 24 May, 1768, died 14 Feb., 1814. James, born 10 Dec., 1764, died 4 Jan., 1801.

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Benjamin, born
                                     died
                              , 1748, died
     Deborah, born
                                                          ; mar.
                                                                          Reynolds.
                                    , died
     Amy, born
                                                          ; mar.
                                                                          Baker.
                                    , died
     Mary, born
                                                          : mar.
                                                                          Manny.
     Ruth, born
                                    , died
                                                          ; mar. Thomas Wilson.
JOHN4, son of John3, married Mary Miller (?). John Merritt in 2nd Regt., West.
   Co. Col. Thomas (New York in Rev.).
   Children (?)
THOMAS4, son of Johna, married
                                                         Made his Will 14 April, 1782.
   Proved 2 March, 1783 (New York, Lib.
                                                     ). Left half of his New Marlbor-
   ough land to Thomas and half to James; to Joseph land at Fishkill and £50; to
   Anderson and Jeremiah £100 each in lieu of land at North Castle to be sold;
   mentions two daughters. Died at North Castle.
   Children:
     Thomas<sup>5</sup>, born
                                    , dicd
     James, born
                                    , died
     Joseph, born
                                    , died
     Anderson, born
                                    , died
     Jeremiah, born 30 Apr., 1749, died 1 Mar., 1829.
                                   , died
                                                          ; mar. William Kipp.
     Mary, born
                                    , died
                                                          ; mar. Stevenson Thorne.
     Prudence, born
PHEBE4, daughter of John3, unmarried. Made her Will 4 Mar., 1795. Proved
            . Left £20 out of bonds and notes to nephew Nehemiah Brown; residue
   to Nehemiah and Merritt Brown; to Charity Brown, granddaughter of Samuel
   Brown, one long chintz gown and one gold ring; to Polly Brown, daughter of
   John Brown, one long chintz gown; to Elizabeth Brown, daughter of John, one
   calico gown and one gold ring; to John Brown a pair of silver shoe buckles; all
   residue to her sisters Amy Brown and Ruth Purdy and Hannah Pine, grand-
   daughter of her sister Hannah. Executors John Brown and Nehemiah Brown.
SOLOMON<sup>4</sup>, son of Benoni<sup>3</sup>, married
                                                 Lyon of Weaver St., Ryc. In jail at
   Westchester for debt.
   Children:
                     19 Oct., 1761, died 19 Apr., 1832.
, 1768, died 17 Sept., 1841.
     Adam<sup>5</sup>, born
     John, born
                      28 Mar., 1772, died 14 Dec., 1844.
     Daniel, born
                                   , died
     Abraham, born
                                    , died
     Jesse, born
                                    , died
     Mary, born
                                                          ; mar. John Lyon Jan., 1781.
                                   , died
     Ann, born
                                                          ; mar. Elnalkan Mead.
                                    , died
     Dorothy, born
                                                          ; mar.
                                                                         Smith.
     Ruth, born
                                    , died
                                                          ; mar. Daniel Townsend.
JOSEPH4, son of William3, married Hannah, daughter of Joshua Brondige and
  widow of Stephen Stoakham. She was born 2 May, 1733, and died 25 Mar., 1818. He was in the Rye Militia in 1758. Cooper, aged 22, height 5 ft. 9, White Plains, 24 Mar., 1758 (N. Y. Mil. Rec.). Joseph Merritt and wife Hannah of Bedford, mortgaged land to Benjamin Clapp, 2 Nov., 1774 (White Plains, Lib. C, p. 3).
  He left his property to Stephen Stoakham, Jr., who left it to Daniel S. Merritt.
  Children:
    Joshua<sup>5</sup>, born
                                                   , 1820.
                                    . died
     Sarah, born
                     18 May, 1762, died
                                                         ; mar.
                                                                         Mead.
    David, born
                     31 Jan., 1764, died
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27 Apr., 1774, died 13 Apr., 1813.

, died

died

5 Mar., 1817.

Abraham, born 16 Mar., 1768, died

Deborah, born 27 July, 1771, died

James, born

Hannah, born John, born ELIJAH\*, son of William\*, married (?) In Rye Militia 1758. Signed protest against Rebellion 1775. Laborer, aged 28 ,height 5 ft.; Capt. Bloomer's Co., 26 Feb., 1759 (N. Y. Mil. Rec.). Children (?)

CALEB<sup>4</sup>, son of George<sup>n</sup>, married Martha, daughter of Purdy. She was born Jan., 1736, died 24 June, 1783. He and wife Martha sold 83 acres at Robyns Point, Newburgh, to Stephen Case, 20 May, 1765. Signed association 11 July, 1775. Was 1st Lieutenant of New Marlborough Militia, 20 Aug., 1775, and Captain 2 Oct., 1775. He and wife buried in Old Town Cemetery, Newburgh. 4th Regt. Land Bounty Rights (N. Y. in Rev.).

Abigail<sup>5</sup>, born , died ; mar. George Wygant. Elizabeth, born , died ; mar. Dr. David Fowler. Glorianna, born , died ; mar. Isaac Fowler, Jr. Phebe, born 2 Aug., 1760, died 12 Sept., 1770.

HUMPHREY\*, son of George3, married . In 1758 he bought part of the farm at Middlehope, where his grandson Daniel lived in 1872. Was Postmaster or Pathmaster in 1763. Signed association, 11 July, 1775. Had a mortgage on half of 1000 acres from Stephen Case for £70, 6 Jan., 1775 (Kingston, Lib. 3, p. 316). Was constable and ordered to take Elnathan Foster from whence he brought him, 1777. Gave bonds for Foster. Mortgaged 150 acres to Jane Flewelling for £367, 27 Mar., 1783.

#### Children:

Glorianna<sup>5</sup>, b. 18 Oct., 1764, died Mary, born 5 Oct., 1766, died Underhill, born 7 Feb., 1769, died 19 Nov., 1804. Caleb, born 3 Oct., 1771, died Charlotte, born 3 Oct., 1773, died Morris, born 10 Oct., 1775, died 11 Aug., 1829.

SAMUEL<sup>4</sup>, son of George<sup>3</sup>, married Phila, daughter of Townsend. She was born 15 May, 1751, died 15 Jan., 1820. He bought 100 acres from Joseph Bloomer for £600, I May, 1764 (Kingston, Lib. F. F., p. 395). Mortgaged 100 acres to Lewis Dubois for £300, 11 Aug., 1767. Sold 110 acres to Henry Deyo for £700, 28 Sept., 1768. Bought 514 acres from Arebella Graham for £875, 10 May, 1770. Sold 212 acres to Stephen Case for £125, 27 Feb., 1771. Refused to sign association 1776; afterwards did sign it. He and wife "Filer" sold 550 acres to Isaac Fowler for £1200, 14 Jan., 1786, as of Marlborough. Bought 561 acres from David Fowler for £1200, 27 April, 1789. Samuel Merritt of New York sold to Maurice Merritt of Marlborough, land adjoining James Merritt's for £18, 20 Oct., 1795 (Kingston, Lib. 16, p. 24). He was buried in Old Town Cemetery, Newburgh.

#### Children:

Phila<sup>5</sup>, born May, 1750, died 15 Jan., 1820. Samuel, born Jan., 1765, died 4 Oct., 1770.

GEORGE<sup>4</sup>, son of George<sup>3</sup>, married Mary, daughter of Fowler. She was born 1 Jan., 1734, died 5 July, 1799. Married 2d, Sarah, widow of Wolvert Ecker. Signed association for Rebellion 1775 after refusing to sign. Was assessed in Newburgh in 1785 with Thomas and Isaac. He and wife Mary sold land, bought from Abel Flewelling, to Gilbert Jones for £107, 3 Jan., 1793. He and wife Sarah sold land in Five Partners to Telman Pugsley, 6 April, 1812.

#### Children:

George<sup>3</sup>, born , died
Samuel, born 1759, died
Gabriel, born , died
Humphrey, b. 14 Feb., 1773, died
Fowler, born , died
John, born , died June, 1846.
Abigail, born 10 Oct., 1754, died 17 Oct., 1796.

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, died
Charlotte, born
                             , died
Jane, born
Glorianna, born
                              died
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5 Apr., 1778, died 10 Jan., 1859; mar. Mary, born

GABRIEL\*, son of Georgen. Signed association 11 July, 1775. Made his Will 30 Dec., 1775. Proved 15 Feb., 1776 (New York, Lib. 30, p. 103). He and David mortgaged their father's home to William Smith, 27 May, 1773. Paid 14 Nov., 1776. Lest his brother Caleb £100; to brothers David and Josiah the remainder of real and personal estate. Executors, David and Josiah. Witness, Mary Merritt. Signed with crest, a dove.

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Children (?)

DAVID+, son of George3, married 23 Feb., 1777, Nelly, daughter of She was born 16 Dec., 1757, died 4 April, 1815. Signed association 11 July, 1775. Bought 25 acres from Obediah Palmer for £125, 1 May, 1784 (Kingston, Lib. 2, p. 49).

Children:

Janes, born died ; mar. John Hait. Elizabeth, born 26 Dec., 1788, died 13 Jan., 1860; mar. Nathaniel Harcourt.

JOSIAH\*, son of George3, married Anne, daughter of Josiah Purdy. She was born , 1757, died 9 Jan., 1786. Married 2d, Rachel, daughter of Justus and Sarah Sherwood, 16 Nov., 1788. She died 26 Mar., 1825. Signed association, 1775. 4th Regiment Land Bounty rights (N. Y. in Rev.). Children:

Esther<sup>5</sup>, born 29 July, 1775, died 29 Oct., 1821; mar. Zephariah Northrop.

2 Dec., 1777, died 1 Apr., 1853. Gabriel, born

Ann, born 29 Aug., 1779, died ; mar. Mowbray Carpenter.

4 Feb., 1788. Seth, born 22 Dec., 1780, died I Sept., 1790. David, born 25 Sept., 1782, died Josiah, born

Alathea, born

Joseph, born

2 Dec., 1785, died 2 Mar., 1856.

19 July, 178-, died 20 Mar., 1854; mar. John Brower.

22 Feb., 1790, died

6 July, 1791, died 3 Aug., 1884; mar. Andrew Crops ; mar. Andrew Cropsey. Phebe, born

David I., born 23 Nov., 1792, died 27 Aug., 1843.

, died Nancy, born

. Was 5. JONATHAN<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Jonathan<sup>4</sup>, married (?) in the Rye militia 20 April, 1758, aged 23, height 5 ft. 6, Capt. Lockwood Co. (N. Y. Mil. Rec.).

### Children:

1824; mar. Rebecca Merritt. Jonathan<sup>6</sup>, born 1758. died , died Abraham, born , died Daniel, born , died Thomas, born Alethea, born , died Elizabeth, born , died Mary, born , died

SYLVANUS<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Andrew narried Elizabeth, daughter of Bea. He lived in White Plains Devoe, married 2nd Hannah, daughter where now stands the home of Dr. Sands. Petitions that Dr. Ebenzer Haviland may hold a fair 8 April, 1771. In 2nd Regt. Westchester Militia, 1776. He and wife Hannah sold land to George Worden, 10 March, 1790 (White Plains, Lib. K, p. 342).

Stephene, born 28 July, 1771, died 25 May, 1857; mar. Phebe Ketcham.

; unmarried. , died Smith, born

, died James, born ; mar. Anne Fitzgerald.

, died Elizabeth, born Anderson, born , died

9 July, 1783, died 16 Dec., 1786. Daniel, born

Phebe, born

died 1776, died : married John, born

JAMES<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Andrew<sup>4</sup>, married (?) 4th Regt. Land Bounty rights (New York in Revolution). Children (?)

DANIEL<sup>o</sup> MERRITT, son of Gilbert<sup>4</sup>, married Penelope . Mentioned in his father's Will 1782. She made her Will 1820. Executors, Robert and Jonathan. 2nd Regt., Westchester Co., Col. Thomas Thomas. Children (?)

GILBERT<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Gilbert<sup>4</sup>, married Ann, daughter of Gilbert Miller Lived in Grace Church 1824 (White Plains, Lib. K). and Ruth , married 2nd Abigail St., Rye. Made his Will 22 Oct., 1823; proved Legatees, wife Abigail, daughters Delilah, wife of Silvanus Merritt of New Rochelle, Penelope, wife of Wm. Slater, Hannah, wife of Benjamin Merritt. Executors: Sylvanus Merritt, Wm. T. Provost, Wm. Slater, Jr. Children (?)

ISRAEL<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Robert<sup>4</sup>, married Letitia

#### Children:

Betsey Ann<sup>6</sup>, born , died , died Hamilton, born , died Israel, born , died William, born . died Isaac, born

JOHN<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Robert<sup>4</sup>, married Mary, daughter of Peter Cornell and Sarah Haviland. She was born 1741.

, died Hety<sup>6</sup>, born

, died ; mar. John Brown. Sophia, born John Lawrence, born . died ; mar. Marie Brown.

ROBERT<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Robert<sup>4</sup>, married Sarah, daughter of William Slater. He was his father's executor, 23 Feb., 1817. No children.

NATHANIEL<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Nehemiah<sup>4</sup>, married Deborah, daughter of Enoch Honeywell. She died 16 March, 1849. He signed protest against the Rebellion 1775. Made his Will 7 June, 1823; proved 24 Nov., 1823 (White Plains, Lib. K). Legatees, wife Deborah, daughters Ann, Ruth, Alethea, wife of C Lyon, son William, granddaughter Sally Lyon. Executors, Deborah and William. Buried in Elliot Cemetery, West Cherry St., Bedford. Children:

Phebe<sup>6</sup>, born 1780 ,died Sarah, born 1811; mar. Samuel Lyon. 1781, died William, born , died 1 June, 1783, died 2 Feb., 1868; mar. Silas Ambler. Ruth, born , died Nathaniel, born ; mar. Freelove Carpenter. Amy, born . died ; mar. Silas Reynolds. Alethea, born 25 June, 1798, died 10 Aug., 1887; mar. Newman C. Lyon.

JOSEPH<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Joseph<sup>4</sup>, married (?) against the Rebellion 24 Sept., 1774. Mortgaged land to Ebenezer Boyd, 1783 (White Plains Lib. I., p. 198). Children (?)

NEHEMIAH<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Joseph<sup>4</sup>, married Sarah, daughter of Moses Haviland. He lived in Ridge St., Rye. Made his Will 9 Aug., 1828; proved 15 Mar., 1830 (White Plains Lib., M.).

Children:

John<sup>6</sup>, born , died
Daniel, born , died
Charlotte, born , died ; mar. Daniel Slater.
Daughter, born , died ; unmarried.

DANIEL<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Joseph<sup>4</sup>, married Rebecca, daughter of
She was born 20 Jan., 1776, died 27 Aug., 1855. Made his Will
11 July, 1836 (White Plains Lib., K.).
Children (?)

JOTHAM<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Joseph<sup>4</sup>, married Charlotte, daughter of Daniel Adee and Jemima Hobby. She was born 14 Aug., 1774, died 5 Nov., 1849. Buried in Ridge St. Cemetery. Mortgaged land at Port Chester to Isaac Allen 16 May, 1828, Port Chester.

Children:

John A.6, born 26 Dec., 1855, died 28 Apr., 1885.

JOHN<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Joseph<sup>4</sup>, married (?) Children (?)

LOT<sup>2</sup> MERRITT, son of Joseph<sup>4</sup>, married Joanna, daughter of Jonathan Sniffen, married 2d, Nancy Clark. Made his Will 28 Nov., 1854 (White Plains Lib., 35). Buried in New Union Cemetery, Port Chester.

No children.

WILLIAM PITT<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Daniel<sup>4</sup>, married 19 Dec., 1792, at Purchase, Mary, daughter of John and Phebe Clapp. She married 2d, 16 Nov., 1796, Joseph Cromwell. Buried at Quaker Hill Cemetery.

No children known.

MICHAEL MUDGE<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Daniel<sup>4</sup>, married 17 Sept., 1794, Phebe, daughter of John and Phebe Clapp. She was born 20 Nov., 1772, died 25 May, 1855. He asks Saratoga Monthly Meeting for a notice to Purchase Meeting in order for marriage, July, 1794. Moved to New York Mar., 1795. Bought land there from George Duryea, 1796. Had a mortgage from Robert Wiley 2 July, 1797. Gave deeds to lands 1801-22. Merchant 181 Troy St., 1810. Lived at No. 35 Vandewater St. in 1817. Had a flour store in Burling Slip 1818. Made his Will a Nov., 1850; proved 7 Jan., 1856 (New York Lib. 114, p. 421).

Children:

William C.s, b. 9 Aug., 1795, died 24 Mar., 1821.

John C., born 26 Oct., 1797, died 3 May, 1849.

Anna, born 20 Nov., 1799, died 9 Nov., 1872; unmarried.

Allen, born 3 July, 1802, died 25 Oct., 1804.

Jane, born 23 Aug., 1807, died , 1876.

Elizabeth, born 1 June, 1810, died 15 Aug., 1900; unmarried.

Margaret, born 11 Apr., 1812, died 20 Mar., 1872; unmarried.

NEHEMIAH M.<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Daniel<sup>4</sup>, married 28 Feb., 1793, Phebe, daughter of William Thorne and Jemima Titus. She was born 13 Apr., 1773, died 30 Jan., 1823. Married 2d, 11 May, 1827, Sarah, daughter of Moses Sutton and Rebecca Underhill. He was born at Quaker Hill. He was a dry goods merchant at 416 Pearl St., New York, in 1810.

Children:

Maria<sup>6</sup>, born 21 July, 1794, died 17 July, 1873. William T., b. 15 June, 1796, died 30 Aug., 1882. Isaac, born 17 Mar., 1799, died 6 Nov., 1876. Daniel N., born 23 Apr., 1801, died 25 Sept., 1856. Sarah, born 12 Sept., 1804, died 22 Sept., 1810. Jacob T., born 9 Feb., 1808, died 16 Mar., 1886. Benjamin, b. 16 Apr., 1810, died 23 Mar., 1862.

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<sup>\* 9</sup> Aug., 1820; proved 3 June, 1823 (N. Y. Lib. 58, p. 144).

Matthew Franklin, born 2 Mar., 1815, died to May, 1896.

JOHN<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Daniel<sup>4</sup>, married 23 June, 1802, Sarah Ann, daughter of Daniel and Elizabeth Arthur of Pawling. He was a flour merchant in New York and leased a lot in Greenwich St. from Thomas Taylor for \$875 10 Sept., 1800. Had deed of Lot 2, Partition St., from William-Catherine Williams for \$1500, 11 May, 1803. Had deed of Lot 34. Bowery, from Thomas and Anne White for \$1337, 24 Apr., 1804. Set free his slave Isabel 2 July, 1814 (New York Libs., 487, 67, 107). He was a grocer at 15 James Slip and flour merchant at 160 Broadway, 1810. He and Nehemiah and Sara Leggett and W. W. Fox had deed of 3 lots in William St. from Reformed Church for \$16,000, 1 May, 1823.

#### Children:

Sarah Draper<sup>6</sup>,

born 11 Apr., 1803, died 4 Oct., 1889.
Arthur, born 9 Oct., 1804, died 18 Aug., 1834.
Phebe, born 4 Feb., 1806, died 29 Nov., 1876.
Elizabeth, born 7 Apr., 1807, died 14 May, 1818.
Ann, born 13 Apr., 1808, died 17 Mar., 1881.
Jane, born 27 Apr., 1810, died 26 Mar., 1884.
Margaret, born 6 Dec., 1811, died 23 Aug., 1816.
Maria, born 11 Nov., 1814, died 12 June, 1843.
Daniel Draper,

born 23 Sept., 1815, died 5 May, 1872.
Richard, born 23 June, 1817, died 7 Aug., 1887.

DANIEL THE MERRITT, son of Daniel, married Martha, daughter of Isaac Aiken and Anne Wing. She died 1856. Made his Will 21 Sept., 1842; proved 10 Feb., 1845 (Poughkeepsie Lib. O., p. 48). Buried in Quaker Hill Cemetery. Children:

Anne<sup>6</sup>, born 18 July, 1806, died 25 Feb., 1816.

Mary, born 17 Aug., 1808, died 9 May, 1816.

Isaac Aiken, b. 28 July, 1810, died 6 Sept., 1849.

Sarah, born 1 July, 1812, died 3 July, 1831.

Edward, born 28 Jan., 1817, died

Mary Ann, born 9 Apr., 1821, died 29 Mar., 1881.

Caroline, born 30 Jan., 1825, died mar. John J. Vanderburgh.

DAVID<sup>3</sup> MERRITT, son of Daniel<sup>4</sup>, married 27 June, 1811, Anna, daughter of Ebenezer Wanzer of New Fairfield, Conn. She died 1819. Married 2d, 15 Nov., 1820, Mary R., daughter of Moses Sutton. She died 1833. Married 3d, 22 Oct., 1834, Sarah, daughter of James Peckham of Quaker Hill. Made his Will 23 Sept., 1838; proved 17 Apr., 1840 (Poughkeepsie Lib. L., p. 327). Buried at Quaker Hill Cemetery; also wife Anna and 2d wife Mary. Children:

George<sup>6</sup>, torn 11 Mar., 1823, died William S., born , died 27 Nov., 1840. Susan, born 1814, died , 1816. William, born 1818, died , 1818. Harriet, born 1816, died , 1821.

ABRAHAM<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Nehemiah<sup>4</sup>, married Sarah, daughter of Edward Brundage. She was born 1 Sept., 1761, and came from the Oblong Meeting 14 June, 1786. He bought 202 acres in Beekman Town for £1700 from Peter Deyo, 1 May, 1708, and mortgaged it for £1000; cancelled 3 June, 1700 (Poughkeepsie Lib. 15, p. 234, Lib. 7, p. 330). He and wife Sarah mortgaged the same to Edward Brundage, Jr., of Westchester Co., for \$1500, 3 June, 1799; cancelled 17 May, 1828 (Lib. 8, p. 51). He and wife and Consider Merritt and Anne his wife sold 35 acres in Washington Town to Pontius Wooley and Reuben Haight 24 Apr., 1707 (Lib. 15, p. 54). He mortgaged 202 acres in Beekman to Daniel Merritt of Troy for \$1000, 14 May, 1804; not cancelled (Lib. 9, p. 543). Mortgaged land to William Thorne, 1805, and to Content Wilkinson, 1805.

#### Children:

Edwards, born 22 Oct., 1788, died Phebe, born 23 Mar., 1786, died mar. Elisha Barlow. Anna B., born 17 Feb., 1791, died 3 May, 1824. mar. Nathaniel Pitcher. Brundage, born 29 Jan., 1793, died 12 Feb., 1857. Nehemiah, b. 12 Nov., 1795, died William, born 22 July, 1799, died 12 Oct., 1801, died Sarah, born , 1804. Consider Morgan, born 1803, died Daniel, born 15 Feb., 1806, died Isaac A., born 14 Mar., 1808, died , 1836.

DANIEL<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Nehemiah<sup>4</sup>, married Phebe, daughter of Benjamin Aiken. He was disowned at Friends Meeting 18 Apr., 1787, for marrying outside of that Society. He lived in Troy and built the second store there. Assessor May, 1799. Director of Farmers Bank 31 Mar., 1801. Sold land corner of First and State St. to Farmers Bank for \$1,800. Sold lot, southwest corner of Fourth and State St., to Quaker Meeting for \$2,300, 7 Oct., 1807. Trustee of Conduit Co., 1812. Director of Rensselaer and Saratoga Insurance Co., 1814. His seven-story brick store was destroyed by fire June, 1820. "Daniel and Isaac Merritt occupied a store on the west side of River St., near the present location of the Troy House. They were men of great industry and upright in all their dealings. In his manners Daniel was kind and gentle. He was a member of the Society of Friends and a fair representative of that highly respectable religious sect; always ready to advance the cause of benevolence." His other partners were his brothers Jacob and Benjamin Merritt. (Reminiscences of Troy, John Wentworth.)

#### Children:

Jacob D.c, born 16 Jan., 1788, died 14 Jan., 1858. Mary, born 17 Mar., 1791, died 19 Sept., 1794. Maria Ann, b. 26 Jan., 1796, died 12 Nov., 1873; mar. Wm. W. Haydock.

CONSIDER MORGAN<sup>3</sup> MERRITT, son of Nehemiah<sup>4</sup>, married at Nine Partners 25 Sept., 1788, Anna, daughter of Andrew Moore and Elizabeth Dorland. She was born 4 Jan., 1766, died 5 Nov., 1834. Had a deed of 86 acres in Washington Township from Nehemiah and Anstis Reynolds for £732 14s., 19 Nov., 1794 (Poughkeepsie Lib. 15, p. 223). Had deed for 51 acres and 8 acres in same town from Millicent, Reuben and Freelove Husted for \$599.65, 1 Apr., 1797 (Lib. 13, p. 220). Made his will 27 Sept., 1801; proved 9 Aug., 1802, leaving \$100 to the Friends Boarding School at Nine Partners, remainder to wife and children (Lib. B., p. 334). His widow married 28 June, 1810, Isaac Thorne, Jr. Children:

Abraham<sup>6</sup>, b. 15 Nov., 1789, died July, 1850. Andrew, born 7 July, 1795, died ; unmarried.

ISAAC<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Nehemiah<sup>4</sup>, married 25 Oct., 1787, Hannah, daughter of Joseph and Sarah Mabbett of Nine Partners; married 2d, Deborah, daughter of Corlies. His wife Hannah and daughters Jane and Sarah joined the Saratoga Meeting 19 June, 1793. The Nine Partners Meeting notified the Saratoga Meeting that Isaac Merritt now living at Saratoga is neglectful of attendance. He had a boarding school at Dean's Corners. Partner of his brother Daniel at Easton and Troy. A prominent Quaker in Troy, 1807.

Children:

Jane<sup>6</sup>, born , died mar. William Wright. Sarah, born , died

Nehemiah, born , died in infancy.

Joseph, born , died

JACOB<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Nehemiah<sup>4</sup>, married 27 Oct., 1796, Mary, daughter of Philip Hart and Susanna Aiken. She was born 16 Nov., 1777. He was born at Quaker Hill. Had deed of half of Lot 103 at Queensbury from grandfather Nehemiah Merritt, 18 Sept., 1792, then of Washington Township. Partner of his brother Daniel in Troy. Director of Bank of Troy, 1811.

#### Children

Sarah Ann<sup>6</sup>, b. 22 Mar., 1798, died 10 Sept., 1807. Charles Hart, born 14 Jan., 1801, died 26 July, 1877. Isaac, born 20 Mar., 1804, died 1 Sept., 1807. Isaac J., born 11 Mar., 1808, died 21 May, 1891.

BENJAMIN<sup>3</sup> MERRITT, son of Nehemiah<sup>4</sup>, married at Kingsbury, Washington Co., 3 Oct., 1800, Thankful, daughter of Matthew Scott and Mercy Ashley. She was born at Spencertown 21 May, 1780, and died in Troy 22 May, 1845. He was born at Quaker Hill. Had deed of half of Lot 103 at Queensbury from his grandfather Nehemiah, 10 Sept., 1792, then of Washington Township. They lived one year at Fort Ann and one year in Troy. She became a Quaker in 1811 and afterwards preached. At Troy, 1813-15. Removed to New York 1815. White Creek 1830. Troy 1834. White Creek boarding with John Allen, a Quaker, 1842-5. Staten Island 1848. He was at first a china merchant, afterwards a dry goods merchant. Partner of his brother Daniel in Troy. He died of bilious colic at Cleveland on his return from a visit to Milwaukee, 4 July, 1854. Buried with wife in Oakland Cemetery, Troy.

Children:

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Cornelia<sup>6</sup>, b.
                 14 Oct., 1801, died 20 Apr., 1885; mar. George T. Trimble.
                 23 Dec., 1803, died 4 Aug., 1835; unmarried. 13 Oct., 1805, died 29 Aug., 1835; unmarried.
Juliet, born
Mary, born
                  14 Aug., 1807, died 5 Oct., 1873.
George, born
                  10 Sept., 1809, died 25 Apr., 1829; unmarried.
31 Oct., 1811, died 15 Apr., 1863.
Jane, born
Henry, born
Matthew Franklin,
           born 2 Sept., 1814, died 2 Sept., 1839; unmarried.
Caroline, born
                     Feb., 1817, died 29 May, 1841; unmarried.
Eliza Walker, b. 4 Nov., 1819, died
                                                    1016; mar. Dr. Lewis McKnight.
                 4 Nov., 1822, died 18 May, 1864.
Edward, born
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JOSEPH<sup>2</sup> MERRITT, son of Ichabod<sup>4</sup>, married at Nine Partners 25 Oct., 1787, Cynthia, daughter of Samuel and Esther Howland. She was born 10 Mar., 1771, died 16 Feb., 1828. He was the first white child born in Queensbury. Built the first frame house. Owned 100 acres and one lot 1791. Moved to Dutchess Co. Removed to Saratoga Meeting with his wife and children 21 May, 1801. Moved later to Moreau.

#### Children:

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Anstise, born
Abraham, born
Joseph, born
Richard, born
Sarah, born
Isaac, born
Cynthia, born
Mary L., born
Nahebn, born

Abraham, born
Abraham, born
Joseph, born
Joseph, born
Joseph, born
Abraham, born
Joseph, bor
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THOMAS<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Thomas<sup>4</sup>, married 25 Feb., 1779, at Charlestown, S. C., Mary, daughter of Hamilton. She was born in Ireland, 1761, died 21 Mar., 1843. He was a cornet in the Queen's Rangers and pursued General Putnam to the top of Put's Hill, near Greenwich, 25 Feb., 1779. Took 18 Americans prisoners at Rye 16 June, 1779. Mortgaged land to Charles Shaw 7 May, 1790 (White Plains Lib. 2, p. 311). Living at Bedford 1791-3. Mortgaged land to John J. Glover 21 Mar., 1794 (Lib. 2, p. 262). "This gentleman subsequently settled at the mouth of Twelve Mile Creek, Canada, and held the office of Sheriff of County Lincoln and Surveyor of the King's Forests, 1803-20." Major Commander of Cavalry, Niagara District, War of 1812-14. Buried in St. George's Cemetery, St. Catherines. Tablet on tower of church. Children:

Amy6, born 24 Apr., 1782, died young.

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Phebe, born 25 Dec., 1784, died young.
Caroline Matilda,
born 17 Feb., 1791, died 8 Feb., 1846; mar. James Gordon.
William Hamilton,
born 3 July, 1793, died 5 July, 1862.
Anna Maria, b. 7 Aug., 1797, died Nov., 1850; mar. Charles F. Ingersoll.
Susan, born 7 Oct., 1801, died 16 Oct., 1866; mar. Col. Elias Adams.
Jedidiah Prendergast,
born 17 Nov., 1816, died 22 Mar., 1819.
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SHUBAEL<sup>3</sup> MERRITT, son of Thomas<sup>4</sup>, married Letitia, daughter of Simmons. He was an outlaw during the Revolution and was greatly feared by all. It is said that he robbed and killed several persons and after the war was shot by the son of one of his victims. Some say he was killed at White Plains and buried in the south side of Mr. Holladay's orchard. Others call him a Loyalist of Stamford, who was shot at Greenwich. Jedediah P. Merritt of St. Catherines says he was living in his father's house and was shot at the head of the stairs by some men after the war.

Children (?)

DAVID DANIEL<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Thomas<sup>4</sup>, married Mary, daughter of Dr. John Wheeler of Elizabeth, N. J. He went to St. John, N. B., with his father in 1782; served in Loyalist army.

#### Children:

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Thomas<sup>6</sup>, born 27 Apr., 1792, died 9 Oct., 1869.

David Jabez, born , died ; mar. George Miles.

Mary, born , died ; mar. John J. Roberts.

Julia, born , died ; mar. Rev. Wm. Harrison.

Caroline, born , died ; mar. Rev. Enoch Wood.
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# JOHN<sup>3</sup> MERRITT, son of Thomas<sup>4</sup>, married (?)

## Children:

Nehemiah<sup>6</sup>, born , died Thomas, born , died

NEHEMIAH<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Thomas<sup>4</sup>, married 4 July, 1806, Isabella, daughter of Milby of St. John. She was born 23 Oct., 1784. "Brother of Thomas Merritt, a gentleman of great wealth, died at St. John in 1842 aged 72." Made his Will 23 June. 1841; proved 17 Oct., 1842 (New York). Children:

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George<sup>6</sup>, born 1 May, 1808, died , 1869.
Eliza, born 7 July, 1810, died mar. William Wright.
Charles, born 2 July, 1813, died 12 Aug., 1816.
John, born 19 Dec., 1815, died 15 Feb., 1816.
Ann, born 19 Dec., 1816, died mar. Edwards.
Charles, born 9 Mar., 1818, died 19 Feb., 1878.
Nehemiah, born 25 May, 1820, died
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WILLIAM<sup>3</sup> MERRITT, son of Thomas<sup>4</sup>, married

Mead. She was born 22 Sept., 1776, died 16 Mar., 1851. He joined the American army and his land in Canada was confiscated. He moved to his brother Nehemiah's farm, bought in 1825, on the north side of the Ridge Road, in the Township of Cambria, near the town of Livingston, in Niagara Co. Living there in 1841. Died in Lockport. He and wife were buried in North Ridge Cemetery.

No children. 2 adopted daughters.

ROBERT<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Edward<sup>4</sup>, married daughter of Roosevelt of New York. He was a physician. His father left him property in 1803. Lived in Rye.

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Children:
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Cornelius Roosevelt<sup>6</sup>, born , died John Edward, born , died

HENRY<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Edward<sup>4</sup>, married Elizabeth, daughter of William Griffin. Lived in Rye.

## Children:

Edward<sup>6</sup>, born , died ; living at New Rochelle 1890. Elizabeth, born , died ; mar. Mead. Mary Griffin, born , died ; unmarried. Ophelia, born , died

EDWARD<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Edward<sup>4</sup>, married Deborah, daughter of Peter Bertine. They gave deed of 33 Broadway, New York, to Jane Merritt, widow, of Mamaroneck, for \$4,250, and also one-fourth of lot inherited from Peter Bertine 7 July, 1818 (New York Lib. 133, p. 421).

No children.

GILBERT<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Edward<sup>6</sup>, married Jane, daughter of Ryquear Earle. Lived at Rye.

## Children:

Edward Swans.

born 13 Mar., 1826, died 7 May, 1847; unmarried, in Navy. Cornelia, born 9 Mar., 1828, died 27 Feb., 1852; mar. Wm. P. Wright. Mary, born 14 Oct., 1830, died in infancy.

Henry Amiza Dodd,

born 23 Feb., 1833, died 16 July, 1873.

Gilbert R., born 2 Oct., 1835, died ; living 1886.
Abraham Clarkson,
born 12 Oct., 1839, died ; living 1894.

JOHN<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of John<sup>4</sup>, married (?) Lived in Rye. Children (?)

- CALEB<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Daniel<sup>4</sup>, unmarried. Lived in Harrison. Made his Will 21 Mar., 1825. Mentions sisters Hannah Seymour and Amy Merritt, nephews John and Jesse Seymour, Wm. Anderson and Caleb Merritt Hynard, niece Deborah Cornell (White Plains Lib. K.).
- DANIEL<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Daniel<sup>4</sup>, married perhaps Mary Ann, daughter of Godfrey Haines and widow of William Ascough. Mary Ann, wife of Daniel Merritt, died 3 Dec., 1825, aged 72. Buried St. Johns Church, Yonkers. Child:

John, born

. died

- JAMES<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Daniel<sup>4</sup>, married (?) He moved from Harrison to Buffalo. A merchant tailor.

  Children (?)
- CALEB<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Caleb<sup>4</sup>, married 1759, Deborah, daughter of Gilbert Lyon and Jane Kniffen. She was born 26 Mar., 1743. Second Lieutenant South Co., New Castle, 1775. Wounded at Battle of White Plains. Called junior 1776. On committee from New Castle, 12 Feb., 1777; trustee of Methodist Church at North Castle, 1792. Died at New Castle. Made his Will 22 June, 1822; proved 22 June, 1824 (White Plains Lib. K.). Children:

Daniel<sup>6</sup>, born 26 Jan., 1760, died Gilbert, born 19 Sept., 1762, died Elizabeth, born 4 Aug., 1764, died Caleb, born 8 Sept., 1766, died Malmouth, b. 10 Nov., 1768, died

mar. Thomas Tiller.

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Jean, born 21 Jan., 1770, died Mary, born 2 Sept., 1773, died mar. Noah Cox. mar. Hopkins. Andrew, born 25 Aug., 1778, died 1 Sept., 1866. Deborah, born 4 Nov., 1781, died 4 Nov., 1785, died 5 Feb., 1847.
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DANIEL<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Caleb<sup>4</sup>, married 30 Sept., 1763, Rebecca, daughter of Green. She died 26 July, 1806. On committee to supply food to soldiers, Greenwich, 17 Oct., 1774-1777. Shubael Sniffin sold 110 acres at Cortlandt for £650 to widow Rebecca 23 Aug., 1783 (White Plains Lib. I., p. 201). Children:

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Ebenezer<sup>6</sup>, born 28 May, 1764, died 31 Dec., 1819.
Daniel, born 13 Mar., 1765, died 11 May, 1779.
Lavinia, born 25 Aug., 1766, died 25 June, 1781.
Elizabeth, born 22 Mar., 1775, died
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REUBEN<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Caleb<sup>4</sup>, married Mary, daughter of John Anderson. He was in the American army and taken prisoner, but paroled by request of his cousin Thomas Merritt, a cornet of cavalry in the British army. His widow registered an application for a pension 1850.

#### Children:

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Anderson<sup>6</sup>, born
                          1783, died
                                              , 1853.
                15 July, 1785, died
John, born
                                              , 1853.
                              , died
James Digby, born .
                                              , 1854.
                              , died
Lewis, born
                              , died
                                              , 1864.
Huldah, born
                              , died
                                              , 1870.
Matilda, born
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SILVANUS<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Caleb\*, married (?) Children (?)

JOHN<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Nathan<sup>4</sup>, married (?) Died in British prison, New York, during the Revolution.

Children (?)

JAMES<sup>3</sup> MERRITT, son of Nathan<sup>4</sup>, unmarried. Left his property to brother Joseph. Buried Ridge St. Cemetery.

JOTHAM<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Nathan<sup>4</sup>, married Susanna, daughter of Rathbun; married 2d 1804, Mary W., daughter of John Brown of Rye. Buried Ridge St. Cemetery.

Children:

Harriet<sup>6</sup>, born , died ; mar. James Knowlton. Eliza, born 1786, died ; unmarried. Caroline, born 1807, died Jotham, born 4 Oct., 1811, died 11 Sept., 1872.

BENJAMIN<sup>2</sup> MERRITT, son of Nathan<sup>4</sup>, married (?) He was lost at sea. Children (?)

NATHAN<sup>3</sup> MERRITT, son of Nathan<sup>4</sup>, married 15 Oct., 1782, Susanna, daughter of Thomas Wilson and Eunice Brown. She was born 8 Jan., 1762, died 22 Mar., 1838. He was a captain in Revolutionary army. Constable and Collector, Greenwich, 1791. Moved to New Castle about 1797. Supervisor 5 Oct., 1802. Made his Will 8 Feb., 1814; proved 7 Mar., 1831 (White Plains Lib. M.).

Wilson<sup>6</sup>, born 24 Aug., 1783, died 27 Sept., 1836. Lucretia, born 8 Oct., 1785, died 4 Oct., 1865. mar. James Owen. Benjamin, born 29 Aug., 1788, died Aug., 1832. Mary, born 23 July, 1791, died 17 Oct., 1875. mar. Gilbert Brundage.

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Eunice, born 18 May, 1794, died 7 July, 1820. mar. Obadiah Seaman. Elisha B., born 24 Apr., 1797, died 13 Oct., 1877. Joseph W., b. 18 Aug., 1800, died 23 Aug., 1870. Charity, born Susan, born James, born , died , died , died
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JOSEPH<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Nathan<sup>4</sup>, married Wilmot, daughter of Henry Dusenbury and Susannah Ogden. She was born 17 Feb., 1759. Constable of Harrison 31 June, 1796-7; Oct., 1802. Collector 1799-1801. Made his Will 10 Aug., 1807; proved 20 Dec., 1809. To wife Wilmot all his real estate and lands of his parents after their death; also land left by brother James and land in King St. bought of sister Mary; also the use of his father Nathan's land at Greenwich. After her death these lands to go to John and James. She is to sell the house and land at Harrison and pay the proceeds to sons Henry, John and James. Household furniture to wife and daughters Susannah and Elizabeth. \$500 to his daughters and \$500 to Henry to cancel his debt (White Plains Lib. G.).

## Children:

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Susannah<sup>6</sup>, b. 20 Nov., 1784, died 15 Jan., 1859; mar. Joseph Brewster. Elizabeth, born , died ; mar. Dr. John Coe. Henry, born , died , 1825. John J., born 1797, died 1 Mar., 1821. James H., born 13 Aug., 1801, died 17 July, 1858.
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THOMAS<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Thomas<sup>4</sup>, married (?) Of New Marlborough. Signed Association for Rebellion 1775.

Children (?)

JAMES<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Thomas<sup>4</sup>, married (?) Signed Association 1775. Children (?)

JOSEPH<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Thomas<sup>4</sup>, married (?) Children (?)

ANDERSON<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Thomas<sup>4</sup>, married Sarah, daughter of Made his Will 21 Nov., 1784; proved 4 Mar., 1785. "Gentleman of North Castle. Mentions wife Sarah, estate to be divided when Priscilla is 18 (New York Lib. 37, p. 423). Executor friend Joseph Merritt.

Children:

Priscilla<sup>e</sup>, born , died Esther, born , died Jane, born , died Gilbert, born , died

JEREMIAH<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Thomas<sup>4</sup>, married 13 June, 1774, Bethany, daughter of Green. She was born Feb., 1754, died 22 Mar., 1835. He lived at North Castle; had a mortgage from Ebenezer Wheeler, 1795 (White Plains Lib. F., p. 170). Buried at New Paltz, Ulster Co.

James<sup>6</sup>, born 22 Dec., 1779, died 12 Mar., 1842. Edward, born 1782, died , 1799. Mary, born 1782, died 23 Apr., 1846; mar. Ebenezer Kilby. , 1856. Thomas, born 1784, died , 1838. Sarah, born 1789, died Nathaniel, born 1793, died 4 Nov., 1816. Daniel, born 1800, died 1802, died Glorane, born , 1872. Jeremiah, born 1806, died , 1819. , died Hannah, born

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ADAM<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Solomon<sup>4</sup>, married
                                                                        Dorothy, daughter of
                    Anderson. She was born 19 Oct., 1762, died 19 Apr., 1832. Buried
    King St. Cemetery.
    Children:
      Jeremiah, born 24 Mar., 1789, died 9 Oct., 1834.
Elizabeth, b. 20 Aug., 1791, died 20 Dec., 1875; mar. Silas Brundage.
Mary, born 4 Apr., 1796, died 8 Apr., 1867.
      Anderson, born 14 Nov., 1799, died 26 Apr., 1838.
William A., born 1804, died 14 Mar., 1876.
      Sarah, born
                                      boib .
 JOHN<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Solomon<sup>4</sup>, married Elizabeth, daughter of Curtis
    Blankman. Lived at Byram, Rye.
    Children:
                         1 Aug., 1803, died 23 Apr., 1835.
1804, died Oct., 1871.
      Elijahs, born
      Phineas, born
                                  1804, died
1808, died
      Curtis, born
                                               8 Aug., 1849.
      Clark S., born
                       25 Jan., 1815, died 8 May, 1863.
      Munson, born
                                  1818, died 17 Mar., 1871.
                                      , died
      John, born
                                      , died
      Fanny, born
      Mary, born
                                      , died
DANIEL<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Solomon<sup>4</sup>, married Hannah, daughter of Daniel
   Lyon and Elizabeth Sherwood. She was born 25 Dec., 1775.
    Children:
      Cynthia<sup>6</sup>, born
                                 1800, died 30 May, 1850; mar. Samuel Miner.
      Phebe, born
                         9 Mar., 1803, died 16 Oct., 1881; mar. Nehemiah Mead.
                        , died
9 Jan., 1808, died 28 Dec., 1857.
      Daniel, born
      Ebenezer, born
                         4 Aug., 1811, died 8 July, 1881.
      Henry, born
      John Augustus, born
                                   , died
     Loretta H., b. 13 Jan., 1813, died
                                                             ; mar. Gilbert Marshall.
ABRAHAM<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Solomon<sup>4</sup>, married 24 Aug., 1783, Elizabeth,
   daughter of James Lyon.
   Children:
     Abraham<sup>6</sup>, born 1785, died 20 Dec., 1860.
Elizabeth, born 26 July, 1787, died 2 Feb., 1851; mar. Joseph Bloomfield.
     Benjamin, born 12 July, 1790, died 6 Oct., 1865.
     James, born
                                      , died
     Daniel, born
                                       died
     Sarah, born
                                       died
     Phebe, born
                        20 Aug., 1802, died
                                                             ; mar. Tyler Mead.
                                      , died
     Hattie, born
                                                                             Crawford.
     Mary, born
                                      , died
                                                             ; mar.
JESSE<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Solomon<sup>4</sup>, married
                                                              Sarah, daughter of
   Knapp of Cos Cob, Conn.
   Children:
     William<sup>6</sup>, born
                                 1791, died 18 Mar., 1876.
                                                                              Hill.
     Mary Ann, born
                                       died
                                                             ; mar.
                                                             ; mar. Edward Johnson.
                                      , died
     Lavinia, born
                                     , died
     Knapp, born
                                     , died
     Hickson, born
                                                             ; mar. Henry Sands.
     Caroline, born
                                      , died
                                                            Elizabeth, daughter of 1785. Made his Will 14 Apr.,
JOSHUAS MERRITT, son of Josephs, married
   De Forest. She was born 1820; proved 9 June, 1820 (White Plains Lib. J.).
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Children:
       Abraham<sup>a</sup>, born 6 Apr., 1806, died
       Pamelia, born 8 Nov., 1807, died 11 Apr., 1811.
       David, born
                                          , died
                            3 Oct.,
       Deborah Ann,
                    born 21 Jan., 1816, died 7 Oct., 1837.
       Joseph, born
                         10 Oct., 1820, died
 DAVID<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Joseph<sup>4</sup>, married (?)
     Children (?)
                                                       , married Ruth, daughter of 1768, died 11 Jan., 1850. Buried Ridge
ABRAHAMS MERRITT, son of Josephs, married
     Shubael Sniffin. She was born 1768, died 11 Jan., 1850. Buried Ridge St. Cemetery. He mortgaged land at White Plains to Richard Bradford 1792
     (White Plains Lib. E., p. 259).
     Children :
       Daniel S. 6, born 19 Aug., 1799, died 19 Oct., 1839.
       James, born
                                      1801, died 7 Aug., 1871.
                                           , died
       Hannah, born
                                           , died
       Sarah, born
       Darius, born
                                           . died
JAMES<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Joseph<sup>4</sup>, married (?) Perhaps the James Merritt of Marlborough, who married Martha . Made his Will 25 Apr., 1806;
    proved 27 May, 1813.
    Children:
                                           , died
       Martha<sup>a</sup>, born
                                          , died
       Thomas, born
                                           , died
       Mercy, born
                                                               ; mar. Wheeler Case 17 July, 1788.
                                          , died
      Eleanor, born
                                                               ; mar. George Merit.
                                          , died
       Mary, born
                                          , died
       Joseph, born
                                           , died
       Nehemiah, born
                                          , died
                                                               ; mar. Samuel Dolson.
       Abigail, born
       Prudence, born
                                          . died
                                                               ; mar. Richard Caverly.
JOHN<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Joseph<sup>4</sup>, married (?)
    Children (?)
UNDERHILL'S MERRITT, son of Humphrey's, married 6 June, 1793, Mary, daughter of . Lived at New Marlborough. Had a deed for 50 acres from Dan. Sniffin for £600, 20 Jan., 1795 (Kingston Lib. N. H., p. 263). He
    was crushed by a wagon and killed 19 Nov., 1804.
    Children:
      Martha<sup>6</sup>, born
                            8 July, 1794, died 14 Sept., 1848; mar. Gilbert Holmes.
      Josiah, born 21 Aug., 1796, died 23 Feb., 1869.

Daniel, born 10 Mar., 1799, died 7 May, 1867.

Elizabeth, born 10 Mar., 1799, died 28 Dec., 1824; mar. John Goodsell.

Charlotte, born 19 Sept., 1801, died 24 Aug., 1824; mar. Joseph Furman.
                                                                    ; mar. Robert Philips.
      Mary, born
                          24 Sept., 1804, died
CALEB<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Humphrey<sup>4</sup>, married (?)
    Children (?)
MORRIS<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Humphrey<sup>4</sup>, married 24 Jan., 1801, Nancy, daughter
    of Justus Rodgers and Naomi Felty. She was born
                                                                             1784, died
    They lived in Marlborough in 1807 and moved to Marbletown about 1820.
      Rebecca6, born 17 Mar., 1802, died 19 Aug., 1849; mar. G. G. Basten.
      Undrill, born 14 Feb., 1804, died
                                                           , 1830.
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5 Dec., 1805, died 5 Mar., 1893.

Caleb, born

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I Sept., 1806, died 25 Aug., 1882; mar. Wm. Osborn.
     Eliza, born
     Justus R., born 28 Oct., 1812, died 5 June, 1847.
     John T., born 23 Oct., 1819, died 10 Sept., 1899.
Charles, born 26 Mar., 1822, died 13 Mar., 1848.
     Morris T., born 11 Oct., 1823, died 19 Aug., 1849.
GEORGE<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of George<sup>4</sup>, married
                                                                      Sybil
   Lived in Newburgh, 27 July, 1791.
   Children (?)
SAMUEL<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of George<sup>4</sup>, married
                                                                Chloe, daughter of
   Haines. Lived at Shandaken, N. Y.
   Children:
     Williama, born
                                     , died
                                     , died
     Mary, born
                                                                              Wilder.
                                                            : mar.
                       29 Mar., 1806, died 20 Dec., 1854.
     Daniel, born
                                     , died
     Jane, born
                                                            ; mar.
                                                                             Chase.
     Rachel, born
                                     , died
                                                            ; mar. N. Griffen.
                                     , died
     Gilbert, born
     Martha, born
                                     , died
GABRIEL<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of George<sup>4</sup>, married (?)
   Children (?)
HUMPHREY<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of George<sup>4</sup>, married
                                                                         Mary, daughter of
                                                                   1861.
                    She was born 24 Dec., 1789, died
   Children:
                                                     , 1889.
     Frederick S.6, b. 13 Dec., 1808, died
                                                     , 1888.
     Fowler, born 14 Mar., 1810, died
                      15 Mar., 1812, died
     Alfred, born
                                                     , 1883.
    Nathaniel, born 28 Apr., 1814, died
Daniel S., born 11 May, 1816, died
Henry S., born 28 Oct., 1818, died
Samuel F., born 10 Dec., 1820, died
                                                     , 1888.
     Isaac H., born 23 Sept., 1822, died
FOWLER<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of George<sup>4</sup>, married (?)
   Children (?)
JOHN<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of George<sup>4</sup>, married
                                                             Jerusha, daughter of
   Hoyt of Saratoga Co.
   Children:
     Davide, born
                                     , died
     Gideon H., born
                                1790, died
                                                     , 1865.
                                     , died
     Zenas, born
     Alva, born
                                       died
     George, born
                       15 July, 1802, died 17 Feb., 1876.
                                                     , 1880.
     Reuben, born
                                1804, died
                                     , died
     James, born
                                     , died
                                                                            Acker.
     Charlotte, born
                                                            ; mar.
                        7 Aug., 1809, died 13 Feb., 1879; mar. Caleb Brush.
     Eliza, born
     Larica, born
                                1811. died
GABRIEL<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Josiah<sup>4</sup>, married at Rye 12 Feb., 1806, Rebecca,
   daughter of Izrahiah Weimore and Elizabeth Bush. She was born 19 Feb., 1788.
   Children:
     Elizabeth Wetmore<sup>6</sup>,
                born 30 Nov., 1806, died 17 Feb., 1856; unmarried.
     Rachel, born
                      19 June, 1809, died
                      31 Jan., 1811, died 22 Dec., 1838; mar. James H. Elting.
     Amelia, born
                       2 Aug., 1812, died 25 Sept., 1812.
    Izrahiah, born
    Esther Ann, b. 2 Nov., 1813, died 23 Mar., 1854; mar. William P. Flewelling.
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James D., born 4 May, 1816, died
      Edward Alger,
                 born 19 Mar., 1818, died
                                                    . 1806.
      Rebecca Jane, b. 29 July, 1820, died
                                            7 May, 1882.
      Mary Montague.
                 born 6 Aug., 1822, died 23 May, 1842.
      Gabriel, Jorn
                        9 Nov., 1824, died
      Charles William,
                 born 21 Mar., 1827, died
JOSIAH MERRITT, son of Josiah , married 14 Oct., 1804, Elizabeth, daughter
                   Demott. She was born 23 Dec., 1788, died 17 Mar., 1846; married
   of
                 Cornelia, daughter of
                                                   Norton. She was born 12 May, 1800,
   died 29 Apr., 1880.
   Children:
     Anna<sup>4</sup>, born
                       14 Mar., 1806, died
                                                Jan., 1884; mar. George Hart.
     Josiah H., born 29 Oct., 1807, died 27 Apr., 1884.
     Legree, born
                      13 Mar., 1809, died
     Seth, born 27 Jan., 1812, died 31 Oct., 1841.
Caroline, born 7 Dec., 1814, died 7 July, 1848; mar. John H. Yelverton.
Catherine, born 27 Mar., 1816, died 31 May, 1889; mar. William Weddle.
     Maria, born
                       16 June, 1818, died 16 Feb., 1840; mar. Henry Perkins.
                      3 Aug., 1820, died
12 Nov., 1822, died 27 Mar., 1855; mar. Walter Duncan.
     John N., born
     Eliza J., born
     Harriet E., b.
                      22 Jan., 1825, died
                                                          ; mar. E'lis Nethery.
     Charles D., b.
                      18 Aug., 1827, died
     Franklin B., b. 12 Feb., 1830, died 31 Jan., 1835.
JOSEPH<sup>5</sup> MERRITT, son of Josiah<sup>4</sup>, married (?)
   Children (?)
DAVID I. MERRITT, son of Josiah married 4 Dec., 1813, Sarah, daughter of
   Henry Cropsey.
   Children:
     John<sup>6</sup>, born
                       19 Feb., 1813, died 12 May, 1837.
     Harriet, born
                      12 Nov., 1816, died 8 Aug., 1817.
                                                          : mar. George Potter.
     Phebe, born
                      13 Dec., 1817, died
     Henry, born
                      17 Feb., 1819, died
                      16 Nov., 1820, died
     Josiah, born
     Charles, born 26 Oct., 1825, died
     Augustus, born 13 Sept., 1827, died
6. JONATHAN<sup>a</sup> MERRITT, son of Jonathan<sup>5</sup>, married at Greenwich, Conn., 20
   Jan., 1779, Rebecca, daughter of Robert Merritt and Phebe
   at . Made his Will 7 Feb., 1824; proved 11 Oct., 1824. Legatees, w.fe Rebecca, sons Silvanus, Jotham and Israel; daughters Mary, wife of Daniel
                                               Hyatt, and Rachel, wife of
   Carpenter: Rebecca, wife of
   Fairchild; grandchildren, Jonathan and Caleb Sniffen, sons of Phebe; Jane
   Merritt, daughter of John, deceased; Hamilton Merritt, son of Israel. Ex-
   ecutors, Silvanus and Jotham. (White Plains, Lib. K.)
   Children:
     Israel<sup>7</sup>, Lorn
                      26 Jan., 1780, died
     Mary, born
                                                          ; mar. Daniel Carpenter.
                      24 July, 1781, died
                                      died
     John, born
     Jotham, born
                                      died
     Silvanus, born
                               1784, died
                                                     1867.
     Phebe, born
                      27 Mar., 1785, died
                                                          ; mar.
                                                                          Sniffen.
                                                                         Hyatt.
                                      died
                                                          ; mar.
     Rebecca, born
     Rachel, born
                                      died
                                                                         Fairchild.
                                                          ; mar.
ABRAHAM6 MERRITT, son of Jonathan3, married (?). Lived at
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Children (?)

- DANIEL<sup>4</sup> MERRITT, son of Jonathan<sup>5</sup>, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- THOMAS<sup>a</sup> MERRITT, son of Jonathan<sup>a</sup>, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- STEPHEN<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Sylvanus<sup>8</sup>, married Phebe, daughter of Timothy and Hannah Ketchum; married 2d, 7 Aug., 1843, Prudence Ketchum. Phebe was born 23 Sept., 1773; died 7 May, 1843. He lived at Rye during his youth.

## Children:

Hannah<sup>7</sup>, born 13 Oct., 1792, died an infant. David, born 25 Feb., 1794, died Jan., 1867. Sarah, born 28 Mar., 1796, died 24 June, 1874. Silvanus, born 29 Nov., 1798, died 20 June, 1878. Timothy, born 11 Mar., 1801, died 31 Jan., 1886. Stephen, born 21 Mar., 1803, died 6 June, 1870. Hannah, born 25 Mar., 1805, died 6 Aug., 1842. Hester Anne, born 22 July, 1807, died 16 Aug., 1872. Gilbert, born 19 July, 1809, died 10 Nov., 1874. Ezekiel K., born 22 July, 1811, died Dec., 1890. Phebe Ann. born 10 July, 1813, died 7 May, 1822. Ann Eliza, born 7 May, 1815, died 9 Oct., 1854. Charlotte, born 25 Jan., 1818, died 3 Aug., 1897.

- SMITH<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Sylvanus<sup>5</sup>, unmarried. Lived at . Was a sailor.
- JAMES<sup>n</sup> MERRITT, son of Sylvanus<sup>n</sup>, married at Harrison 16 Sept., 1801, Anne, daughter of Jerold and Millason Fitzgerald. Lived at ... Two children.
- ANDERSON<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Sylvanus<sup>5</sup>, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- JOHN<sup>a</sup> MERRITT, son of Sylvanus<sup>5</sup>, married Lived at Children:

Ezekiel<sup>7</sup>. born 27 Feb., 1830, died John, born July, 1832, died Amos, born Nov., 1835, died

Milly, born Apr., 1839, died ; mar. Charles Russell.

- HAMILTON<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Israel<sup>5</sup>, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- ISRAEL® MERRITT, son of Israel®, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- WILLIAM<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Israel<sup>5</sup>, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- ISAAC<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Israel<sup>5</sup>, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- JOHN LAWRENCE<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of John<sup>5</sup>, married Maria, daughter of Brown. Lived at
  Seven children.

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WILLIAM<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Nathaniel<sup>6</sup>, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
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NATHANIEL<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Nathaniel<sup>5</sup>, married Freelove, daughter of Carpenter. Lived at

· Children (?)

JOHN<sup>a</sup> MERRITT, son of Nehemiah<sup>a</sup>, married (?). Lived at Children (?)

DANIEL<sup>n</sup> MERRITT, son of Nehemiah<sup>3</sup>, married Rebecca, daughter of Abraham Bush and Ruth Lyon. Lived at Rye, 1873.

## Children:

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Anna<sup>7</sup>, born
                  9 Aug., 1792, died 28 June, 1854; unmarried.
                 8 Oct., 1793, died 13 Sept., 1865.
19 Feb., 1795, died 10 Mar., 1882; unmarried.
Rebecca, born
Sarah, born
Eliza, born
                  6 Sept., 1796, died
                                       5 Feb., 1865; mar. Ward H. Acker.
Daniel, born
                 15 Feb., 1797, died 27 July, 1875.
                  9 July, 1799, died 4 July, 1854.
Ezra B., born
                 15 Aug., 1800, died 9 Feb., 1876; mar. John Lyon.
Harriet B., b.
                  8 Feb., 1803, died 9 Sept., 1834.
Joseph, born
Lavinia, born
                 13 July, 1811, died 3 July, 1871.
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- JOHN A.6 MERRITT, son of Jotham5, unmarried. Lived at Port Chester; buried in Ridge St. Cemetery.
- WILLIAM C. MERRITT, son of Michael Mudges, unmarried. Died in the West Indies. Made his Will 8 Dec., 1820; proved 2 May, 1821. Executors, brother John C. Merritt, William Underhill and Daniel Merritt of Troy. (New York Lib. 22, p. 379.)
  Children (?)
- JOHN C.º MERRITT, son of Michael Mudge, married Mary Ann, daughter of Jeremiah and Mary Tatem. She died 31 July, 1837, aged 33; married 2d, her sister, Emily Tatem. John C. Merritt of New York, merchant, and wife Mary A. gave a deed of 33 Vandewater St. to Anna, Jane, Elizabeth and Margaret Merritt 7 Dec., 1832, and 123 Madison St. to Phebe, widow of Michael Merritt and the above grantees. (New York Lib. 292, p. 320.) Made his Will 28 Sept., 1844; proved 5 June, 1849. Mentions wife Emily, children William H., Daniel Smith and John Alfred; brother-in-law Daniel Smith, Jr. of Philadelphia. (Lib. 97, p. 22.)

Children:

William Harvey<sup>7</sup>,
born 18 Apr., 1832, died 2 July, 1896.

Daniel Smith,
born 11 Feb., 1835, died 11 Apr., 1869.

John Alfred,
born 27 July, 1836, died 27 July, 1881.

WILLIAM T.6 MERRITT, son of Nehemiah5, married 12 Apr., 1821, Hannah, daughter of John and Mary B. King. She was born 13 Apr., 1802; died 22 Dec., 1876. He was born in Quaker Hill. He and Benjamin his brother had deed of No. 50 Pine St., New York, from Samuel Hicks 16 Dec., 1834. Moved to Oswego 20 Dec., 1860. Owned property at Fishkill at the time of his death. Children:

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William H.7, b. 24 Feb., 1822, died 1 Apr., 1873.

Mary R., born 10 Feb., 1824, died 1 Apr., 1873.

Caroline, born 8 May, 1827, died 8 May, 1863; mar. Samuel T. Kaese.

Phebe, born 24 May, 1830, died 28 Oct., 1831.

Thomas Jenkins,

born 10 May, 1833, died 19 Sept., 1833.

Rodman, born 16 Jan., 1841, died 23 Oct., 1873.
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ISAAC6 MERRITT, son of Nehemiah6, married 26 Apr., 1821, Eliza, daughter of Philip and Susanna Hart; married 2d 1850, Mary, daughter of Daniels Merritt and Martha Aiken. He lived at Hartsville. Widow lived at Millbrook in 1876 and died there 1881.

Amelia H.7, b. 11 Aug., 1822, died 15 July, 1889; mar. Charles Frost. Philip Hart, b. 26 June, 1825, died 23 June, 1900.

Alfred Tredway,

born 17 Jan., 1827, died 5 Jan., 1896.

William Howard.

born 11 Nov., 1829, died 23 Jan., 1907.

Richard P., b. 26 Oct., 1833, died 2 Sept., 1895. Isaac N., born 24 July, 1838, died

Charles F., born 24 Sept., 1844, died

Daniel T., born 21 Oct., 1856, died

DANIEL N.6 MERRITT, son of Nehemiah5, married 27 Sept., 1824, Mary, daughter of Stephen and Ruth Keese of Peru, N. Y. Moved from Nine Partners to Scipio 18 Aug., 1843.

# Children:

Titus<sup>7</sup>, born 23 June, 1827, died Anna Maria, b. 30 Oct., 1830, died Hitchcock. ; mar. , 1853. Henry, born 30 May, 1832, died Phebe T., born 15 Aug., 1834, died

Franklin, born 24 Dec., 1837, died , 1010. Elizabeth R., b. 4 Oct., 1839, died 3 Mar., 1910. Nehemiah, born , 1865. died

JACOB T.º MERRITT, son of Nehemiah<sup>3</sup>, married Julia, daughter of William T. Jacacks and Samantha Rudd. Lived at . Died in Tuckahoe, N. Y.

Theron<sup>7</sup>, born 3 Nov., 1837, died 14 Mar., 1878. Roland, born 19 May, 1839, died Mar., 1907.

BENJAMING MERRITT, son of Nehemiahs, married 11 Mar., 1854, Eliza, daughter of George Fox and Rebecca Leggett. She was born 10 Aug., 1822. He and brother William T. bought No. 50 Pine St., 16 Dec., 1834. (New York Lib. 322, p. 266.) His widow married Jonathan Thorne 6 June, 1874.

Mary Pearsall, born 3 May, 1861, died 26 Feb., 1865.

MATTHEW FRANKLING MERRITT, son of Nehemiahs, married Maria, daughter of William Shaw and Clarissa Hoyt. He was at Quaker Hill in 1851. Lived at Stamford, Conn.

## Children:

Amelia<sup>7</sup>, born 16 Sept., 1839, died 12 Apr., 1915; mar. William Skelding.

Julia, born 12 Sept., 1841, died 15 Dec., 1008. Adeline, born 27 May, 1848, died 27 Mar., 1869.

Schuyler, born 16 Dec., 1853, died

ARTHUR<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of John<sup>5</sup>, married 12 Nov., 1827, Cornelia Adeline, daughter of Garrow. Lived at

Child: Adeline Cornelia, born died

; mar. George<sup>6</sup> Merritt.

DANIEL DRAPER® MERRITT, son of Johns, unmarried. Lived at

RICHARD® MERRITT, son of John<sup>3</sup>, married 10 Feb., 1847, Henrietta, daughter οf Lockwood. Lived at Poplar Ridge. Seven children.

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ISAAC AIKEN® MERRITT, son of Daniel®, unmarried. Lived at
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EDWARD<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Daniel<sup>5</sup>, married Phebe C., daughter of S. V. Frost. She died 7 May, 1890, aged 63. He was living in New York 1886. Children:

Henry Frost, b. 3 July, 1851, died 20 Sept., 1870.

Albert Akin, born died

Anna Frost, b. 8 Feb., 1854, died ; mar. Rev. Philip Pitcher.

GEORGE<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of David<sup>5</sup>, married 29 Sept., 1847, Adeline Cornelia, daughter of Arthur Merritt and Cornelia Garrow. He was born at Quaker Hill and was a farmer there. Lived at Auburn 1887 and at Moorestown, N. J., 1894. Children:

Arthur D., born 5 Oct., 1848, died
Cornelia A., b. 22 July, 1852, died
Mary R., born 23 Oct., 1857, died ; mar. Charles S. Perkins.
Frances G., b. 12 Mar., 1859, died ; mar. Carl E. Sanford.
William S., b. 13 Feb., 1862, died

WILLIAM S. MERRITT, son of Davids, died young.

EDWARD<sup>n</sup> MERRITT, son of Abraham<sup>s</sup>, married Mary, daughter of Hazzard. Lived at

No children:

BRUNDAGE<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Abraham<sup>5</sup>, married Jane J., daughter of John and Ruth Dusenbury. Lived at

## Children:

Edward<sup>7</sup>, born 12 Dec., 1819, died 8 July, 1884. Henry, born 1821, died 1821.

Abraham, born 10 Sept., 1824, died George, born 27 Sept., 1827, died James, born 17 Nov., 1828, died

Juliet, born 24 July, 1831, died 27 Mar., 1885; mar. Edgar Verney.

Morgan, born 4 July, 1836, died

Antoinette, b. 20 Jan., 1838, died 26 June, 1876; mar. Silas Verney.

William, born 20 Mar., 1839, died 3 Apr., 1865.

NEHEMIAH<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Abraham<sup>5</sup> married 28 Nov., 1820, Anna, daughter of Benjamin and Eunice Mitchell. Lived at Nine Partners. She moved to White Plains Meeting 17 July, 1823.

# Children:

Jacob<sup>7</sup>, born died
Sarah, born died ; mar. Hill.
Eunice, born died
Elizabeth, born died

WILLIAM L.6 MERRITT, son of Abraham<sup>5</sup>, married Lived at

Children:

John D.7, born died

Ann, born died ; mar. James T. McIntyre. Elizabeth, born died ; mar. John Clapp.

CONSIDER MORGAN<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Abraham<sup>5</sup>, married Julia Phelphs; married 2d Adelia Phelphs; married 3d Eliza Blakely. Lived at

# Children:

John<sup>7</sup>, born died Julian, born died William, born died

Sarah, born died ; mar. Charles Mitchell.

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DANIEL® MERRITT, son of Abrahams, married Blandina, daughter of Charles
   De Witt. . Lived at
   Children:
    Sarah<sup>7</sup>, born
                             1831, died
    Kate, born
                                   died
                                                      ; unmarried.
     Charles, born
                                   died
ISAAC A. MERRITT, son of Abrahams, married Julia A., daughter of Herman
  Rosenkranz. Lived at
   Children:
    Maria J.7, born
                                   died
                                                      ; unmarried.
    Abraham B., b. 14 Feb., 1835, died
    Wallace W., b. 19 Sept., 1839, died
    Henry A., born 10 May, 1841, died
    Charles N., b. 27 Dec., 1850, died
JACOB D." MERRITT, son of Daniels, unmarried. Lived at
ABRAHAM<sup>®</sup> MERRITT, son of Consider Morgan<sup>®</sup>, married Delia, daughter of
                  Northrup. Made his Will 24 July, 1850; proved 15 Oct., 1850.
   (Poughkeepsie Lib. 2, p. 263.)
  Children:
    William N.7, b. 21 Apr., 1813, died
                                           Jan., 1849.
    Anne Thorne,
               born 12 July, 1814, died
                                                      ; mar. Geo. H. Tompkins.
    Andrew, born 9 Mar., 1817, died 29 Sept., 1875.
    Morgan Consider.
               born 9 Apr., 1822, died
                                                 1886.
    Mary Thorne,
               born 11 July, 1828, died
                                                      ; unmarried.
ABRAHAM<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Consider Morgan<sup>5</sup>, unmarried. Lived at
JOSEPH<sup>a</sup> MERRITT, son of Isaac<sup>5</sup>, married 15 June, 1821, Eliza L., daughter of
  Benjamin Corlies and Phebe Ludlam. Lived at
  Children:
    Benjamin<sup>7</sup>, born
                                   died
    Francis, born
                                   died
    Isaac, born
                                   died
    George, born
                                   died
    Henry S., born
                             1834, died
                                                 1889.
    Joseph, born
                                   died
    Walter, born
                                   died
                                                        mar. Charles Maskin.
                                   died
    Sarah Jane, born
CHARLES HART6 MERRITT, son of Jacob5, married Mary Amelia, daughter of
  E. Moss White and Charity Tucker; married 2d her sister Ann Maria. Lived
  at Danbury, Conn. Director of Troy Insurance Co., 1831.
  Children:
    Mary Hart<sup>7</sup>, b. 30 Sept., 1827, died
    Hannah Maria,
              born 19 Sept., 1828, died
    Amelia White,
              born 5 Oct., 1835, died 16 Dec., 1862; mar. Joseph N. Ives.
n 10 July, 1837, died 24 Oct., 1871.
    Jacob, born
    Harriet Elizabeth.
              born 6 Oct., 1839, died
    Rebecca Howard,
              born 3 Aug., 1841, died 21 June, 1860.
    Charles Hart, b. 2 Oct., 1843, died
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GEORGE<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Benjamin<sup>5</sup>, married at Troy 5 Nov., 1845, Julia, daughter of Alanson Douglas and Ann Sutherland. She was born 17 Sept., 1823; died 4 Nov., 1904. He was born at White Creek, Washington Co., and was sent to the Friends Boarding School at Nine Partners at the age of five. Went to New York in 1822 and was in the dry goods business until 1853, living six years in Georgia. Was President of the New England Car Spring Co. from 1853 to 1868. Removed to his country seat, Lyndehurst, Irvington-on-Hudson in 1867 and died there of Brights disease. Buried in Sleepy Hollow Cemetery at Tarrytown. His widow died in New York.

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Douglas<sup>7</sup>, born 4 Dec., 1847, died
Annie Douglas,
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born 10 June, 1849, died 13 Dec., 1849. 2 Oct., 1850, died 19 Mar., 1911; mar. John Peter Haines. Mary, born

Cornelia, born 27 Oct., 1853, died 27 Oct., 1853. George William,

born 30 Aug., 1856, died 17 Jan., 1907.

Julia Douglas,

born 1 Apr., 1859, died 28 Nov., 1892; mar. Benjamin F. Dawson.

HENRY MERKITT, son of Benjamin married at Augusta, Ga., Malvina, daugh-Mahany; married 2d at Liverpool, England, Mrs. Elizabeth Johnston; married 3d at New Hope, Fla., 12 Apr., 1844, Harriet A., daughter of Ambrose Hull and Stella Hall. He was born at White Creek. Lived in Staten Island.

## Children:

Josephine, born died Robert Grinnell, born died 22 June, 1846, died Henry, born

1911.

MATTHEW FRANKLING MERRITT, son of Benjamin5, unmarried. A dry goods merchant of New York; died of southern fever; buried in Friends Burying Ground, New York.

EDWARD<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Benjamin<sup>5</sup>, married 8 Oct., 1851, Mary C., daughter of John Bird Simonson of Staten Island. Lived for some time at New Brighton. A dry goods merchant of New York, where he died; buried at Staten Island. His widow moved to Nyack, N. Y., and died there.

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Cornelia, born 11 Aug., 1852, died
                                                 ; mar. Julian O. Davidson.
Edward, born 22 Sept., 1853, died
Mary, born
               13 Oct., 1854, died
                                                ; mar. Robert J. Henderson.
George, born
               21 Feb., 1856, died
                                            1859.
Florence, born 14 July, 1857, died
                                                ; mar. Francis B. Aspinwall.
               26 Dec., 1858, died
Arthur, born
               24 Sept., 1860, died
                                            1895; mar. Rutherfurd Stewart.
Grace, born
                4 Apr., 1862, died
Alice, born
                                                ; unmarried,
Harriet A., b. 20 Apr., 1864, died
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ABRAHAM<sup>®</sup> MERRITT, son of Joseph<sup>a</sup>, married 17 June, 1813, Amanda, daughter of Bethuel Benedict; married 2d 13 Jan., 1832, Ann P., daughter of Samuel and Mary Titus of Mamaroneck. He was born near Poughkeepsie. Moved to Saratoga Co.; married Ballston in 1801. Thence to Michigan with two brothers. At Queensbury Meeting 30 Apr., 1829, Saratogo 4 Apr., 1839; moved to Bryantown, Md., in 1845. Died at Little Falls, Harford Co. Md. Children:

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Cynthia7, born 1 July, 1814, died
                                                ; mar. Edwin Mabbett.
Mary Ann, born 5 Aug., 1816, died 23 May, 1830.
Isaac H., born 22 Dec., 1818, died I Aug., 1891.
Phebe, born
                7 Feb., 1821, died
                                               ; mar. James F. Varney.
Minerva, born
                9 Dec., 1822, died
               10 Mar., 1825, died 20 Aug., 1895.
Jacob, born
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Henry B., born 10 Mar., 1827, died Aug., 1896. Amanda B., b. 21 Apr., 1830, died ; mar. Rowland G. DeVol.

JOSEPH<sup>®</sup> MERRITT, son of Joseph<sup>a</sup>, married 18 July, 1813, Phebe, daughter of Jonathan Hart. They asked for a certificate from Saratoga Meeting to Plymouth Meeting, Mich., for themselves and children, 6 Sept., 1836. He died at Battle Creek, Mich.

## Children:

Jane<sup>7</sup>, born 17 June, 1814, died William, born 19 June, 1815, died Jonathan H., b. 20 Oct., 1816, died 5 Jan., 1837. Daniel, born 22 Oct., 1818, died 7 July, 1839. Charles, born 14 Oct., 1820, died Richard B., b. 31 July, 1822, died George, born 22 Nov., 1824, died Phebe H., born 24 Jan., 1827, died 11 Feb., 1870. Joseph, born 7 Oct., 1831, died

ISAAC<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Joseph<sup>5</sup>, married Esther, daughter of Lapham. Lived at

## Children:

Lucretia L.7, born died ; mar. Harry Coleman. Isaac N., born died Lydia L., born 16 Feb., 1827, died

WILLIAM HAMILTON<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Thomas<sup>5</sup>, married at Mayville, N. Y., 13 May, 1815, Catherine, daughter of Dr. Jedediah Prendergast and Penelope Chase. She died 10 Jan., 1862. He was lieutenant of Niagara Light Dragoons and captain commanding Provincial Dragoons; taken prisoner at battle of Lundy's Lane. War of 1812. Projector and constructor of Welland Canal, 1824-9; Niagara Suspension Bridge, 1846-55, and Welland Railway, 1853-8. Chairman St. Lawrence Canals Commission, 1832. Member of Legislature, 1832-60. President of Council, 1848. Commissioner of Public Works, 1850. Legislative Council, 1860. Offered a baronetcy which he refused. Buried in Victoria Lawn Cemetery, St. Catherines. (Life, by Jedediah Merritt.) Children:

Thomas Prendergast7,

born 17 Nov., 1816, died 22 Mar., 1819.

Jedediah Prendergast,

born 1 June, 1820, died 18 Nov., 1900.

William Hamilton,

born 4 July, 1822, died 24 May, 1860.

Thomas Rodman,

born 17 Oct., 1824, died

Catherine Penelope,

born 3 June, 1829, died 19 Aug., 1830.

THOMAS<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of David Daniel<sup>5</sup>, married 1825, Catherine Eliza, daughter of Rev. Robert Norris, Rector of Cornwall, N. S. He was a great traveler and a prominent merchant of St. John, N. B. City Chamberlain for twenty-five years.

## Children:

Rebert Norris7,

born 17 Aug., 1826, died Mary Julia, b. 12 May, 1828, died

; mar. John Magee.

Catherine Lydia,

born 21 Dec., 1829, died ; mar. Charles Milner.

Thomas Gray.

born 17 Dec., 1834, died

Susan Maria, b. 4 May, 1838, died

; mar. George Hare.

David Prescott,

born 15 Feb., 1842, died

Albert, born 10 Sept., 1818, died 4 Aug., 1874. Ann Clara, b. 13 Apr., 1850, died ; mar. Rev. A. C. Nesbitt.

DAVID JABEZ<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of David Daniel<sup>2</sup>, married 1828, Fanny Cornwell, daughter of William Howe Smith and Sarah Miles. She died 9 June, 1837. Lived at St. John.

## Children:

David<sup>7</sup>, born 14 Sept., 1829, died Edward Miles, born died Julia Harrison, born died

NEHEMIAH" MERRITT, son of John<sup>a</sup>, married (?). Lived at Children (?)

THOMAS® MERRITT, son of Johns, married (?) Lived at Children (?)

GEORGE<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Nehemiah<sup>5</sup>, married Jane E., daughter of Rev. Christopher Milner, Rector of Westfield, N. B. He died in Rome, Italy.

Isabella, born died ; mar. P. W. Hawley. Elizabeth, born died Nehemiah, born died

CHARLES<sup>®</sup> MERRITT, son of Nehemiah<sup>a</sup>, married Susan, daughter of Charles Ingersoll. Lived in St. John. Left his residence to Trinity Church. No children:

NEHEMIAH<sup>®</sup> MERRITT, son of Nehemiah<sup>5</sup>, married Sarah, daughter of Charles Ingersoll. Lived at St. Catherines.

Child:

William Ingersoll7, born 8 Dec., 1846, died

CORNELIUS ROOSEVELT<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Robert<sup>5</sup>, married (?). Lived at . Children (?)

JOHN EDWARD<sup>a</sup> MERRITT, son of Robert<sup>5</sup>, married (?) Lived at Children (?)

EDWARD<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Henry<sup>5</sup>, married (?) Lived at New Rochelle. Children (?)

EDWARD SWAN<sup>a</sup>, son of Gilbert<sup>5</sup>, unmarried. Was in the Navy. Lived at

HENRY AMIZA DODD<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Gilbert<sup>5</sup>, married Josephine, daughter of Morton. Lived at No children:

GILBERT RYQUEER<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Gilbert<sup>5</sup>, unmarried. Lived at

ABRAHAM CLARKSON<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Gilbert<sup>5</sup>, unmarried. Lived in Jersey City.

JOHN<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Daniel<sup>5</sup>, married (?) Lived at Children (?)

DANIEL<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Caleb<sup>5</sup>, married (?) Went to the West. Lived at .
Children (?)

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Carpenter. She was born 4 July, 1760. Lease of his farm of 125 acres in North
   Castle from Jas. Franklyn of New York for three years, Gilbert to build a log
   house on the property and pay the taxes 25 Mar., 1789. He died at Mt. Kisco.
     James G.7, born 18 Nov., 1783, died
                      10 July, 1785, died
     Daniel, born
     Carpenter, b.
                      25 May, 1787, died
     Benjamin, born 10 May, 1789, died
     Amy, born
                      5 May, 1791, died
     Caleb. born
                      18 Mar., 1794, died
     Gilbert, born
                     26 Apr., 1797, died
     Elizabeth, born 26 Apr., 1797, died
                                                         ; mar. John Tillott.
                     22 May, 1799, died
     John, born
     Mary, born
                      2 May, 1802, died
     Rachel, born
                     23 Apr., 1805, died
CALEB<sup>a</sup> MERRITT, son of Caleb<sup>a</sup>, married
                                                           Elizabeth, daughter of Tim-
   othy Carpenter and Hannah Ferris. He moved to Ohio and died there.
   Children:
     Hannah<sup>7</sup>, born
                                     died
     Phebe, born
                                     died
     Mary, born
                                     died
     Lucretia, born
                                     died
     Caroline, born
                                     died
     John, born
                                     died
     Deborah, born
                                    died
                                                        ; mar. Jesse Carpenter.
MULMOUTH MERRITT, son of Caleb, married
                                                                    , daughter of Peter
  Dischs. Lived at
   Children:
     Deborah<sup>7</sup>, born
                                    died
     Samuel, born
                                    died
     Caleb, born
                                    died
JEAN" MERRITT, son of Caleb, married (?) He was a tory and not heard of
   since the Revolution.
   Children (?)
ANDREW MERRITT, son of Caleb, married 22 Dec., 1708, Charlotte, daughter
  of
                  Whelpley. She was born 17 Feb., 1779; died
                                                                        1876. He died
  псаг Ангога, N. Y.
  Children:
     Panina7. born 15 Feb., 1800, died
                                                    1853.
    Wilson, born
                     25 Feb., 1802, died
    Abijah W., b. 15 Feb., 1804, died
Elizabeth S., b. 17 Oct., 1805, died
                                                    1883.
    Daniel S., born 28 Jan., 1807, died
                                                    1894.
    Jane O., born
John T., born
                      1 July, 1808, died
                     27 July, 1810, died
                                                    1854.
     Thomas O., born 5 Aug., 1811, died
                                                    1862.
    Noah C., born 23 Jan., 1813, died
                                                    1865.
                     26 May, 1815, died
     Henry W., b.
    Deborah Ann,
                                                                   White.
               born 2 July, 1817, died
                                                    ; mar.
    Andrew L., born 8 Feb., 1819, died
                      3 May, 1821, died young.
    Edward, born
    Sarah, born
                      3 May, 1821, died
ABIJAH<sup>a</sup> MERRITT, son of Caleb<sup>5</sup>, married 14 Oct., 1808, Ruth, daughter of Moses Carpenter. She was born 5 Aug., 1787; died 11 Oct., 1859. He died at
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Seba, daughter of Caleb

GILBERT<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Caleb<sup>5</sup>, married

New Castle, N. Y.

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Children:
      Elizabeth7, b.
                        25 Aug., 1809, died
                        22 July, 1812, died 22 June, 1894.
      Caleb, born
      Coles, born 14 Sept., 1815, died 22 Dec., 1835.
William C., born 5 June, 1820, died 22 Nov., 1842.
EBENEZER" MERRITT, son of Daniels, married 17 Aug., 1783, Cynthia, daughter
    of Willis. She was born 29 July, 1765; died 7 Mar., 1834. He was born at Port Chester. Captain of a packet from New York to Albany, 1790.
    Daniel Delavan sold land to Ebenezer Merritt of Mount Pleasant 12 Mar., 1812.
    (White Plains Lib. U.)
    Children:
      Daniel<sup>7</sup>, born 19 Oct., 1784, died 30 Apr., 1849.
                                                       1834.
      Willis, born
                        12 Mar., 1786, died
                                                  Dec., 1860.
                        19 June, 1789, died
      Lavinia, born
                        2 Oct., 1791, died 16 Mar., 1793.
22 Dec., 1793, died Oct., 1857.
      Mary, born
      Phebe, born
                                                  Oct., 1857.
      Ebenezer W., b. 12 July, 1796, died
                                                4 May, 1812.
      Cynthia W., b. 22 Dec., 1798, died
      Ann Eliza, born 4 Apr., 1801, died 22 Feb., 1861; mar.
                                                                               Wood.
      Washington, b. 11 Dec., 1802, died 11 June, 1803.
      Henry W., b. 19 Mar., 1804, died 16 July, 1854.
      John Willis, b. 4 July, 1806, died 16 Nov., 1878.
      Wesley, born 22 Mar., 1809, died 10 Feb., 1883.
      Charles W., b. 21 May, 1812, died
                                                  Арг., 1882.
ANDERSON® MERRITT, son of Reubens, married
                                                                          Sarah, daughter of
   Jotham C. Carpenter of North Castle. Lived at
   Children:
      Susan<sup>7</sup>, born
                                        died
                                                                              Stebbins.
                                                              : mar.
      Esther, born
                                         died
      Angeline, born
                                        died
                                                              ; mar. William Briggs.
                                        died
      Serena, born
                                                              ; unmarried.
      Charity, born
                                        died
                                                              : unmarried
                                        died
      Sarah M., born
JOHN<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Reuben<sup>5</sup>, married Jane, daughter of Samuel and Phebe Cheeseman of New York. He was churchwarden of St. Stephens, North
   Castle, 1844.
   Children:
      Samuel Cheeseman7.
                born 1 Mar., 1821, died 1 Jan., 1881.

i. b. 20 July, 1823, died 9 Aug., 1829;

born 18 Mar., 1826, died ;
     Frances E., b.
                                               9 Aug., 1829; mar. Dr. E. Losee.
     Mary E., born
                                                             ; mar. Henry Vail.
                                               3 Apr., 1865.
     William E., b. 13 Mar., 1829, died
     Edward, born 13 Mar., 1829, died
Francis E., born 7 May, 1832, died
                                                  Aug., 1829.
JAMES DIGBY's MERRITT, son of Reubens, married
                                                                           Hannah, daughter
                   Brookfield of Rahway, N. J. Lived at
   of
   Children:
     Milton, born
                                        died
     Albert, born
                                        died
     Laura, born
                                 1821, died
     Cornelia, born
                                        died
                                                              ; mar. James A. Sherman.
     Mary Augusta, b. Apr., 1827, died
                                                                              Cramer.
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LEWIS MERRITT, son of Reubens, unmarried. Lived at

JOTHAM<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Jotham<sup>5</sup>, married Nov., 1838, Elizabeth, daughter of Benjamin Page of Greenwich. Lived at

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Children:
    Robert Tucker7, b. Oct., 1839, died
                                                  1868.
     James Welles, born
                             1842, died
                             1814, died
     Caroline, born
                                                       : mar. Geo. C. Hayden.
    Joseph Randolph, born 1847, died
    Ghierstein, born
                             1852, died
                                                  1864.
WILSON® MERRITT, son of Nathan®, married
                                                         Mary, daughter of
   Lived in Madison St., New York. A grocer, conveyed all his goods to his cred-
   itors 3 Feb., 1812. (New York Lib. 99, p. 154.) Buried in Friends' Cemetery,
   Houston St.
   Children:
     Ann Eliza<sup>7</sup>, born
                                   died
    Susan U., born
                                   died
                                                      ; mar. Merritt Leech.
    Amelia, born
                                   died
                                                      ; mar. Pelatiah Page.
    Joseph U., born
                                   died
                                                  1830.
    Nathan James, born
                                   died
    Mary S., born 30 Aug., 1827, died
BENJAMIN<sup>a</sup> MERRITT, son of Nathan<sup>a</sup>, married 8 Jan., 1812, Fanny, daughter
                                                        . Made his Will 15 Aug.,
  of Isaac and Elizabeth Green. Lived at
  1832; moved 22 Sept., 1832. (Poughkeepsie Lib. I., p. 225.)
  Children:
    William G.7, b. 20 July, 1814, died 27 July, 1865.
    Elisha B., born 13 Mar., 1823, died 22 Nov., 1885.
ELISHA B. MERRITT, son of Nathans, married 1 Dec., 1828, Elizabeth, daughter
  of Samuel W. Coe; married 2d her sister Catherine. Lived at
  Children:
    Edwin C.7, born 8 Aug., 1832, died 28 Sept., 1834.
Benjamin E., b. 6 Sept., 1834, died 25 Apr., 1889.
    Elizabeth, born 29 Oct., 1844, died 1 Nov., 1844.
JOSEPH W." MERRITT, son of Nathans, married
                                                              . Lived at
  Children:
    Nathan, born
                                   died
                                                      ; mar.
    Jane, born
                                   died
                                                                    Sands.
                                                                    Blackman.
    Susan, born
                                   died
                                                      ; mar.
    Emma, born
                                   died
                                                                    Clayton.
                                                      ; mar.
    Harriet, born
                                   died
                                                      ; mar. Jos. Banks.
    James, born
                                   died
JAMES<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Nathan<sup>5</sup>, married (?). Lived at
  Children (?)
HENRY MERRITT. son of Joseph 5, married
                                                       Maria, daughter of
  Ogden. Lived at
                                . Moved to Mobile, Ala., in 1817.
  Child:
    Alabama Wilmot<sup>7</sup>, born
                                  died
                                                     : mar.
                                                                    Smith.
JOHN J. MERRITT, son of Joseph<sup>5</sup>, married (?). Buried in Ridge St. Cemetery.
  Children (?)
IAMES H. MERRITT, son of Joseph<sup>5</sup>, married
                                                         Hannah, daughter of John
  Fitz Randolph. She was born about 1805. He was lame. Kept a country store
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on corner now owned by Whitelaw Reid. Buried in Ridge St. Cemetery.

GILBERT<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Anderson<sup>2</sup>, married (?). Lived at

Three Children.

Children (?)

JAMES<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Jeremiah<sup>6</sup>, married Jan., 1806, Anna, daughter of Jeremiah Whitney and Elizabeth Underhill. Lived at Friends' Cemetery, Rosendale. . Buried in Children: Elizabeth<sup>7</sup>, b. 11 Feb., 1807,-died 7 Mar., 1869; mar. James Horton. Jeremiah W., b. 16 Oct., 1808, died 2 Mar., 1886. Daniel, born 1 July, 1810, died 1 Jan., 1835. Bethany, born 24 July, 1812, died ; mar. Isaac Tilson. Prudence, born 17 Oct., 1813, died 24 Oct., 1860; mar. Isaac Sutton. Sarah, born 7 Aug., 1815, died James Whitney, born died Anna Margaret, ; mar. Sylvanus Ronk. born 29 Nov., 1829, died EDWARD<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Jeremiah<sup>5</sup>, unmarried. Lived at THOMAS<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Jeremiah<sup>5</sup>, married Hannah, daughter of Thorne. Lived at Plattekill. Children: Anna Maria<sup>7</sup>, born 1810, died 1830. 1812, died Eliza, born 1854. John Thorne, born dicd NATHANIEL® MERRITT, son of Jeremiah®, unmarried. Lived at A horse fell on him and he died from amputation of the leg, or from consump-DANIEL® MERRITT, son of Jeremiah®, unmarried. Lived at Paughwaughtenonk. JEREMIAH® MERRITT, son of Jeremiah®, married , daughter of Woodminsor. Son: died –. born JEREMIAH<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Adam<sup>5</sup>, married Maria, daughter of Sellick. She was born 26 Mar., 1790; died 18 Dec., 1871. He lived at Rye; buried in King St. Cemetery. Children: Sarah Maria<sup>7</sup>, born 1819, died 31 Dec., 1836. ANDERSON® MERRITT, son of Adams, married Hannah, daughter of 1797, died 23 Sept., 1877. He Hatfield or Fisher. She was born lived at Rye; buried in King St. Cemetery. Children: Gilbert7, born died Phebe, born died Dolly, born died WILLIAM A.6 MERRITT, son of Adam5, married (?) Lived at Rye; buried in King St. Cemetery. Children (?) ELIJAH<sup>a</sup> MERRITT, son of John<sup>5</sup>, married Miner. Lived at Maria, daughter of Samuel Children: Harvey, born died Phineas, born died

Jane, daughter of

PHINEAS<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of John<sup>5</sup>, married

Gibson. Lived at

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Children:
     Edward L.7, born
                                       died
     Louisa G., born
                                       died
     Charles A., born
                                       died
     Zachary Taylor, born
                                       died
CURTIS<sup>a</sup> MERRITT, son of John<sup>a</sup>, married Deborah W., daughter of Platt of Huntington, L. I. Lived at Rye and Brooklyn. Had a store at Byram
   Point, Ryc.
   Children:
     George Platt<sup>7</sup>, born
                                       dicd
     Charles Mortimer, born
                                       died
     Emma Jane, born
                                       died
     Cornelia Josephine, born
                                       died
CLARK S.6 MERRITT, son of John<sup>6</sup>, married
                                                           Hannah, daughter of
   Platt; married 2d Emily, daughter of William Parker. Lived at Rye. Buried at
   Port Chester.
   Children:
     Mary Elizabeth<sup>7</sup>, born
                                       died
     Robinia, born
                                       died
     Sawyer, born
                                       died
     Hannah Matilda, born
                                       died
                                       died
     Clark S., born
     Irene, born
                                       died
MUNSON® MERRITT, son of Johns, married
                                                              1840, Ann Jane, daughter of
             Davis; married 2d, Ann, daughter of
                                                                Boylen. Lived at
   Children:
     Howard B.7, b. 4 May, 1841, died Salome, born 27 Jan., 1843, died
     Juliette, born 20 June, 1847, died 8 May, 1848.
     Henrietta H., b. 31 July, 1850, died
     Clara J., born 10 June, 1853, died 17 June, 18—; mar. Charles G. Van Ness. Henry A., born 9 Aug., 1855, died
     William M., born
JOHN<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of John<sup>5</sup>, married
                                                         Lavinia, daughter of
   Mead. Lived at
   Children:
     George<sup>7</sup>, born
                                       died
     Mary, born
                                       died
DANIEL<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Daniel<sup>5</sup>, married Collins. Lived at
                                                            Eliza, daughter of
   Children:
     Daniel7, born
                                       died
     Phebe, born
                                       died
EBENEZER® MERRITT, son of Daniels, married
                                                               Eliza, daughter of
   Bogart. Lived at
   Children:
     George<sup>7</sup>, born
                                       died
     Andrew, born
                                       died
     Ann Amelia, born
                                       died 12 Mar., 1831.
     Ann Amelia, born
                                       died 22 June, 1839.
     Ann Amelia, born
                                       died
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HENRY<sup>®</sup> MERRITT, son of Daniel<sup>®</sup>, married 11 Dec., 1854, Sarah Ann, daughter of Solomon Mead.

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Child:
     Henry A.7, born 10 Mar., 1863, died
JOHN AUGUSTUS<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Daniel<sup>5</sup>, married
                                                                           Elizabeth, daugh-
   ter of
                        Miller.
   Children:
     John H.7, born
                                        died
     Edward B., born
                                        died
      Daniel, born
                                        died
     Winfield, born
                                        died
     Eugene, born
                                        died
ABRAHAM<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Abraham<sup>5</sup>, married
                                                                       Abigail, daughter of
                  Newman. Lived at
   Children (?)
BENJAMIN6 MERRITT, son of Abraham5, married
                                                                         Maria, daughter of
                  Palmer. Lived at
   Children (?)
JAMES<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Abraham<sup>5</sup>, married (?) Lived at
   Children (?)
DANIEL® MERRITT, son of Abrahams, married (?) Lived at
   Children (?)
WILLIAM<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Jesse<sup>5</sup>, married
                                                            Jane A., daughter of
   Hancock. Lived at
   Children:
     Wesley<sup>7</sup>, born
                                        died
     Sylvester, born
                                        died
                                        died
     Hattie, born
     Ann, born
                                        died
                                        died
     Mary J., born
     John O., born
                                        died
KNAPP<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Jesse<sup>3</sup>, married
                                                             Phebe, daughter of
   Miner. Lived at
   Children:
     Aba<sup>7</sup>, born
                                        died
      Washingon, born
                                        died
                                        died
     Annie, born
      Charles, born
                                        died
     Caroline born
                                        died
     Henry J., born
                                        died
HICKSON<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Jesse<sup>2</sup>, married 1811, Hannah, daughter of Matthew Mead and Nancy Hobby. She was born 6 July, 1791, died 26 June,
   1860. Lived at Greenwich.
   Children:
     Hickson<sup>7</sup>, born 3 Jan., 1812, died
Nancy, born 17 Jan., 1813, died
Sally, born 17 Feb., 1815, died young.
                                                            ; mar. Benayah Denton.
     Hannah C., b.
                      10 June, 1817, died
     Roswell Ingersol,
                 born 10 June, 1817, died
                     10 Dec., 1820, died
     Susan, born
                                                            ; mar. Purdy Lyon.
     Matthew, born 3 Nov., 1822, died
     Henry Sands, born
                                       died
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died

Brooks, born

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ABRAHAM® MERRITT, son of Joshua<sup>5</sup>, married (?) Lived at Port Chester.
   Children (?)
DAVID<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Joshua<sup>5</sup>, married (?) Lived at Port Chester.
   Children (?)
JOSEPH<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Joshua<sup>5</sup>, married
                                                      Elizabeth, daughter of
   Lived at Port Chester, 1889.
   Children:
     Wyman<sup>7</sup>, born 4 Feb., 1849, died
James E., born 4 May, 1851, died
     Joshua, born 28 Aug., 1853, died
     William, born 22 July, 1855, died
     Charles R., born
                                    died
     Samuel L., born
                                    died
     Richard, born
                                    died
     Ezra, born
                                    died
                                    died
     Alexander H., born
DANIEL S. MERRITT, son of Abrahams, married
                                                                 Charity, daughter of
   Gilbert Totten. Lived at Port Chester; buried in New Union Cemetery.
  No children:
     Adopted Daniel S., who died 14 Sept., 1835, aged nine.
JAMES<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Abraham<sup>5</sup>, married
                                                            1825, Nancy, daughter of
   Reuben Green. Lived at Port Chester and was keeper of Captain's Island Light
   from 1835 to 1844; buried in New Union Cemetery.
   Children:
     Sniffen 7. born 7 Apr., 1828, died 10 Apr., 1886.
     Edward D., born
                                    died
     Sarah E., born
                                    died
                                                        : mar. Staats Tompkins.
                                                        ; mar. William H. Wessels.
     Martha, born
                                    died
     Sarah, boru
                                    died
                                                        ; mar. John S. Wessels.
DARIUS<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Abraham<sup>5</sup>, married (?) Lived at
  Children (?)
THOMAS® MERRITT, son of James, married (?) Lived at
   Children (?)
JOSEPH<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of James, married (?) Lived at
   Children (?)
NEHEMIAH<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of James<sup>5</sup>, married (?) Lived at
   Children (?)
JOSIAH<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Underhill<sup>5</sup>, married 29 Mar., 1817, Catherine, daugh-
  ter of
                     Fowler. He moved to Monterey, Cal., and was County Judge.
   Children:
     Caleb<sup>7</sup>, born
                    11 Sept., 1817, died
     Underhill, born 8 Dec., 1818, died 20 Nov., 1887.
     James Fowler, b. 8 Mar., 1820, died
     Daniel, born
                      8 Dec., 1821, died
                                          7 May, 1867.
     Elizabeth, born 21 Aug., 1824, died
     Sylvanus, born
DANIEL<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Underhill<sup>5</sup>, married 22 Feb., 1828, Eliza, daughter
  οf
               Hait. She was born 26 Apr., 1802, died 5 Aug., 1891. Lived at
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Hiram<sup>7</sup>, born 12 Nov., 1826, died 29 July, 1902.

Children:

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Mary J., born 12 Feb., 1829, died
                                                         ; mar. Daniel Macfarland.
     Daniel H., born 1 Jan., 1835, died
     Theodore, born 15 July, 1837, died
UNDRILL<sup>a</sup> MERRITT, son of Morris<sup>a</sup>, married (?). Lived at
   Children (?)
CALEB MERRITT, son of Morris, married
   LEB<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Morris<sup>5</sup>, married Henrietta, daughter of Teunis Houghtaling; married 2d, 18 Jan., 1873, Kachel S., daughter of
   Johnson. He settled at Hurley, 1827; Kingston 1832.
     James O.7, born 5 Apr., 1829, died
     John U., born 20 Aug., 1831, died 15 May, 1891.
     Thomas H., born 1 Feb., 1834, died
     William B., born 4 Apr., 1836, died
Blandina E., b. 24 May, 1838, died
                                                          ; mar. Titus Myer.
     Ann Elizabeth,
                                                          ; mar. Dewitt Newkirk.
                born 5 Aug., 1840, died
                      7 May, 1842, died 26 Apr., 1888.
     Abram, born
     Jeremiah Krom,
                born 29 Apr., 1844, died
     Sarah, born
                      20 May, 1848, died
                                                          ; mar. Hezekiah Burhans.
     Charles, born 30 Mar., 1850, died
JUSTUS R. MERRITT, son of Morris, married
                                                               1837, Mary Ann, daugh-
                      Kunn. Lived at
   Children:
     Peter, born 30 Jan., 1838, died 3 Dec., 1887.
     George B., born 19 Dec., 1839, died
     Cornelius O., b. 30 Mar., 1844, died
JOHN T. MERRITT, son of Morris, married
                                                            Sarah, daughter of
   Everson. Lived at
   Children:
     David7, born
                                     died
     Harriet, born
                                     died
                                     died
     Joseph, born
CHARLES<sup>®</sup> MERRITT, son of Morris<sup>5</sup>, married (?). Lived at
   Children (?)
MORRIS T.6 MERRITT, son of Morris5, married
                                                             Eveline, daughter of
   Fuller. Lived at
   Children (?)
WILLIAM<sup>®</sup> MERRITT, son of Samuel<sup>3</sup>, married (?) Lived at
   Children (?)
DANIEL<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Samuel<sup>5</sup>, married 12 Oct., 1831, Janette, daughter of
   John Wilson. Lived at
   Children:
     Daniel H.7, b. 29 Sept., 1833, died
     Margaret, born
                                     died
     Elizabeth, born 20 June, 1837, died 12 Oct., 1845.
     John W., born 27 Apr., 1836, died July, 1836.
Charles Orval, 29 Sept., 1846, died 11 June, 1862.
                                              July, 1836.
                                                         ; mar. Charles D. Hudson.
     Mary Ella, born 17 Feb., 1849, died
     Emma Janette, b. 8 Aug., 1851, died
                                                          ; mar. George L. Goulding.
GILBERT<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Samuel<sup>5</sup>, married (?) Lived at
   Children (?)
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FREDERICK S. MERRITT, son of Humphreys, married 4 Sept., 1830, Elizabeth,
    daughter of
                           Crance. Lived at
    Children:
      William Edgar,
                born 28 July, 1831, died
      Oscar Jennings,
               born 20 Oct., 1833, died
      James C., born 14 Jan., 1842, died
      Frederick E., b. 11 May, 1847, died
 FOWLER® MERRITT, son of Humphreys, married
                                                              . Lived at
    Child:
      Mortimer7.born
                                   died
 ALFRED® MERRITT, son of Humphreys, married
                                                              . Lived at
      William Augustus7, born
                                   died
 NATHANIEL<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Humphrey<sup>5</sup>, married (?) Lived at
    Children (?)
 DANIEL S.6 MERRITT, son of Humphreys, married (?) Lived at
    Children (?)
 HENRY S. MERRITT, son of Humphreys, married (?) Lived at
    Children (?)
 SAMUEL F.º MERRITT, son of Humphreys, married (?) Lived at
    Children (?)
 ISAAC H.6 MERRITT, son of Humphrey5, married (?). Lived at
    Children (?)
 DAVID® MERRITT, son of Johns, married (?) Lived at
    Children (?)
GIDEON H.6 MERRITT, son of Johns, married
                                                        Mary, daughter of
    Duke of Greenfield, N. Y. Lived at
    Children:
      John R.7, born 29 July, 1813, died
      Henry D., born
                                   died
      Pamelia A., born
Edmund P. D., born
                                   died
                                   died
      Orris I., born
                                   died
      Willet S., born
                                   died
      Count D. C., born
                                   died
      Emmet, born
                                   died
 ZENAS<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of John<sup>5</sup>, married
                                                    Keziah, daughter of
    Horton. Lived at
    Children (?)
 ALVA<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of John<sup>5</sup>, married
                                                 Elizabeth, daughter of John Bush.
    She was born Mar., 1799, died Feb., 1870. He moved to Ohio and died there.
    Children:
      William<sup>7</sup>, born
                        Oct., 1818, died
                                           Nov., 1818.
      Julia, born
                        Oct., 1818, died
                                           Nov., 1818.
                                           Apr., 1870; mar. William Palmer.
      Hannah M., born Nov., 1819, died
      Charles G., born Apr., 1824, died
                                           July, 1876.
      Sidney W., born 8 Dec., 1825, died
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George H.; born 1827, died Sept., 1832. Reuben A., b. 14 Dec., 1829, died GEORGE<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of John<sup>5</sup>, married 30 Sept., 1826, Emeline, daughter of Gilbert Conklin. She was born 1 June, 1804. Lived and died in New York. Children: Gilbert<sup>7</sup>, born 6 July, 1827, died 17 July, 1827. George C., born 30 Aug., 1829, died Gilbert R., born 30 July, 1831, died John W., born 27 May, 1834, died Stephen, born 15 Jan., 1836, died 29 Nov., 1878. Charles F., born 5 Jan., 1839, died Mary E., born 27 Aug., 1842, died Augusta, born 2 Oct., 1845, died REUBEN<sup>a</sup> MERRITT, son of John<sup>5</sup>, married Rose. Lived at Olive, daughter of Children (?) JAMES MERRITT, son of Johns, married daughter of Van Noy. Lived at Children (?) JAMES D. MERRITT, son of Gabriels, married 23 Nov., 1843, Delia A., daughter Moore. Lived at Children: Susan R.7, born died EDWARD ALGER<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Gabriel<sup>5</sup>, married 1 Feb., 1843, Emeline. daughter of John Kniffen and Mary Wygant. Lived at Children: J. C., born died GABRIEL<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Gabriel<sup>5</sup>, married 28 Feb., 1847, Mary Elizabeth, Flewelling; married 2d, Eliza Jane, daughter of Puddington. Moved to St. John, N. B. Children: Joseph Flewelling\*, born 8 Feb., 1849, died William Hawkesley, born 28 Oct., 1850, died Julia Ann, born 29 Mar., 1852, died 23 Apr., 1906; mar. Thomas Armstrong. Edward Henry, born 22 Apr., 1854, died 27 Nov., 1895. Gabriel Wetmore, born 14 Jan., 1857, died Frank Stanley, born 16 Jan., 1864, died CHARLES WILLIAM<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Gabriel<sup>5</sup>, married 9 Jan., 1861, Mary Elizabeth, daughter of Lane. Lived at Children: Fanny H.7, born died -, born died

JOSIAH H.º MERRITT, son of Josiahs, married 26 Nov., 1828, Charlotte, daughter of Wandell. Lived at

Thirteen children.

LEGREE<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of Josiah<sup>5</sup>, married Feb., 1840, Phebe, daughter of Carpenter. Lived at

Five children.

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JOHN N. MERRITT, son of Josiah married 27 Sept., 1841, Hannah, daughter of Weddle; married 2d, Cornelia, daughter of Sedgwick
   Lived at
   Ten children.
CHARLES D.º MERRITT, son of Josiah<sup>5</sup>, married Church; married 2d, Mary, daughter of
                                                                      1852, Emma, daughter of
                                                                      Scott. Lived at
    Children (?)
JOHN® MERRITT, son of David I.5, unmarried. Lived at
HENRY MERRITT, son of David I.5, married Jan., 1843, Mary J., daughter of
    George Birdsell. Lived at Marlborough.
    Children:
      Margaret, b. 22 Feb., 1846, died George E., b. 31 Dec., 1847, died
      Annie E., born
Lucy G., born
                         7 Sept., 1850, died
8 Jan., 1853, died
      Augustus M., b. 16 Feb., 1856, died
Luther, born 16 July, 1858, died
                         16 July, 1858, died
                         7 Apr., 1861, died 2 July, 1877.
6 Dec., 1865, died
4 Mar., 1868, died
      Frank, born
                                                                ; mar. S. G. Johnson.
      Jessie, born
      Henry, born
JOSIAH<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of David I.<sup>5</sup>, married
                                                                  Ellen M., daughter of John
   Kniffen. Lived at
    Children:
      Mary A.7, born 4 Jan., 1844, died
                                                                ; mar. Charles D. Wygant.
      David Frederick,
      born 22 Nov., 1846, died
Sarah E., born 2 May, 1849, died
Anna M., born 20 May, 1852, died
                                                                ; mar. Charles W. Crane.
CHARLES<sup>6</sup> MERRITT, son of David L.5, married Morgan. Lived at
                                                                        Elizabeth, daughter of
    Children:
      Isabella<sup>7</sup>, born
George S., born
                                   1847, died young.
                                   1849, died
1851, died
      Theron, born
                                                           1889.
      Edith, born
                                   1853, died
      Morgan, born
                                   1855, died
                                   1857, died
1859, died
1861, died
      Olivia, born
                                                                ; mar. Crawford Dobbs.
      Elmer J., born
      Mary Alice, born
                                                                ; mar. Edward Stone.
AUGUSTUS<sup>®</sup> MERRITT, so nof David I.5, married
                                                                           Mary, daughter of
                   Hoar. Lived at Cleveland, O.
    Children:
      Sarah E.7, born
                                          died
      Mary, born
                                          died
      Rose, born
                                          died
7. JOHN? MERRITT, son of Jonathans, married
                                                                        . Lived at
    Child:
      John<sup>8</sup>, born
                                        . died
SILVANUS MERRITT, son of Jonathans, married
                                                                           Delilah, daughter of
    Gilbert Merritt. Lived at Port Chester; buried in New Union Cemetery.
    Children:
      Roberts, born
                                          died
      William, born
                                          died
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Maria, born died JOTHAM' MERRITT, son of Jonathan', married 1818, Sarah, daughter of Maybee and Amy Merritt. Lived at Children: Caleb Seymour<sup>8</sup>, born 17 Sept., 1820, died James Mortimer, born 1822, died Amanda, born 1824, died Mar., 1884; mar. Frank Hawley. Jotham Lewis, born 1826, died Alpheus, born 1832, died ISRAEL<sup>7</sup> MERRITT, son of Jonathan<sup>6</sup>, married Lucretia, daughter of . Died in New York. . Lived at Children: Hamilton<sup>8</sup>, born 1796, died William H., born died Isaac B., born 1794, died Israel, born 14 Aug., 1800, died Betsey Ann, born died DAVID' MERRITT, son of Stephen', married (?) Lived at Children (?) SILVANUS7 MERRITT, son of Stephen6, married (?). Lived at Children (?) TIMOTHY7 MERRITT, son of Stephen6, married (.). Lived at Children (?) STEPHEN<sup>7</sup> MERRITT, son of Stephen<sup>6</sup>; married (?). Lived at Children (?) GILBERT' MERRITT, son of Stephene, married (?). Lived at Children (?) EZEKIEL K.7 MERRITT, son of Stephen<sup>6</sup>, married (?). Lived at Children (?) JOHN? MERRITT, son of John<sup>6</sup>, married (?). Lived at Children (?) EZEKIEL? MERRITT, son of Johno, married (?). Lived at Children (?) DANIEL: MERRITT, son of Daniels, married Hannah, daughter of Joseph Banks. Lived at Rye; buried at Ridge St. Cemetery. Children: Daniel E.s. born . died Four daughters. EZRA B.7 MERRITT, son of Daniel<sup>6</sup>, married daughter of Washburn. Lived at Rye; buried in Ridge St. Cemetery. Children (?) JOSEPH<sup>7</sup> MERRITT, son of Daniel<sup>6</sup>, married Lockwood. Lived at Rye; buried Ridge St. Cemetery. daughter of

died

Caroline, born

Children (?)

WILLIAM HARVEY' MERRITT, son of John C.G, married Calvary Church, New York, 25 Nov., 1866, Anna Maria, daughter of James L. Varick. She died 22 Aug., 1898. He was a tea merchant at 81 Front St., New York. Children:

Anna Marias,

born 10 Apr., 1869, died 22 Aug., 1898; mar. William Cummings. Edith Agnes, b. 23 Mar., 1883, died

DANIEL SMITH? MERRITT, son of John C.c, married St. Andrews Church, Philadelphia, 12 May, 1863, Emma, daughter of George N. Allen. Lived at 28 East 22nd St.

Children:

James Smith<sup>4</sup>, born 7 Feb., 1864, died . 1024 Ridge St., Philadelphia.

JOHN ALFRED? MERRITT, son of John C.6, unmarried. Lived at

WILLIAM HENRY? MERRITT, son of William T.º, married 2 Apr., 1872, Louisa, daughter of James and Ann Scrymser of New York. He was lost in the "Atlantic" off Newfoundland, I Apr., 1873.

RODMAN7 MERRITT, son of William T.6, married Amanda, daughter of Lanning of Wilkesbarre, Pa. Lived at

No children:

PHILIP HART: MERRITT, son of Isaace, married Sarah Eliza, daughter of Willis Haviland and Phebe Searing. Lived at Millbrook.

Children:

Eliza Hart8, b. 7 Feb., 1855, died 13 May, 1858. Caroline Vanderberg, born 15 Nov., 1860, died

ALFRED TREDWAY' MERRITT, son of Isaac', married Sarah, daughter of Platt Sutherland. Lived at Millbrook.

Children:

Kate<sup>8</sup>, born 12 Feb., 1851, died ; mar. Joseph D. Evans. Lydia Sutherland, born 26 July, 1853, died ; mar. Thomas J. Haviland. Marianna, born 24 Oct., 1869, died 18 Mar., 1908; mar. Frank A. Farwell.

CHARLES F.7 MERRITT, son of Isaace, married Amanda, daughter of Blake. Lived at

No children.

WILLIAM HOWARD? MERRITT, son of Isaac6, married 23 Oct., 1862, Cora, Mabbett. Lived at daughter of No children.

RICHARD P.7 MERRITT, son of Isaaca, married 26 Apr., 1806, Harriet F., daugh-Frost. Lived at ter of

Children:

Richard P.<sup>8</sup>, b. 21 May, 1872, died 13 Dec., 1876. Eliza Hart, b. 22 Mar., 1876, died Grace Frost, b. 12 Feb., 1878, died

Anna Vail, born 1 Oct., 1880, died ; mar. Edward H. Worth.

ISAAC N.º MERRITT, son of Isaac", married 25 Oct., 1881, Almira, daughter of Henderson. Lived at

Children:

Elizabeth White8,

born 13 Mar., 1884, died

; mar. Arthur G. Pendleton.

Howard Henderson,

born 8 June, 1887, died

DANIEL T.º MERRITT, son of Isaac<sup>a</sup>, married 10 Feb., 1886, Ella, daughter of Samuel T. and Anna K. Valentine of Brooklyn; children, 2 daughters. Lived at ... Married 2d, 25 Apr., 1901, Fanny Gordon, daughter of

Howard.

Children:

Louise Howards,

born 6 Jan., 1903, died

Daniel Gordon, born

died

TITUS? MERRITT, son of Daniel N.\*, married (?). Lived at Children (?)

HENRY' MERRITT, son of Daniel N.\*, married (?). Lived at Children (?)

FRANKLIN' MERRITT, son of Daniel N.º, married (?). Lived at Children (?)

NEHEMIAH? MERRITT, son of Daniel N.\*, married (?). Lived at He was in the army and died in Atlanta near the close of the war. Children (?)

THERON MERRITT, son of Jacob T. married ter of Theodotus and Jane Burnwell. Lived at

Children:

Henry Cowless,

born 11 June, 1863, died

Julia, born 22 Jan., 1866, died

Jane B., born 20 Aug., 1867, died

ROLAND MERRITT, son of Jacob T.6, married 14 June, 1865, Charlotte B., daughter of Theodotus and Jane Burnwell. Lived at Tuckahoe. Children:

Mary E.s, born 6 May, 1870, died

Alexander M.,

born 31 Mar., 1872, died 18 Jan., 1873.

Jessie Thorne,

born 25 Nov., 1874, died

Emily E., born 11 July, 1877, died

Roland, born 11 Mar., 1882, died 30 Jan., 1883.

SCHUYLER MERRITT, son of Matthew Frankling, married 21 Oct., 1879, Fanny, daughter of Joseph B. Hoyt and Katherine Krom. Lives at Stamford, Conn. Yale & Town Mfg. Co.

Children:

Louise Hoyt8, b. 7 Sept., 1880, died

Katherine Krom,

born 9 Jan., 1886, died

HENRY FROST: MERRITT, son of Edwards, unmarried. Lived at

ALBERT AKIN' MERRITT, son of Edward', married (?). Lived at Children (?)

ARTHUR D. MERRITT, son of George<sup>6</sup>, married 15 Oct., 1872, Eliza A., daughter of Hudson. Lived at Five children.

WILLIAM S.7 MERRITT, son of George<sup>6</sup>, married 10 Feb., 1891, Nellie R., daughter of Lathrop. Lived at

Child.

EDWARD7 MERRITT, son of Brundagen, married Kate, daughter of Hoadley; married 2d, Deborah, daughter of Miller. Lived at Children (?)

ABRAHAM7 MERRITT, son of Brundage6, married 19 Jan., 1852, Fidelia, daugh-Bunday; married 2d, Annie, daughter of Vergne. Lived in Cataraugus Co. Children:

GEORGE? MERRITT, son of Brundages, married 18 Oct., 1854, Catherine E., daughter of Reuben Hoombeck. Lived at Warwarsing. Children:

Onslow Man<sup>8</sup>. born 16 Dec., 1855, died

Annie B., born 14 May, 1859, died

JAMES MERRITT, son of Brundages, unmarried. Lived at

MORGAN7 MERRITT, son of Brundage<sup>6</sup>, married 1867, Emily, daughter of Sameul Shaw. Lived at Children (?)

WILLIAM? MERRITT, son of Brundage<sup>6</sup>, married (?). Lived at Children (?)

JACOB? MERRITT, son of Nehemiahs, married (?). Lived at Syracuse. Children (?)

IOHN D.7 MERRITT, son of William L.6, married Sarah, daughter of Van Wagenen. Lived in Washington. Children (?)

JOHN MERRITT, son of Consider Morgan<sup>6</sup>, married (?). Lived at Children (?)

JULIAN? MERRITT, son of Consider Morgan<sup>a</sup>, unmarried. Lived at

WILLIAM? MERRITT, son of Consider Morgan<sup>6</sup>, unmarried. Lived at

CHARLES<sup>7</sup> MERRITT, son of Daniel<sup>6</sup>, married daughter of McIntyre. Children (?)

ABRAHAM B.7 MERRITT, son of Isaac A.9, married Mary C., daughter of William Crossman. He was a butcher at 77 Washington St., Kingston.

Williams, born died Lillie, born died Jessie, born died Edith, born died ; mar. died Emma, born Harry, born died died : unmarried. Mabel, born

WALLACE W.7 MERRITT, son of Isaac A.6, married Feb., 1864, Jane, daughter of Moses Van Leuven. Lived at

Children:

Netties, born ; unmarried. Frank, born Mar., 1865, died

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HENRY A.7 MERRITT, son of Isaac A.6, married 26 Mar., 1863, Mary G., daugh-
   ter of Oliver Granville Du Bois and Catherine Bevier of Kingston. Lived at
     Granville*, b. 24 Sept., 1864, died
     Charles Henry.
               born 24 Sept., 1866, died
     Louis Payne, b. 28 Dec., 1867, died
     Kate, born
                     18 July, 1870, died
                                                      ; mar. Louis A. Simmons.
     Bevier, born
                     23 Nov., 1871, died to Feb., 1872.
                     20 Dec., 1872, died 25 Mar., 1875.
     John D., born
     Jennie, born
                     23 Nov., 1874, died
                                                      ; unmarried.
     Mary G., born
                     2 May, 1876, died
                                                      ; mar. Harold Engberg.
                     2 May, 1878, died
14 June, 1879 died
     Lizzie, born
                                          8 May, 1878.
     Maggie, born
                                                      ; mar. Amos N. Dodge.
     Harriet, born
                      9 Nov., 1881, died
     Albert A., born 29 Mar., 1885, died
CHARLES N.7 MERRITT, son of Isaac A.6, married of Winchell. Lived at
                                                                  Louvina, daughter
   Children:
     Williams, born
                                   died
     James, born
                                   died
WILLIAM N.7 MERRITT, son of Abraham<sup>6</sup>, married
                                                             1836, Jane L., daughter
   of James Grant. Lived at
   Children:
     Anna Thorne<sup>8</sup>, born
                                   died
     Caroline, born
     William H., born
                                   dicd
                                   died
     Jane G., born
ANDREW MERRITT, son of Abraham married of Haight. Lived at Millbrook.
                                                                 Susan C., daughter
   Children:
     Stephen H.8, b. 22 Aug., 1847, died
     William Brice,
               born 25 July, 1861, died 26 Nov., 1800.
MORGAN CONSIDER, MERRITT, son of Abraham, married
                                                                             Delilah.
   daughter of
                           Johnson.
   Children (?)
BENJAMIN7 MERRITT, son of Joseph6, married (?). Lived at
   Children (?)
FRANCIS7 MERRITT, son of Josepho, married (?). Lived at
   Children (?)
ISAAC7 MERRITT, son of Joseph<sup>6</sup>, married (?). Lived at
   Children (?)
GEORGE<sup>7</sup> MERRITT, son of Joseph<sup>6</sup>, married (?). Lived at
   Children (?)
HENRY S.7 MERRITT, son of Joseph<sup>6</sup>, married
                                                          1862, Henrietta, daughter
   of John Hargrove and Martha Hinton. Lived at
   Children (?)
JOSEPH7 MERRITT, son of Joseph6, married (?). Lived at
   Children (?)
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WALTER? MERRITT, son of Joseph<sup>6</sup>, married (?). Lived at Children (?)

JACOBT MERRITT, son of Charles Hart<sup>6</sup>, married . Lived at No children.

CHARLES HART: MERRITT, son of Charles Hart<sup>a</sup>, married 13 Sept., 1865.

Luanna, daughter of Kniffen. Lived at

Children:

Joseph Moss8,

born 22 Oct., 1866, died

George White,

born 25 July, 1868, ded

Charles Hart, b. 5 July, 1870, died

Amelia White,

born 28 June, 1872, died 25 Mar., 1873.

Mary Hart, b. 25 Dec., 1874, died

Annie Gordon,

born 2 Mar., 1877, died

Nelson White.

born 11 Feb., 1879, died

Walter Gordon,

born 4 Jan., 1880, died

DOUGLAS? MERRITT, son of George<sup>n</sup>, married 3 Aug., 1876, Elizabeth Cleveland, daughter of Rt. Rev. Archer Cleveland Coxe, Bishop of Western New York, and Katherine Cleveland Hyde. He was born at 42 Barclay St., New York; educated at private schools; passed two years in Europe; graduated from Columbia College Law School in 1874. Purchased his farm called "Leacote," near Rhinebeck, in 1875, and is now living there. Has traveled extensively in America, Asia and Europe. Trustee of Public Schools, vestryman and warden of Church of the Messiah for 32 years; delegate to Diocesan Convention for 37 years; trustee of Hobart College for 31 years; Fellow of the Royal Geographic Society and member of several patriotic societies. Children:

Ethel Douglas",

born 10 Mar., 1878, died

Aian Douglas,

born 6 Dec., 1885, died

GEORGE WILLIAM? MERRITT, son of George<sup>6</sup>, married 26 Oct., 1881, Augusta Temple, daughter of Rudolph Schack and McCarty. He was born in New York. Lived for several years in Europe. Was much interested in music. He had ill health for many years and died in the New York Hospital; buried in Sleepy Hollow Cemetery near Tarrytown.

Children:

One son, who died an infant.

ROBERT GRINNELL<sup>7</sup> MERRITT, son of Henry<sup>6</sup>, unmarried. Lived at Children (?)

HENRY? MERRITT, son of Herny, unmarried. He was born in Pittsburgh. Lived for some time in Brooklyn. Captain of one of Hugh Hasting's Boston ships. Captain of Mallory Line steamer San Marcos. Died of heart failure in Hudson Terminal Building.

No children.

EDWARD<sup>7</sup> MERRITT, son of Edward<sup>6</sup>, unmarried. He was born at Port Richmond, Staten Island. Moved to Nyack in 1866. Traveled several years abroad.

ARTHUR? MERRITT, son of Edward<sup>6</sup>, married Nov., 1883, Florence, daughter of Henry Newton. He was born at Port Richmond. Moved to Nyack, 1866.

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Children:
     Arthur Royden®, born
                                     died
     Kenneth Newton, born
                                     died
ISAAC H.7 MERRITT, son of Abraham<sup>6</sup>, married 1 Nov., 1846, Ellen, daughter
   of Patrick Shahan. Lived in Chicago, 1889.
    Children:
     Frederick H.<sup>8</sup>
                born 2 Sept., 1847, died 2 Dec., 1800.
                                                        ; mar. H. E. Hudson.
     Marian B., b. 16 May, 1849, died
     Edward B., b.
                      31 Oct., 1851, died
     William, born 6 Feb., 1854, died
Charles T., born 8 July, 1856, died
George W., born 5 July, 1858, died
                                           4 Sept., 1855.
     Alfred C., born 19 Nov., 1860, died 24 Feb., 1863.
     Eva H., born 22 Dec., 1862, died
                                                         ; mar. Henry Reed.
     Frank O., born 20 June, 1865, died
     Henry C., born 2 Nov., 1867, died
JACOB7 MERRITT, son of Abraham6, married 28 June, 1857, Sallie E., daughter
   οî
                  Risley. Lived at Minneapolis.
   Child:
     Annie Torreys, born 14 Mar., 1859, died
                                                           ; mar. John B. Shapleigh.
HENRY B.7 MERRITT, son of Abraham<sup>6</sup>, married Thomas Symington. Lived at Chicago, 1889.
                                                                Maria L., daughter of
     Maria Dixon8.
                born 14 Sept., 1853, died
                                                        ; mar. S. P. Dixon.
     Kate Benedict,
                born 19 May, 1855, died
     Henry Symington,
                born 9 July, 1861, died
     Gertrude Hallett, born
                                    died
     Ella, born
                                     died
WILLIAM? MERRITT, son of Josephe, married 22 June, 1842, Hannah, daughter
   of Elijah Fish. Lived at
   Children:
     Emma*, born
                      23 June, 1843, died 25 Apr., 1851.
     Albert, born
                      22 July, 1848, died 17 Nov., 1851.
                      19 Oct., 1851, died
     Rosa, born
JONATHAN H. MERRITT, son of Josephe, unmarried. Lived at
DANIEL<sup>7</sup> MERRITT, son of Joseph<sup>6</sup>, unmarried. Lived at
CHARLES MERRITT, son of Joseph , married 9 June, 1858, Elizabeth Margaret,
   daughter of William Chandler. Lived at
   Children:
     Mary C.8, born 14 Nov., 1859, died
                                                        ; mar. Henry H. Fay.
     Charles Wendell,
                born 6 Mar., 1861, died
     Maude E., born 13 Nov., 1867, died
     Henry C., born 13 Nov., 1867, died
     William G., b. 21 June, 1870, died
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RICHARD B. MERRITT, son of Josepho, married 2 Jan., 1861, Julia Frances, daughter of Dwight Kellogg. Lived at

Children:

Dwight K.8, b. 8 Nov., 1862, died 18 Feb., 1863.

George R., born 31 May, 1864, died

Frederick K.,

born 6 Jan., 1867, died 23 May, 1888.

Fannie G., born 11 Nov., 1869, died

GEORGE: MERRITT, son of Josephs, married 30 Mar., 1852, Paulina T., daughter of John S. McClurg. Lived at Indianapolis.

## Children:

Jeanette G.8, b. 27 May, 1853, died 6 Dec., 1884; unmarried. Worth, born 24 July, 1861, died

Ernest, born 28 Apr., 1865, died

JOSEPH: MERRITT, son of Josepha, married Mary Ann, daughter of Hugh Cahill. Lived at 148 Sixth St., San Francisco, 1890. Children (?)

ISAAC N.7 MERRITT, son of Isaac6, married (?). Lived at Children (?)

JEDEDIAH PRENDERGAST? MERRITT, son of William Hamiltons, married 17 Aug., 1864, Emily Alexandrina, daughter of George Prescott. Lived at St. Catherines, Canada.

# Children:

William Hamilton<sup>8</sup>.

born 13 June, 1865, died

Catherine Welland,

born 29 Nov., 1866 ,died

Jedediah Prescott,

born 8 Apr., 1868, died

Thomas Shubal.

born 20 Jan., 1870, died

Louis Alexander,

born 27 Dec., 1872, died

Helen Emily, b. 1 Feb., 1873, died

Charles Prendergast.

born 24 Mar., 1875, died

John Octavius,

born 14 June, 1877, died

WILLIAM HAMILTON: MERRITT, son of William Hamilton<sup>6</sup>, married 24 Nov., 1853, Janet, daughter of Hon. James Morris. He was Captain of Fifth Battalion of Lincoln Militia 1854; Postmaster General. Lived at Brockville and Toronto.

# Children:

William Hamilton<sup>8</sup>.

born 8 June, 1855, died

Emily Lena, born

Catherine Nina, born

died died

THOMAS RODMAN' MERRITT, son of William Hamilton', married 1853, Mary, daughter of Thomas Benson of Peterborough. He was a shipping merchant. Captain of Lincoln Militia. Lived at St. Catherines. No children.

ROBERT NORRISG MERRITT, Rev., son of Thomasg, married 1852, Ellen, daughter of Rev. Christopher Milner of Westfield, N. B. He was educated at Kings College, Fredericton; General Theological Seminary, New York, and Theological College, Coburg, Toronto. Ordained 1840. Rector of St. Peter's Church, Morristown, N. J., for over thirty years. Children:

Thomas<sup>8</sup>, born

died

Robert Norris, born died Henry Keble, born died died Annie Howland, born THOMAS GRAY? MERRITT, son of Thomase, married Emma, daughter of Rev. Christopher Milner of Westfield; married 2d John, N. B. Lived at 80 Princess St., 1900. . A barrister of St. Children (?) DAVID PRESCOTT? MERRITT, son of Thomas<sup>6</sup>, married 6 Sept., 1866, Sarah Sophia, daughter of Adam Johnston Eastman of North Gower, Ont. He was educated at McGill University, Montreal, and General Theological Seminary, New York. Ordained deacon 12 Mar., 1865; priest 13 May, 1866. Became a physician and lived in Elmira, N. Y., 1900. Children: Catherine Elizas. born 16 Jan., 1868, died Adam Prescott, born 17 June, 1869, died 19 June, 1869. Thomas Gray, born 13 June, 1870, died Emma Edith, b. 28 Oct., 1872, died Sophia Mabel, born 28 Mar., 1876, died Editha Annie Elizabeth, born 11 Sept., 1877, died ALBERT' MERRITT, son of Thomas', unmarried. He was in the English Army. Died at Morristown, N. J. DAVID' MERRITT, son of David Jabez', married He was a physician of Philadelphia. Children: 1865, died -, born –, born 1871, died EDWARD MILES MERRITT, son of David Jabez, married He was a wholesale grocer in St. John, N. B. Lived at 57 Hazen St., 1888. Children: Fanny Cornwell<sup>8</sup>, born died Frank Miles, born died Edward Grindon, born died NEHEMIAH: MERRITT, son of Georges, married Lived at Children (?) WILLIAM INGERSOLL' MERRITT, son of Nehemiah's, married Mary Beatrice, daughter of Gen. Frank Adams of England. He was a Captain in the English Reserves. Lived at 6 Sumner Place, London, 1908. Children: Charles Hamilton<sup>8</sup>, born 13 Mar., died Violet Emma, b. 13 Mar., died ; mar. Capt. Touzel. died Cecil Mack, born 6 Jan., Beatrice Mary, died born 6 Jan., JAMES G.7 MERRITT, son of Gilbert<sup>6</sup>, married (?). Lived at Children (?) DANIELT MERRITT, son of Gilberts, married (?). Lived at Children (?)

died

; mar. George Raymond.

Elizabeth M., born

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CARPENTER? MERRITT, son of Gilbert<sup>6</sup>, married 13 Mar., 1817, Sarah G., daughter of Haviland Cornell. She was born 30 Jan., 1795. Lived at Addison
   Hills, Steuben Co., 1868.
   Children:
     Isaac Jackson*.
               born 1 Feb., 1818, died 17 Feb., 1885.
     Sarah Ann, b. 25 Apr., 1819, died
Mary Jane, born 7 May, 1820, died
Caroline, born 27 June, 1823, died
                                                    ; mar. Haviland Cornell.
                                                 1826.
                                                     ; mar. Jacob Richardson.
     John Gates, b. 30 Dec., 1827, died 21 Apr., 1885.
     Carpenter Cornell,
               born 6 Aug., 1839, died
BENJAMIN' MERRITT, son of Gilbert', married (?). Lived at
   Children (?)
CALEB MERRITT, son of Gilbert married (?).
   Children (?)
GILBERT: MERRITT, son of Gilberte, married Lucretia, daughter of
   Raymond. Lived at
   Children (?)
JOHN? MERRITT, son of Gilbert", married (?). Lived at
   Children (?)
JOHN' MERRITT, son of Caleba, married (?). Lived at
   Children (?)
SAMUEL<sup>7</sup> MERRITT, son of Mulmouth<sup>6</sup>, married (?). Lived at
   Children (?)
CALEB? MERKITT, son of Mulmouths, married (?).
   Children (?)
WILSON' MERRITT, son of Andrew", married (?). Lived at
   Children (?)
ABIJAH W.7 MERRITT, son of Andrews, married (?). Lived at
   Children (?)
DANIEL S.3 MERRITT, son of Andrews, married (?). Lived at Streator, Ill.
   Child:
    Lees, born
                                 , died
JOHN T.7 MERRITT, son of Andrews, married (?). Lived at
   Children (?)
THOMAS O.7 MERRITT, son of Andrews, married (?). Lived at
   Children (?)
NOAH C.7 MERRITT, son of Andrews, married (?). Lived at
   Children (?)
HENRY W.7 MERRITT, son of Andrews, married (?).
   Children (?)
ANDREW L.7 MERRITT, son of Andrews, married
                                                           Mary Ann, daughter of
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Smith. She was born 13 Jan., 1853. Lived at La Porte, Ind., 1889.

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Children:
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Edward R.\*, born died Frank E., born died George H., born died Jessie, born died J. Milo, born died

CALEB<sup>7</sup> MERRITT, son of Abijah<sup>6</sup>, married 24 Jan., 1844, Mary, daughter of leremiah Merritt. She was born 19 June, 1819. Lived at Children:

Maria<sup>8</sup>, born 28 June, 1845, died ; mar. E. Clarence Hyatt. Abijah, born 12 Mar., 1847, died Sarah E., born 24 Nov., 1852, died

COLES? MERRITT, son of Abijaha, unmarried. Lived at

WILLIAM C.7 MERRITT, son of Abijaho, unmarried. Lived at

DANIEL<sup>7</sup> MERRITT, son of Ebenezer<sup>6</sup>, married 9 May, 1807, Sarah, daughter of James Lyon. She was born 23 Mar., 1783; died 8 July, 1844. Lived at Greenwich. Captain of sloop "Orion," which ran the British blockade in 1812. Made his Will 26 Sept., 1848; proved 17 May, 1849. Daniel B. and Caleb W., executors, Children;

Daniel B.\*, born died
George W., b. 11 Feb., 1808, died 12 Aug., 1832.
Willis J., born 16 Feb., 1810, died
Joseph G., born died
Curtis A. D., born died
Susan A. E., b. 6 Feb., 1814, died ; mar. Edward Mead.
Sarah L., born died
Cynthia W., b. 12 Jan., 1818, died 19 Feb., 1827; mar. Rev. Rufus Pumey.
Charles, born died
Caleb W., born 1822, died
Theodore, born 15 Nov., 1823, died 14 Feb., 1892.

WILLIS<sup>7</sup>, MERRITT, son of Ebenezer<sup>6</sup>, married (?). Lived at Children (?)

HENRY W.7 MERRITT, son of Ebenezer<sup>6</sup>, married Ann Eliza, daughter of . Lived in New York, Bought No. 89 White St. from Seixas Nathan 28 Apr., 1835. Made his Will 19 Oct., 1835; proved 13 Sept., 1854 (New York Lib., 110).

Child (adopted):

Emily\*, born , died

JOHN WILLIS? MERRITT, son of Ebenezer<sup>a</sup>, married Aug., 1827, Julia Ann, daughter of de Forest of Rochester. He was born at Port Chester, where he practiced law for fourteen years. Was musical critic on the New York "Mirror"; wrote several novels. Moved to a farm near Lebanon, Ill., in 1841 and remained there five years. In charge of the Belleville "Advocate" for several years, removing to Salem in 1851, where he founded the Salem "Advocate." Delegate to Charleston and Baltimore Conventions. Editor of Illinois State Register 1865 and member of the Legislature. Founded the Episcopal Church at Salem, where he died. Wife died 11 Jan., 1874. Children:

Julia Cynthia8,

born 30 May, 1828, died ; mar. Wm. G. McCarty. John Henry, b. 15 June, 1830, died

Thomas A. E.,

born 29 Apr., 1832, died Wesley, born 16 June, 1834, died

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Edward L., b. 25 June, 1836, died
     Joseph D., born 17 July, 1838, died
William W., b. 16 July, 1842, died
     Emily Osborn,
    born 5 Apr., 1845, died
Charles W., b. 7 Jan., 1848, died 15 Dec., 1879.
                                                       ; mar. Jacob O. Chance.
WESLEY' MERRITT, son of Ebenezer', married Belinda, daughter of
   Gatfield. Lived at
   Children:
     Emily G.8, born 10 Mar., 1838, died
                                                       ; mar. Theodore Wiseman.
     Cynthia B., b. 28 June, 1836, died
                                                       : unmarried.
     Washington, b. 17 Mar., 1840, died 16 Mar., 1888.
    Clothilda M., b. 13 July, 1843, died 6 May, 1885.
Franklin, born 30 Aug., 1847, died
                    2 July, 1848, died 2 Jan., 1850.
     Wesley, born
CHARLES W.7 MERRITT, son of Ebenezers, married (?). Lived at
   Children (?)
SAMUEL CHEESEMAN7 MERRITT, son of John6, married
                                                                      Clara, daughter
  of Levi Brown. She lived at Mt. Kisco, 1887.
  Children:
     Samuel Clift<sup>8</sup>,
               born 4 July, 1861, died 18 Apr., 1870.
     William B., b. 12 Apr., 1864, died
WILLIAM E. MERRITT, son of John married, daughter of Brice Fay of Chicago. He was an officer of Light Artillery under Gen. Logan; lost
  in the "General Lyon" from Wilmington to New York 8 Apr., 1865.
FRANCIS E. MERRITT, son of Johns, married (?). Lived at
   Children (?)
MILTON? MERRHITT, son of James Digby<sup>6</sup>, married (?). Lived at
   Child.
ALBERT? MERRITT, son of James Digbys, married (?). Lived at
  Children (?)
ROBERT TUCKER: MERRITT, son of Jothams, married
                                                                    Julia, dadughter
                 Pickett of New Milford, Conn. Lived at Port Chester 1889.
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  Children:
     Joseph<sup>8</sup>, born
                             1868, died
     Mary Willis, born
                             1871, died
JAMES WILLIS? MERRITT, son of Jotham, married (?). Lived at
  Children (?)
JOSEPH RANDOLPH7 MERRITT, son of Jotham6, married
                                                                      Jennie, daugh-
  ter of S. H. Le Fevre.
  Child:
     Malcolm<sup>8</sup>, born
                                 , died
GHEIRSTEIN? MERRITT, son of Jothams, unmarried. Lived at
NATHAN JAMES? MERRITT son of Wilson<sup>6</sup>, married (?).
  Children (?)
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Susan D., daughter

WILLIAM G.7 MERRITT, son of Benjamin<sup>6</sup>, married

Franklin of Long Island. Lived at

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Children:
     Letitia*, born
                                 , died
                                                 1900; mar. Henry C. Downing.
ELISHA B.7 MERRITT, son of Benjamino, married 14 Sept., 1852, Susan II.,
   daughter of Michael Sherman. Lived at
     Wilson B.8, b. 21 July, 1854, died Alma F., born 16 Oct., 1859, died
                                                     ; mar. Geo. H. Wheeler.
     Hattie L., born 18 Mar., 1870, died
                                                     ; mar. Frank Conkling.
                                   died
     Isabel, born
     Elena, born
                                   died
BENJAMIN E. MERRITT, son of Elisha B.6, married 20 Dec., 1859, Eliza,
   daughter of Jacob and Catherine Hansha. Lived at
   Children:
     Griffin H.8, b. 22 Sept., 1860, died
     Eliza B., born
                   19 Nov., 1861, died
     George H., b.
                    12 Aug., 1869, died
     Benjamin E.,
               born 26 Nov., 1871, died 20 Sept., 1873.
NATHAN? MERRITT, son of Joseph W.c. married (?). Lived at
   Children (?)
JAMES<sup>7</sup> MERRITT, son of Joseph W.6, married (?). He was vestryman of
   Grace Church, White Plains, 22 May, 1824.
   Children:
     Randolph<sup>8</sup>, born
                                 . died
JEREMIAH W. MERRITT, son of James married
                                                              Mary Ann, daughter
   of William Horton and Mary Town. Lived at
     William H.s. born
     Daniel R., born 20 Nov., 1838, died
     Edward A., born
                                   died
                                                     ; mar. Orlando G. McLean.
     Mary, born
                                  died
DANIEL MERRITT, son of James married
                                                      Hannah, daughter of Isaiah
   and Phebe Tilson. Lived at
   Children (?)
JAMES WHITNEY? MERRITT, son of James<sup>a</sup>, married 15 Feb., 1855, Agnes,
   daughter of James and Mary McCullock. Lived at
   Children:
     Edwards, born 3 Jan., 1856, died
                                                1857.
     William H., b.
                     8 Dec., 1857, died
                     9 Apr., 1860, died
     Charles, born
                    31 Aug., 1862, died
     Mary E., born
    Anna J., born 9 Aug., 1864, died 28 Sept., 1885.
George W., born 2 June, 1867, died
    Jesse W., born 17 Feb., 1870, died 24 June, 1871.
    Sarah A., born 19 Feb., 1874, died
Emma F., born 19 Nov., 1876, died
JOHN THORNE: MERRITT, son of Thomase, married 3 Nov., 1836, Harriet,
  daughter of John Benedict. Lived at South Norwalk, Conn.
   Children:
    Edwin M.8, b. 17 June, 1838, died
     Samuel B., born
                                  died young.
GILBERT MERRITT, son of Anderson, married (?). Lived at
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- HARVEY' MERRITT, son of Elijah', married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- PHINEAS? MERRITT, son of Elijah<sup>6</sup>, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- EDWARD S.7 MERRITT, son of Phineas<sup>6</sup>, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- CHARLES A.7 MERRITT, son of Phineas<sup>6</sup>, married (?). Lived at Santa Barbara, Cal. Children (?)
- ZACHARY TAYLOR7 MERRITT, son of Phineas6, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- GEORGE PLATT' MERRITT, son of Curtis', married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- CHARLES MORTIMER? MERRITT, son of Curtis<sup>6</sup>, married (:). Lived at Children (?)
- SAWYER\* MERRITT, son of Clark S.\*, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- HOWARD B.<sup>7</sup> MERRITT, son of Munson<sup>6</sup>, married (?). Lived at Kalamazoo, Mich.
  Children (?)
- HENRY A.7 MERRITT, son of Munson<sup>a</sup>, married (?). Lived at Gray, N. Y. Children (?)
- WILLIAM M.7 MERRITT, son of Munson<sup>6</sup>, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- GEORGE<sup>7</sup> MERRITT, son of John<sup>6</sup>, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- DANIEL<sup>7</sup> MERRITT, son of Daniel<sup>6</sup>, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- GEORGE? MERRITT, son of Ebenezer<sup>n</sup>, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- ANDREW? MERRITT, son of Ebenezer<sup>6</sup>, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- HENRY A.7 MERRITT, son of Henry<sup>6</sup>, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- JOHN H.7 MERRITT, son of John Augustus<sup>6</sup>, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- EDWARD B. MERRITT, son of John Augustus<sup>6</sup>, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- DANIEL<sup>7</sup> MERRITT, son of John Augustus<sup>6</sup>, married (?). Lived at Children (?)

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WINFIELD7 MERRITT, son of John Augustus6, married (?). Lived at
  Children (?)
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EUGENE' MERRITT, son of John Augustus', married (?). Lived at Children (?)

WESLEY' MERRITT, son of William', married (?). Lived at Children (?)

SYLVESTER, MERRITT, son of Williams, married (?). Lived at Children (?)

JOHN O.7 MERRITT, son of Williams, married (?). Lived at Children (?)

WASHINGTON' MERRITT, son of Knapp', married (?). Lived at Children (?)

CHARLES? MERRITT, son of Knapp<sup>6</sup>, married (?). Lived at Children (?)

HENRY J.7 MERRITT, son of Knapp<sup>6</sup>, married (?). Lived at Children (?)

HICKSON7 MERRITT, son of Hickson6, unmarried. Lived at

ROSWELL INGERSOLL? MERRITT, son of Hickson<sup>6</sup>, married (?). Lived at

Children:

Three daughters.

MATTHEW, MERRITT, son of Hicksons, married Julia, daughter of Downes. Lived at Greenwich.

Children:

George<sup>8</sup>, born died Annie, born died

; mar. R. J. Walsh.

died Belle, born ; mar. George G. Scofield.

HENRY SANDS7, son of Hickson®, married (?). Lived at

Children:

Cyrus H.<sup>8</sup>, born

,68 Spring St., New Haven.

BROOKS' MERRITT, son of Hickson', married (?). Lived at Children (?)

WYMAN? MERRITT, son of Josephs, married 11 Apr., 1874, Mary, daughter of Thornton. Born at Port Chester. Children (?)

JAMES E.7 MERRITT, son of Josephe, married Sarah, daughter of Lived at

, died

Children:

Dollie A.8, born 1873, died Joseph A., born 1874, died Harrison H. W., born 1877, died

JOSHUA7 MERRITT, son of Joseph6, married 8 May, 1884, Louisa, daughter of Jones. Lived at Children (?)

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WILLIAM? MERRITT, son of Josepho, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
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- CHARLES R.7 MERRITT, son of Joseph<sup>6</sup>, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- SAMUEL L. MERRITT, son of Joseph<sup>6</sup>, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- RICHARD MERRITT, son of Joseph , married (?).. Lived at Children (?)
- EZRA? MERRITT, son of Josepho, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- ALEXANDER H.7 MERRITT, son of Josepho, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- SNIFFEN? MERRITT, son of James", married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- EDWARD D.7 MERRITT, son of James<sup>a</sup>, married (?). An officer in Union Army. Lived at East Bridgeport, Conn., 1873.
  Children:

Albert J.8, born

, died

- CALEB7 MERRITT, son of Josiah4, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- UNDERHILL? MERRITT, son of Josiaha, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- JAMES FOWLER? MERRITT, son of Josiaha, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- DANIEL? MERRITT, son of Josiah<sup>6</sup>, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- SYLVANUS MERRITT, son of Josiah , married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- HIRAM? MERRITT, son of Daniel<sup>6</sup>, married (?). Lived in New York. Children (?)
- DANIEL H.7 MERRITT, son of Daniel<sup>6</sup>, married 24 July, 1857, Margaret, daugh 2d, 26 July, 1860, Harriet Louisa, daughter of James Alford and Elmira Chase. She was born 8 Apr., 1839; died 28 June, 1913. Lived at Bennington, Vt.; moved to Lancaster, Ohio, and removed to Marquette, Mich. Children:

Frank W.\*, b. 25 Mar., 1859, died Edward Alford, born 12 Feb., 1862, died

Edith Louise, b. 30 June, 1865, died Florence D., b. 13 Oct., 1874, died Bessie H., born 3 Apr., 1876, died ; mar. Wm. J. Stevens. ; mar. Robt. S. Rose. ; mar. John Page Laughlin.

THEODORE? MERRITT, son of Daniel, married Hunter. Was a druggist at Middlehope.

Sarah, daughter of

Children: George <sup>n</sup> , born Hiram, born		died died				
Daniel, born Theodore A., t		died died				
JAMES OF MERI Va	RITT, son of C in Deusen. Liv	laleb <sup>u</sup> , mai ed at	rried 1 Se	pt., 1855,	Sarah, da	aughter of
Children:	, born 1 July, 185					
JOHN U.7 MERR Sar	ITT, son of Ca aford. Shot his	leb <sup>s</sup> , marr nself at K	ied 4 Feb ingston.	., 1852, L	uthinia, da	aughter of
Three children:						
, born	•	died died				
born born	,	died				
THOMAS H.7 ME	RRITT, son of an Keuren. Liv	Caleba, n	narried 8	Oct., 1861	, Lucinda	, daughter
Two children:						
, born , born	•	died died				
WILLIAM B. MI daughter of Four children:				Sept.,	1867, Ma	ıry Pease,
, born	•	died				
born born	•	died died				
, born	:	died				
Nyack. Enlisted to Commissary S wounded five ti Called "General mitted suicide in Children:  Carrie*, born	decker. He had in the New You bergeant; taken mes at Battle of Was Consulthe Fifth Aver	id a dry ; rk Eightie prisoner at f Gettysbi at Liverp iue Hotel, died	goods sto th Volunt : Bull Rur arg; elect ool under New You	ere in Kir eers 23 Se 1; Lieuten ted Depar r Presider rk.	ngston and apt., 1861; ant in Control	d later in promoted npany E.; mmander. He com-
JEREMIAH KRO daughter of gerties.	M <sup>†</sup> MERRITT Myer or		Caleb", n Brink	narried 15 of Kings	Oct., 18 ton. Live	72, Anna, d at Sau-
Clarence, born	29 Sept., 1874, 21 Apr., 1876, 3 Apr., 1878,	died				
CHARLES? MERI of Va Four children.	RITT, son of C an Voorhees. L	aleb <sup>6</sup> , mar ived at	ried 25 J	une, 1873,	Anna S.,	daughter
PETER: MERRIT	T, son of Justi lecker. Lived a	ıs <sup>a</sup> , marrie	ed .	1870, Katl	herine, da	ughter of
Children:	icenci. Liveu d	•				
Bertha <sup>s</sup> , born Justus, born	11 July, 1871, c 20 May, 1874,	died died				

GEORGE B.7 MERRITT, son of Justus<sup>6</sup>, married Broadhead. Lived at

Hila, daughter of

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Children:
     Walter Eltingham<sup>8</sup>,
born 30 May, 1865, died 26 Sept., 1801.
Magdalene, b. 12 Jan., 1867, died
Jennie, born 2 Feb., 1869, died
     Grace Louise,
               born 12 Sept., 1875, died
     George Rogers,
                born 6 Oct., 1883, died
CORNELIUS O.º MERRITT, son of Justus", married
                                                                    Mary, daughter of
                 Lee. Lived at
   Child:
     Edward Lee', born 18 Apr., 1872, died
DAVID<sup>7</sup> MERRITT, son of John T.6, married (?). Lived at
   Children (?)
JOSEPH? MERRITT, son of John T.", married (?). Lived at
   Children (?)
WALTER EDGAR? MERRITT, son of Frederick S.s., married (?). Lived at
   Children (?)
OSCAR IENNINGS7 MERRITT, son of Frederick S.º, married (?). Lived at
   Children (?)
JAMES C.7 MERRITT, son of Frederick S.6, married (?). Lived at
   At 48 Maiden Lane, New York, 1904.
   Children (?)
MORTIMER C. MERRITT, son of Fowlers, married
                                                                   Carrie E., daughter
                  Quimby and Mariam Waldron of Coxsackie, N. Y. She was born
   o Dec., 1842.
   Children:
     Louis M.*, born 12 June, 1867, died 12 Mar., 1871.
Carolyn S., born 4 June, 1876, died ;
Charles F., born died ;
                                                        ; mar. John W. Gardner.
WILLIAM AUGUSTUS? MERRITT, son of Alfred®, married (?). At 1609
   Lexington Ave., New York, 1889.
   Children (?)
JOHN R.7 MERRITT, son of Gideon H.6, married
                                                                 Philena, daughter of
                 Nicolson of Lowville, N. Y. Lived at
   Children:
     Ira S., born 14 Feb., 1838, died 20 Oct., 1854.
Elizabeth, born 10 Dec., 1840, died 1886; mar. Joseph Oberson.
Hiram L., born 2 Apr., 1843, died 16 Nov., 1853.
ALONZO7 MERRITT, son of Fowlers, married (?). Lived at
   Children (?)
ALEXANDER<sup>7</sup> MERRITT, son of Henry S.6, married (?). Lived at Brooklyn.
   Children (?)
BENJAMIN' MERRITT, son of Henry S.", married (?). Lived at
   Children (?)
THERAN? MERRITT, son of Henry S.s., married (?). Lived at
   Children (?)
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- WILLIAM? MERRITT, son of Samuel", married (?). Lived at Springfield. Children (?)
- ALONZO7 MERRITT, son of Samuel<sup>6</sup>, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- MORTIMER? MERRITT, son of Samuel<sup>6</sup>, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- CHARLES<sup>7</sup> MERRITT, son of Samuel<sup>n</sup>, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- GEORGE<sup>7</sup> MERRITT, son of Nathan<sup>6</sup>, married (?). Children (?)
- HENRY D.7 MERRITT, son of Gideon H.6, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- EDMNND P. D.7 MERRITT, son of Gideon H.4, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- ORRIS L. MERRITT, son of Gideon H., married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- WILLET S.7 MERRITT, son of Gideon H.", married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- COUNT D. C.7 MERRITT, son of Gideon H.4, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- EMMET? MERRITT, son of Gideon H.6, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- CHARLES G.7 MERRITT, son of Alva\*, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- SIDNEY W.7 MERRITT, son of Alva<sup>6</sup>, married 1 Nov., 1852, Adenne, daughter of Perry. She died 18 Oct., 1885. Lived at Nyack, 1887. Child:
  - Fannies, born 18 Jan., 1854, died 15 Sept., 1886; unmarried.
- REUBEN A.7 MERRITT, son of Alva<sup>6</sup>, married (?). Disappeared from Ulster Co. about 1851; supposed to have been murdered. Children (?)
- GEORGE C.7 MERRITT, son of George<sup>a</sup>, married Mary, daughter of Sloat. Lived in New York 1887.

  Children:

Marcus<sup>8</sup>, born died Maggie, born died

- GILBERT R.7 MERRITT, son of Georges, married (?). Lived in New York 1887. Children (?)
- JOHN W. MERRITT, son of George n, married (?). Lived in New York, Children (?)
- STEPHEN<sup>7</sup> MERRITT, son of George<sup>6</sup>, unmarried. Lived at

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CHARLES F.7 MERRITT, son of Georges, married
                                                               daughter of
   Hvatt. Lived in New York 1887.
   Children:
     Ida", born
                                   died
     Charles C., born
                                  died
JOSEPH FLEWELLING? MERRITT, son of Gabriela, married
                                                                           Georgia
   Jane Maria, daughter of
                                       Oakes. Lived at
   Children:
     Mary Georgia*,
               born 19 Nov., 1898, died
     Helen Josephine,
               born 21 Feb., 1900, died
WILLIAM HAWKESLEY? MERRIITT, son of Gabriels, married
                                                                          Lauressa
   Alma, daughter of
                                   Hughes. Lived at
   Children:
     Charles Eltings,
               born 3 Apr., 1881, died
     Julia Hazelwoode,
               born 21 July, 1884, died
     B. Adah Laurissa,
               born 7 Feb., 1886, died
FDWARD HENRY? MERRITT, son of Gabriels, married 19 Mar., 1874, Char-
   lotte Annabel, daughter of
                                            Kierstead; married 2d, 29 Feb., 1892,
                                     Flewelling. Lived at
   Elizabeth, daughter of
   Children:
     Julia Ball*, born 6 Mar., 1875, died
Ida Cutting, b. 4 Apr., 1877, died
Charles Holden,
    born 26 Sept., 1878, died
Orlin Lee, born 3 Jan., 1880, died
Cecil Ray, born 5 Oct., 1883, died
Harold Woodbury,
               born 20 June, 1884, died
     Henry Clifford,
               born 2 Mar., 1886, died
     Gabriel Eldon,
               born 6 Feb., 1888, died
     Lew Ellis, born 27 July, 1889, died
     Leslie Stratton,
              born 12 Jan., 1892, died
GABRIEL WETMORET MERRITT, son of Gabriels, married Annie, daugh-
                    Worrel, Lived at
  ter of
   Children:
     Gabriel Guy*, b. 2 Dec., 1890, died
     Clarence Martin,
              born 25 Feb., 1900, died
FREDERICK STANLEY! MERRITT, son of Gabriels, married
                                                                            Jennie,
                          Butcher. Lived at
   daughter of
   Child:
     Frederick Gerald*, born 3 Apr., 1900, died
GEORGE E.7 MERRITT, son of Henry", married
                                                            Catherine, daughter of
                Ward. Lived at
   Children (?)
AUGUSTUS M.º MERRITT, son of Henrys, married
                                                               Lottie, daughter of
   Children (?)
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LUTHER: MERRITT, son of Henry<sup>a</sup>, married (?). Lived at
    Children (?)
HENRY? MERRITT, son of Henry<sup>6</sup>, married (?). Lived at
    Children (?)
DAVID FREDERICK: MERRITT, son of Josiaho, married
                                                                            Emma F., daugh-
                        Cooley. Had office at 54 Exchange Place, New York.
    ter of
    Children:
      Grace G.*, born 6 Nov., 1871, died
      Alice H., born 13 Apr., 1874, died Ruth C., born 10 Dec., 1877, died Fred. Lincoln, b. 5 July, 1880, died
                                                             ; mar. A. J. Backus.
       Howard Butler,
                  born 26 Mar., 1889, died
GEORGE S.7 MERRITT, son of Charles<sup>6</sup>, married
                                                                   Ann, daughter of
    Furlong. Lived at
    Children (?)
THERON MERRITT, son of Charles, unmarried. Lived at
MORGAN? MERRITT, son of Charles*, married Catherine, daughter of
    Quick. Lived at
    Children (?)
ELMER I.7 MERRITT, son of Charles<sup>6</sup>, married (?). Lived at
    Children (?)
8. ROBERT* MERRITT, son of Silvanus?, married (?). Lived at
    Children (?)
WILLIAM* MERRITT, son of Silvanus<sup>7</sup>, married (?).
    Children (?)
CALEB SEYMOUR<sup>s</sup> MERRITT, son of Jotham<sup>2</sup>, married 17 Oct., 1847, Emma, daughter of Francis Carlotta Wittenberg and Esther Warner. Moved from Port Chester to New York in 1829 and entered the grocery store of his cousin
    Isaac B. Merritt. Became a wholesale grocer, retired from business and lived
    in Brooklyn 1800.
    Children:
      Joseph Warner<sup>9</sup>,
                  born 24 July, 1848, died
      Genevieve E., b. 8 Sept., 1850, died
                                                             ; mar. William Gregory.
JAMES MORTIMER<sup>8</sup> MERRITT, son of Jotham<sup>7</sup>, married Margaret, daughter
                    Waters. Lived at
    of
    No children.
JOTHAM LEWIS<sup>8</sup> MERRITT, son of Jotham<sup>7</sup>, married
                                                                           Matilda, daughter
                    Barmore. Lived at
    οf
    Children:
                                 1855, died
      Albert<sup>9</sup>, born
                                                 Feb., 1877.
                           July, 1868, died
      Cecilia, born
ALPHEUS: MERRITT, son of Jotham<sup>7</sup>, married Stevens. Lived at .
                                                                Julia, daughter of
    Children:
      James<sup>9</sup>, born
                                        died
      Frank, born
                                        died
      Libby, born
                                        died
                                        died
      Anne, born
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ISAAC B. MERRITT, son of Israel, married
                                                                     Lived at
    Died in New York.
    Children:
      Edward<sup>o</sup>, born
                                       died
      Mary, born
                                       died
      Josepha, born
                                       died
HAMILTON® MERRITT, son of Israel®, married
                                                                    Elizabeth, daughter of
                  . Lived at
                                           . Drowned at sea,
    Children:
      Israel J.º, born
                                 1826, died
      Isaac B., born
                                 1830, died
      Virginia P., born
                                 1832, died
                                                                         Tooker.
                                                           ; mar.
      William, born
                                 1834, died
                                                       1881.
      Hamilton, born
                                 1842, died
WILLIAM H.* MERRITT, son of Israeli, married
                                                                        Lived at
    Child:
      George W.9, born
ISRAEL* MERRITT, son of Israel7, married
                                                          Mary, daughter of
    Lived at Fair Haven, N. J., 1887.
    Children:
      Charles<sup>9</sup>, born
                                       died
      Stephen, born
                                       died
      Orlando, born
                                       died
      Rufus L., born 18 Dec., 1843, died
      Frank, born
                                       died
DANIEL E.* MERRITT, son of Daniel<sup>7</sup>, married (?). Lived at
   Children (?)
JAMES SMITH<sup>8</sup> MERRITT, son of Daniel<sup>7</sup> Smith, married Calvary Presbyterian Church, Philadelphia, 28 Jan., 1891, Gertrude Russell, daughter of William J. Morris. Lived in Philadelphia, 1024 Ridge St.
   Children:
      Morris Hill<sup>9</sup>, b. 28 Dec., 1891, died
     James Smith, b. 31 May, 1896, died
Daniel Smith, b. 15 Nov., 1905, died
     Marianna, born 16 June, 1910. died
HOWARD HENDERSON<sup>a</sup> MERRITT, son of Isaac<sup>7</sup>, married 27 Dec., 1915, Gertrude Anita, daughter of Gordon. Lived at
    Gertrude Anita, daughter of
   Children (?)
DANIEL GORDON* MERRITT, son of Daniel T.7, married (?). Lived at
   Children (?)
HENRY COWLES* MERRITT, son of Theron*, married (?). Lived at
   Children (?)
ONSLOW MAN' MERRITT, son of George, married (?). Lived at
   Children (?)
WILLIAM's MERRITT, son of Abraham B.7, married (?). Lived at
   Children (?)
HARRY' MERRITT, son of Abraham B.7, married (?). Lived at
   Children (?)
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- FRANK<sup>®</sup> MERRITT, son of Wallace W.7, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- GRANVILLE' MERRITT, son of Henry A.7, unmarried. Lived at
- CHARLES HENRY MERRITT, son of Henry A.7, married Annie D., daughter of Brotherton. Lived at

Children:

Martha D.º, born died Mary, born died Edythe D., born died

LOUIS PAYNE\* MERRITT, son of Henry A.7, married Bertha, daughter of Stone. Lived at

Children:

Vera Hope<sup>9</sup>, born

died

- ALBERT A.\* MERRITT, son of Henry A.7, married Sarah, daughter of Ferguson. Lived at Brooklyn.

  No children.
- WILLIAM\* MERRITT, son of Charles N.7, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- JAMES\* MERRITT, son of Charles N.7, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- WILLIAM H.\* MERRITT, son of WILLIAM N.7, married (?). Coal merchant at 475 Eleventh Ave., New York, 1890. Children (?)
- STEPHEN H.\* MERRITT, son of Andrew<sup>7</sup>, married 24 June, 1873, Helen, daughter of Ham. Lives at Millbrook, 1915.
  Children:

Eugene<sup>9</sup>, born 18 Jan., 1880, died

Miriam Thorne,

born 3 Nov., 1881, died ; mar. Lewis V. Hobbs. Elizabeth, born 4 Sept., 1883, died ; mar. Guy W. Field. Susanna, born 25 Jan., 1885, died ; mar. Frederick R. Booth.

- WILLIAM BRICE<sup>8</sup> MERRITT, son of Andrew<sup>7</sup>, married 27 Feb., 1884, Ellie, daughter of Holmes. Lived at Poughkeepsie.

  One child, died young.
- JOSEPH MOSS\* MERRITT, son of Charles Hart<sup>7</sup>, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- GEORGE WHITE's MERRITT, son of Charles Hart', married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- CHARLES HART'S MERRITT, son of Charles Hart', married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- ALAN DOUGLAS's MERRITT, son of Douglas', unmarried. He was born at Lakewood, N. J.; educated at Morristown School; studied at schools in Switzerland; spent two years at Mesa, Arizona. Has traveled extensively in America. Europe and Asia. Now living at Leacote, Rhinebeck, N. Y.
- ARTHUR ROYDEN\* MERRITT, son of Arthur7.
- KENNETH NEWTON'S MERRITT, son of Arthur?.

FREDERICK H.\* MERRITT, son of Isaac H.7, married Mary A., daughter of Henneschals. Lived in New Mexico 1890.

Children:

Ross<sup>o</sup>, born Marion, born died died

EDWARD B.\* MERRITT, son of Isaac H.7, married A—— B——, daughter of Boardman. Lived in Chicago 1902.

Children (?)

CHARLES T.\* MERRITT, son of Isaac H.7, married Fannie E., daughter of Custer. Address 243 Rialto Building, Chicago, 1902.

Children (?)

GEORGE W.8 MERRITT, son of Isaac H.7, married Mary, daughter of Funk. Lives in California.

Children:

Ashley<sup>9</sup>, born

died

FRANK O.\* MERRITT, son of Isaac H.7, unmarried. Lived in Chicago.

HENRY C.\* MERRITT, son of Isaac H.7, unmarried. Lived in Chicago.

HENRY SYMINGTON<sup>8</sup> MERRITT, son of Henry B.7, married Mary E., daughter of Fulton. Lived in Chicago.

Children (?)

CHARLES WENDELL\* MERRITT, son of Charles\*, married (?). Clerk in dry goods store Denver, Col., 1904.

Children (?)

HENRY C.\* MERRITT, son of Charles, married (?). Lived at Children (?)

WILLIAM G.\* MERRITT, son of Charles?, married (?). Lived at Children (?)

GEORGE R.5 MERRITT, son of Richard B.7, married (?). Lived at Children (?)

FREDERICK K.\* MERRITT, son of Richard B.7, married (?). Lived at Children (?)

ERNEST\* MERRITT, son of George<sup>7</sup>, married (?). Lived at Children (?)

WILLIAM HAMILTON® MERRITT, son of Jedediah P.7, married Maud Cloudman, daughter of Judge E. Haynes Hudson, of Memphis. Surgeon 19th Lincoln Battalion Militia.

Children:

Marion Emilyo, born

died

- JEDEDIAH PRESCOTT<sup>®</sup> MERRITT, son of Jedediah P.<sup>7</sup>, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- THOMAS SHUBAL\* MERRITT, son of Jedediah P.7, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- LOUIS ALEXANDER\* MERRITT, son of Jedediah P.7, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- CHARLES PRENDERGAST\* MERRITT, son of Jedediah P.7, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- JOHN OCTAVIUS<sup>8</sup> MERRITT, son of Jedediah P.7, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- WILLIAM HAMILTON's MERRITT, son of William Hamilton', married Maggie, daughter of Robert Simpson of Toronto. A mining engineer of Toronto, Captain of Governor General's Body Guard 31 May, 1889; Major of Regiment 11 June, 1898; Adjutant for nine years; Acting Adjutant under Col. Denison in North West campaign 1885, when he captured the Sioux Chief, Whitecap; Instructor of 20th Hussars at Aldershot 1890; Squadron Commander in First Regiment, Brabant's Horse, and A. D. C. in South African War for ten months 1900. In many engagements. Received medal with four clasps. Major in 2nd Canadian Mounted Rifles in South Africa, Dec., 1901, July, 1902. Children (?)
- THOMAS' MERRITT, son of Robert Norris', married Mary, daughter of Battle. Lived at Children:

Robert Norris<sup>9</sup>, born 17 Mar., 1882, died

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ROBERT NORRIS® MERRITT, son of Robert Norris*, married (?). Lived
  Children (?)
HENRY KEBLE* MERRITT, son of Robert Norris*, married
                                                                     Florence,
  daughter of Sir William Howland; married 2d,
Moved to Now living in New York.
                                                      . Lived in Toronto.
  Children (?)
THOMAS GRAY8 MERRITT, son of David Prescott<sup>7</sup>, married (?). Lived at
  Children (?)
FRANK MILES* MERRITT, son of Edward Miles*, married (?). Lived at
  Children (?)
EDWARD GRINDON's MERRITT, son of Edward Miles, married (?). Lived
  Children (?)
CHARLES HAMILTON'S MERRITT, son of William Ingersoll<sup>7</sup>, married (?).
  Lived at
  Children (?)
CECIL MACK<sup>8</sup> MERRITT, son of William Ingersoll<sup>7</sup>, married (?). Lived at
  Children (?)
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ISAAC JACKSON<sup>a</sup> MERRITT, son of Carpenter<sup>7</sup>, married 1839, Ruth, daugh-
                    Luman. Lived at
   ter of
   Children:
     Catherine R.9, b. 1 Jan., 1854, died
     Mary B., born
IOHN GATES* MERRITT, son of Carpenter*, unmarried. Lived at
CARPENTER CORNELL<sup>®</sup> MERRITT, son of Carpenter<sup>7</sup>, married 2 Sept., 1863.
   Mary Antolina, daughter of Andrew Morehouse.
   Children:
     La Vergne Wilmot,
               born 9 Jan., 1868, died 4 Sept., 1871.
     Maude Ethelwyn,
               born 23 May, 1873, died
     Mildred Lucille,
               born 2 Nov., 1879, died
     Grace Eloise, b. 30 Mar., 1884, died
EDWARD R. MERRITT, son of Andrew L.7, married (?). Lived at
   Children (?)
FRANK E. MERRITT, son of Andrew L.7, married (?). Lived at
   Children (?)
GEORGE H.* MERRITT, son of Andrew L.7, married (?). Lived at
   Children (?)
J. MILO* MERRITT, son of Andrew L.7, married (?).
   Children (?)
ABIJAH8 MERRITT, son of Caleb7, married
                                                         daughter of
   married 2d, 28 Nov., 1879, Celia, daughter of Ira Palmer. She was born 17 Oct.,
   1854. Lived at
   No children:
DANIEL B. MERRITT, son of Daniel, married
                                                        Jane, daughter of James
   Lyon. Lived at
   Children:
     James L.º, born
                                  died
    Louise J., born
Phebe W., born
                                  died
                                  died
GEORGE W.8 MERRITT, son of Daniel<sup>7</sup>, married (?). Lived at
   Children (?)
WILLIS J.* MERRITT, son of Daniel<sup>7</sup>, married 26 Nov., 1831, Mary A., daughter
   of Ephraim Mead. Lived at Norwalk 1887.
     Washington G.9,
              born 21 Aug., 1832, died
     Ephraim Mead,
    born 26 Nov., 1836, died
Mary Willis, b. 2 Oct., 1851, died
JOSEPH G. MERRITT, son of Daniel, married
                                                         daughter of John Pease.
  Lived at
   Children (?)
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- CURTIS A. D.<sup>8</sup> MERRITT, son of Daniel<sup>7</sup>, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- CHARLES<sup>8</sup> MERRITT, son of Daniel<sup>7</sup>, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- CALEB W.\* MERRITT, son of Daniel, married Phebe A., daughter of Husted of Greenwich. Lived at Children (?)
- THEODORE'S MERRITT, son of Daniel', married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- JOHN HENRY<sup>8</sup> MERRITT, son of John Willis<sup>2</sup>, married Margaret, daughter of Baumgardner. Lived at Salem, Ill., 1890.

  Three children.
- THOMAS A. E.\* MERRITT, son of John Willis?, married Alice, daughter of McKinney. Lived at Salem 1890.

  No children.
- WESLEY\* MERRITT, son of John Willis7, married 1871, Carrie, daughter of John T. Warren of Cincinnati. She died 1893; married 2d, 1898, Laura, daughter of Norman Williams of Chicago. He was born at Port Chester. Attended school at Belleville, Ill. At the age of sixteen he read law in the office of Judge Haynie at Salem. Entered West Point 1855; graduated 1860; Second Lieutenant of Second Dragoons; on frontier duty at Fort Crittenden, Utali; Assistant Adjutant General of Utali forces; Adjutant of Second Cavalry 1862; A. D. C. Captain 5 Apr., 1862; Brigadier General of Volunteers 1863; Aide to Gen. Stoneman Apr., 1863; took part in the raid towards Richmond; wounded in the head by a sabre cut, but continued the victorious fight; Major General of Volunteers 1865. For his gallant services at Gettysburg he received the Brevet of Major. Colonel of Cavalry; one of the three Commissioners to carry out the terms of Lee's surrender. In battles of Winchester and Fisher's Hill and Five Forks. At the close of the war he was brevetted Major General, Chief of Cavalry of Department of Texas, 1865; Lieutenant Colonel of Ninth Cavalry 1866. Led seven cavalry companies against the Cheyennes eighty-five miles in thirty-one hours. Colonel of Fifth Cavalry 1876. Rode two hundred miles in four days and nights continuously for the rescue of the Fourth Infantry in Colorado. Appointed Superintendent of West Point Academy 1882 until 1887. Brigadier General Apr., 1887; Department of Dakota 1891; Major General 1895; Department of Missouri 1895-7; Department of the East 1897. In command of the first Philippine expedition 16 May, 1898; captured Manila 13 Aug. Resumed his duties at Governor's Island Dec., 1898; retired 16 June, 1900. Died at Natural Bridge, Va. Buried from West Point. No children.
- EDWARD L.\* MERRITT, son of John Willis<sup>7</sup>, married of George, Lived at Springfield, Ill.

  Seven children.
- JOSEPH D.8 MERRITT, son of John Willist, married 31 Aug., 1865, Alice, daughter of Rahn of Camden, N. J. Lived at Moorhead, Minn. Five children.
- WILLIAM W. MERRITT, son of John Willis, married Lillie, daughter of Day. Lived at Salem, Ill.

  Two children.
- CHARLES W.8 MERRITT, son of John Willis<sup>7</sup>, unmarried. Second Lieutenant of Ninth Cavalry.

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WASHINGTON* MERRITT, son of Wesley*, married (?). Lived at
   Children (?)
FRANKLIN<sup>n</sup> MERRITT, son of Wesley<sup>7</sup>, married 31 Mar., 1875, Susan, daughter of Doherty. She was born 25 Dec., 1857. Lived at 1725 Fulton St.,
   Brooklyn, 1800.
   Children:
     Lulu Adelaide9,
               born 15 Feb., 1876, died
     Franklin, born 9 Mar., 1878, died
                     1 June, 1880, died 26 Nov., 1881.
     Ralph, born
WILLIAM B.* MERRITT, son of Samuel Cheeseman, married (?). Lived at
JOSEPH" MERRITT, son of Robert Tucker?, married (?). Lived at
   Children (?)
MALCOLM® MERKITT, son of Joseph Randolph®, married (?).
   Children (?)
WILSON B.* MERRITT, son of Elisha B.7, married
                                                            Hannah E., daughter
                 Lester. Lived at
   Children:
     Wilson<sup>9</sup>, born
     Aaron, born
                                  died
                                  died
     Fred, born
     Elisha, born
                                  died
GRIFFIN H. MERRITT, son of Benjamin E.7, married 2 Apr., 1882, Cora. daugh-
   ter of John Rand and Augusta Daniels. Lived at
   Children (?)
ELISHA B. MERRITT, son of Benjamin E., married (?). Lived at
   Children (?)
GEORGE H.8 MERRITT, son of Benjamin E.7, married (?). Lived at
   Children (?)
RANDOLPH's MERRITT, son of James7, married (?). Lived at White Plains.
   Children (?)
WILLIAM H.8 MERRITT, son of Jeremiah W.7, married
                                                                  Susan, daughter
                 Craig. Lived at Gardiner.
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   Children:
     Adeline<sup>9</sup>, born
                                  died
     Ida, born
                                  died
     William, born
                                  died
DANIEL R.8 MERRITT, son of Jeremiah W.7, married 2 May, 1865, Lucinda.
                          Pickett. Lived at Oil City, Pa.
   daughter of
   Children:
     Howard R.º, born
                                  died
                                  died
     Jennie, born
     Archie, born
                                  died
     Mildred, born
                                  died
EDWARD A.* MERRITT, son of Jeremiah W.7, married
                                                                 Salina, daughter
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Mott. Lived at Oil City.

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Children:
    Frank<sup>9</sup>, born
                                 died
     Georgia, born
                                 died
    Della, born
                                  died
     Musa, born
                                 died
    Aubrey, born
                                 died
WILLIAM H.* MERRITT, son of James Whitney<sup>7</sup>, married 19 Sept., 1878. Lived
CHARLES® MERRITT, son of James Whitney<sup>7</sup>, married (?). Lived at 139 N.
   Third St., Brooklyn.
   Children (?)
GEORGE W.8 MERRITT, son of James Whitney?, married (?). Lived at
   Children (?)
EDWIN M.* MERRITT, son of John Thorner, married 25 Apr., 1867, Louisa J.,
   daughter of Samuel R. Benedict. Lived at South Norwalk. She lived at 241
   W. 44th St., New York.
   Children:
    Hattie Loretta<sup>9</sup>,
              born 17 May, 1868, died
    Ida May, born 16 May, 1870, died
    Edwin Lynes, b. 20 Aug., 1871, died
    Louisa Beldine,
              born 29 June, 1873, died
    Harry Benjamin,
              born 18 May, 1875, died
    Samuel Cornelius Benedict.
              born 11 May, 1879, died
GEORGE* MERRITT, son of Matthew<sup>†</sup>, married
                                                     Mary F., daughter of
   Husted of Greenwich. Lived at
  Child:
    Daughter.
ALBERT J.8 MERRITT, son of Edward D.7, married (?). Lived at
   Children (?)
GEORGE<sup>8</sup> MERRITT, son of Theodore<sup>7</sup>, married (?). Lived at
   Children (?)
HIRAM® MERRITT, son of Theodore<sup>7</sup>, married (?). Lived at
  Children (?)
DANIELS MERRITT, son of Theodore<sup>7</sup>, married (?). Lived at
  Children (?)
THEODORE A.8 MERRITT, son of Theodore7, married (?). Lived at
  Children (?)
JAMES ALBERT* MERRITT, son of James O.7, married (?). Lived at
   Children (?)
CLARENCE'S MERRITT, son of Jeremiah Krom7, married (?). Lived at
   Children (?)
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HUGHs MERRITT, son of Jeremiah Krom7, married (?). Lived at

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JUSTUS<sup>8</sup> MERRITT, son of Peter<sup>7</sup>, married (?). Lived at
  Children (?)
WALTER ELTINGHAM" MERRITT, son of George B.7, married (?). Lived
 Children (?)
GEORGE ROGERS* MERRITT, son of George R.7, married (?). Lived at
  Children (?)
EDWARD LEE' MERRITT, son of Cornelius O.7, married (?). Lived at
  Children (?)
FRANK W.* MERRITT, son of Daniel H.7, married 4 June, 1883, Lucy, daughter
               Lovett. Lived at Duluth, Minn.
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  Children:
    Daniel Wilburg,
             born 11 Aug., 1886, died
    William Lovett,
             born 19 Aug., 1891, died
EDWARD A.8 MERRITT, son of Daniel H.7, married 15 Dec., 1886, Matilda,
  daughter of John Huntington. Lives at Cleveland,
  Children:
    Jane Huntington®.
             born 6 May, 1889, died 18 May, 1892.
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CHARLES F.\* MERRITT, son of Mortimer C.\*, married of William Cumming and Katherine Barrie. Lived at Children:

William F.<sup>9</sup>, b. 10 Feb., 1905, died Margaret, born 8 Feb., 1914, died

- MARCUS\* MERRITT, son of George C.7, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- CHARLES C.\* MERRITT, son of Charles F.\*, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- CHARLES ELTING\* MERRITT, son of William Hawkesley\*, married (?).

  Lived at

  Children (?)
- CHARLES HOLDEN' MERRITT, son of Edward Henry, married (?). Lived at . Children (?)
- ORLIN LEE's MERRITT, son of Edward Henry', married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- CECIL RAY's MERRITT, son of Edward Henry<sup>7</sup>, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- HENRY CLIFFORD\* MERRITT, son of Edward Henry\*, married (?). Lived at . Children (?)

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GABRIEL ELDON* MERRITT, son of Edward Henry<sup>7</sup>, married (?). Lived
   Children (?)
LEW ELLIS* MERRITT, son of Edward Henry<sup>7</sup>, married (?). Lived at
   Children (?)
LESLIE STRATTON<sup>8</sup> MERRITT, son of Edward Henry<sup>7</sup>, married (?). Lived
   Children (?)
GABRIEL GUY* MERRITT, son of Gabriel Wetmore7, married (?). Lived
   Children (?)
CLARENCE MARTIN* MERRITT, son of Gabriel Wetmore?. Lived at
FREDERICK GERALD* MERRITT, son of Frederick Stanley?. Lived at
FREDERICK LINCOLN* MERRITT, son of David Frederick*, married (?).
   Lived at
   Children (?)
HOWARD BUTLER'S MERRITT, son of David Frederick', married (?). Lived
   at
   Children (?)
9. JOSEPH WARNER<sup>9</sup> MERRITT, son of Caleb Seymour<sup>8</sup>, married (?). Lived
   at Rutledge St., Brooklyn.
   Children (?)
ALBERT<sup>9</sup> MERRITT, son of Jotham Lewis<sup>8</sup>, unmarried. Lived at
JAMES<sup>9</sup> MERRITT, son of Alpheus*, married (?). Lived at
   Children (?)
FRANK® MERRITT, son of Alpheus®, married (?).
   Children (?)
EDWARD® MERRITT, son of Isaac B.*, married (?).
   Children (?)
ISRAEL J.<sup>9</sup> MERRITT, son of Hamilton<sup>8</sup>, married 1853, Sarah, daughter of Nicholson. She was born 9 Feb., 1834, died 11 June, 1879. Lived
   at Whitestone, L. I. Merritt Wrecking Co.
   Children:
     Israel J.10, born
                             1856, died
     Emma, born
                             1859, died
     Irene, born
                             1863, died
                                         5 July, 1887.
     Ida B., born
                             1864, died
                                                     ; mar.
                                                                  Hulse.
     Flora M., born
                             1867, died
                                                     ; mar.
                                                                 Pauley.
     John J., born
                             1869, died
ISAAC B.9 MERRITT, son of Hamilton*, married
                                                            Florentine, daughter of
                  Lived at 81 Green St., Green Point, L. I., 1890.
   Children:
     Isaac B.10, b.
                    13 Oct., 1860, died
     Israel J., born
Edward, born
                    23 Sept., 1862, died
                    31 May, 1864, died
     Virginia R., b. 23 Feb., 1867, died
     William, born 28 Feb., 1869, died
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Henry, born
                     3 Jan., 1871, died
     Hamilton, born 12 July, 1873, died
     John B., born 2 July, 1875, died
     Mary Eliza, born 3 May, 1878, died
 WILLIAM® MERRITT, son of Hamiltons, married
                                                       Mary, daughter of
   Lived at
   Children:
     William<sup>10</sup>, born
                             1857, died
                             1862, died
     Hamilton, born
     Virginia, born
                             1863, died
     Walter, born
                             1865, died
                             1869. died
     Flora, born
HAMILTON® MERRITT, son of Hamilton®, married
                                                               Mary, daughter of
                . Lived at
   No children.
GEORGE W.º MERRITT, son of William H.s, married (?). Lived at 22 Vandam
   St., New York.
   Children (?)
CHARLES<sup>®</sup> MERRITT, son of Israel<sup>a</sup>, married (?). Lived at
   Children (?)
STEPHEN® MERRITT, son of Israel®, married (?). Lived at
   Children (?)
ORLANDO<sup>9</sup> MERRITT, son of Israel<sup>8</sup>, married (?). Lived at
   Children (?)
RUFUS L.º MERRITT, son of Israels, married
                                                    Augusta, daughter of
   Lived at Fair Haven, N. J.
   Children (?)
FRANK® MERRITT, son of Israel®, married (?). Lived at
   Children (?)
MORRIS HILL<sup>®</sup> MERRITT, son of James Smith*, unmarried. Lived at Phila-
   delphia, Pa.
JAMES SMITH® MERRITT, son of James Smith®, unmarried. Lived at Phila-
   delphia, Pa.
EUGENE® MERRITT, son of Stephen H.A. married 14 Nov., 1906, Catherine Eliz-
   abeth, daughter of
   Children:
     Katherine Elizabeth<sup>10</sup>.
               born 15 Aug., 1912, died
    Jeannette, born 19 Aug., 1914, died
ROSS<sup>9</sup> MERRITT, son of Frederick H.8, married (?). Lived at
   Children (?)
ASHLEY9 MERRITT, son of George W.8, married (?). Lived at
   Children (?)
ROBERT NORRIS® MERRITT, son of Thomas®, married (?). Lived at
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- JAMES L.º MERRITT, son of Daniel B.º, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- WASHINGTON G.º MERRITT, son of Willis J.º, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- EPHRAIM MEAD® MERRITT, son of Willis J.8, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- FRANKLIN® MERRITT, son of Franklin®, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- WILSON<sup>®</sup> MERRITT, son of Wilson B.<sup>8</sup>, married (?). Lived at Children (?).
- AARON<sup>®</sup> MERRITT, son of Wilson B.\*, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- FRED®-MERRITT, son of Wilson B.\*, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- ELISHA<sup>9</sup> MERRITT, son of Wilson B.8, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- WILLIAM<sup>9</sup> MERRITT, son of William H.<sup>8</sup>, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- EDWIN LYNES<sup>9</sup> MERRITT, son of Edwin M.\*, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- HARRY BENJAMIN<sup>9</sup> MERRITT, son of Edwin D.\*, married (?). Lived at Children (?)
- SAMUEL CORNELIUS BENEDICT<sup>9</sup> MERRITT, son of Edwin D.\*, married (?). Lived at
- DANIEL WILBUR<sup>9</sup> MERRITT, son of Frank W.\*, married Regina Ida, daughter of Sherlock. Living at 285 Monroe St., Brooklyn.

  Child:
  - Regina Ida<sup>10</sup>, born 1915, died
- WILLIAM LOVETT<sup>9</sup> MERRITT, son of Frank W.\*, unmarried. Living at Hermiston, Oregon.
- WILLIAM F.º MERRITT, son of Charles F.S.

## Westchester County Merritts.

1. ABRAHAM MERRITT, son of , born , 1745, died 31 May, 1820, married Elizabeth , born 1739, died 10 Jan., 1811. He was fence viewer, pound master and assessor of Mt. Pleasant, 1788. Made his Will 18 Aug., 1818; proved 17 June, 1820 (White Plains, Lib. 3, p. 114). He and his wife were buried at Scarborough. Abraham Merritt Will gives son Samuel \$1250, to be paid out of land when sold; to grandson Bartholomey Miller \$500 with interest when he comes of age; to his daughters Phebe Griffin, Ann Hunter and Susanna Williams all personalty and real estate which may remain after paying bequests.

## Children:

Samuel, born	, 1764, died 21 Aug	g., 1842.	
Phebe, born	, died	; mar.	Griffin.
Ann, born	, died	; mar.	Hunter.
Susanna, born	, died	; mar.	Williams.
, born	, died	; mar.	Miller.
Bartholomew.			

born 28 Aug., 1779, died 28 Jan., 1799.

2. SAMUEL MERRITT, son of Abraham, married 17 May, 1787, Mercy, daughter Bloomer (?), born , 1766, died 23 Jan., 1844. They bought land at Mamaroneck from Elijah Purdy and mortgaged it to Ann de Lancy, 19 May, 1793 (White Plains, Lib. E., p. 48). Children (?)

ABSALOM MERRITT, son of parried Elizabeth and Made his Will 22 June, 1791; proved 24 Nov., 1791, of Yorktown. Absalom Merritt Will gives to wife Elizabeth one-third of his estate and one cow; to sons William and James £30 each to be paid with interest when they come of age, provided his estate shall equal the sum of £150, including his wife's third; to his younger children, Sarah and Jesse £20 each to be paid in like manner; to his brother's daughter Phebe a bed and furniture and suit of new clothes.

## Children:

William, born	. died	; all under age, in 1791.
James, born	, died	
Sarah, born	. died	
Jesse, born	. died	

ANDREW (?) MERRITT, son of , born .died , married Mary, daughter of Joseph and Sarah Lyon. She died before 1752. He was living 1767.

## Children:

Elisha, born	, died	. 1752.
Joseph, born	, died	
Silvanus, born	, died	; living 1750.

ANDREW J. MERRITT, married Prudence, daughter of She died 8 May, 1761 (Purchase Meeting Records).

Children (?)

1. CHARLES MERRITT, son of ..., born 2 Nov., 1750, died 16 June, 1827, married Sarah Sherwood, of Sharon, Conn., died 30 Aug., 1795. He lived at Rye.

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Children:
     Elizabeth, born 2 Apr., 1781, died
                                                                     Wait.
     Joseph, born
                      7 Feb., 1783, died 21 Nov., 1851.
     Stephen Sherwood,
               born 26 Aug., 1785, died 21 Nov., 1854.
     Ammon, born 8 Jan., 1787, died 14 Sept., 1863.
     Charles, born
                    17 July, 1788, died 12 Apr., 1862.
JOSEPH MERRITT, son of Charles, married 12 Aug., 1804, Mary Dean. She
   was born
                 1783, died 5 May, 1822. Married 2d, Esther Dean. She was born
   30 Oct., 1799.
   Children:
     Mahala, born
                                  , died
     William, born
                                  , died
                                  , died
     Elijah D., born
                                                      ; Petersburg, Va.
     David, born
                                  , died
                                  , died
     Joseph A., born
     Cordelia, born
                                  . died
                                                                     Wilcox.
                                                      ; mar.
     Mary, born
                                  , died
           -, born
     Henry E., boin
                                  , died
                                  , died
     George T., born
                                  , died
     John H., born
                                                      ; Waterman, Ill.
     Mial Augustus, born
                                  . died
                                                      ; LeRov. N. Y.
                                  , died
     Ammon, born
     Benjamin, born
                                  , died
     Joseph C., born
James A., born
                                  , died
                                                      : Patterson, N. Y.
                                  , died
STEPHEN SHERWOOD MERRITT, son of Charles, married 13 July, 1806,
   Hannah, daughter of Abner Purdy.
   Children:
     Celinda, born to July, 1807, died 29 June, 1877; mar. Allen Mead.
     Sydney C., born 16 Sept., 1809, died
Charles H., born 11 Aug., 1814, died
                                                      ; mar. Betsy Baker.
                                                      : mar. Cornelia M. Hartson.
     Sherwood S.,
               born 4 Sept., 1817, died 16 Mar., 1869; mar. Mary A. Wilcox.
AMMON MERRITT, son of Charles, married 15 Jan., 1820, Fanny Purdy, 2
   daughters.
CHARLES MERRITT, son of Charles, married
                                                           Hannah Bennett. Lived
   at Bainbridge.
   Children:
     Richmond, born
                                  , died
                                 , died
     Emmet, born
                                 , died
     Martha, born
     Eliza, born
                                  . died
CHARLES MERRITT, son of
                                              . Signed protest against Rebellion at
   White Plains, under age, 13 Apr., 1775.
   Children (?)
BENJAMIN MERRITT, son of
                                            , had wife Hannah and servant George
   Egit, 17 Sept., 1741, Rve.
   Children (?)
DANIEL MERRITT, son of married Abigail, daughter of Thomas Lyon and Phebe Vowles, who left her land in Rye 5 Nov., 1770. Per-
   haps Daniel<sup>4</sup>, son of John<sup>3</sup>, of the Thomas Merritt family.
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DAVID MERRITT, son of
                                     , suit against Samuel Miller, Rye, 2 Jan., 1758.
   Children (?)
DAVID MERRITT, son of
                                          . In Cortlandt Manor 1788. Perhaps
   Davida, son of Samuela, Rye family.
   Children (?)
EBENEZER MERRITT, son of
                                               born
                                                                 , died
                                             Clapp. He was in the Revolutionary
                 Kezier, daughter of
   married
   War. Settled in he town of North East. Children born in Dutchess Co. Moved
   to Yates Co. in 1827. Buried at Holbrook Corners, Dutchess Co.
                     4 May, 1781, died 27 May, 1850.
1792, died 8 July, 1848.
     John, born
     Ephraim, born
                                , died
     Ebenezer, born
                                 , died
     Peter, born
2. JOHN, son of Ebenezer, was born at Amenia, N. Y., married Elizabeth, daugh-
                    Hill. Moved to Yates Co. in 1827 and died at Jerusalem.
   ter of
   Children:
     Chauncy, born 23 Nov., 1811, died
                                               , 1879.
     Sarah A., born 17 Oct., 1813, died
                    21 Dec., 1815, died
     Eliza, born
     Emma J., born 10 Apr., 1817, died
     Van Rensselaer,
               born 15 Aug., 1819, died
                    24 May, 1821, died 11 Jan., 1878.
     John, born
    Alanson, born 25 Nov., 1823, died 10 June, 1870.
Lafayette, born 3 Dec., 1826, died
EPHRAIM, son of Ebenezer, married Hannah, daughter of
                                                                            Ritton.
   Moved from Poughkeepsie to Yates Co. about 1827 and died in Barrington.
     Morgan L., born 1 Oct., 1816, died
     Peter A., born 15 Nov., 1818, died
     Rachel Ann, b. 12 Aug., 1820, died
     Charlotte, born 20 Apr., 1822, died
Enos, born 15 Nov., 1824, died
EBENEZER, son of Ebenezer, married (?) Settled on the Delaware River.
   Children (?)
PETER, son of Ehenezer, married (?) Settled in Pennsylvania.
  Children (?)
3. CHAUNCEY, son of John, married Sarah, daughter of
                                                                       Westcott of
  Dundee. Lived at Prattsburgh.
   Children:
                                 , died 30 June, 1870; mar. Belle Lord.
     Birney, born
                                 , died
     Marietta, born
                                 , died
     Daniel, born
                                                     ; no children.
                                 , died 30 Aug., 1888; mar. Belle Rynders.
     William, born
VAN RENSSELAER, son of John, married Julia, daughter of
                                                                             Perry.
  of Potter. Lived in Kansas.
   Children:
                                 , died
    John, born
                                 , died
     Frank, born
                                 , died
    Rose, born
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ALANSON, son of John, married Susan, daughter of William C. Keach and Rachel
   Lemingway, of Italy, N. Y.
   Child:
     William A., born 29 Mar., 1858, died
                                                           Osgood, of Penn Yan.
JOHN, son of John, married Jane, daughter of
   She died 1852; married 2d, Phebe, daughter of Levi Dean. Lived at Barrington.
   Child:
     Josephine, born
                                , died
LAFAYETTE, son of John, married Hannah, daughter of Thomas Bennett, of
   Milo. Lived on Capt. Stewart's farm at Jerusalem.
     Elmer, born
                                , died
MORGAN L., son of Ephraim, married Mary Jane, daughter of
                                                                          Wilker.
   Children:
     Wilker, born
                                , died
                                , died
     Adalbert, born
                                , died
     Byron, born
     Mary, born
                                , dicd
     Jane, born
                                , died
                                , died
     Frank, born
     Albert, born
                                , died
     Homer, born
                                , died
PETER A., son of Ephraim, married (?)
   Children: All dead.
ENOS, son of Ephraim, married Catherine, daughter of 2d. Viola, daughter of Percy.
                                                                   Dean, married
   Children:
                                , died
     George, born
                                , died
     Frank, born
     Euphemia, born
                                , died
ELIJAH MERRITT, son of
                                         , born 17 July, 1766, died
                                   Hughsted. Lived in Westchester Co. He had
   married Ann, daughter of
   sisters Margaret, Elizabeth, Ann.
   Children:
     Hannah, born
                                , died
                                , died
     Phebe, born
                                , died
     Elizabeth, born
                                , died
     Jane, born
                                , died
     Catherine, born
     Ann, born
                                , died
                                              , 1837; mar. Nancy, daughter of
    William, born
                            1795, died
                                                       Samuel Pease.
2. WILLIAM, son of Elijah, married Nancy, daughter of Samuel and Mary Pease.
   Lived in Brooklyn.
   Children:
     Samuel P., born
                            1819, died
3. SAMUEL P., son of William, married 27 Sept., 1842, Beulah A., daughter of
             Sharp. Lived in Brooklyn, 1889.
   Children:
                                , died
    Josephine A., born
                                                    ; mar.
                                                                 Hicks.
                                , died
     Samuel P., born
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, died

Theodore S., born

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, died
     Hughson, born
                                  , died
     William J. P., born
                                             , married Diana or Diantha. He and
ELISHA MERRITT, son of
   wife executed a deed 1752; daughter Mary baptized at Philippse Manor 11 Nov.,
   1760. Perhaps Elisha<sup>4</sup>, son of William<sup>3</sup>, of the Thomas Merritt family.
   Children (?)
1. ELIJAH MERRITT, son of
                                              , born
                                                                 , died
   married Europe Gra . widow of
                                               Tompkins. Lived in Barnstable Co.,
   Mass.
   Children:
     Elisha, born 23 Jan., 1769, died
                                                      :mar., (2) Griffin.
                                 , died
     Nehemiah, born
     Polly, born
                                  , died
2. ELISHA MERRITT, son of Elijah, married
                                                           Desire, daughter of Capt.
   Nathan Fuller. She was born 30 Sept., 1775. Lived at Carmel, Putnam Co.
     Hackaliah, born 8 Apr., 1794, died
     Elijah, born
                     9 Nov., 1796, died
     Nathan, born 14 Nov., 1799, died
Nehemiah, born 19 Feb., 1802, died
     Joseph, born
                    2 July, 1804, died
                    13 Oct., 1806, died
17 Mar., 1809, died
     Daniel, born
     Martha, born
     John, born
                     13 Feb., 1812, died
     Stephen, born 18 July, 1814, died
Elisha Cole, b. 12 Jan., 1818, died
NEHEMIAH MERRITT, son of Elijah, married (?) Lived at
   Went to Lake Champlain country and settled.
   Children (?)
                    N. h. 182,
3. HACKALIAH, son of Elisha, married Sarah, daughter of
                                                                              Smith.
   She died
Tiskilwa, Ill.
                    1847; married 2d, Lydia, daughter of
                                                                        Robinson, of
   Children:
     Fuller, born
                             1817, died
                                 , died
     Cordelia, born
                                                      ; mar. Philo Lindley.
                                 , died
     Martha, born
                                                      ; mar. Truman Hunt.
                                 , died
     Nathan, born
                                               Townsend. Lived at
NATHAN, son of Elisha, married
   Children:
     Samuel T., born
                                                      ; Hudson, Wis.
                                 , died
     Henry Clay, born
NATHAN, son of Hackaliah, lived at Hot Springs, Ark.; is dead.
   Children (?)
ELIJAH, son of Elisha, married Maria, daughter of
                                                                    Hopkins. Lived
   in Putnam Co. and New York until 1834; moved to Peru, Ill., and to Tiskilwa.
   Ill., where he was killed by a falling tree in 1843.
   Children:
     Jeremiah, born
                                 , died
                                 , died
     Elizabeth, born
                                 , died
     Emeline, born
                                            Dec., 1895; mar. Samuel Clark.
                                 , died
    Myram, born
                                 , died
                                                      : mar. W. S. Clark
     Frances, born
     Oscar, born
                                 , died
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NEHEMIAH, son of Elisha, married 1829-30, Belinda, daughter of Eliphalet
   Smith, of Marlborough, N. Y.; moved to Peru, Ill., about 1836; died at Afton
   Springs, Iowa.
  Children:
    Juliette, born
                                , died
                                , died
    Algenetta, born
                                                    ; mar. John Moore.
JOSEPH, son of Elisha, matried Amanda, daughter of
                                                                      Townsend;
  married 2d, Mrs. Maria Swerthunt.
  Children:
    John, born
                                , died
                                                    ; unmarried.
            –, born
                                , died
    Jane Abigail, born
                                                                 Wilton.
                                , died
                                                    ; mar.
    Phelinda, born
                                , died
                                                                 Whitworth,
                                                    ; mar.
                                                                 Chesney.
    Huldah Deziah, born
                                , died
                                                    ; mar.
    Electra Maria, born
                                , died
                                                    ; mar.
                                                                 Bishop,
    Daniel, born
                                . died
    Edwin, born
                                 died
                                                    ; unmarried.
                                                                 Peters.
    Susan, born
                                 died
                                                    ; mar.
    Stephen, born
                                . died
DANIEL, son of Elisha, married Harriet, daughter of
                                                                     Hopkins, of
   West Bloomfield, N. Y.; moved to Peru, Ill., in 1834.
  Child: .
    Martha Marena, born
                                                   ; unmarried, Lives at Peru, Ill.
                                , died
JOHN, son of Elisha, married Caroline, daughter of
                                                                 Bishop, of Sing
  Sing; moved to Bloomington, Ill.
  Children:
                                , died
    S. Amelia, born
                                                                 Staley.
                                                   : mar.
    Jean Hall, born
                                , died
                                                   ; unmarried.
STEPHEN, son of Elisha, married
                                            1836, Mary, daughter of Ira Staples,
                                                                       Mapes, of
  of Marlborough; married 2d, 1862, Esther, daughter of
  Elmira, N. Y.; married 3d, 1880, Ann, daughter of
                                                                 English. Moved
  to Bloomington 1834.
  Children:
    Henrietta A., b. 10 Jan., 1837, died
                                                                 Weed.
                                                   : mar.
    Sherwood Seeley.
              born 26 July, 1838, died
    Ambler Edson,
              born 29 July, 1842, died
    Charles Henry,
              born 23 Feb., 1845, died
                                              , 1845.
ELISHA COLE, son of Elisha, married Elizabeth, daughter of Drawyer; married
  2d, Catherine, daughter of
                                         Hunt, of Peekskill. Living in Peekskill
  1902.
  Children:
    Oscar, born
                                . died
                                                   ; mar. M. Baxter.
    Emily, born
                                , died
4. FULLER MERRITT, son of Hackaliah, married Julia, daughter of
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  Lived at Lasalle.
  No children.
JEREMIAH MERRITT, son of Elijah, married Chloe, daughter of
  Living at Davenport, Iowa.
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SAMUEL T. MERRITT, son of Nathan, married Elizabeth, daughter of
   Hill, of Carmel. Living at Hudson, Wis.
   Children:
          -, born
                               , died
           . born
          –, born
                               , died
                                , died
          –, born
HENRY CLAY MERRITT, son of Nathan, married
                                                          Sarantha, daughter of
               Moore, of Kewance, Ill.
   Children:
                                , died
     Herbert, born
     Clary, born
                                , died
DANIEL MERRITT, son of Joseph, married
                                                         daughter of
   Anderson. Living at Tiskilon.
   Children (?)
STEPHEN MERRITT, son of Joseph, married
                                                           Living near Tiskilon.
   Children (?)
SHERWOOD SEELY MERRITT, son of Stephen, married
                                                                       daughter
   of
                Kinber. Living at Henry, Ill.
   Children:
     Charles Edson, born
                               , died
     Cara Ella, bborn
                               , died
     Rogers Sherwood, born
                               , died
     William Martin, born
     Mary Julia, born
                               , died
AMBLER EDSON MERRITT, son of Stephen, married Amanda, daughter of L.
   Russell. Living at Santa Rosa, Cal.
   Child:
     Edson Charles, born
1. ELISHA MERRITT, son of
                                                              died
                                            born
   married
                     . Moved from Long Island to Rye.
   Children:
     John, born
                               , died
2. JOHN MERRITT, son of Elisha, married
                                                             Lived at Bedford,
   1771-6. Removed to near Sing Sing.
   Children:
                               , died
     John, born
                               , died
     David, born
                               , died
    Stephen, born
3. JOHN MERRITT, son of John, married 24 Aug., 1809, Hannah, daughter of
             Gregory. Lived at
   Children:
                   18 Feb., 1812, died
    Ruth, born
                                                  : mar.
                                                  ; mar. William Newman.
    Phebe, born
                   23 July, 1815, died
                    3 July, 1817, died
7 May, 1820, died
     Chloc, born
                                                  ; Col. E. Avery.
    James F., born
                    8 Dec., 1823, died
    Norman, born
    Caroline, born
                   9 Oct., 1826, died 25 June, 1853.
DAVID MERRITT, son of John, married 17 Mar., 1805, at Christ Church, Salem,
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Burcham. Lived at

N. Y., Polly, daughter of

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Children:
                               , died
    Stephen, born
    John D., born
                           1821, died
                              , died
    Alice, born
                               , died
    Polly, born
STEPHEN MERRITT, son of John, married Rebecca, daughter of
  Austin. Lived at
  Children:
    John, born
                               , died
                               , died
    Stephen, born
                               , died
    rfelen, born
                               , died
    Catherine, born
                               , died
    Ruth, born
                               , died
    Matilda, born
4. JAMES F. MERRITT, son of John, married 19 Nov., 1846, Lucy A., daughter
  of
                Whitlock. Lived at Katonah, 1888.
  Children:
    John B., born 30 Oct., 1849, died
                                                  ; mar. J. W. Turner.
    Ella, born
                    3 July, 1857, died
NORMAN MERRITT, son of John, married
                                                 1852, Hannah, daughter of
  Washburn. Lived at
  Children:
    Clorinda, born 20 Aug., 1855, died
                                                  ; mar. George E. Todd.
                               , died
                                                  ; mar. Dr. E. Todd.
    Carrie, born
                               , died
    Rhoda, born
    Norman, born
                               . died
STEPHEN MERRITT, son of David, married
                                                  Abby J., daughter of
  Piatt. Lived at
  Children:
                               , died
    Stephen D., born
    James, born
                               , died
     Mary, bern
                               , died
    Lucy, born
                               , died
JOHN D. MERRITT, son of David, married
                                                1841, Emily, daughter of
  Knapp. Lived at
  Children:
                               , dica
    David, born
                               , died
    Sarah, born
                               , died
    John, born
                               , died
    Norman, born
                               , died
    De Witt, born
                               , died
    Fanny, born
                               , died
    Emma, born
    William, born
                               , died
JAMES MERRITT, son of
                                         born
                                                            . died
   His mother was the oldest sister of James Horton. Perhaps James, son of
   Thomas*, Rye family.
  Children (?)
JOHN MERRITT, son of
                                         Executor of Will of Daniel Horton,
  Mamaroneck, 2 May, 1776. Perhaps John<sup>4</sup>, son of Edward<sup>3</sup>, Rye family.
  Children (?)
DANIEL MERRITT, son of
                                         . born
                                                                          1845.
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married

Hults. Settled at New Windsor, Orange Co.

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Children:
          -, born
                   10 May, 1800, died
     Caleb, born
                                             , 1879.
                               , died
     Daniel, born
     James B., born
                               , died
     Anna, born
                               , died
                               , died
     Amelia, born
     Mary, born
                               , died
     Sarah, born
                               , died
         -, son of Daniel, married Charity Taylor.
   Children:
                               , died
     James M., born
     John M., born
                               , died
     Ann Eliza, born
                               , died
     Francis E., born
                               , died
     Hannah, born
                               , dicd
                               , died
     William E., born
                               , died
     Harriet A., born
     Andrew H., b. 19 Dec., 1835, died
CALEB MERRITT, son of Daniel, married (?). Lived at New Windsor.
   Children (?)
DANIEL MERRITT, son of Daniel, married (?). Lived at
   Two children.
JAMES B. MERRITT, son of Daniel, married (?). Lived at Indian Town, Iowa
   Two children.
JAMES M. MERRITT, son of
                                        , married (?) Lived at 172 E. 63rd St.,
   New York,
   Children (?)
JOHN M. MERRITT, son of
                                       , married (?) Lived at
   Children (?)
FRANCIS E. MERRITT, son of N. Y.
                                               , married (?) Lived at Monroe,
   Children (?)
WILLIAM E. MERRITT, son of
                                              , married (?) Lived at
  Children (?)
ANDREW H. MERRITT, son of
                                               , married Elizabeth M.
   daughter of
                           Church. Lived at
   Child:
    Charles E., born 8 Jan., 1868, died
                                                ; mar. Ameria Earl. Children:
                                                   Ethel, Laura, Ada.
1. ELISHA MERRITT, son of
                                          , born
                                                            . died
                            . Lived at Greenburgh.
  married Rebecca
  Children:
    James, born
                     about 1731, died
                              . died
    David, born
    Samuel, born
                               , died
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2. JAMES MERRITT, son of Elisha, married Susanna, daughter of Storms, of Cortlandt. In 1785 he owned 122 acres at Phillipsburgh, formerly owned by Elisha Merritt. He and wife Susanna sold 57½ acres at North Castle to Stephen Williams, 22 Apr., 1788 (White Plains, Lib. 2, p. 35). Buried at Sparta.

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Children:
     Isaac, born
                              , died
                                           , 1858.
     Abram, born
                           1785, died
                              , died
    Horace, born
    Elisha, born
                               . died
                           1794, died
    John Storms, born
                                           , 1852.
                                                 ; mar. Nathaniel Fisher.
                              , died
    Jane, born
DAVID MERRITT, son of Elisha, married (?) Lived at
   Children (?)
SAMUEL MERRITT, son of Elisha, married (?) Lived at
   Children (?)
3. ISAAC MERRITT, son of James, married
                                                  Maria, daughter of
  Acker. Lived at
  Children:
    Hiram, born
                              , died
                              , died
    Asbury, born
                              , died
    Abram, born
    Levi, born
                              . died
ABRAM MERRITT, son of James, married
                                                  Fannie, daughter of Joshua
  Fowler, of Mt. Pleasant. Lived at
  Children:
    William E., born
                              , died
    Solomon, born
                              . dicd
HORACE MERRITT, son of James, married (?) Lived at
  Children (?)
ELISHA MERRITT, son of James, married (?) Lived at
  Children (?)
JOHN STORMS MERRITT, son of James, married Rebecca, daughter of
  Onser, of Tarrytown. He was buried at Sparta.
  Children:
                              , died
    Jane, born
    Berlin, born
                              , died
                              , died
    Amanda, born
    Elizabeth, born
                              , died
                              , died
    James, born
                              , died
    Gardiner, born
    Marsell, born
                              , died
4. HIRAM MERRITT, son of Isaac, married (?) Lived at
  Children (?)
ASBURY MERRITT, son of Isaac, married (?) Lived at
  Children (?)
ABRAM MERRITT, son of Isaac, married (?) Lived at
  Children (?)
LEVI MERRITT, son of Isaac, married (?) Lived at
  Children (?)
WILLIAM E. MERRITT, son of Abram, married
                                                        Caroline, daughter of
             Scidmore. Lived at Merritt Station, N. Y.
    Charles Avery, born
                              , died
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- SOLOMON MERRITT, son of Abram, married (?) Lived at Children (?)
- BERLIN MERRITT, son of John Storms, married (?) Lived at Children (?)
- JAMES MERRITT, son of John Storms, married (?) Lived at Children (?)
- GARDINER MERRITT, son of John Storms, married (?) He was born at Croton. Living, New York, 1890.

  Children:

Emarintha, born , died Amanda, born , died Horace, born , died Gardiner Van Wyck, , died Fowler, born , died

5. CHARLES AVERY MERRITT, son of William Edgar, married Juliet B., daughter of Living at 120 Dwight St., New Haven, 1890. Children:

Oliver Hazard Perry, born , died 12 Nov., 1904.

OLIVER H. P. MERRITT, son of Charles Avery Merritt and Juliett B. Merritt, of 10 Wall St., New York; son of William Edgar Merritt and Caroline Skidmore Merritt, son of James Merritt and Fannie Fowler Merritt, son of Abraham Merritt and Isabel Brown Merritt. Abraham Merritt is put down in the "Rosters and Payrolls" in State Treasurer's books at Albany, N. Y., as follows: "The levies (Malcolm) Col. Wm. Malcolm, 'Enlisted men,' see 'New York in the Revolution,' 'as Colony and State,' State Comptroller's Records, by James A. Roberts, Comptroller."

(The Yonkers Herald, Saturday, Nov. 12, 1904.)
OLIVER H. P. MERRITT DIES FROM TYPHOID.

Oliver Hazard Perry MERRITT, the local lawyer, who early in the year associated himself with former City Attorney Beaudrias, succumbed to typhoid fever at 3.50 this morning, at his late residence, 5 High Street.

By the death of Oliver H. P. Merritt, the Bar of Westchester County has lost one of its best, most highly esteemed members. Mr. Merritt was born in Ossining on July 20, 1873, and was a graduate of the Law Department of Yale University in 1804. He was admitted to practice in the States of Connecticut and New York in 1804 and became associated with Mr. Waldo G. Morse of Yonkers, at 10 Wall Street. New York, at that time. Later he opened an office with Henry C. Griffin of Tarrytown, but on account of ill health was obliged to make an extended tour of California and the West. On his return he associated himself with Mr. Morse, and in 1900 began practice in Yonkers. Since that date his unqualified loyalty to his work and his friends has placed him among the highest and best esteemed members of his profession. Mr. Merritt leaves a wife and infant son.

His friends extend their most sincere sympathy to his family. His funeral will take place from Christ Chruch rectory on next Tuesday. The interment will be in Sleepy Hollow Cemetery, Tarrytown, N. Y.

He was a nephew of former State Senator Henry Nelson, of Ossining.

- HORACE MERRITT, son of Gardiner, married (?) Lived at Children (?)
- GARDINER VAN WYCK MERRITT, son of Gardiner, married (?) Lived at Children (?)
- FOWLER MERRITT, son of Gardiner, married (?) Lived at Children (?)

, born 1. EZEKIEL MERRITT, son of 1735, died He was born in Westchester Co.; served in Rye Militia, married 1758. A Mason, in Capt. Reuben Lockwood's Co. Children: Ezekiel, born , died Richard, born , died 1765, died 10 Nov., 1828. Shubal, born , died Betsey, born 2. SHUBAL MERRITT, son of Ezekiel, married Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Mundy; 2d, 25 May, 1800, Phebe Scudder Maxwell. He lived at Metuchin, N. J. Children: Thomas Wilson, born 28 Sept., 1792, died 12 Feb., 1881. Ezekiel, born 28 Sept., 1794, died 14 May, 1866. Sally, born 1796, died 6 May, 1850; mar. Abram Thachout. Shubal S., born 27 Jan., 1801, died 2 Mar., 1881. Isaac, born 30 Oct. 1802, died 2 June, 1853. 25 Oct., 1805, died Henry, born John Maxwell, born 1 Aug., 1809, died 19 June, 1872. 3. THOMAS WILSON MERRITT, son of Shubal, married 25 Oct., 1821, at New Fane, Niagara Co., Hannah, daughter of Reuben Denton, of Ovid, N. Y., and widow of Jonathan Farnum. He was born at Metuchin, N. J. Mary Ann, born 15 Oct., 1822, died 10 Jan., 1874; mar. H. S. Haight. Hannah Elizabeth, ; mar. Rev. C. C. Foote. born 23 Oct., 1824, died Huldah Denton, born 22 Oct., 1826, died ; mar. David S. Foote Phebe, born 29 Dec., 1828, died 24 July, 1861; mar. Isaac M. Hoag. ; mar. David S. Foote. Arah Clark, b. 19 Dec., 1830, died , 1910. Reuben Denton, born 15 Nov., 1832, died 17 Feb., 1865. Jerusha, born 8 Aug., 1834, died 23 Feb., 1869; mar. Sylvester Root. Thomas Wilson, born 25 Sept., 1837, died Harriet Newel, born 28 Oct., 1839, died : mar. H. C. Farnum. Isaac Burroughs, born 11 May, 1842, died 6 Jan., 1896. EZEKIEL MERRITT, son of Shubal, married 28 Jan., 1818, Martha, daughter of McKnight, of Romulus, N. Y. She was born 26 July, 1790, died 20 Mar., 1866. Lived at Somerset, Niagara Co., N. Y. Children: Nancy Elizabeth, born 28 Feb., 1819, died 3 Sept., 1824. James McKnight, born 30 Mar., 1821, died Sarah Mundy, born 6 Aug., 1824, died 18 June, 1825. Hannah Jeanette, born 5 July, 1826, died Weinschenk. ; mar. Franklin, born 26 Aug., 1829, died 19 Mar., 1858. SHUBAL S. MERRITT, son of Shubal, married 26 June, 1831, Sophia, daughter Wilson. Lived at οf

, 1865.

, 1833, died

Children:

Lewis Wilson, born

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Daughter, born
                                   , died 10 May, 1836.
      Phebe Sophia,
                born 24 Nov., 1840, died
                                                       ; mar. Lucius Adams.
     Cordelia Maria,
                born 4 July, 1846, died
                                                       ; mar. Theo. Van Wagenan.
ISAAC MERRITT, son of Shubal, married 29 Sept., 1830, Delilah, daughter of William Wisner. Lived at New Fane, N. Y.
   Children:
     Phebe Caroline.
                born 4 Sept., 1831, died 11 Apr., 1835.
     William Wisner,
                born 20 Nov., 1833, died
     Albert Bethuel,
                born 21 Sept., 1835, died
     Hannah Elizabeth,
                born 24 May, 1837, died
     Isaac Elmer, b. 11 May, 1839, died
     Shubal Scudder.
                born 20 May, 1842, died
     Sarah Louvisia,
                born 23 July, 1846, died 4 July, 1883; mar.
     Henry Almeran,
                born 29 Nov., 1848, died
     Harvey Alveron,
                born 29 Nov., 1848, died 25 Mar., 1850.
     Mary Delilah, b. 20 Aug., 1851, died
     Edward Maylon,
               born 3 Jan., 1854, died
HENRY MERRITT, son of Shubal, married
                                                      Adelaide, daughter of
   Griswold. Lived at
   Children:
     Frances, born
                                  , died
                                  , died
     William Henry, born
                                  , died
     James Edward, born
     Maria, born
                                  , died
                                  , died
     Alexander Hamilton, born
                                  , died
     Walter, born
                                  , died
     Helen, born
                                                       ; mar. Douglas Clark.
JOHN MAXWELL MERRITT, son of Shubal, married
                                                                   Emeline, daughter
                  Beckford; married 2d, Nancy Rebecca, daughter of
   Albright, Lived at
   Children:
     George, born
                                  , died
     Samuel Harvey, born
                                  , died
     Edward Henry,
                born 26 June, 1848, died
     John Albright,
               born 24 Nov., 1851, died
     Willis, born
                     10 Mar., 1854, died 8 Sept., 1884.
ARAH CLARK MERRITT, son of Thomas Wilson, married at Flint, Mich., 1
   May, 1851, Martha Angeline daughter of Tolman Frost; married 2d, at Plymouth, Mich., 10 Jan., 1855, Sarah A., daughter of Silas Sly; married 3d, 8
   Mar., 1859, Elizabeth Cordelia, daug. .er of Joseph Brearly, of Plymouth. Lived
   at South Haven., Mich.
   Children:
     Huldah Denton,
               born 29 Aug., 1856, died
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Charles Sly, b. 22 Feb., 1858, died

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Mary Angela,
              born 22 Mar., 1860, died 9 Feb., 1865.
     Walter Hoag,
              born 25 Mar., 1863, died
    Ellen, born 29 Jan., 1866, died
    William Thomas,
              born I Dec., 1867, died
    Kate Brearly,
              born I Feb., 1870, died
    Ernest Harold.
              born 18 Mar., 1872, died
REUBEN DENTON MERRITT, son of Thomas Wilson, married 30 Apr., 1854.
   Jane A., daughter of
                                 Johnson. Lived at Casnovia, Mich.
   Children:
     Alice J., born
                                died
    Harriet, born
                               , died
THOMAS WILSON MERRITT, son of Thomas Wilson, married 7 Sept., 1859,
   Alma C., daughter of Thomas Briggs. Lived at Grand View, Tenn.
   Children:
    Kate Briggs, born
                              , died
    Anna Bell, born
                              , died
    John Burroughs,
              born 1 July, 1867, died
ISAAC BURROUGHS MERRITT, son of Thomas Wilson, married 21 Aug., 1862,
   Celestria, daughter of
                                  Adams. Lived at Pontiac, Mich.
  Children:
    Herbert Burroughs.
             born 2 Jan., 1864, died
    Edward Adams,
             born 8 Jan., 1866, died
JAMES McKNIGHT MERRITT, son of Ezekiel, married
                                                            Elizabeth, daugh-
  ter of
                   Dunham. Lived at Piscataway, N. J.
  Children:
                              , died
    Charles, born
                              , died
    Emma, born
    Lily, born
                              , died
    Meta, born
                              , died
FRANKLIN MERRITT, son of Ezekiel, married (?)
  Children (?)
LEWIS WILSON MERRITT, son of Shubal S., unmarried. Lived at New Fane.
  Children (?)
WILLIAM WISNER MERRITT, son of Isaac, married
                                                              Mary Elizabeth,
  daughter of
                         Davenport; married 2d, Edna J., daughter of
  Waldron. Lived at
  Children:
    Myrtis Georgiana, born
                              , died
                                                 ; mar. Randall Wade.
    Jay Davenport, born
                              , died
ALBERT BETHUEL MERRITT, son of Isaac, married
                                                            Emeline, daughter
  of Marvin Hess. Lived at Lawton, Mich.
  Children:
                              , died
    Carrie, born
                              , died
    Alberta, born
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, died Louis Gilbert, born , died Mary Elizabeth, born , died Herbert Mann, born , died Grace Agnes, born SHUBAL SCUDDER MERRITT, son of Isaac, married Clara, daughter of William Smith. Lived at New Fane. Children: , died Marian, born ; mar. Fred Cozzens. Neil, born , died , died Maud. born , died Lois, born HENRY ALMERAN MERRITT, son of Isaac, married Della, daughter of Blood. Live: at LaGrange, Ind. Children (?) EDWARD MAYLON MERRITT, son of Isaac, unmarried. Lived at New Fane. GEORGE MERRITT, son of John Maxwell, married Wood. Lived at Tecumseh, Mich. Laura, daughter of No children. SAMUEL HARVEY MERRITT, son of John Maxwell, married Esther. Burlingame. Lived at Cardillac, Mich. daughter of No children. EDWARD HENRY MERRITT, son of John Maxwell, married Kate. Chaplain. Lived at Big Rapids, Mich. daughter of No children. JOHN ALBRIGHT MERRITT, son of John Maxwell, married Seraph, daughter of David Hyde. Lived at Lockport, N. Y., and Washington, D. C. , died Norman Allen, born WILLIS MERKITT, son of John Maxwell, unmarried. Lived at Jackson, Mich. 5. CHARLES SLY MERRITT, son of Arah Clark, married at Plymouth, Mich., 1884, Jennie, daughter of Cole. Lived at Children: , died Leona, born Cecil Clark, born , died 16 Apr., 1900. V'ALTER HOAG MERRITT, son of Arah Clark, married at Pontiac, 10 Aug., 1887, Carrie G., daughter of Daniels. Living at Chicago. Children: , died Ruth Elizabeth, born Alice Louise, born , died Esther Gertrude, born , died WILLIAM THOMAS MERRITT, son of Arab Clark, married at South Haven, Mich., 27 Nov., 1891, Sadie D., daughter of Everett, Wash. Hopkins. Lived at Children: , died Harold William, born , died Bertram K., born

ISAAC ELMER MERRITT, son of Isaac, married Apr., 1864, Mary Jane, daughter

of Thompson Mann. Lived at Lockport, N. Y., 1895.

Children:

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Haven, Mich.
   Children (?)
JOHN BURROUGHS MERRITT, son of Thomas Wilson, Jr., married
   Grand View, Tenn., 26 May, 1893, Alice, daughter of
                                                                        Huntington.
   Lived at Lemon City, Fla.
   Children:
                                  , died
     Alfred Huntington, born
     Theodore Thomas, born
                                  , died
HERBERT BURROUGHS MERRITT, son of Isaac Burroughs, married
                                                          Kelly. Lived at Pontiac.
   at Pontiac 14 Mar., 1900, Edith, daughter of
   Children (?)
EDWARD ADAMS MERRITT, son of Isaac Burroughs, married 12 Feb., 1901.
                                       Clarkson. Lived at Northville, Mich.
   E. Norins, daughter of
   Children (?)
JAY DAVENPORT MERRITT, son of William Wisner, married (?)
   Children (?)
CHARLES MERRITT, son of James McKnight, married of Lord. Lived at .
                                                                     Anna, daughter
   Children (?)
LOUIS GILBERT MERRITT, son of Isaac Elmer, married 15 June, 1892, Anna,
   daughter of
                           Hayward. Lived at Lockport.
   Children:
    Ericsson, born 16 Oct., 1893, died Ransom, born 8 Apr., 1895, died 8 Apr., 1897, died
HERBERT MANN MERRITT, son of Isaac Elmer, married 21 Aug., 1897, Lois,
   daughter of Dinwiddie McKee. Lived at
   Child:
     Gertrude, born 25 Mar., 1899, died
NORMAN ALLEN MERRITT, son of John Albright, married
                                                                       Cora, daugh-
   ter of Frank Ballou. Lived at
   Children (?)
ELISHA MERRITT, son of
                                                          , died
                                                                           , married
                                         . born
   Letitia Miller, born 1725 or 1730, Northcastle.
   Children (?)
   GILBERT MERRITT, son of , born , 1754, died 4 Mar., 1824.
He had a brother Cornby. Buried in Baptist Cemetery, Carmel. Married
Elizabeth, daughter of Green. Made his Will 1824 at Carmel.
1. GILBERT MERRITT, son of
   Children:
     William, born
                                 . died
                                                . 1842.
                                 , died
     Polly, born
                                                     ; unmarried.
                                                      mar. Abraham Townsend.; mar. Thomas Williams.
                                 , died
    Deborah, born
                                 , died
     Jane, born
                                                      ; mar. William Evans.
     Elizabeth, born
                                 , died
     Phebe, born
                    25 Apr., 1789, died 3 Sept., 1858; mar. Ira Terry.
     Tamer, born
                                 , died
                                                     ; mar. Isaac Ferguson.
CORNBY MERRITT, son of
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                                            , born
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ERNEST HAROLD MERRITT, son of Arab Clark, married (?) Lived at South

Jones.

brother of Gilbert, married Pamelia, daughter of

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Children:
                                    . died
      Gilbert, born
      Seneca, born. 19 Dec., 1804, died 14 Apr., 1871.
                                    , died
      Cornbury, born
      Four daughters.
2. WILLIAM MERRITT, son of Gilbert, married Charity, daughter of Pierce. He was born at Paterson, N. Y. Will at Carmel.
      Gilbert T., born 13 Dec., 1792, died 30 Jan., 1862.
      Henry, born
                                    , died
                                    , died
      Cornby, born
                                    , died
      William H., born
                                    , died
      Coleman, born
                        2 Mar., 1806, died
      Calcb, born
                                    , died
      Elizabeth, born
                                                          ; mar. Curtis Whitney.
                                    , died
                                                          ; mar. John Fisher.
      Hannah, born
      Sarah, born
                                    , died
                                                          ; mar. Roderick Campbell.
      Charity, born
                                    , died
      Polly, born
                                    , died
                                                          ; mar. Henry Brown.
GILBERT MERRITT, son of Cornby, married Fannie Amy.
   Children (?)
SENECA MERRITT, son of Cornby, married 21 Nov., 1827, Jane, daughter of
   Peter A. Snyder.
   Children:
                      10 Oct., 1828, died
20 Jan., 1831, died
     Mary, born
     Peter, born
                      4 May, 1833, died
     Hannah, born
     Margaret, born 11 Aug., 1835, died
Gilbert J., born 10 Mar., 1838, died
Caroline, born 14 Feb., 1840, died
     Harriet, born 14 Feb., 1840, died
     Hiram L., born 26 Feb., 1843. died
Millard F., born 10 Apr., 1850, died
3. GILBERT T. MERRITT, son of William, married
                                                                     Lydia, daughter of
               Brown. Lived at Paterson, N. Y.
   Children:
     David, born
                                    , died
                                    , dicd
     William, born
                                    , died
     Wilson, born
                                                   , 1898.
     Edward, born
                                    , died
HENRY MERRITT, son of William, married
                                                          Huldah, daughter of
   Fisher. Lived at
   Children:
     William, born
                                    , died
                                   , died
     Daniel, born
                                    , died
     Nathaniel, born
     Edwin, born
                                   , died
                                   , died
     Cornby, born
                                   , died
     Decatur, born
                                                         ; mar. George Cary.
                                   , died
     Eleanor, born
CORNBY MERRITT, son of William, married
                                                         Hannah, daughter of
   Kelly. Lived at
   Children:
                                   , died
     Gilbert, born
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, died

Ephraim, born

Charity, born , died , died ; mar. George Read. James, born , died ; mar. George Read.

WILLIAM H. MERRITT, son of William, married Mary, daughter of Seaman. Lived at

No children.

COLEMAN MERRITT, son of William, married Angelina, daughter of Brotherington. Lived at No children.

CALEB MERRITT, son of William, married Hannah, daughter of Essiston. Lived at Vail's Gate, Orange Co. No children.

4. DAVID MERRITT, son of Gilbert T., married Mary, daughter of Fisher. Made his Will 1867. Carmel. Children (?)

WILLIAM MERRITT, son of Gilbert T., married Mary, daughter of Church. Lived at .
Children (?)

WILSON MERRITT, son of Gilbert T., married Mary, daughter of Valentine. Lived at .
Children (?)

EDWARD MERRITT, son of Gilbert T., married Carrie, daughter of Fisher. Lived at Sing Sing.

Children (?)

WILLIAM MERRITT, son of Henry, married Eastwood. Made his Will 1871. Carmel. Children (?)

DANIEL MERRITT, son of Henry, married (?) Children (?)

NATHANIEL MERRITT, son of Henry, married (?) Made his Will 1870. Carmel. Children (?)

EDWIN MERRITT, son of Henry, married Lydia, daughter of Fisher. Lived at Children (?)

CORNBY MERRITT, son of Henry, married (?) Lived at Children (?)

DECATUR MERRITT, son of Henry, married (?) Lived at Children (?)

GILBERT MERRITT, son of Cornby, married Alice, daughter of Eastwood. Lived at Children (?)

EPHRAIM MERRITT, son of Cornby, married (?) Lived at Children (?)

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JAMES MERRITT, son of Cornby, married
                                                   Anne, daughter of
   Cottral.
   Children (?)
                     , son of , born , died , married
He and wife write from Newburgh, 5 June, 1789, to sisters,
GEORGE MERRITT, son of
   saying Mary has been ill, George has been ill, Charles has lost his wife and has
   five children; mentions William and sister Sarah Boid.
   Children:
     Susanna, born 11 June, 1794, died
                                                   ; bap. Methodist Church, New-
                                                       burgh, 17 Sept., 1797.
     George and Sibel, aged three yrs., bap. Methodist Church, Newburgh, 17 Sept.,
                                           1797.
ISAAC MERRITT, son of
                                           He and wife Phebe mortgage land in
   White Plains to Robt. Bloomer, 1 Aug., 1765. Signed protest against Rebellion
   3 Apr., 1775.
   Children (?)
ISAAC MERRITT, son of
                                      , born 10 Jan., 1774, died
                                                                            Had
   a brother Samuel.
   Children:
                                , died
     Charles J., born
                                                    of White Plains.
                                                   ; of White Plains.
                                , died
     George, born
                                , dicd
                                                    ; of White Plains.
     Mary Ann, born
     Amelia, born
                                . die i
                                                    of White Plains.
ISAAC MERRITT, son of
                                      , born
                                                       , died
                                                                         married
                      , daughter Martha born 10 March, 1784, died 28 Mar., 1856
   (Oblong Friends' Record).
   Children (?)
ISAAC MERRITT, son of
                                        , born 1796, died 19 Jan., 1858. Buried at
   Scarborough.
   Children (?)
IAMES MERRITT, son of
                                      , born
                                                       , died
   Anna. He and wife and minor children, Elizabeth, Jeremiah, Daniel, Bothana,
   Prudence and Sarah went from Marlboro to White Plains monthly meeting, 22
   Oct., 1817. Moved from Plains to Marlboro 23 Feb., 1820 and 23 Oct., 1822.
   Children (?)
1. JOB MERRITT, son of
                                                                            Had
                                       , born
                                                         , died
   a brother Roger. Married. Lived at Rye. Was in War of 1812.
   Children:
                                , died
     Job. born
     Job, born
                                , died
                                              , 1827.
                                , died
     Letitia, born
                                                   ; mar.
                                                                 Baylis.
2. JOB MERRIT, son of Job, married 21 Oct., 1781, Zipporah, daughter of
   Bailey, at St. George's, Hempstead. Moved to Lattintown, L. I. A weaver of
   Lloyd's Neck, 5 March, 1799. Fell and hurt his temple.
   Children:
     Amos, born
                                , died
     Freelove, born
                                , died
     Jordan, born
                                , died
     Darius, born
                                , died
     Clementine, born
                                , died
     Letitia, born
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JOB MERRITT II, son of Job, married
                                                      He was born at Rye and
   moved to Dosoris, L. I., where he died.
   Children:
     George, born
                               , died
                               , died
     John, born
                               , died
                                              :S27.
     James W., born
                                                              Hall.
     Sarah, born
                               , died
                                                 ; mar.
3. AMOS MERRITT, son of Job, Jr., married (?) Lived at
   Children (?)
JORDAN MERRITT, son of Job, Jr., married
                                                       Mary Ann, daughter of
             Wansor. He was born at Lattintown; died at Locust Valley.
   Children:
    John, born
                   29 June, 1832, died
     William, born
DARIUS MERRITT, son of Job, Jr., married (?) Lived at
   Children (?)
GEORGE MERRITT, son of Job, II, married (?) Lived at
   Children (?)
JOHN MERRITT, son of Job II, married (?) Lived at
   Children (?)
JAMES W. MERRITT, son of Job II, married at Oyster Bay
                                                               1814, Elizabeth,
   daughter of
                         Seaman. Lived at
                                                   He was in the War of 1812.
   Children:
    James W., born 16 Jan., 1815, died
                              , died
     John S., born
     Samuel, born
                               , died
                               , died
    Charles, born
    Loretta, born
                               , died
    Daniel, born
                               , died
4. JOHN MERRITT, son of Jordan, married
                                                     Josephine B., daughter of
             Macy. Living at 714 Bedford Ave., Brooklyn, 1890.
   Children:
                               , died
     Annie, born
                               , died
    Louise, born
                               , died
    Augusta, born
    Edward, born
                                died
                               , died
    Alice, born
                               , died
    Alfred, born
                               , died
    Arthur, born
WILLIAM MERRITT, son of Jordan, married (?) Lived at
   Children (?)
JAMES W. MERRITT, son of James W., married
                                                           Phebe, daughter of
             Gildersleeve. Living at Glen Cove, L. I., 1890.
   Children (?)
JOHN S. MERRITT, son of James W., married (?) Lived at
   No children.
SAMUEL MERRITT, son of James W., married (?) Lived at
   No children.
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CHARLES MERRITT, son of James W., married (?) Lived at Children (?)
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DANIEL MERRITT, son of James W., married (?) Lived at Children (?)
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EDWARD MERRITT, son of John, married (?) Lived at Children (?)
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ALFRED MERRITT, son of John, married (?) Lived at Children (?)

ARTHUR MERRITT, son of John, married (?) Lived at Children (?)

1. JOHN MERRITT, son of , born , died , married Mary, daughter of Cornelius. He had a receipt for £1 11 7½ from James Woods at North Castle, 17 March, 1730. Fence Viewer 1736. Children:

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Nathaniel, born about 1725, died 17 Apr., 1803.

Deborah, born , died , 1820; unmarried.

John, born , died , died 
Stephen, born , died ; mar. White.

Mary, born , died ; mar. Alanson Lewis.
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2. NATHANIEL MERRITT, son of John, married Anna, daughter of Joseph Fowler and Hannah She died 23 Nov., 1780. He was Town Clerk of North Castle 1754. Witness to Will of Samuel Carpenter, of North Castle 2 June, 1754. Witness to Will of John Halleck 29 Apr., 1754. Surveyor 8 Jan., 1762 (See Map, Field Book, Sec. of State's Office, Albany). Made map of Lane's land 1 Dec., 1762. Was in Long Island 1765. Witness to Will of Jacobus Kronkhuyt 7 Jan., 1771. A captain in the British Army 1778. Opened a store in Raynertown 1780; accounts preserved 1780-6. He went with his military company, including his son Jesse, to St. John, N. B., leaving New York in the ship Cyrus 31 July, 1783, and arriving 11 Sept. Justice of the Peace at Gagetown. Returned to Long Island 1788. He and Jesse were partners at Jerusalem 20 June, 1790, to 15 Aug., 1794. They bought 104 acres at Huntington for £430 from Conklin Ketchum 26 May, 1790. They bought a plantation at Josiah's Neck for £1025 from Isaac Powell, of Oyster Bay 21 Oct., 1793. Bought a mill at Oyster Bay 1794. At Brooklyn 1796. Children:

John, born 27 Apr., 1758, died 27 Oct., 1833. James, born 15 Aug., 1762, died 25 Nov., 1836. Jesse, born 20 Feb., 1767, died 30 Mar., 1843. Ann, born , died ; mar. John Ogden.

JOHN MERRITT, son of John, married (?) Lived at . He was drowned while crossing the Sound from Westchester Co. Children (?)

STEPHEN MERRITT, son of John, married (?) Lived at White Plains and Cortlandt.

Child:

Prudence, born , died ; mar. James Halsted at Harrison, 19 Jan., 1780.

3. JOHN MERRITT, son of Nathaniel, married 1784, Phebe J., daughter of Joseph Weeks and Phebe Underhill. She was born 9 May, 1765, died 14 Apr., 1838. He was at St. John with his father and returned to New York 2 June, 1785. At Bethphaga, L. I., 1788. Sold his place at Farmingdale to Moses Cor-

nelius 1793. Sold a lot in Fulton St., New York, for \$5,300 to Anthony Wermyker 29 Apr., 1820. Made his Will 3 Nov., 1833; proved 25 Nov., 1833. Mentions that his wife Phebe had \$1,000 left to her by Arch Campbell; leaves \$1,600 to daughter Anna Comstock, \$800 to daughter Deborah Field, \$1,600 to son John J. Executor, son-in-law W. F. Mott (New York, Lib. 71). Children:

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Anna, born 19 Dec., 1785, died , 1860; mar. Nathan Comstock. Phebe, born 1 Mar., 1789, died , 1859; mar. Wm. F. Mott. Samuel, born 1794, died young. Deborah, born 12 May, 1797, died , 1875; mar. Richard Field. Louise, born 19 Dec., 1799, died 7 Dec., 1818. Nathaniel S., b. 17 Feb., 1802, died 20 Jan., 1890. John J., born 30 May, 1804, died 1 Jan., 1871.
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JAMES MERRITT, son of Nathaniel, married 1788, Sarah, daughter of Joseph Weeks and Phebe Underhill. She was born Aug., 1767, died 10 Sept., 1854. He was of Peekskill. At Bethpage 1788. Had certificate from Monthly Meeting for removal to New York 1794. Sold No. 343 Broadway for \$2,900 to William Denning 23 May, 1803 (New York Lib. 104, p. 509). Buried in Friends' Cemetery, Houston St.

3 Apr., 1807, died 25 Apr., 1827; unmarried.

#### Children:

Sarah, born

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Nathaniel, born 26 Oct., 1789, died
Richard, born
                7 June, 1792, died
Mary, born
                                                ; mar. Richard Cromwell.
                17 June, 1795, died
                6 Mar., 1798, died
Phebe, born
                                                ; mar. Nathaniel Hawkhurst.
Joseph, born
                1 Nov., 1801, died
Anna, born
                15 May, 1805, died
                                                ; unmarried.
Sarah, born
                            , died 24 June, 1848; mar. John Cromwell.
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JESSE MERRITT, son of Nathaniel, married at Bethpage 1789, Mary, daughter of John Cornelius and Mary Powell. Surveyor of land at Purchase, N. Y., 27 Mar., 1789. In partnership with his father at Jerusalem 20 Jan., 1790, to 15 Aug., 1794. Made his Will 10 Dec., 1842, then of Oyster Bay. Gave to son John C. all his real estate and Great Bible Clock, watch to grandson Jesse, \$3,000 to children of daughter Elizabeth Seaman, \$3,000 to children of daughter Mary Ann Hicks; remainder to be equally divided between three children, Elizabeth, John C. and Mary Ann. Executors, son John C., sons-in-law Arden Seaman and Whitehead Hicks (Jamaica Lib. 3, p. 140).

### Children:

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Mary, born 22 July, 1791, died 11 June, 1792.
Elizabeth, born 20 Oct., 1793, died , 1875; mar. Arden Seaman.
John C., born 3 July, 1796, died 26 Feb., 1891.
Mary Ann, born 1 Feb., 1799, died 27 May, 1887; mar. Whitehead Hicks.
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4. NATHANIEL S. MERRITT, son of John, married 13 Oct., 1825, Mary, daughter of John and Mary King. She died 23 Nov., 1880. He had deed of a lot in Exchange Place, New York, from the Dutch Church 23 Nov., 1780. Children:

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Edward, born 23 Apr., 1827, died 7 Jan., 1831, died 26 Jan., 1836.

Charles, born 15 May, 1834, died 6 June, 1858.

Louisa, born 21 July, 1839, died ; mar. Edwin Haviland.

Eleanor, born 2 July, 1845, died ; mar. Edward C. Roberts.
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JOHN J. MERRITT, son of John, married Hannah, daughter of Caleb Brown and Phebe Weeks, of Peekskill. She was born 22 May, 1782. He was of the firm of Field, Merritt & Co.

### Children:

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Sarah, born 4 Dec., 1828, died 19 May, 1866.
George, born 3 Apr., 1831, died
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25 Sept., 1835, died 9 Nov., 1838, died 18 Dec., 1839. Mary, born : mar. Edwin A. Studwell. Phebe, born

Phebe B., born 14 Dec., 1843, died ; mar. Samuel T. Keese.

John, born 23 Dec., 1845, died

RICHARD MERRITT, son of James, married Jones. Living at Plainfield, N. J., 1890.

Maria, daughter of Zopher

Child:

James, born

, died

NATHANIEL MERRITT, son of James, unmarried. Lived at

JOSEPH MERRITT, son of James, was lost at sea. Children (?)

JOHN C. MERRITT, son of Jesse, married at North Hempstead Apr., 1835, Phebe H., daughter of Benjamin Albertson and Sarah Willets. She died 14 June, 1883, aged 76. He lived at Farmingdale. Later became a prominent resident of Bethpage, where he was born. A wealthy farmer and member of the Friends Meeting house.

#### Children:

Mary C., born 28 Apr., 1836, died 14 Oct., 1850. Jesse, born 20 Sept., 1839, born 20 Apr., 1903. Benjamin A., b. 18 Jan., 1841, died John C., born 1 May, 1844, died

5. EDWARD MERRITT, son of Nathaniel S., married 11 Jan., 1848, Amelia, daughter of Samuel Willets. She died 25 Nov., 1848. Married 2d, 16 Feb., 1853. Sarah, daughter of James C. Haviland and Mary Seaman. She died 27 Apr., 1890. He was president of the Long Island Trust Co., Brooklyn.

Alfred, born 4 Mar., 1855, died 2 Jan., 1876. Charles Edward,

born 20 Dec., 1856, died 26 Feb., 1876. James H., born 3 Dec., 1850, died

Ovington.

GEORGE MERRITT, son of John J., married 4 June, 1857, Lizzie, daughter of John D. Jaggar. Living in Brooklyn 1890.

Children:

Grace, born . died Helen, born

JOHN MERRITT, son of John J., married 9 Dec., 1869, Ellen E., daughter of Bacon. Living at 842 President St., Brooklyn, 1901.

#### Children:

John J., born 1 Jan., 1873, died Ethel, born 23 Jan., 1875, died

; mar. M. Guion Trowbridge.

JAMES MERRITT, son of Richard, married Mary, daughter of

Finch. Lived at Plainfield, N. J.

Children:

Richard, born , died ; unmarried 1887. Edward, born , died

JESSE MERRITT, son of John C., married and Abigail Willis. Lived at

Pauline, daughter of Charles

Children:

Jesse, born 4 Sept., 1889, died Phebe A., born 2 Nov., 1891, died Marjory, born 9 Dec., 1892, died

BENJAMIN A. MERRITT, so		Hannah, daughter of		
White. Lived nea Children: Mary, born	r rarmingdale.			
Phebe, born Elizabeth, born	, died , died			
Abigail, born	, died			
JOHN C. MERRITT, son of John C., married Elizabeth, daughter of William S. Hicks and Letitia Seaman. Lived near Farmingdale. Children:				
Son, born John William,	, died			
born 25 Jan., 1887, died				
JOHN MERRITT, son of 1766. She was born 1741. Children (?)	, married Mary Corne	ll at Harrison. 17 Apr.,		
JOHN MERRITT, son of Sarah, daughter of Children (?)	, born , die Hobby, at Greenwich, 4 Ma	ed , married r., 1791.		
JOHN MERRITT, son of , born , died , married Sarah . He had a brother Abraham. Lived at Yorktown and Cornell and Haverstraw. Made his Will 7 July, 1816; proved 26 Aug., 1818. Executors, Nathan Merritt and Thomas Vail (White Plains, Lib. I, p. 149). Mentions his sons Jeremiah and Nathan; grandsons Abraham and Jeremiah, the sons of Nathan.				
Children: Jeremiah, born	, died , 1850.			
Abraham, born Nathaniel or Nathan, born				
David, born John, born	, died young.			
Isaac Newton, born Three daughters, born	, died , died			
2. JEREMIAH MERRITT, so tionary soldier. Children:	n of John, married	Was a Revolu-		
Abraham, born 181 Shubael, born	5, died , died			
William, born	, died			
Nathaniel, born Jeremiah, born	, died , died			
Daughter, born	, died 1856; marri	ed; son Samuel.		
3. ABRAHAM MERRITT, sor at Bluetown, near Croton La Children:		He was born		
Samuel, born	, died			
SHUBAEL MERRITT, son of Jeremiah, married (?) Lived at Children (?)				
WILLIAM MERRITT, son of Westchester Co. Children (?)	Jeremiah, married (?) Li	ved at		

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NATHANIEL MERRITT, son of Jeremiah, married (?) Died at
   Wavne Co.
   Children (?)
JEREMIAH MERRITT, son of Jeremiah, married (?) Died at Bedford, West-
   chester Co.
   Children (?)
ABRAHAM MERRITT, son of John, married (?) Lived in Sussex, N. J.
   Children (?)
NATHAN MERRITT, son of John, married
                                                              Lived in Yorktown.
   Made his Will 18 June, 1819; proved 7 July, 1819 (White Plains, Lib. I, p. 255).
     Isaac N., born
Jeremiah, born
                                 , died
                                 , died
                                 , died
     Abraham, born
     Esther, born
                                  died
JOHN MERRITT, son of John, married (?) He was a preacher.
   Children (?)
ISAAC NEWTON MERRITT, son of John, married
                                                                  Clark.
   Children (?)
1. JOHN MERRITT, son of
                                                               . died
                                             born
                                          Miller.
   married Sarah, daughter of
   Children:
     John, born
                    18 Feb., 1788, died
2. JOHN MERRITT, son of John, married 23 Aug., 1808, Hannah, daughter of Gregory. He lived at Somers. He had a cousin Anthony Merritt,
   born 7 Oct., 1785, who married Rhoda Gregory, Nov., 1808.
   Children:
     Ruth Ann, born 18 Feb., 1812, died
     Phebe, born
                    25 July, 1815, died
     Chloc, born
                     3 July, 1817, died
     John, born
                     26 Apr., 1819, died
     James Fillow, b. 7 May, 1820, died
Norman, born 8 Dec., 1823, died
     Caroline, born 9 Oct., 1826, died
                                                        , died before 1817, married
JOHN MERRITT, son of
                                      , born
                 . He had a sister Anne, who made her Will 20 Jan., 1817 (White
   Plains), also sisters Sarah and Phebe. Lived at Scarsdale.
   Children:
                                 , died
     Charles, born
                                 , died
     Frederick, born
     John, born
                                 , died
                                               , 1854; mar. Anne
                                                                     : son John F.
                                 , died
     Elizabeth, born
                                                                , died
JONATHAN MERRITT, son of
                                              , born
   Moved from Nine Partners to White Creek, 21 Sept., 1815, with wife Charity,
   and children Henry, William, Mary, John, Elizabeth, Thomas and Margaret.
JOSEPH MERRITT, son of
                                          , born
                                                              . died
  married
   Child:
                         16 Mar., 1713, at Greenwich, Conn.
     Mary, bapt.
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married
   Children:
     Sibil, born
                            1759, died
     Andrew, born
                     5 Apr., 1790, died 29 Mar., 1869.
                            1786, died
     Maria, born
     Joseph, born
                            1787, died
2. ANDREW MERRITT, son of Joseph, married Amy, daughter of
                                                                          Smith.
   Lived at Fostertown, Orange Co. Buried in Balmville, Newburgh. Wife died
   23 May, 1869.
   Children:
     John D., born
                      May, 1828, died
                                         Dec., 1852.
                               , died
     James, born
                                         Sept., 1888.
                               , died
     Chauncey, born
                            1833, died 14 May, 1855; buried Balmville Cemetery,
     William, born
                                                      Newburgh.
     Daniel, born
                                , died
     Three daughters, born
                                , died
3. JOHN D. MERRITT, son of Andrew, married
                                                      Ellen, daughter of
   Dobbs, of Newburgh. Lived at Newburgh.
   Child:
     Aaron, born 15 Oct., 1850, died
JAMES MERRITT, son of Andrew, married
                                                         , died at New Windsor,
   N. Y.
   Children: Several.
CHAUNCEY MERRITT, son of Andrew, married
                                                          Catherine, daughter of
               . Lived at
   Children:
     Andrew, born 17 Oct., 1838, died 10 Jan., 1845; buried Balmville Cemetery.
                   5 Mar., 1841, died 7 Mar., 1842; buried Balmville Cemetery.
21 Apr., 1843, died 10 Oct., 1844; buried Balmville Cemetery.
     Louise, born
     Aaron, born
DANIEL MERRITT, son of Andrew, married (?) Lived at
   Children (?)
4. AARON MERRITT, son of John D., married
                                                           Mary E., daughter of
             Wood, of Ellenville, N. Y. Living at 44 Fleet Place, Brooklyn, 1890.
   Children:
    Elsie, born
                               , died
     Andrew, born
                               , died
     Edith, born
                               , died
    Louisa, born
                                        . She was born 1700, died 21 July, 1795,
MARY MERRITT, widow of
  in Westchester Co., having been a widow upwards of fifty years.
   Children (?)
MARY MERRITT, daughter of
                                            , born
                                                              . died
   married William Fowler, innkeeper of North Castle, who made his will
   leaving sons Caleb and Moses. Moses' will 1755, mentions his mother, Mary
   Merritt.
   Children (?)
NATHANIEL MERRITT, son of
                                              Was made justice of the peace at
   Rycks Patent (Cortlandt) 1 Apr., 1775 (English MSS., Vol. 101, p. 80).
   Children (?)
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, born

, died

1. JOSEPH MERRITT, son of

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, married at Greenwich 24 Dec., 1787, Purdy.
NEHEMIAH MERRITT, son of
   Catherine, daughter of
   Children (?)
                                         , born
                                                               , died
JOSEPH MERRITT, son of
                                                              , died , married 1759, bapt. M. E. Church,
                 at Newburgh. Daughter Sybil
    Newburgh, 16 Aug., 1792.
   Children (?)
PETER MERRITT, son of
                                              , born 1740. In Rye militia, 1759, Capt.
   Gilcrist's Co.
   Children (?)
1. ROGER MERRITT, son of
                                                , born
                                                                     died
                                                                                     1805.
                                              , and widow of Matthew Drake. Lived
   Married Polly, daughter of
   at Rye, called "Gentleman Roger."
   Children:
                                    , died
      Samuel, born
                               1733, died
      Roger, born
                                                   , 1827.
                                   , died
     Phebe, born
                                                                         Wood.
                                                         : mar.
2. SAMUEL MERRITT, son of Roger, married Elizabeth
                                                                           . He lived at
   the corner of South Main Street, Portchester.
   Children:
                                   , died
     Clara, born
                                   , died
      Albia, born
                                    , died
     Huldah, born
     Samuel, born
                                    , died
                                                         ; mar. Catherine Raymond.
                                   , died
     James, born
                                    , died
     Byer, born
     Elizabeth, born
                                    , died
ROGER MERRITT, son of Roger, married Amy, daughter of Dr.
                                                                                Worden;
   2d Betty, daughter of
                                    Purdy. Lived in Main Street, Portchester.
   Signed protest against Rebellion, 24 Sept., 1774. He gave a deed of one-half of
   his house and lot at Peningo Neck, bounded by land of Joseph Strang, the creek, land of Nehemiah Lyon and the turnpike, for $400, to Henry Merritt on condi-
   tion Henry does not rent or sell it during Roger's life, 24 March, 1806. Roger
   called "fisherman," Henry "boatman." Recorded 2 Apr., 1832 (White Plains, Lib. 44, p. 443). Inventory of his personal estate $18.04. Bondsmen, Benjamin
   Merritt and Mr. Gilbert, 8 April, 1827.
   Children:
                         Oct., 1764, died
     Amos, born
                               1766, died 10 Sept., 1816.
     Archibald, Lorn
                                   , died
     Roger, born
                                    , died
     Phebe, born
                                   , died
     Henry, born
                                     died
                                                         ; mar. Samuel Lyon.
     Hannah, born
     Betsy, born
                                    , died
                                                         ; mar. Peter Moe.
AMOS MERRITT, son of Roger, married Chloe, daughter of Simeon Hall, of Fisher's Island. She died 1824. He lived at Stonington and died of
   smallpox.
   Children:
                                                   , 1863.
     Benjamin, born 24 Aug., 1786, died
                                                  . 1885; mar. Jedediah Green.
, 1867; mar. William Spink.
     Lucretia, born 28 Jan., 1797, died
     Desire, born
                    22 May, 1799, died
                         Apr., 1801, died
                                                   , 1824.
     Thomas, born
                                   , died
                                                         ; unmarried.
     Marretta, born
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	ah, daughter of Bil	ed Lucretia, daughter of llings Burch. Bought a house and ved at Fisher's Island where his		
George Anson, born	, died 27 Mar.,	1872		
Billings Burch, born	, died 27 Mar.,	10/2.		
Henry, born	died			
Archibald, born 4 Nov., 1	811. died	; mar. Sarah Stoddard,		
Archibald, born 4 Nov., 18 Stephen Decatur, born	, died	; mar. Mary McGruen.		
ROGER MERRITT, son of Roger, married Catherine, daughter of She died 1847. Moved to West Farms.  Children:				
William, born	. died			
Sybil, born	, died	; mar. Joseph Shaw.		
Sarah, born	. died	, mar. Joseph Chaw.		
David, born	. died			
David, born Elizabeth, born	. died	: mar. Daniel Tuttle.		
James, born	, died	,		
HENRY <sup>3</sup> MERRITT, son of Roger <sup>2</sup> , married Rosanna, daughter of Daniel Clark and Martha Howell. He was a captain in 1805, ship carpenter 1807. Made his Will 20 Jan., 1813; proved 13 Feb., 1813 (White Plains). Inventory of personalty about \$2,000, 19 Feb., 1813.  Children:				
Patsy, born	, died , died	; mar. Henry Green.		
Anna Sarah, born		; mar. John McKenny.		
Amy, born	, died	; mar. James Slater.		
Elizabeth Hannah, born				
Jeremiah, born Henry, born	drowned , died	at Fox Island while young.		
4. BENJAMIN MERRITT, son of Amos, married Hannah, daughter of Gilbert Merritt, of Portchester, N. Y. He owned a smack. Buried in Union Cemetery, Rye.  Children:				
Susan E., born	, died	; mar. Lewis Merritt, son of Benjamin,		
Gilbert Nelson, born	, died	·		
Benjamin, born	, died			
Franklin, born	, died			
THOMAS MERRITT, son of Amos, married Sarah, daughter of William Galley, of Oneida Co. Lived at Ellisburgh, Jefferson Co. Child:  Amo. Thomas, born , 1822, died ; mar.				
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GEORGE ANSON MERRITT, son of Archibald, married Betsey, daughter of Tinker. Lived at Stonington.  No children.				
BILLINGS BURCH MERRITT, son of Archibald, married Mary, daughter of Burdick. Lived at Child:				
Mary Billings, born	died			
HENRY MERRITT, son of Archibald, married Eliza, daughter of Potter. Lived at				
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Children:
      Esther, born
                                 , died
                                                                 Carroll, of Noank.
                                                     ; mar.
     Hattie, born
                                 , died
                                                      mar.
                                                                 Dewey.
                                 , died
     Frances, born
                                                                 Hawley, of Scot-
                                                      ; mar.
                                                         land.
                                                     ; living 713 North Main St.,
Providence, 1895.
     Albert, born
                                 , died
ARCHIBALD MERRITT, son of Archibald, married
                                                                Sarah R., daughter
                Stoddard. Lived at
   οf
    Children:
     William Austin,
               born 28 Dec., 1832, died 22 Aug., 1837.
     Sarah Jane, born 4 May, 1834, died
                                                     ; mar. S. P. Holmes, of Ston-
                                                         ington.
     Abby S., born
                     7 Dec., 1835, died
     Billings, born
                     6 Nov., 1837, died
                                                     ; mar. Nellie Neil, of Dover,
N. Y.
; mar. Nancy Taylor.
     Archibald, born 13 Oct., 1839, died 28 May,
     David S., born 1 Oct., 1841, died
                     2 Oct., 1843, died
                                                     ; mar. C. E. Howard, of Bos-
     Emma, born
                                                        ton.
     Pauline, born 22 Jan., 1846, died
                                                      ; mar. Eugene Whitford, of
                                                        Providence.
     Hattie, born
                    25 Oct., 1850, died
     Amelia, born
                                                     ; mar. W. C. Nichols.
                     1 Mar., 1854, died
                     , died
16 Mar., 1848, died
     Minnie, born
     Susan, born
                                                     ; mar. J. B. Moore.
STEPHEN DECATUR MERRITT, son of Archibald, married
                                                                             Mary,
   daughter of
                           McGruen. Lived at Stonington 1895.
   Children:
                                 , died
     Alexander, born
                                 , died
     Stephen, born
     Mary, born
                                 , died
                                 , died
     Bessie, born
                                 , died
     Ella, born
     Margaret, born
                                 , died
     William, born
                                 , died
                                 , died
     Charles, born
     Fairman, born
                                 , died
                                 , died
     Louise, born
                                 , died
                                                     ; living at Stonington, Conn.,
     Jennie, born
                                                        1902.
WILLIAM MERRITT, son of Roger, married
                                                     Catherine, daughter of
   Crum. Lived at
   Children (?)
DAVID MERRITT, son of Roger, married
                                                 Mary V., daughter of
   Teeple. Lived at
   Children:
                                 , died
     S. Hunter, born
                                 . dicd
                                                     ; lived at 365 Hudson St., New
     Charles H., born
                                                        York, 1889.
JAMES MERRITT, son of Roger, married (?) Went to Dixon Co., Ill.
   Children (?)
HENRY MERRITT, son of Henry, married
                                                    Ann, daughter of
   Anderson, of King St., Rye. Moved to Troy, 1836. A painter.
   Children:
     Henry A., born
                                  died
                                               , 1894, at Troy.
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1. SAMUEL MERRITT, son of
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                                                 , born
   married
                       . He was buried at Portchester.
   Children:
     Austin, born
                                             June, 1849.
                       4 Mar., 1777, died
                                  , died
     Charles, born
                                   , died
     Leonard, born
                                                 , 1800; drowned at Marlborough.
2. AUSTIN MERRITT, son of Samuel, married Rebecca, daughter of Thomas Wygant. She was born 1779, died 1871.
   Children:
     Leonard, born
                              1805, died 21 Sept., 1873.
     Wygant, born
                              1807, died
                                             Aug., 1887.
                                                , 1856.
     Keziah, born
                              1804, died
     Henry C., born 23 Jan., 1810, died 19 Apr., 1880; mar. Catherine Tinker; 3
                                                          children.
                                                 , 1836; mar. Charles Brown.
     Catherine C., b. 23 Jan., 1810, died
Glorianna, born 1816, died
     Glorianna, born 1816, died
Bernard W., b. 13 Feb., 1819, died
                                                 , 1881; mar. John Martin.
CHARLES MERRITT, son of Samuel, married Nellie, daughter of
                                                                             Cropsey.
   Children (?)
LEONARD MERRITT, son of Austin, married
                                                        Mary, daughter of
   Nash. Lived at
   Children:
     Emma, born
                              1843, died
                                                       ; unmarried.
     Austin B., born
                              1845, died
                                             Aug., 1876.
                                                       ; mar. Burton Mansfield.
     Elizabeth, born
                              1853, died
WYGANT MERRITT, son of Austin, married
                                                            1840, Phebe, daughter of
                Young. Lived at
   Children:
     Elizabeth, born
                              1843, died
                                                       ; mar. John Clark
                                                 . 1888.
     Austin, born
                              1846, died
                                                       ; mar. Dennis Wygant,
     Mary Esther, born
                              1852, died
HENRY C. MERRITT, son of Austin, married
Tinkey. She died 12 Mar., 1888. Lived at
                                                         Catherine, daughter of John
   Children:
     Leonard A., born
                                  , died
                                  , died
                                                 . 1887.
     Charles G., born.
     John H., born
                                  , died
BERNARD W. MERRITT, son of Austin, married
                                                              Abigail J., daughter of
   David M. Hait. Lived at
   Children:
     David H., born 31 May, 1848, died
     Rebecca W., born
                              1850, died
                                                       : unmarried.
     Mary Ida, born
                              1853. died
                                                       : unmarried
     Lucretia, born
                              1858, died
                                                       ; unmarried.
                              1860, died
1865, died
     Eli B., born
     Austin B., born
4. AUSTIN B. MERRITT, son of Leonard, married (?) Lived at
   Children (?)
AUSTIN MERRITT, son of Wygant, marrie
                                                      Margaret, daughter of
   Deyo. Lived at
   Five children:
        ----, born
                                   , died
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, born , born , born	, died , died , died , died	
LEONARD A. MERRITT, son West 48th St., New York, 18 Child:		. Lived at 449
, born	, died	
CHARLES G. MERRITT, sor Weed. Lived a Children:	n of Henry C., married	Eliza, daughter of
, born	, died . died	
JOHN H. MERRITT, son of I Children:	Henry C., married	. Lived at
, born , born	. died . died	
	f Bernard W., married ed at Highland, N. Y.	Olive, daughter of
No children.		
ELI B. MERRITT, son of Ber Deyo. Lived at Children:	•	ora, daughter of
, born , born	, died , died	
AUSTIN B. MERRITT, son of Sprague. Live	of Bernard W., married dat	Emma, daughter of
No children.		
SAMUEL MERRITT, son of He lived in Cortlandt and be 1774. Children (?)		, died nas Franklin, Jr., 15 July,
SAMUEL MERRITT, son of at Scarborough in the graves Children (?)	, born 1719, d vard on Post Road on corn	ied 3 Oct., 1803. Buried er of road to station.
SAMUEL MERRITT, son of married Elizabeth Wickwier Children (?)		, died
1. SILVANUS MERRITT, some married Sarah, daughter of Children:  James H., born	n of , born . Lived at Nort	, died th Castle, N. Y.
2. JAMES H. MERRITT, son of Thomas and Elizabeth Bi Children (?)	of Silvanus, married 1 Nov rdsall, of North Castle.	v., 1843, Tamer, daughter
STEPHEN MERRITT, son of Watson, White Plains, 25 O Children (?)		. Suit against Thomas

Dickerson. She was born at 1852. Married Joanna, daughter of Bayville, L. I., 1786. He was born at Portchester. Died at Bayville. Children: Althea, born 1809, died , 1871. 1811, died Abraham, born . 1861. Amos, born 1812, died Thomas, born 1818, died 2. AMOS MERRITT, son of Thomas, married Rebecca, daughter of Schenck. Children: Daniel, born . died ; a steamboat captain and pilot. UNDERHILL MERRITT, son of (perhaps Samuel<sup>2</sup>), born He was of White Plains and had land next to William, 1765. Children (?) UNDERHILL MERRITT and wife Libby sold land to Joseph Balkley, 5 Nov., 1818. Children (?) WILLIAM MERRITT, son of , born . Made his Will 4 Jan., 1762, proved 8 March, 1766. Wife Mary. Children not named. Executor, Edward Burling. East Chester. Children (?) WILLIAM MERRITT, son of , born , died married ,Sarah, daughter of Elias Dotey and Freelove Vail, of Dutchess Co. He moved from Westchester Co. to Hyde Park, Dutchess Co. Made his Will 4 Feb., 1840; proved 5 Jan., 1854 (Poughkeepsie Lib. 2, p. 103). Children: Allen C., born , died , died James, born , died Phebc, born , died Freelove, born Wilber. : mar. Abigail, born , died ; mar. Wright. ALLEN C. MERRITT, son of William, married (?) Lived at Children (?) JAMES MERRITT, son of William, married . Lived at Clinton. Children: Solomon, born , died ; lived at 351 Fourth St., Rochester, N. Y. WILLIAM MERRITT, son of , born the She was born 1751, died 16 Aug., 1806, married Lydia, daughter of 1760, died 26 May, 1829. He and his wife were buried in North Cemetery, Somers (Allen's Hist. of Enfield, Conn.). Children (?) YOUMANS MERRITT, son of , born 23 March, 1780, died , married Rachel , born 5 Feb., 1789. He was born on Byram River, Rye. Moved to Washington Co. with his brother Thomas, who was killed by a fall. He had a farm twenty miles from Buffalo. His grandfather Roger (?) Merritt gave him \$500 with which he bought a farm near Mosiertown, Pa. 1847 he started to see his relatives at Portchester and died on the journey. One of his brothers settled a Merriton, Canada. Children: James M., born 6 May, 1811, died

1. THOMAS MERRITT, son of (perhaps Jonathan<sup>5</sup>), born

1778. died

: mar.

: child Emma.

John J., born 28 July, 1813, died

Mary Ann, born 26 Oct., 1815, died Charles B., born 21 July, 1818, died Amy, born 12 July, 1820, died Alvin, born 12 Jan., 1824, died Andrew, born 6 May, 1827, died Daniel, born 12 June, 1830, died

Joris and Maritie Merret sponsors for Maritie Henson First Reformed Church, Tarrytown, N. Y., 17 Apr., 1732.

The Supervisors of Westchester Co. ordered an extra charge on Rye for Capt. Merritt's building stocks, 1722.

There was a battle near Merritt's tavern, King St., Harrison Township, 4 Dec., 1781.

Capt. Merrit, of Scarsdale, and Capt. Merrit, of Mamaroneck, on committee to tax Quakers 31 Oct., 1805.

Merritts in Sing Sing had lands from Commissioners of Forfeiture.

There are Merritt monuments in St. George's Church, New Castle.

Mr. Merritt, of North Castle, testifies to account of Indian massacre.

# Isaac Merriott of Burlington, N. J.

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1. ISAAC MERRIOTT, son of Richard of Wappenham, Northamptonshire, Eng-
   land, born died mar
Joyce, daughter of Richard Olive. She died
                                                          , 1681,
1695; married 2d,
                                              , married
   1699, Susanna, daughter of Robert and Susanna Field, of Newtown, N. Y. She
   died , 1702. Centificate from Men's Meeting in London, to Burlington, N. J., Meeting, 7 Dec., 1680, for Isaac Meriott of Holborn, London, Joyner. At Friends Yearly Meeting, Bristol, Pa., 1684. Recommended for the Council
   of New Jersey, West Division, 26 Nov., 1709.
                              1682, died
1684, died
     Isaac, born
     Samuel, born
     Anne, born
                               1686, died
                               1688, died
1688, died
     Richard, born
                                                  , 1688.
     Joyce, born
     Thomas, born
                               1691, died
                               1693, died 12 Nov., 1697.
     Jacob, born
                               1702, died
     Joseph, born
     Benjamin, born
                               :705, died
2. ISAAC MERRIOTT, son of Isaac, married (?)
   Children (?)
SAMUEL MERRIOTT, son of Isaac, married Mary, daughter of
   Children:
                               1710, died
     Joyce, born
     Sarah, born
                              1711, died
                               1713. died
     Jovce, born
     Mary, born
                               1715, died
THOMAS MERRIOTT, son of Isaac, married Jane, daughter of
                                                                                Gaskell.
   Children (?)
JOSEPH MERRIOTT, son of Isaac, married (?)
   Children (?)
BENJAMIN MERRIOTT, son of Isaac, married
                                                            1729, Martha, daughter of
   Children (?)
1. ABRAHAM MERRITT, son of
                                                                       , died
                                                   , born
                         . Made his Will 5th Oct., 1759 (Burlington, Lib. 10, p. 37).
   married
   Children:
                                   , died
     Abraham, born
     Isaac, born
                                   , died
2 ABRAHAM MERRITT, son of Abraham, married
                                                                   . Lived in Spring-
   field, Burlington Co., N. J. Had a release from brother Isaac, 4 Nov., 1761.
   Children:
     Jacob, born
                     25 Feb., 1742, died 29 Nov., 1816.
ISAAC MERRITT, son of Abraham, married Sarah, daughter of
   Lived near town now called Smithville. Released his claim to father's lands in
   Springfield in favor of brother Abraham 4 Nov., 1761.
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Children:
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Thomas, born 17 June, 1744, died

Abraham, born 1749, died , 1822.

3. JACOB MERRITT, son of Abraham, married Thomasin, daughter of She was born 9 Nov., 1740, died 10 April, 1842.

Abraham, born 14 Nov., 1766, died 16 May, 1842.

15 July, 1765, died 9 Sept., 1775, died ; mar. Edward Taylor Sarah, born

Keziah, born young.

Thomasin, born 10 Nov., 1776, died ; mar. Thomas Howard.

THOMAS MERRITT, son of Isaac, married 28 June, 1770, Elizabeth, daughter of Curtis. She was born 8 June, 1753.

#### Children:

Solomon White,

born 22 Mar., 1799, died 7 Aug., 1869.

ABRAHAM MERRITT, son of Isaac, married Apr., 1775, Mary, daughter of

#### Children:

Joseph, born 1775, died , 1826. 1777, died John, born Sarah, born 1779, died , 1798. ; mar. Charles Woolman. Mary, born 1782, died 1784, died Nancy, born ; mar. Jacob Lamb. 1786, died , 1836; mar. Gilberts. Hannah, born , 1842. 1792, died Abraham, born

4. ABRAHAM MERRITT, son of Jacob, married 21 Jan., 1802, Rebecca, daughter of Jacob Lamb. She was born 28 Apr., 1782, died 22 Nov., 1840.

#### Children:

Sarah Taylor, b. 1 June, 1803, died 30 Mar., 1894; mar. Sheve.

Elizabeth L., b. 9 Sept., 1805, died 29 May, 1813.

Abraham, bern 1 Feb., 1811, died 1 Sept., 1873.

Jacob, born 5 Jan., 1813, died 24 Apr., 1896. Rebecca, born 12 July, 1819, died ; ; mar. John Champion.

SOLOMON WHITE MERRITT, son of Thomas, married Elizabeth, daughter of Isaac Haines. She was born 9 Jan., 1800.

### Children:

Edwin A., born Feb., 1824, died 10 Jan., 1883.

, died Elizabeth L., born Alfred C., born , died . died Rebecca H., born Sarah W., born , died

JOSEPH MERRITT, son of Abraham, married 1799, Mary, daughter of Rogers, of Burlington. He was born at Mt. Holly and moved to Belmont Co., Ohio, in 1804.

#### Children:

, 1802. Charles W., born 1800, died . 1822. Joseph, born 1802, died ; mar. Craven Hoge, 1825. ; mar. Benj. Antrim, 1827. Sarah, born 1804, died Elizabeth, born 1806, died Phebe, born 1808, died ; mar. Charles Miller, 1828. George Paul, b. 22 Apr., 1810, died John Rogers, born 1812, died , 1873. , 1879. 1814, died William, born 1817, died Samuel, born , 1885.

Mary Ann, born 1819, died , 1875; mar. Richard More, 1834. JOHN MERRITT, son of Abraham, married of Richmond, Va.
Children (?)

ABRAHAM MERRITT, son of Abraham, married Young.
Children:
Jacob, born died young.
Isaac, born died young.
Mary Ann, born died young.
Rebecca Evans, born died ; mar. Charles Brown.
Rebecca Evans, born died ; mar. Benj. S. Fenimore.
Abraham, born died ; mar. George Len.
Elizabeth C., born died ; mar. Benj. F. Toms.

# William Merritt of Cecil Co., Md.

1. WILLIAM MERRITT, son of

Rebecca, born

, born 1654 (?), died Came from England and took up lands married Jane, daughter of in Cecil Co., Md., 1 Mar., 1676 (Md. Land Records, Lib. 15, folio 402). Son: Thomas, born 1678 (?) died ; on records "father unknown. 2. THOMAS MERRITT, son of William, married Elizabeth, daughter of Children: ; mar. 20 Feb., 1720, Philip Barratt; 2d Joseph Price Jane, born 10 Apr., 1701, died Farmer, 1733. Thomas, born 24 Nov., 1703, died 12 Nov., 1733. William, born 30 Nov., 1706, died Mary, born 10 May, 1709, died George, born 31 May, 1710, died John, born 24 May, 1716, died 3. THOMAS MERRITT, son of Thomas, married 6 May, 1725, Martha, daughter . She settled his estate II Feb., 1734. Jane Barratt called next οf of kin. Children: William, born 16 Sept., 1728, died , 1793 (Prerog. Accounts Cecil Co.). Benjamin, born 10 Nov., 1731, died , 1779 (Records St. Stephen's Parish, Cecil Co.). WILLIAM MERRITT, son of Thomas, married (?) Probably died or moved away before 1734. Children (?) GEORGE MERRITT, son of Thomas, married (?) Probably died or moved away before 1734. Children (?) JOHN MERRITT, son of Thomas, married (?) Probably died or moved away before 1734. Children (?) 4. WILLIAM MERRITT, son of Thomas, married , 1759, Mrs. Martha . She paid rent for farm to Lord Baltimore, Bergen, daughter of 1758. In 1759 as Mrs. Martha Merritt she paid rent for same farm. William Merritt paid rent afterwards. She died 1773. He married 2d about 1776. Martha, daughter of Benjamin Vansant. She died 1808. Proved land 1763. Church Warden of Shrewsbury Parish 20 Apr., 1767. Enlisted in Capt. Deane's Co., 7 Jan., 1777. As Corporal discharged 19 June, 1779. Sheriff of Kent Co., 27 Jan., 1778, when he paid \$2,000. His son Benjamin was born in the jail. Witness to Will of Peter Jones 8 Feb., 1785. Died at his farm, Ivingo, near Shrewsbury Church, Kent Co. Children: Mar., 1883. Benjamin, born 4 Oct., 1779, died Mary, born 1781, died ; unmarried.

mar. Edward Hurd.

1783, died

BENJAMIN MERRITT, son of Thomas, married Mary, daughter of Bought land in Newcastle Co. from Andrew Carmon 12 Apr., 1766. Died at Reedy Island Neck, near Port Penn, Newcastle Co. His widow was made guardian of sons Thomas and John 11 Feb., 1779. Children: William, born 1755, died 1756, died 1764, died , 1816. Benjamin, born , 1798. Thomas, born John, born 1766, died , 1830. 5. BENJAMIN MERRITT, son of William, married Patty, daughter of Andrew Kerr and Martha Black. Married 2d, 24 July, 1822, Eliza Jane, daughter of John Black and Mary Perkins. Children: William K., b. 12 Nov., 1809, died 12 Nov., 1878. , died 18 May, 1878. George A., born Adeline K., born Thomas Albert, died born 23 Sept., 1823, died 8 Jan., 1857; no children. Benj. Gustavus, born 20 Jan., 1825, died ; no children. James Black, b. 20 Sept., 1826, died Samuel Augustus, born 4 Mar., 1828, died July, 1903. Mary Ann, b. 22 Dec., 1829, died 28 Mar., 1893; mar. W. G. Spry. Caroline Rebecca, born 30 Jan., 1832, died WILLIAM MERRITT, son of Benjamin, married (?) In April, 1779, he petitions for partition of the estate of his father, who died intestate, St. George's Hundred. Children (?) BENJAMIN MERRITT, son of Benjamin, married Sarah, daughter of Joseph Vance, of St. George's Hundred. She died 21 Nov., 1784. Lived at Noxontown, Del. A physician. Appraiser of estate of Thomas McDonough, of St. George's Hundred, 24 Dec., 1795. Children: , died John, born , 1808. Crawford. . died Sarah, born : mar. THOMAS MERRITT, son of Benjamin, married Martha, daughter of Skee. Child: Thomas Skee, born , 1793, died about 1879. JOHN MERRITT, son of Benjamin, married Elizabeth, daughter of Vanhorn. Children: , died John, born , 1874. , died Elizabeth, born , died ; mar. J. E. Driver. Mary, born , died young. Jacob, born Vanhorn, born , died young. 6. WILLIAM K. MERRITT, son of Benjamin, married Susan, daughter of No children. , daughter of GEORGE A. MERRITT, son of Benjamin, married

Keene. No children.

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THOMAS ALBERT MERRITT, son of Benjamin, married (?)
   No children.
BENJAMIN GUSTAVUS MERRITT, son of Benjamin, married (?)
   No children.
JAMES BLACK MERRITT, son of Benjamin, married 10 Apr., 1853, Hannah P., daughter of Samuel Webb and Eliza Pleasanton. He was an elder in the
   Methodist Church, Dover, Del.
   Children:
     James Black, born
                                , died
     Samuel Webb, born
                                , died
     Lide Pleasanton, born
                                , died
SAMUEL AUGUSTUS MERRITT, son of Benjamin, married (?)
   Children (?)
JOHN MERRITT, son of Benjamin, married
                                                    Mary, daughter of
   Ambrose.
   Child:
     Maria, born
                               . died
                                                   ; mar. John McKenney.
THOMAS SKEE MERRITT, son of Thomas, married
                                                               Martha, daughter
   of
                Knoxon.
   Children:
     Elizabeth, born
                                , died
                                , died
                                                   ; mar. John J. Lockwood.
     Hannah Skee, born
                                , died
     Mary, born
JOHN MERRITT, son of John, married (?)
  Children (?)
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### Samuel Merritt of St. Pauls, Md.

1. SAMUEL MERRITT, son of , born , died about 1722, married 29 Nov., 1708, Phebe, daughter of Lovering Millward and Margaret of St. Paul's Parish, Kent Co., Md. She was born 12 Mar., 1694. In Kent Co. before 1700, Vestryman of St. Paul's Church. Witness to Will of Matthies Matthiasen, Cecil Co., 25 Sept., 1701-2 (Maryland Wills). Administrator's bond of estate of Samuel Merritt by John Gilbert and Phebe, his wife, in £200. (Testamentary Proceedings, 25, 141.)

Children:

Lovering, born 1716, died , 1777.

2. LOVERING MERRITT, son of Samuel, married after 1740, Martha, widow of Edward Buck, Jr. He gave his age as 25 in deposition in Kent Co., 1740 (13, 187). He and wife Martha granted to Richard Cooley 100 acres, called Spaulden, in Kent Co., 23 March, 1750. Made his Will Sept., 1776. Left negroes, stock, tools, etc., to son Samuel; to son Lovering lands bought from Gilbert Falconer, also personal property; lands in Quaker Neck to daughters Martha and Mary; riding chair and horse to wife. Wife and Samuel, executors. She gave bond for £2000 as executor 16 Apr., 1777 (Admin, Bonds 6-17). Made her Will 25 April, 1789, mentioning Mary, wife of Joshua Dudley, Edward and Nancy, children of her son Edward Beck, Lovering Van Sant and Mary Bostick, children of daughter Sarah, wife of Eli Bostick. Edw. Beck, Helen Everett and Eli Bostick, executors.

Children:

Samuel, born , died , 1777.
Lovering, born , died , 1785.
Mary, born , died ; mar. Joshua Dudley.
Martha, born , died ; mar. Geo. Van Sant; 2d Eli
Bostick.

3. SAMUEL MERRITT, son of Lovering, married Wheland. Married 2d Sarah, daughter of Arthur Miller and Elizabeth of Kent Co. She died . 1783. She gave administrator's bond of estate of Samuel Merritt of Kent Co., 29 Sept., 1777 (Ad. Bond, 6, 10). Children:

Samuel, born , died , 1827. Mary Ann, born , died ; mar. Robert Anderson.

- LOVERING MERRITT, son of Lovering, was unmarried. Made his Will 30 Dec., 1780; proved 14 Feb., 1785. Left estate to sister Mary Merritt. Malachi Ambrose, executor (7, 80).
- 4- SAMUEL MERRITT, son of Samuel, married 31 Dec., 1799, Anna Maria, daughter of Thomas. On 15 June, 1797, he sold to William Brown lot 89 in Chestertown, which lot Eliz. Brown had sold to Sarah Merritt, mother of Samuel, 19 Feb., 1782 (B. C. 4, 618). On 16 Dec., 1799, Robert Anderson and wife Mary sold to Samuel Merritt 325 acres, part of Godlington Manor, which Arthur Miller, grandfather of Samuel and Mary Ann Merritt, had sold to their mother Sarah 9 Oct., 1775 (T. W. 2, 289). On 11 Mar., 1811, he and wife Ann sold to Joseph Thomas, Godlington Manor, 1000 acres, which was sold 2 Mar., 1696, by Michael Miller to his son Arthur Miller, and which descended in fee tail to Arthur Miller, grandfather of Samuel Merritt, who devised it by Will to said Samuel Merritt. Joseph Thomas conveyed the land back to Samuel

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the same date. N. B. This was to break the entail to Godlington Manor (B. C. 7, 25). Bond of William H. Barroll $50,000 as administrator of estate of Samuel Merritt, signed by Ann M., Samuel, Joseph T., Arthur, Thomas, resigns
    right of administering the estate, 12 Mar., 1827 (Ad. Bonds, 11, 38).
    Children:
                                          , died
       Thomas, born
                                          , died
       Samuel, born
       Joseph T., born
                                          died
                                     1802, died
                                                            . 1848.
       Arthur Miller, born
THOMAS MERRITT, son of Samuel, married (?)
    Children (?)
SAMUEL MERRITT, son of Samuel, married (?)
    Children (?)
JOSEPH T. MERRITT, son of Samuel, married
                                                                           Ann Rebecca, daughter
                       Brown.
    οf
    Children:
                                                                  ; mar. Edward Mifflin Wilkins.
                                          , died
      Mary Ann, born
ARTHUR MILLER MERRITT, son of Samuel, married 25 Dec., 1826, Juliana, daughter of Henry Hosier Steward. She was born 1807, died 4 Sept., 1861. He receipted to James Steward, administrator for his wife's share of John
    Steward property 21 June, 1835.
    Children:
      James Alfred, born
                                         , died
JAMES ALFRED MERRITT, son of Arthur Miller, married at Chestertown, Md.,
    Jan., 1869, Emma, daughter of Simon Wicks and Maria Hutcheson.
    Children:
      William Alfred,
born 6 Dec., 1874, died
      Marie Antoinette,
born 31 Dec., 1876, died
      Simon Wicks,
                   born 27 June, 1880, died
      Robert Gwathmey,
born 2 June, 1883, died
James Alfred, born , died
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# Early American Merritts.

### Not Connected.

- CHARLES MERRETT in infantry militia, Surry Co., Va., 1687. Children (?)
- EDWARD MERETT, son of , born , died , married 1702, Vrowtjie Cozynse. In Capt. Weem's Co., New York, 1698. Signed petition of Protestants, 1701. A chief inhabitant and freeholder, 1702. Had a child baptized, 1706. Petition for pay for work on fortifications, 1710. Clothier. Children (?)
- EDWARD MERRITT, son of , born , died , married Ann , and had daughter Ann born in Boston, 20 Apr., 1702.
- EDWARD MERRITT, married Susanna, and had daughter born in Boston, 12 May, 1702.
- ELIZABETH MERRETT, an inhabitant of Newport, R. I., 1638. Children (?)
- ELIZABETH MERRITT, married Joseph Emorie, at Andover, Mass., 2 Oct., 1693 or 8.

  Children (?)
- EZEKIEL MERRITT, admitted freeman of Newport, R. I., since 1638. Children (?)
- FRANZ and LYTJE MERRITT had daughter Lysbeth, bapt. Dutch Church, Albany, 1691.
- GEORGE MERRITT (MERRIOTT), signed a deed in Boston, 1 May, 1684. (Hist. of Bill Family.) Witness to deed of island in Boston Harbor 30 Apr., 1684. Children (?)
- GEORGE MERRITT of Perth Amboy, N. J., 1694. Children (?)
- HENRY MERRITT transferred to Colony of Virginia, lower Norfolk Co., 18 June, 1650.
  Children (?)
- JANE MERRITT and Robert Peck betrothed at Leyden, Holland, 1609. Both from England.
  Children (?)
- JANE MERRITT, legatee of Will of Mary Peake at Maryland, 15 May, 1671. Children (?)
- JOHN MERRITT on Grand Jury, New York, 21 Apr., 1641. Children (?)

- JOHN MERRIS or MERRIT, son of born died. A carpenter, settled a suit against him by Johannes la Montague, Brooklyn, 5 Dec., 1641. (Dutch MSS., Vol. 4, p. 110.)
  Children (?)
- JOHN MERRITT, brother of Henry of Scituate, 1652. Children (?)
- JOHN MERRITT in Capt. Lothrop's Co. Killed South Deerfield, Mass., 18 Sept., 1675.
- JOHN MERRIOT taxed in Maryland, 1681. Witness to Will of Andrew Aris, 9 Aug., 1707 (Maryland Wills). Children (?)
- JOHN MERRITT, son of , born , died Administrator of estate of Andrew Benton, Hartford, 18 Dec., 1689. Freeman of Boston, 10 Sept., 1684 (Boston Records).

  Children (?)
- JOHN MERRITT married Catherine Guthrie, 1684. Children (?)
- JOHN MERRITT owned house in Cambridge, Mass., 1694 (Hist. of Brattle Family).

  Children (?)
- JOHN MERRITT, JR., born 1670, married Sarah Grant, 2 June, 1696, died 1711. Daughter Mary married Thomas Clark of Marblehead, 14 Nov., 1772. Children (?)
- JOHN MERRITT, son of , born , died , married Sibel, daughter of Simon Ray. She was born 19 Jan., 1685. Simon Ray, born 1636, died 17 Mar., 1737, married Mary , and had daughter Mary, born 19 May, 1667. Lived in Rhode Island.
- JOHN MERRITT, son of , born , died , called Captain, and had servant John Meeker fined for absence from fisheries, Block Island, 14 Apr., 1702.

  Children (?)
- JOHN MERRITT married Sarah Adams in Boston, 25 Apr., 1709. Son Richard, horn 20 Feb., 1710.
- MATTHEW MERRITT, son of , born , died As agent he signed a deed in 1706 (Goshen, Lib. B., p. 19). Children (?)
- MEYER MERRITT, family 1 male, 2 females, 2 female children, East Ward, New York, 1703.
- RICHARD MERRITT, living in York Co., Va., May, 1660. Children (?)
- RICHARD MERRITT of Boston, married Mary Simmons, 21 Jan., 1685; son John born 1686.
- RICHARD MERRITT, freeholder of Richmond Co., N. Y., signs petition of Protestants, 30 Dec., 1701.

  Children (?)

SUSAN MERRITT, daughter of born died refused to marry Thomas Mattys at Kingston, N. Y., 27 Jan., 1677, and did marry William Leg, Sr., soon afterwards.

Children (?)

THOMAS and JOHN MERRITT were in Delaware 1660-5. Had grants from New York Government after surrender of the Swedes to Stuyvesant before 1664. "Whereas there hath been granted by ye officers at Delaware to Mr. Thomas Merritt a certain parcel of land containing 400 acres and the Marsh adjoining, westward side of Delaware Bay and N. E. side of creek now called St. Jones Creek, being about a mile above Murder Creek, extending N. W. on said Bay, bounded S. E. by land of Mr. Walter Wharton and on the opposite sides by the main woods and extending a mile into the woods. Now for a confirmation, etc. Quit rent 4 bu. winter wheat. Patent dated 17 June, 1671." (Sec. of State Office, Albany, Lib. 3, p. 67.) Written on margin, "disposed of to another, being not settled." Name spelled Mearrit. Gov. Lovelace granted to Thomas Young land on west side of Delaware Bay called Poplar Neck 16 June, 1671, bounded on south by land of Thomas Merritt. The land is said to have been given to Walter Dickinson 15 Sept., 1676. Petition of Walter Dickinson relative to land surveyed for Thomas Merritt at Mulberry Swamp, St. John's Creek, Whorkill, Del., 8 June, 1680. Thomas had gone to England (New England) and lived there in 1680.

THOMAS MERRITT, a merchant of New York, recently from England, trades in ship "Little Baltimore" to Pennsylvania, 1693. Had rebate on custom duties, New York, 8 Jan., 1694.

Children (?)

THOMAS MERRITT married Lucy Ward in Boston, 12 Sept., 1695. Children (?)

TRIPHENA MERRITT, church member, Salem, 1638. Children (?)

WILLIAM MERRITT and RICHARD SCAGGS had two tracts of land, 400 acres in all, at Whorekill, Delaware River, in 1675, but had left the country and the New Castle Court ordered the land to be given to Cornelius Commegies, Jr., on condition that he improve it, 6 Sept., 1681.

WILLIAM MERRITT married Katrina Hendricks and had Lena, bapt. 3 May, 1606, Dutch Church, Bergen, N. J.

WILLIAM MERRITT married Anne, daughter of John White, Jr., born in Hartford, 1653, and had daughter Anne, born in Boston, 20 Apr., 1702.

Children (?)

VAN JAN MERRIT sponsor for Geraldus Stuyvesant. Ref. Dutch Church, New York, 25 Oct., 1691.
Children (?)

At Schouts Court, 27 Jan., 1677. Whereas Thomas Mattys and Susan Merritt's bans were being called, why has she prevented the bans? Answer, that she had changed her mind. They there in the presence of the court released each other of their promises. At the request of themselves, William Leacq (Wm. Leg, Sr.) and Susan Meritt are permitted to marry and their bans will be called next Sunday. (Kingston Court Records.)

# Various Merritts, 1700-1800.

ABRAHAM MERRITT, married Rachel Gaskell, Burlington, 28 Sept., 1757. Children (?) 1. ABRAHAM MERRIT, son of , born , died married 12 Feb., 1785, Gartry, daughter of Brooks, of Eveshar was of Burlin-ton, N. J. Moved from Redstone, Pa., to Merrittstown, O. Brooks, of Evesham. He Rachel, born , died Elizabeth, born , died , died Sarah, born , died Rebecca, born Isaac, born , died 2 Aug., 1796, died Caleb, born 6 Apr., 1840. , died Abram, born , died Joseph, born 2. CALEB MERRITT, son of Abraham, married 16 Oct., 1817, Sarah, daughter of Joseph Kirby; married 2d, her sister Jane. Lived at Merrittstown, O. Children: Joseph, born 15 July, 1818, died 25 Sept., 1847. , died Gartry, born James C., born 12 Jan., 1823, died ; mar. Osee Carey. , died Sarah, born Benjamin, born , died , died Ann, born , died Jane, born , died Rachel, born , died Mary, born ALVIN MERRITT, son of , died Nov., 1833, mar-, born ried Ann, daughter of Bruce. Lived at Framingham, Mass. Children: Sumner, born 1808, died William, born , died young. William, born 1815, died , 1850. Nathaniel, born , died young. , died Edward, born , died Elizabeth, born , died Elizabeth, born ; mar. Sawyer. Daughter, born , died ; mar. Pike. BENJAMIN MERRITT, son of , born . Moved from Virginia to Merrittsville, S. C., about 1800 married and built a mill. Children: Benjamin, born , died ; mar. Goodwin; nine children. , died Thomas, born Wharton, born , died Barton; seven ; mar. children. , died ; mar. John Hodges. Sarah, born , died Susan, born , died Elizabeth, born McDowell. Elizabeth, born , died ; mar.

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CALEB MERRITT, son of
                                                          . dicd
                                        born
   He and brother Robert were grantees of Carleton, New Brunswick, 1783.
   Children (?)
CALEB MARRET, son of
                                   , married Rebecca Roosa, both from Hurley,
  at Dutch Church, Kingston, 9 Feb., 1794.
   Children (?)
CALEB MERRITT, son of
                                     . born about 1785, died
                                                               1857. Had half
  brother Jonathan Curtis; brother-in-law Josiah Gaskell.
     Caleb, born
                              , died
     Aressam, born
                              , died
     Thomas, born
     Jonathan, born
                              . died
    Josiah, born
                              . died
CHARLES MERRITT, of Chowan, N. C., made his Will 6 Apr., 1718, proved 21
   Oct., 1718.
    Wife executrix, witness James Bryant (Sec. of State, Raleigh, N. C.).
   Children:
    Charles, born
                              , died
     Nathaniel, born
                              , died
                              , died
     William, born
                              , died
     Sarah D., born
                              , died
    Hardy, born
    John, born
                              , died
CHARLES MERRIOT, of New London, Conn., 4 July, 1731 (Diary of Joshua
  Hempstead, N. L. Hist. Sy).
  Children (?)
CHARLES MERRITT, son of
                                            enlisted 4 Apr., 1760, discharged 4
  Dec., 1760, Capt. Charles Palmer's Co., 4th Conn. Regiment.
  Children (?)
CHARLES MERRITT, son of
                                          , enlisted 17 Mar., 1762, discharged 1
  Dec., 1762, Capt. Wheatley's Co., Conn.
  Children (?)
DANIEL MERRITT, son of
                                        , Houndsfield, Jefferson Co. Lost and
  recovered a child 1805.
  Children (?)
DANIEL MERRITT, son of
                                         , Marlborough, N. J. Received award
  for services in War of 1812.
  Children (?)
DANIEL MERRITT, son of
                                        , born
                                                            died
                                They moved from White Plains to New York,
  married Hannah
  1835. (Friends' Record).
  Children:
                              , died
    Peter, born
                                            , 1834.
    Phebe Ann, born
                                died
    Isaiah, born
                              , died
                                                      1745, died 18 Apr., 1795,
1. DAVID MERRITT, son of
                                           , born
                               1771, Elizabeth, daughter of
                                                                     Badcock.
  married at Hoe, England.
  He was born at Hawkhurst, Kent, and was a shoemaker at Ticehurst. His
  widow and four of her children sailed for America in the "Jupiter" and was lost
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with the ship 6 Apr., 1805.

#### Children:

Henry, born 1 Nov., 1772, died 20 Nov., :821. 20 Apr., 1775, died 28 July 1862. David, born ; mar. John Penfold. 19 Apr., 1777, died Mary, born 1816, in London. Elizabeth, born 30 Sept., 1778, died 5 Nov., 1779, died 6 Apr., 1805; mar. William Breach. Lucy, born 4 Feb., 1781, died Thomas, born , 1799. ; mar. Edmund Luff. Jemima, born 17 May, 1787, died 6 June, 1790, died 6 Apr., 1805. Phebe, born 5 Oct., 1792, died 6 Apr., 1805. William, born

2. HENRY MERRITT, son of David, married Jan., 1805, Mary, daughter of Nye, of Tunbridge Wells, England. They were saved from the wreck of the "Jupiter." Was a shoemaker at Marblehead.

Children:

David Nye, Rev., born 1805, died 25 Mar., 1890; lived at New Brunswick, N.J. Mary, born , died

DAVID MERRITT, son of David, married Anna, daughter of William Ashby and Anne Guy, of Battle, England. Emigrated to America in the "Iris" 18 Oct., 1804; settled at Salem, Mass.

Children:

William, born 29 Apr., 1814, died 18 Apr., 1888; mar. Rachel Cross; three children.

Henry, born 4 June, 1819, died 14 May, 1862; mar. Elizabeth Wood; two children.

David, born 28 June, 1821, died ; mar. Lucy E. Balch.

Alfred Spencer,

born 31 Jan., 1823, died ; mar. Margaret McDermott. (Essex Institute Coll., Vol. IV.)

EBENEZER MERRITT, son of , born , died . Signed Association for Rebellion June, 1775. In New York Line 5 May, 1778, discharged 5 Feb., 1779. Of Nine Partners. Children (?)

EBENEZER MERRITT, son of , born , died In Nichol's Co., Col. Benj. Bellow's Regt., New Hampshire, 29 June, 1777. Children (?)

EDWARD MERRITT, son of , born , died Bondsman for Tutor Flint for £16, 13 Mar., 1758.

Children (2)

ELIZABETH MERRITT, of Bermuda, appoints Joseph Appleby her attorney 11 Sept., 1728 (New York Lib. 31, p. 251).
Children (?)

ELIZABETH MERRITT, married David Jenkins, 1741, and had grandson Merritt Jenkins.

Children (?)

ELIZABETH MERRIOTT, baptized at Sabbatarian Church, Newport, R. I., 20 June, 1742.

Children (?)

ESTHER MERRITT, married Robert Faries in New York, 19 Feb., 1757. Children (?)

1. EZEKIEL MERRITT, son of , born 1752, died 23 April, 1847, married 20 April, 1788, Sarah, daughter of Snow at Bridgewater, Mass.

He moved from Scituate to Brockton, Mass., about 1780 and afterwards to Hamilton, N. Y. Private in Ebenezer Sproat's Regt., 1781-3. Received pension as fifer 20 Aug., 1819. Died at Easton, N. Y.

Ezekiel, born 21 July, 1780, died 10 Sept., 1848.

Azel, born , died Barnabas, born . died Melzar, born , died , died Stephen, born Salathiel, born , died , died Betsey, born , died Ann, born

2. EZEKIEL MERRITT, son of Ezekiel, married 26 Oct., 1809, Lydia Knapp. Lived at North Bridgewater, Mass.

## Children:

Phebe, born 17 July, 1810, died ; mar. Nathaniel Shepardson. 9 Nov., 1812, died 2 Apr., 1886; mar. Eunice S. Dean; six Ezekiel, born children.

24 Aug., 1815, died 7 Aug., 1817. 24 Jan., 1818, died ; Azel, born

24 Jan., 1818, died ; mar. Francis N. Nash. 7 Sept., 1820, died 2 Apr., 1884; mar. Harriet Keith; four Nancy, born Isaac, born

children. 25 Jan., 1823, died 22 Jan., 1826, died Salley, born ; mar. Darias Place. ; mar. Harrison Freeman. Lydia, born 5 Aug., 1828, died , 1897; mar. Hannah Forbes; 1 son. George, born Adeline, born Feb., 1831, died 17 Feb., 1833.

GEORGE MERRITT, son of , born 6 Mar., 1763, died 7 June, 1817, married 7 Dec., 1788, Abigail, daughter of Marble. Lived at Scituate. 1. GEORGE MERRITT, son of Children:

; went to sea and was never heard from. George, born , died

David Marble,

born 30 May, 1789, died 21 Aug., 1845.

14 Feb., 1793, died ; mar. Salathiel Field. Susan, born

2. DAVID MARBLE MERRITT, son of George, married Nov., 1818, Clementine, daughter of Thomas Shattuck. She was born at Pepperell, 4 Sept., 1791, died 27 Dec., 1852. Moved from Dorchester to Springfield, Vt., about 1820. Children:

George, born 24 Aug., 1819, died 24 Jan., 1887; mar. Clarissa Damon; one daughter.

; mar. Isaac Wixwell. Mary Ann. b. 29 Aug., 1822, died Clementina, b. 25 Nov., 1825, died ; mar. Sewall Hazeltine. Thos. Marble,

born 30 Apr., 1831, died ; mar. Louisa J. Howe; three children.

, born 1. GEORGE MERRITT, son of , died married Married 2d, 9 Apr., 1760, Hannah, daughter of Right at Stamford. Lived at Stratfield, Conn. Children:

Joseph, born, bapt. 1738, died John, born, bapt. 1744, died Mary, born, bapt. 1741, died 1748, died 1753, died Anna, born, bapt. Eunice, born, bapt.

2 JOSEPH MERRITT, son of George, married 21 Sept., 1763, Rachel, daughter Vidato of N. Stratford. Married 2d, 5 June, 1768, Sarah, daughof ter of Wakelee, of North Fairfield.

Children: Ebenezer, born, bapt. 3 June, 1764, died Anne, born June, 1769, died o May, 1773, died Mary, bapt. Nov., 1775, died Eunice, born 9 May, 1778, died John, bapt. - MERRITT, perhaps Joseph above, married Glorianna, daughter of Hubbell of Bridgeport. Children: Ebenezer, born Oct., 1762, died John, born , died , died Ten Eyck. Phebe, born : mar. . died Rhoda, born EBENEZER MERRITT, son of Joseph (?), married 10 Nov., 1781, Hannah. daughter of Wheeler at Redding. He was born at Redding and died at Huntington. Children: Anna, born 25 Feb., 1783, died John Burr, born 11 Feb., 1789, died Ebenezer, born 13 Jan., 1795, died ; mar. Mehitable Wakelee. GILBERT MERRITT, son of , born , died married Mary, daughter of Ebenezer Stanton of Dutchess Co. She was born o Jan., 1796. They had a grandson, Gilbert L. of Coeymans Hollow. Children (?) HENRY MERRITT, in Major Rogers Co., taken prisoner near Ticonderoga 11 June, 1758. Children (?) HENRY MERRITT, son of , born , died , He was a mason in New York. Received a , born married Deborah deed from William Green 1801. He and wife gave deeds 1807, 1808, 1819, New York. Children (?) HENRY MERRITT, son of , born died 1773. Lived at Killingley and left his widow, not named, and Lushen Gay, executor, Children (?) HENRY MERRITT, son of , born 1790, died Ray. Moved from Trenton, N. J., to married Christiana, daughter of Cayuga, N. Y. Ten children, names not known. His brothers were William. Elisha and John. ISAAC MERIT, taxed £1 1s. 1d. in North Parish, Lebanon, 1741. Children (?) ISAAC MERRITT, son of , died . born , of Scriba, N. Y.; received £50 for war services of 1812. His widow received \$55 6 April, 1865. Children (?) ISAAC MERRITT, son of , born died married Elizabeth, daughter of Hewlings, 21 Mar., 1782. He was of

Burlington, N. S. Children (?)

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ISAAC MERRITT, son of
                                               born
                                                                     , died
   married 13 Apr., 1784, Alice, daughter of
                                                              Wright. He was of Mount
   Holly, N. J.
   Children (?)
JACOB MERRITT, son of
                                               of Illinois. Received award of $58 for
   services in War of 1812.
   Children (?)
JACOB MERRITT, son of
                                            , born
                                                                , died
   Child:
      Charlotte, born
                                                          ; mar. Abel B. Shattuck,
                          Aug., 1798, died
                                                              17 May, 1834.
JAMES MERRITT, son of
                                            , enlisted 12 Apr., 1760, discharged 21 Nov.,
   1760, Capt. Redfield's Co., Second Regiment, Conn.
   Children (?)
JAMES MERROT, son of
                                                           1762, Capt. Humphrey's Co.
                                           , enlisted
   Children (?)
            - MERRITT, perhaps Jaques Maurite, a Huguenot, time of Louis XIV,
   born
                      . died
                                        , married
   Children:
      James, born
                       18 Aug., 1745, died
                                                    , 1821.
                                    , died
      John, born
      Samuel, born
                                    . died
2. JAMES MERRITT, son of Jaques (?), married 16 June, 1768, Hannah, daughter of Phelphs. She was born at Simsbury, 29 May, 1749. He was born at Canton, Conn. Moved to Barkhamstead. Petitioned against judgment of Jon.
   Pettibone, 1770. Made his Will I Dec., 1821. Widow died 1825.
   Children:
     Hannah, born
                       31 Mar., 1769, died
     Esther, born
                        8 Feb., 1771, died
                                                          ; mar. Daniel Wilcox.
     James, born 3 July, 1773, died
Timothy, born 17 Oct., 1775, died
                       13 Oct., 1777 , died
     Lois, born
                                                                          Fuller.
                                                           ; mar.
                       23 Apr., 1780, died
29 Sept., 1781, died
      Lydia, born
                                                                          Meston.
                                                           ; mar.
     Ruth, born
                      1 Feb., 1784, died
31 Oct., 1788, died
31 Oct., 1788, died
      James, born
                                                          : mar. William Burt.
      Ruth, born
     Peter, born
JOHN MERRITT, son of Jacques (?), married Sarah
   Children:
      James, born
                        9 Mar., 1770, died
                                                          ; mar. Zabod Case.
      Sarah, born
                                    , died
                                    , died
      Sepad, born
                                    , died
      Jerusha, born
      Namah, born
                                    , died
     Oliver, born
                                    , died
                                    , died
     Freeman, born
     Freedom, born
                                     , died
3. JAMES MERRITT, son of James, married Jerusha
   . James B., born 19 Jan., 1814, died 30 Dec., 1839; married Sarah Goodwin
                                                              Humphrey; 1 son, James
                                                              Bestor, born 31 Dec., 1839;
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, died

Daughter, born

living at Oakland, Cal.

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TIMOTHY MERRITT, son of James, married (?)
   Children (?)
PETER MERRITT, son of James, married (?)
   Children:
     Emmeline, born
                                                   : mar. J. T. Rexford.
                            1817. died
                            1817, died at Chicago, 1836.
     Edwin, born
     Russell, born
                               , died at Milwaukee, 1861.
                                , died
                                                  ; mar.
     James M., born
                                                                ; son Frederick
                               , died
     Aurelia, born
                               , died
     Ruth, born
     Elizabeth, born
                               , died
                                , died
     Janet, born
JAMES MERRITT, son of John, married (?)
   Children (?)
SEPAD MERRITT, son of John, married (?)
   Children (?)
OLIVER MERRITT, son of John, married (?)
   Children (?)
FREEMAN MERRITT, son of John, married
                                                  Carrington of Royalton, N. Y.
   Children:
     John Carrington, born
                                . died
FREEDOM MERRITT, son of John, married (?)
   Children (?)
1. JAMES MERRITT, son of
                                           , born
                                  Lived in North Carolina.
  married (?)
   Children:
                                            . 1868.
                           1784. died
     James, born
2 JAMES MERRITT, son of James, married Elizabeth, daughter of
                                                                         Head.
   Child:
     William A., born
                               , died
                                                  ; living at Ridge Springs, S.C.,
                                                      1002.
JAMES MERRITT, son of
                                        , born
                                                            . died
   married 21 Mar., 1800. Phillis, daughter of
                                                     Brown at Providence, R. I.
   (Providence Births and Marriages.)
   Children (?)
JAMES MERRITT, son of
                                        , born
                                                            , died
   married Harriet, daughter of
                                          Taylor.
   Children:
     Absalom, born
                                             , 1875; mar.
                                                                ;5 children.
                           1830, died
1848, died
     Allen C., born
     Nilpha, born
     Nelson born.
                           1856, died
                           1854, died
    John S., born
JAMES G. MERRITT, son of
                                         , born
                                                      1784. died
                                                                     Apr., 1857.
   Lived at Venice, Cayuga Co., N. Y., nearly 50 years.
   Children (?)
JEREMIAH MERRITT, son of
                                           , born
                       . In New York Line 25 July, 1780, deserted 23 Oct., 1780.
  married
   One child.
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T, son of ... born ... died ... She lived to the age of 98. He had four brothers. Settled
           - MERRITT, son of
   married
   on the Hudson and lived there during the Revolution.
    Children:
      Jesse, born
                      19 Mar., 1790, died
2 JESSE MERRITT, son of
                                                , married
                                                                1811, Harriet, daughter
   οi
                  Hilton. He was a dry goods merchant in Chatham St., New York,
   1810-22.
   Children:
      Susanna H., b. 1 Apr., 1814, died
Absalom, born 1 Aug., 1815, died
      Edward Griswold,
                 born 12 Mar., 1817, died
      Benjamin Hilton,
                 born 19 Jan., 1819, died
    William H., b. 12 Sept., 1821, died
                                                   . 1891; mar. Marcia Sutherland; 7
                                                             children.
     Harriet, born 24 Jan., 1822, died
Jesse A., born 7 Nov., 1824, died
       --- MERRITT, born
                                              , died
                                                                  . married
   Children born in England. Came to New England 1750.
   Children:
      John, born
                                    , died
      Zenas, born
                                    , died
      Samuel, born
                                    , died
   Gorgus. He moved to Lake Hopatcong, N. J.
Children:
2 SAMUEL MERRITT, son of
   Children:
                       8 Dec., 1780, died 4 July, 1834
, died 15 Dec., 1835,
1789, died , 1872
      Daniel, born
      Darius, born
      Amy, born
                                    . died
      Bersy, born
3. DANIEL MERRITT, son of Samuel, married Anna, daughter of Samuel Mase.
   She was born 26 Dec., 1786, died 14 Mar., 1872. Five children born in Vermont,
   seven in Morris Co., N. J.
   Children:
     Samuel M., b. 20 Jan., 1806, died 26 Feb., 1869; mar. Caroline Davenport; 12
                                                             children.
     William, born 10 Jan., 1808, died
                                                          ; mar.
                                                                        4 children.
     Daniel L., born 14 Jan., 1810, died
Darius P., born 27 Sept., 1811, died 2 May, 1884; mar. Nancy Hiler; 10 chil-
                                                             dren.
     James L., born 10 Apr., 1814, died
Jaboria A., born 8 Nov., 1816, died
                                                                         : 4 children.
                                                          ; mar.
     Jalina E., born 2 Mar., 1819, died
     Alexander A.,
                                                         ; mar. Sarah Ann Fictor; S
                born 21 Oct., 1821, died
                                                             children.
                      5 July, 1825, died
7 May, 1828, died
7 May, 1828, died in infancy.
     Phebe, born
     Matilda, born
     Belinda, born
DARIUS MERRITT, son of Samuel, married Betsy, daughter of
                                                                                   Farris.
   Children:
     Stephen, born
                                    , died
                                                         ; mar.
                                                                        ; child Geo. D.
                                    , died
     Samuel, born
     King, born
                                    , died
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, died
    Darius, born
                               , died
     Daniel, born
                               , died
     James, born
     John, born
                               , died
     David, born
                               , died
, died about
   Children:
    William, b. between 1742-52, died
                                                  ; mar. widow Rogers; son
                                                     Roger.
                                                   ; a private in Revolutionary
     Samuel, born
                               , died
                                                     War.
     Jane, born
                               . died
                                                  ; mar. John Johnston.
    Jeremiah, born
                               , died
                                                  ; mar.
                                                                ; son.
JOHN MERRITT, constable, Boston, 10 Mar., 1728 (Boston Records). Grocer in
   Knight St., 1733.
   Children (?)
JOHN MERRITT, merchant of New York, named in Will of Abraham Dubois, 1
   Oct., 1731. Freeman 24 Feb., 1741.
   Children (?)
JOHN MERRITT, married Margaret Eames, Boston, 18 Apr., 1735.
   Children (?)
JOHN MERRITT, petitions for leave to load prisoners for Madeira, 28 Mar., 1741
   (Eng. MSS., Vol. 73, p. 43).
   Children (?)
JOHN MERRITT, married Sarah Decker, Richmond, Staten Island, 1754.
   Children (?)
JOHN MERRITT, married Ruth, daughter of John Canfield, Hanover, N. J., 8
   May, 1748.
   Children (?)
JOHN MERRITT, married Christine Eyler in Pennsylvania, 26 Feb., 1789.
   Children (?)
JOHN MERIT, son of
                                 , enlisted 8 Apr., 1761, discharged 5 Dec., 1761,
   Capt. Samuel Whiting's Co.
   Children (?)
JOHN MERRITT, in Privateer "Gen. Sullivan," July, 1780. Item from Vol. 23, N. E. Register: "Jno. Merritt, a captor of the vessel 'Charlotte,' a prize
   brigantine, in July, 1780. Cargo value £350,000."
   Children (?)
JOHN STEWART MERRITT, son of
                                                , born
                                                               , died
                     . Moved from Sussex Co., Del., to Warwick, Md.
   married
   Children:
     Ann, born
                               , died
     James, born
                               , died
                           1820, died
     Joseph, born
     Abel, born
                               , died
                               , died
     Sarah, born
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, died
     Jane, born
     John, born
                                     . died
JONATHAN MERRITT, son of
                                                    , born
                                                                         , died
   married about 1760 Mary, daughter of James and Sarah Hilton.
   Children (?)
JOSEPH MERRITT, son of
                                                                , died
                                              . born
                                                                                   , married
                                                    Hopkins, in New York. (New York
   22 Dec., 1736, Sarah, daughter of
   Marriages.)
   Children (?)
JOSEPH MERRITT, son of
                                                                         died
                                                 , born
   married 25 May, 1759, Priscilla, daughter of
                                                                  Litchfield.
   Children (?)
JOSEPH MERRITT, son of
                                              , enlisted 4 Apr., 1759, discharged 2 Dec.,
   1759, Capt. Tomlinson's Co., Col. Wooster's Regiment.
   Children (?)
JOSEPH MERRIT, son of
                                             , enlisted 5 Apr., 1761, discharged 5 Dec.,
   1761, Capt. Samuel Whiting's Co.
   Children (?)
                 Lived at Bath, Maine.
JOSHUA MERRITT, son of
                                                                 . died
                                                                                   , married
   Children:
                                     , died
      Joshua, born
                                                                            ; son Clinton.
                                                            ; mar.
                                     , died
                                                                            ; 2 sons.
      David, born
                                                            ; mar.
     Washington, b. 4 Dec., 1819, died 7 Apr., 1877; mar.
                                                                            ; I son.
   MICHAEL MERRITT, son of , born , 1738, died about 1813. Married Lucy, daughter of Chittenden. She was born 25 Apr., 1736; 2d, 13 Dec., 1810, Sarah, widow of Hawkins. He had a sister Trubey, who married Philip Priest. He was in Capt. Redfield's Co., 2d Conn. Regt., 28 Apr., 1759. Moved from Killingworth, Conn., to Fairhaven,
1. MICHAEL MERRITT, son of
    Vt., 1780, being one of the first settlers and having 105 acres.
      Bartholomew, b. 7 Jan., 1762, died at Benson.
     Michael, born 14 Nov., 1763, died Martin, born 26 July, 1765, died
                                                            : moved to Canada.
                       20 Mar., 1767, died
     Ansel, born
     Jemima, born 26 Jan., 1769, died
                                                            ; mar. Henry Cramer of Ben-
                                                                SOD.
     James, born 18 Nov., 1770, died
Nathaniel, born 20 Sept., 1772, died
                        8 Sept., 1774, died
                                                            ; mar. Russell Smith.
     Lucy, born
                       5 May, 1776, died
23 Apr., 1778, died
     Lydia, born
                                                            mar. Uriah Lewis.
     Peter, born
                                                            ; mar. Salmon Norton of Fair
     Rebecca, born 3 Mar., 1780, died
                                                                  Haven.
2. MICHAEL MERRITT, son of Michael, married Sally, daughter of
                                                                                      Olney;
   2d, Widow Parsons. Lived at Benson.
   Children:
      Sally, born
                                                            ; mar.
                                     , died
                                                            ; at Granville, N. Y.
      Michael P., born
                                                            ; mar. Caroline Remington; 5
      Eli, born
                                     , died
                                                              children.
                                                            ; mar. Cynthia Nolan, Cuba,
N. Y.
      Bogardus, born
                                     , died
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moved to Canada.
   Children (?)
ANSEL MERRITT, son of Michael, married Betsey, daughter of Samuel Stannard,
   and moved to Hopkinton, N. Y.
                                 , died
     Samuel, born
                                                     ; mar.
                                                                   ; I son.
     Charlotte, born
                                 , died 14 Mar., 1883; mar.
                                                                   Post.
JAMES MERRITT, son of Michael, married Esther, daughter of
                                                                         Downs of
   West Haven. He died at Granville, N. Y.
   Children (?)
NATHANIEL MERRITT, son of Michael, married
                                                                   Hurd of Sand-
   gate, Vt.
   Children (?)
PETER MERRITT, son of Michael, married Polly Ann, daughter of
   Mallory. She was born 1785, died 15 June, 1810. Married 2d Ruth, daughter of Hurd. She died 1844. They moved to Royal Oak, Mich.
   Children:
     Noble, born
                             1802, died
                                               , 1882; mar. Betsey Bates; 3 chil-
                                                        dren.
                                                     ; mar. Nath. C. Ranny.
     Minerva, born
                             1804, died
                                                     ; mar. Nancy M. Hickok; 7
children; living Cuba, N.Y.
     Sidney, born
                             1806, died
                             1808, died
     Alanson, born
                                                     :: mar.
                                                                   ; three daugh-
                                                        ters living South Bend, Ind.; a physician.
                             1810, died
                                                     ; mar. Walter Loomis.
     Polly Ann, born
     Burgina, born
                             1811, died
                                                     ; mar. Robert S. Peasley.
     Simeon, born
                             1813, died
                                                     ; mar. twice.
                                                                   Chapin.
     Lucy, born
                             1816, died
                                                     ; mar.
MITCHELL MERRITT, son of
                                                             . died
                                                                             . He
                                            , born
   was in Capt. Redfield's Co., 2d Conn. Regt., Killingworth, 1759.
   Children (?)
1. MOSES MERRITT, son of
                                            , born 24 July, 1768, died 1 Aug., 1823.
                                        Johnson. She was born 9 Dec., 1773, died
   married Mary, daughter of
   29 Mar., 1849.
   Child:
     Ephraim Johnson, born
                                 . died
2. EPHRAIM JOHNSON MERRITT, son of Moses, married Margaret, daughter
   of William Trindle of Newark, Ohio.
     James Young, born
                                 , died
                                                     ; mar. Mary Pryne; Living
                                                        Aledo, Ill., 1886.
     John, born
                                 , died
NAOMI MERRITT, daughter of
                                           , married 11 Aug., 1734, Berich Delano,
   of Duxbury, Mass., born May, 1698.
   Children (?)
NATHANIEL MERRITT, of Bertie, N. C., made his Will
                                                               , 1735. Wife Mary
   executrix, witnesses - Weldon, Henry Jones.
   Children:
     Nathaniel, born
                                 , died
     Benjamin, born
                                 , died
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Children 5 or 6. He

MARTIN MERRITT, son of Michael, married

Ephraim, born , died Sarah, born , died Mary, born , died

NATHANIEL MERRITT, son of , born , died married . Lived at Rowley.

Child:

Moses, born 27 Feb., 1775, died

NEHEMIAH MERRITT, born 1755, Scituate, died 13 July, 1772, buried in Scituate Cemetery.

Children (?)

NEHEMIAH MERRITT, son of born , died married Eunia, daughter of Ezra Waite of Windsor, Vt., born Feb., 1786. Children:

Benjamin W., born , died Cole, born , died Elisha, born , died

NICHOLAS MERRITT, son of , born , died Settled at Lyndeboro, N. H., Sept., 1736.
Children (?)

POWER MERRET, son of , born ried 3 Apr., 1727, Katherine, daughter of Weavor (Boston Records).

Children (?)

REBECCA MERRITT, daughter of . born 13 Feb., 1753, died 7 Aug., . married 13 Nov., 1770, Samuel Dinger, born 4 Aug., 1748, died 15 Dec., 1822. Son Stephen.

RICHARD MERIETT, son of , born married 31 Aug., 1732, Susanna, daughter of Bowman (Boston Records). Children (?)

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ROBERT MERRITT, son of , born , died Capt. Honeyman's Co., Expedition against Canada, 26 Sept., 1746. Children (?)

ROBERT MERRITT, son of , born , died In Capt. Townsend's Co. Asks for increased pay 2 Sept., 1776.

Children (?)

ROBERT MERRITT, son of , born , died married 23 Nov., 1777, Mary, daughter of Boyd of Philadelphia. Children (?)

1. ROBERT MERRITT, son of , born , died , married . He was a loyalist and "at the peace he took his family of three persons and one servant from Long Island to Shelbourne, Nova Scotia, where the Crown granted him one farm, one town and one water lot."

Children:

Gilbert, born 18 Nov., 1763, died 16 Oct., 1840. Robert, born , died

2. GILBERT MERRITT, son of Robert, married Phebe, daughter of Benjamin Birdsall. She was born 14 Sept., 1771, died 27 Feb., 1868. Children:

Deborah, born 6 Nov., 1791, died , 1846. Ann, born 26 Oct., 1793, died ; mar. Henry Golding.

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Abraham, born 12 Jan., 1796, died
     Calcb, born
                     14 Mar., 1798, died
                     13 Dec., 1800, died 8 June, 1840;
15 Mar., 1802, died 14 Feb., 1834.
     Sarah, born
                                         8 June, 1840; mar. Leonard Slipp.
     Isaac, born
     Elizabeth, born 24 May, 1805, died
                                                       ; mar. Jos. Robinson.
     Gilbert R., born 11 Sept., 1807, died 7 Oct., 1857.
Phebe, born 10 Jan., 1811, died 9 Apr., 1888; mar. James Slipp.
     Benjamin, born 10 July, 1813, died 25 Aug., 1882.
Mary, born 1 Dec., 1816, died ;
                                                       ; mar. Leonard Slipp.
                                                               , daughter of
3. ABRAHAM MERRITT, son of Gilbert, married
   Peters; 2d, Anne, daughter of
                                               Vanwart; 3d,
                                                                          Worden.
   Children:
     Benjamin, born
                                  , died
                                                       ; mar.
                                                                      ; son Clark
     George, born
                                  , died
CALEB MERRITT, son of Gilbert, married Hannah, daughter of
                                                                                   Un-
   derhill.
   Children:
     Phebe, born
                                  , died
                                  , died
     Sarah, born
                                  , died
     Isaac, born
                                                                      ; son Capt. Les-
                                                       : mar.
                                                           lic.
                                  , died
     Gilbert, born
                                  , died
     Thomas, born
     Robert, born
                                  . dicd
ISAAC MERRITT, son of Gilbert, married Rachel, daughter of
                                                                                  Car-
   penter.
   Children:
     Ann, born
                                   , died
GILBERT R. MERRITT, son of Gilbert, married Lydia, daughter of
   Golding. She died 11 Oct., 1885.
   Children:
     Israel, born
                                  , died
     Isaac, born
                                  , died
                                  , died
     David, born
                                  , died
     Joshua, born
     Caleb, born
                                  . died
                                                       ; living at Centreville, Carle-
                                                           ton Co., N. B.
     Phebe, born
                                  , died
BENJAMIN MERRITT, son of Gilbert, married Susan, daughter of
   Slipp; 2d, Mrs. Mary Cornier.
   Children:
     William, born
                              1838, died 13 May, 1858.
                              1843, died 8 July, 1864.
     James, born
                              1839, died
                                                       ; mar. Sarah Carpenter; 2d,
     Gilbert, born
                                                           Mary E. Dingee; 4 chil-
                                                           dren.
                                  , died
     Hannah, born
                              1841, died 12 May, 1887; mar.
     Amasa, born
                                                                     ; daughter Olive.
                                 , died
     Benjamin, born
                                                       ; living Sirday, B. C.
                                  , died
     Sarah, born
                                  , dicd
     Lydia, born
RUANNA OR ROWENNA MERRITT, daughter of
                                                                    , born
   died 5 May, 1791. Married James Sheppard at Newton. Son George Merritt born 7 June, 1769.
   Children (?)
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SAMUEL MERRIOTT, son of
                                                 born
                                                                  , died
   baptized at Sabbatarian Church, Newport, R. I., 23 Aug., 1741.
   Children (?)
1. SAMUEL MARRYOTT, son of
                                                 , born
                                                                   , married in New-
                                                         Smith; married 2d, 25 July,
   port, R. L. 1720. Margaret, daughter of
                                       Hawkins.
   1751, Ann. daughter of
   Children:
     Samuel, born
                        Mar., 1721, died 18 May, 1809.
     Felix, born
                        Sept., 1752, died
                     17 Jan., 1754, died 23 Dec., 1819.
21 Aug., 1756, died
     Henry, born
     James, born
     Ann, born
                        Nov., 1759, died
                                                       ; mar. 8 Jan., 1778, George
2 SAMUEL MERRITT, son of Samuel, married 24 Feb., 1740, Elizabeth, daughter
   of John and Elizabeth Sabin. She was born in Newport 19 Nov., 1724. He was
   baptized in Sabbatarian Church, Newport, 23 Aug., 1741; Elizabeth his wife,
   20 June, 1742.
   Children:
     Samuel, born 21 Apr., 1742, died
     Elizabeth, born 24 Jan., 1745, died
     Mary, born
                      5 Feb., 1748, died
                                                       ; mar. 19 Nov., 1767. John
                                                           Eldrich.
FELIX MERRITT, son of Samuel, married Susanna
                                                                    . Living in Hop-
   kintown, R. I., 1774. Family, I male, I female, I female infant 16 years. Sab-
   batarian Church, 22 Apr., 1786.
   Children (?)
HENRY MERRITT, son of Samuel, married about 1775, Mary, daughter of
   Saunders. She joined church 12 Nov., 1785. He served in Capt. Arnold's Co.,
   Col. Liffett's Regt., Sept., 1776.
   Children:
     Samuel, born
                      4 Sept., 1776, died 23 May, 1863.
     Polly, born
                                  , died
                                                       ; mar. 1803, Maxon Chase.
                                  , died
                                                       ; mar. 1810, Pardon Thopson.
     Lucy, born
     Henry, born
                                    died
                              1788, died
     William, born
                                          3 Jan., 1825.
                                  . died
     Hannah, born
                                                       ; mar. 1806, Benj. P. Barber.
                                  , died
     Jesse, born
     Anna Norrey, born
                                  , died
                                                       ; mar. 1807, Prentice Longhere.
     Prudy, born
                                  , died
                                                       ; mar. John Webster.
                                                 . 1878.
     George, born
                              1790, died
                                  , died
     Benjamin, born
     Esther, born
                                                       ; mar. John Barber.
                                  , died
                                  , died young.
     Joshua, born
     James, born
                                  , died
JAMES MERRITT, son of Samuel, married (?)
   Children (?)
SAMUEL MERRITT, son of Samuel, Jr., married at Middletown, R. I., 13 Sept., 1761, Micheal, daughter of Jonathan Fish and Micheal Rodes of Portsmouth of Hopkintown, 1774. Family, 2 males, 3 females, 1 male under 16; mar-
   ried 2d, 21 May, 1791. Judith, daughter of
                                                             Maxon of Hopkintown.
   She died to July 1819.
   Children (?)
SAMUEL MERRITT, son of Henry, married
                                                      1802, Sally, daughter of Azaria
   Partelo of North Stonington, Conn.
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Children (?)

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HENRY MERRITT, son of Henry, married Fanny, daughter of
   Stanton.
   Children (?)
WILLIAM MERRITE, son of Henry, married Rebecca, daughter of
  . Longhere.
   Children (?)
JESSE MERRITT, son of Henry, married
                                            Keziah, daughter of
                                                                       Oaks
   Children (?)
GEORGE MERRITT, son of Henry, married
                                               Lucy, daughter of
                                                                       Lewis.
   Children (?)
BENJAMIN MERRITT, son of Henry, married
                                                 Marcy, daughter of
   Webster.
   Children (?)
JAMES MERRITT, son of Henry, married
                                            1822, Lucinda, daughter of
   Tracy.
   Children (?)
SAMUEL MERRITT, son of
                                      , born
                                                       , died
   a suit against James Taller for £100, 25 Aug., 1760. Samuel and Daniel Merritt,
   lieutenants in James Scammon's Regt., 1775.
   Children (?)
SAMUEL MERRITT, son of
                                                       , died
                                       . born
                                                                       . At
   Newtown, L. I. A voter for deputy to Provincial Congress, 1775.
   Children (?)
1. SHEDRICK MERRITT, son of
                                           , born
                       . Moved from Person Co., N. C., to Enfield, soon after
   married
   Revolution.
   Child:
                              , died
    Lovet, born
22 LOVETT MERRITT, son of Shedrick, married Rebecca, daughter of
   Losey.
   Children:
    Ethington J., born
                              , died
                                                             Randolph.
    Mary, born
                              , died
                                                 ; mar.
3. ETHINGTON J. MERRITT, son of Lovett, married
                                                        Margaret, daughter of
   Gunter. Lived at Marianna, Fla.
   Children:
                              , died
    Edward, born
    Alexander, b. 19 Nov., 1831, died
                                                ; mar. Frances Harrel; nine
                                                    children.
                                        , born
                                                          , died
STEPHEN MERRITT, son of
  of North East, Dutchess Co. Refused to sign Association for Rebellion, 1 June,
   1775. Signed July, 1775.
   Children (?)
STEPHEN MERRITT, son of
                                        . born
  in New York Line, 10 Dec., 1776; discharged 3 Nov., 1778.
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Children (?)

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THOMAS MERRITT, son of
                                         , of Edgecombe, N. C., made his Will 18
   May, 1770. Wife May executrix; witnesses John Haywood, Thomas Merritt.
   Children:
     Peggy, born
                                , died
                                                   ; mar. John Stone.
                                , died
     Thomas, born
     John, born
                                , died
     Ann, born
                                , died
                                                   ; mar. Wm. Hanby.
     Bettie, born
                                , died
THOMAS MERRITT, son of
                                                              died
                                           pom
   married 20 July, 1739, Sarah, daughter of Shobel Smith or Benjamin Smith, at
   Rahway, N. J.
   Children (?)
THOMAS MERRITT, witness to Will of John Lawrence, 21 Feb., 1763 (New
   York Wills).
   Children (?)
THOMAS MERRITT, married Rachel Campbell, New York, 27 Nov., 1764 (N.Y.
   Marriages).
   Children (?)
THOMAS MERRITT, son of
                                                            , died
                                          . born
   Living in Lower Yonkers. Signed petition 15 Sept., 1775.
   Children (?)
THOMAS MERRITT, son of
                                        , born
                                                           died
   blacksmith of Claverack gave quit claim deed of 50 acres, 6 June, 1779. (Albany
   Lib. 10, p. 339).
   Children (?)
THOMAS MERRITT, son of
                                                            , died
   married 30 May, 1781, Elizabeth, daughter of riages). Her Will, 1789, mentions no children.
                                                        Frost (New York Mar-
WILLIAM MERDURF MERET, married Bridget Coghlan, St. John's Parish, Md.,
   22 Dec., 1727.
   Children (?)
WILLIAM MERRIOT, tobacco planter, Gray's Creek, James River, Surry Co., Va.,
   Children (?)
WILLIAM MERRITT, owned land on Fresh Water Pond, 1730.
   Children (?)
WILLIAM MERRIT, born
                                         died 1782; married Mar., 1743, Abigail
   Nichols; married 2d, Sarah How; married 3d, Sarah Cummings, of Southbridge.
   Children:
                               , died
     Abigail, born
     Nathaniei, born
                                died
     Sally, born
                               , died
     William, born
                           1753, died
WILLIAM MERRIT, in Captain Honeyman's expedition against Canada, 26 Sept.,
  1746.
   Children (?)
WILLIAM MERRITT, married Charity, born 1743, daughter of Jonathan Lock-
  wood
   Child:
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, died

Elizabeth, born

1. WILLIAM MERRITT, son of , born , died . Settled in Connecticut. married Child: William, born 1780, died about 1856. 2. WILLIAM MERRITT, son of William, married 26 Jan., 1806, Anne, daughter of John White, Jr. Lived at Litchfield and Hartford. Went to Syracuse, N. Y. Children: , died Dec., 1808, died , 189 , died about 1866. William, born Edwin, born Charles, born 3. WILLIAM MERRITT, son of William, married (?) Children (?) EDWIN MERRITT, son of William, married 13 Aug., 1832, Clarissa B., born 6 Dec., 1812, died 30 June, 1858, daughter of John Clapp of Wethersfield. His Will proved 2 Oct., 1890, leaves all property to wife, Maria S. Merritt, and 6 children. Married 2d, Maria Stearns. Children: Augustus E., b. 19 Apr., 1833, died 6 Aug., 1910; mar. Anna M. Schall; son William E. H., of Washington; mar. 2d, Joanna Brashears. George Sumner, born , died CHARLES MERRITT, son of William, married . Died in Baltimore. Children: , died Relief, born , dicd Mary, born 1. WILLIAM MERRITT, son of , died born . Lived in North Carolina. Children: William, born 1791, died , 1867. 30 Dec., 1802, died 24 Nov., 1866. , died Berry, born Henry, born 2. WILLIAM MERRITT, son of William, married Jane, daughter of Vason. He lived in Georgia. Children: William, born , died Edward C., born Dec., 1823, died . 1878. ; mar. Samantha Jones; son BERRY MERRITT, son of William, married Jane, daughter of Brown. He lived in Munroe Co., Georgia. Children: William, born 27 Nov., 1824, died ; mar. Mary Bozeman; 6 children.

Henry W., born 31 Aug., 1829, died

Elizabeth, born 24 July, 1831, died Jennet, born 3 Dec., 1833, died Thomas M., b. 28 Jan., 1836, died

John R., born 16 Apr., 1838, died

Mary, born

5 Apr., 1827, died

; mar. Susan White; 2 chil-

; mar. Mary G. Lewis; I son.

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May, 1892; mar. Anna Lewis; six chil-

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dren.
      Augustus C., b. 10 Jan., 1843, died
                                                       ; mar. Laura Goodwin; 2 chil-
                                                          dren.
      Sarah R., born 7 Jan., 1845, died
Laura C., born 3 Aug., 1847, died
Warren A., b. 12 Nov., 1849, died 26 Jan., 1856.
 HENRY MERRITT, son of William, married (?)
    Children:
      Joel, born
                                   , died
                                   , died
      Wade, born
                                   , died
      Eva, born
                                  , died
      Berry, born
                                   , died
      Parker, born
                                   , died
      Martha, born
    ILLIAM MERRITT, son of , born Sept., 1749, died 21 June, 1848, married Hannah, widow of Daniel Merritt, who died Jan., 1808. Both were
 WILLIAM MERRITT, son of
    soldiers in the Revolution.
 WILLIAM C. MERRITT, son of
                                               . married
                                                                      Made his Will
    at Amenia 27 Oct., 1806; proved 2 Apr., 1807 (Poughkeepsie Lib. C., p. 75).
    Children:
                                  , died
      Cornby, born
                                  , died
      Gilbert, born
                                  , died
      Samuel, born
                                  , died
      Ebenezer, born
                                  , died
      Jesse, born
                                  , died
      Mary, born
      Elizabeth, born
                                  died
 WILLIAM MERRITT, in "alarm list" in Capt. Henry Emmes' Company, Farm-
    ingham, 26 Apr., 1757.
    Children (?)
 WILLIAM MERRITT, of Machias, in Capt. Nathan Snow's Company, of Abing-
    ton, 1776. Also in list of men mustered by Nathaniel Barber, Suffolk Co., 26
    Oct., 1777.
    Children (?)
 WILLIAM MERRITT, in Capt. Robert Alden's Co., 15 Aug., 1777.
    Children (?)
 WILLIAM MERRITT, enlisted 1 Aug., 1777, Cherry Valley, Mar. and Apr., 1779.
    Children (?)
 WILLIAM MERRITT, son of
                                               born
                                                                 , died
   married (?) A tailor at 50 William St., New York, 1786.
  Children (?)
ZACHARIAS MERRITT, settled at Kent, Putnam Co., about 1750. A tory, his
   land was confiscated.
    Children (?)
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; mar. Betty Gresham; 3 chil-

James R., born 28 July, 1840, died