

# RYMES GENEALOGY.



SAMUEL RYMES,

of

PORTSMOUTH, N. H.,

AND HIS DESCENDANTS.



COMPILED FOR

CHRISTOPHER E. RYMES,

SOMERVILLE, MASS.,

1897.



## ABBREVIATIONS.

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b. = born.  
bap. = baptized.  
d. = died.  
dau. = daughter.

res. = resides — resided.  
Ch. = child — children.  
m. = married.

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\_\_\_\_\_ separates families of brothers.

===== separates families of more distant relationship.



## Genealogy.

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SAMUEL RYMES was in Portsmouth, N. H., in about the year 1690, and was a master mariner. He was probably the only person of the surname who came to New England during the first century of its settlement. The infrequency of the name, and the certainty that his second son — who was also a master mariner — had business relations in Barbadoes, together with the fact that in the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries there was much commerce between Portsmouth and the latter named place, suggests the probability of his having been a descendant of Henry Rymes, who was a passenger in the Bonaventure from London, January 6, 1635, to Barbadoes.

Samuel Rymes married Mary Wentworth (b. Jan. 5, 1674; dau. of Samuel), and died in 1711. His widow married in 1717 Dr. John Clifton, but had no children by him. She was a widow again in 1731, and died about 1743.

## Second Generation.

### Children of Samuel.

2. I. **Samuel**, bap. July 30, 1694; m. in May, 1716, Mary Weymouth; res. in Portsmouth, and d. in 1755. Ch. 5—13.
3. II. **William**, bap. Feb. 11, 1697. In his will made in Barbadoes, May 13, 1726, he calls himself "Capt. of the Juliana belonging to Bristol in Great Brittain," and says he was owner of "one-fourth part of the vessel and cargo at present in Barbadoes," and also mentions having business in the same place. He d. prior to April, 1727, unmarried.
4. III. **Christopher**, b. in 1700; m. Dorothy Sherburne (dau. of Henry); res. in Portsmouth, and d. April 3, 1741. (His widow m. for her second husband Hon. Nathaniel Rogers; for third husband,—Sept, 22, 1748,—Rev. John Taylor; and for fourth husband Hon. Peter Gilman.) Ch. 14—16.

The three brothers were mariners.

A silver tankard, now (1897) in possession of St. John's Church, Portsmouth, was a gift from Christopher. (No. 4).



## Third Generation.

### Children of Samuel. (2.)

5. I. **Samuel**, —; probably d. in infancy.
  6. II. **William**, —; d. April 5, 1740.
  7. III. **Ann**, b. in 1722; d. Jan. 27, 1799.
  8. IV. **Christopher**, b. after 1722, and perhaps some years after; m. Eleanor — (d. in 1823); res. in Portsmouth, and d. after 1769. Ch. 17 — 19.
  9. V. **Dorothy**, —; m. Nov. 25, 1753, John Gotham.
  10. VI. **Mary**, —; m. Jan. 8, 1755, William Buck.
  11. VII. **Catharine**.
  12. VIII. **Elizabeth**.
  13. IX. **Rebecca**.
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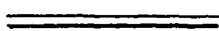
### Children of Christopher. (4.)

14. I. **Ann**, —; m. Colburn Barrell.
  15. II. **Christopher**, —; m. Sarah — (d. Mch. 29, 1801); res. in Exeter, N. H., and d. in Feb., 1777. Ch. 20.
  16. III. **William**, bap. Aug. 26, 1739; probably d. in infancy.
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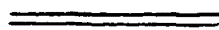
### Children of **Christopher**. (8.)

- 17. I. **Samuel**, —; m. May 1, 1785, Mary Pierce; res. in Portsmouth, and d. about 1801. Ch. 21.
- 18. II. **Polly**, —; m. Dec., 1785, Robert Holbrook.
- 19. III. **Christopher**, —; m. Dec. 31, 1795, Lucy Walker (dau. of John); res. in Newington, N. H., and d. in 1834. Ch. 22 — 28.



### Child of **Christopher**. (15.)

- 20. I. **Dorothy Sherburne**, — d. in 1782.



## Fifth Generation.

Child of **Samuel**. (17.)

21. I. **George**, bap. March 19, 1786; was living in 1802, and no later mention of him has been found.

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Children of **Christopher**. (19.)

22. I. **William**, b. Oct. 4, 1796; m. Aug. 17, 1823, Elizabeth Hutchings (b. in 1798; d. Sept. 7, 1840; dau. of Samuel); m. Aug. 26, 1847, Susan E. Kennard (b. in 1814; d. Feb. 16, 1885); res. in Portsmouth, and d. Nov. 10, 1854. Ch. 29—30.

General William Rymes was Commissary General of New Hampshire.

23. II. **Lucy Maria**, b. Jan. 26, 1798; m. Winthrop Hoyt.  
 24. III. **Leonard**, b. Nov. 20, 1800; d. unmarried.  
 25. IV. **George Washington**, b. Oct. 30, 1802; d. unmarried.  
 26. V. **Eliza**, b. Oct. 10, 1804; m. June 13, 1831, Thomas B. Loughton, and d. Nov. 19, 1877.  
 27. VI. **Caroline**, b. Dec. 24, 1806; died unmarried.  
 28. VII. **Christopher**, b. Sept. 22, 1809; m. Lois Bean (b. in 1808; d. Aug. 31, 1872; dau. of James); res. in Epping, N. H., and d. Feb., 1881. Ch. 31—38.

## Sixth Generation.

### Children of William. (22.)

29. I. **Charles William**, b. Sept. 7, 1824.
30. II. **Christopher Edwin**, b. Sept. 23, 1827; m. June 10, 1857, Almira Loughton Cheever (b. April 25, 1837; d. May 16, 1894; dau. of Joseph); res. in Somerville, Mass. Ch. 39—43.
- Hon. Christopher E. Rymes was State Senator in the Massachusetts Legislature of 1876.
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### Children of Christopher. (28.)

31. I. **George Washington**, b. May 16, 1834; m. Feb. 18, 1854, Eliza E. Blood (b. Jan. 21, 1836; dau. of Jonas); res. in Woburn. Ch. 44—45.
32. II. **Leonard Quincy**, b. Sept. 23, 1835; m. June 30, 1861, Hattie E. Marriner (b. Sept., 1841; d. July 8, 1883; dau. of Jacob); m. Nov. 25, 1886, Adelaide B. Crane (b. Sept. 13, 1852; dau. of Andrew); res. in Malden. Ch. 46—47.
33. III. **William Henry**, b. June, 1838; d. Sept. 16, 1872, unmarried.
34. IV. **James Edwin**, b. March 10, 1840; m. May 7, 1871, Nellie Amanda Gray (b. in 1853; d. Sept. 22, 1894; dau. of Joseph); res. in Somerville, Mass. Ch. 48—50.
35. V. **Ann Eliza**, b. Aug. 7, 1842; m. March 12, 1861, Albert Towle.

36. VI. **Albert J.**, b. Sept. 27, 1845; m. Feb. 13, 1867, **Annie Clark** (b. Feb. 8, 1847; dau. of James); res. in Boston. Ch. 51—59.
  37. VII. **Ellen Maria**, b. April 8, 1848; m. Sept. 16, 1869, **Andrew Morse**; m. May 27, 1880, **Frederick Stewart**.
  38. VIII. **Mary Celia**, b. Oct. 21, 1850; m. May 1, 1869, **Henry A. McMasters**.
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## Seventh Generation.

### Children of Christopher E. (30.)

- 39. I. **Lulu Elizabeth**, b. July 9, 1858 ; m. Feb. 21, 1884, John Edward Hall ; res. in Somerville. Ch. Edwin Rymes, b. Feb. 23, 1885 ; John Gill, b. Sept. 8, 1886 ; Myra, b. Dec. 20, 1889 ; Roland Hutchings, b. Sept. 24, 1895.
- 40. II. **Evelyn Hutchings**, b. Dec. 3, 1859 ; d. July 31, 1864.
- 41. III. **Eliza Loughton**, b. Dec. 26, 1861 ; d. Aug. 7, 1864.
- 42. IV. **William Edwin**, b. July 21, 1863 ; d. Jan. 3, 1864.
- 43. V. **Christopher Edwin**, b. Oct. 21, 1866 ; d. May 15, 1883.

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### Children of George Washington. (31.)

- 44. I. **Eugene H.**, b. Feb. 3, 1858 ; m. Feb. 22, 1822, Mary E. Newhall ( b. Aug. 23, 1863 ; dau. of John S.) ; res. in Everett, Mass. Ch. 60 — 61.
- 45. II. **Ida L.**, b. Jan. 2, 1864.

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### Children of Leonard Quincy. (32.)

- 46. I. **Hattie E.**, b. Sept. 18, 1863 ; m. Dec. 18, 1894, George Sully.
- 47. II. **Lena E.**, b. May 22, 1865 ; m. Jan. 20, 1890, George Sully, and d. May 27, 1892.

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### Children of James Edwin. (34.)

- 48. I. **William Leonard**, b. Jan. 26, 1872 ; m. Oct. 26, 1892, Carrie Hutchinson ( b. in 1872 ; dau. of James ) ; res. in Somerville.

- 49. II. Bertha May, b. Dec. 15, 1874; d. in infancy.
  - 50. III. Frank Willard, b. Jan. 19, 1880.
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Children of Albert J. (36.)

- 51. I. James Albert, b. April 10, 1868; d. March 7, 1876.
  - 52. II. Annie Louise, b. Aug. 6, 1869.
  - 53. III. William Henry, b. Jan. 12, 1873.
  - 54. IV. Helen Elois, b. Feb. 25, 1875; d. July 18, 1876.
  - 55. V. Charles Holden, b. April 1, 1877; d. May 18, 1878.
  - 56. VI. Mary Elizabeth, b. March 21, 1880.
  - 57. VII. Albert J., b. June 11, 1887; d. Oct. 17, 1888.
  - 58. VIII. Marion, }
  - 59. IX. Mildred, } b. Sept. 21, 1889.
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**Eighth Generation.**

Children of Eugene H. (44.)

- 60. I. Charles Irving, b. June 21, 1883.
- 61. II. Ethel Genevieve, b. Dec. 24, 1886.

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