THE

SAYWARD FAMILY.

BEING

THE HISTORY AND GENEALOGY

OF

HENRY SAYWARD

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YORK, MAINE.

AND

HIS DESCENDANTS.

WITH

A Brief Account of Other Saywards Who Settled In America.

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TO THE MEMORY OF

THE FIRST SETTLER AND HIS WIFE,

HENRY AND MARY SAYWARD

OF YORK,

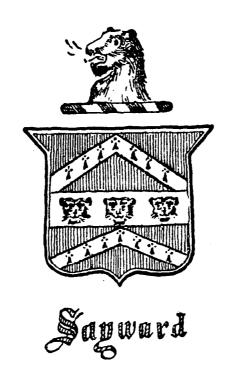
AND THEIR DESCENDANTS,

THIS VOLUME

IS RESPECTFULLY DEDICATED

 $\mathbf{B}\mathbf{Y}$

THE AUTHOR.



He beareth Gules on a Fess Argent, between Chevrons, Ermine, three Leopards' Heads of the First Crest, a Leopard's Head, Azure. By the name of Sayward.

Motto:

AURUM NON OPTO.

PREFACE.

TEN years ago, the author in examining the records of the town of Ipswich, Mass., found the record of a grant of land to Edmund Sayward in 1634. He became interested to find whether he was a descendant of this man.

A little research settled the fact that he was not, but was a descendant of Henry Sayward, who was a brother of Edmund.

When once the tangled skein of the family history began to unravel, the author's interest increased and he determined to complete the work.

During his vacations, the records of towns, counties, courts, deeds, families and tombstones have been examined; aged people have been consulted; and every story and legend concerning the early members of the family, that has come to the author's knowledge, has been weighed and compared with the broken and deficient records, until the following history has been wrought out.

Undoubtedly errors will be found, arising in some instances from incorrect records, in others from the imperfect information furnished by members of the family, and others being clerical and chargeable to the author. Most of the latter will be found corrected in Part IV.

Part I relates to the history of the first settler and his brother and their families, and some others of the name.

The subject is envolved in much difficulty, because of the destruction of the town and church records of York by the Indians in 1692. The data had to be worked out of deeds, wills, depositions and court records, and many dates are wanting and others can only be approximated.

Part II contains the genealogy of the family, which the author has endeavored to make as accurate and complete as possible. If errors or omissions are found, they may be imputed to incorrect records or incomplete information furnished the author.

Part III comprises the history of the Newburyport family.

In Part IV will be found such additional facts concerning members of the family as have come to the author's knowledge since the first pages were placed in the printer's hands in July, 1889, and also the correction of the errors which occur in the book.

The author gratefully acknowledges the interest manifested in the work by many members of the family, and the kind words of encouragement which he has received in his effort to rescue from oblivion the names and deeds of those who have completed their work, and passed to that "country from whose bourn no traveller returns."

C. A. S.

THE SAYWARD FAMILY.

PART I.

THE NAME.

OWER in his Patronymica Brittanica thus defines the name Saward or Sayward:—

"An ancient Teutonic personal name. A sax. SAE, the sea and WEARD, a keeper—the Guardian of the Sea: a fit name for a great naval commander: indeed, it was an official as well as a personal name, and was applied to the high admiral of Saxon times. It is latinized Siwardus. The hamlet of Sewardstone, in Essex and Sewardsley, in Northamptonshire, seem to have been so designated from ancient proprietors of this name."

Burke in his "Landed Gentry" produces evidence of the name "Siward" as early as the reign of Duncan, King of Scotland, in 1033. He says:—

"The very ancient family of Balfour, long heritable Sheriff of Fife, derives its name from Balfour Castle, in that county, built upon this earliest possession in Scotland, the Vale or Shath of the Or, a tributary of Siven. Their first recorded ancestor was Siward, probably a Northumbrian, living in the reign of Duncan, 'the gracious Duncan of Sheakspear,'"

Siward was duke of Northumberland and brought honor to England by his successful conduct in the only foreign enterprise undertaken during the reign of Edward. Duncan, King of Scotland, was unable to control his turbulent subjects. Macbeth, a powerful nobleman and nearly allied to the crown, put the king to death and chased Malcolm Kenmore, his son, into England and usurped the crown. Siward, whose daughter married Duncan, took the king's family under his protection and marched into Scotland and defeated and killed Macbeth and restored Malcolm to the Scottish throne. Hume says:—

"This service, added to his former connection with the royal family of Scotland, brought a great accession to the authority of Siward in the North; but as he lost his eldest son, Osberne, in the action with Macbeth, it proved in the issue fatal to his family.

"There are two circumstances related of Siward which discover his high sense of honor and his martial disposition. When intelligence was brought him of his son Osberne's death, he was inconsolable until he heard that the wound was received in the breast, and that he behaved with great gallantry in the action. When he found his own death approaching, he ordered his servants to clothe him in a complete suit of armor, and sitting erect on the couch, declared that in that posture, the only one worthy of a warrior, he would patiently await the fatal moment."

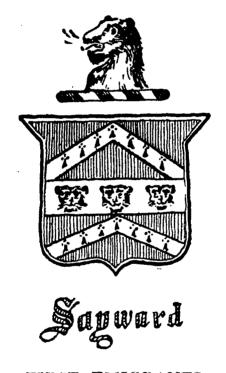
Bardsley, in "Our English Surnames," says: "Siward or Syward still abides in our Seawards, Sewards and Saywards."

It seems from these authorities that Sayward, Saward, Seaward and Seward all originate from the same name, viz; Siward, but at what time or in what order the original name gave birth to the others is unknown. It is certain that all three names emigrated to this country from England.

The old English pronunciation of these names was as if written Soward, but Bardsley says Soward is derived from words meaning the keeper of a swine herd. "Are we under the woodland pathways where beech-nuts abound, there too the herd was to be found, for in our Swinnerts, Hoggarts and Sowards we are not without a farther token of his usefulness."

COAT-OF-ARMS.

The Sayward escutcheon is here inserted although its authenticity cannot be vouched for. It is emblazoned as follows: "Gules on a fess argent between two chevrons, ermine, three leopards' faces of the field. Crest, a tiger's head couped." It is found in the Gore Roll of Arms, a valuable collection of the Arms of New England families, made during the last century, probably by Samuel Gore of Boston. This coat-of-arms was painted for Judge Jonathan Sayward of York, Me., and is now in the possession of his descendants.



FIRST EMIGRANTS.

There is a tradition that three Sayward brothers came to this country from England and settled near Portsmouth, N. H., but this tradition is not verified by the records. There were two of the name who settled in York, Me., who were undoubtedly brothers, namely, Edmund and Henry and there was another family of the name, the head of which was probably John, (but there is no evidence that he was related

to the others) and he may have been the other brother of the tradition, but there is no evidence of the fact.

In 1669 John Seaward was appointed constable of Portsmouth. In 1671 John Sayward subscribed ten shillings toward the support of the minister of York. Aspira, Espira and Saphira Sayward, the several names being for the same person, is mentioned in the court records of York, Me., in 1671.

Joseph Sayward married a daughter of Capt. Samuel Frost of Portsmouth.

Will; Sayward received fees in Israel Harding's case at York, Aug. 13, 1681.

John Sayward was one of the original members of the First Church, Marblehead, Mass., in 1695, and a Joann Seaward was a member of the same church; probably she was his wife.

Thomas Butler of Berwick, Me., gives his daughter, Elizabeth Sayward, by his will, forty shillings, Feb. 12, 1759.

Hannah Sayward of Dover and Benjamin Hodg-don, of Newington, N. H., were married Feb. 25, 1771.

William Saward of York, is described as "marriner" in 1781.

William Saward of Kittery, Me., describes himself as "fisherman" in 1817, and William Saward jr., was of Kittery in 1817.

It is possible that these persons are the descendants of John Sayward, but no records have been found which prove the fact or show that they are related to each other. It is quite certain that they are not descendants of Edmund or Henry.

EDMUND SAYWARD.

The earliest mention of the name of Sayward in this country is to be found among the land grants of the town of Ipswich, Mass., under date of 1635, and is as follows, viz:

"There was granted to him(John Cogswell)six acres of ground, late Mr. John Spencer's, butting upon the river to the Southeast, having a lot of Mr. Edmund Gardner on the Northeast and a lot of Mr. Edmund Sayward on the Southwest."

Edmund remained in Ipswich for a few years and then moved to York, as appears from the following deed, recorded in the Essex So. Dist. Mass. Registry of Deeds, Book 7, L 721.

"This present writing witnesseth yt Samuel Sawyer of York, in New England, son of Edmund Sawyer, sometimes inhabitant of Ipswich, have given and granted, and by these presents doe give and grant aliene and confirm unto Joseph Metcalf, of Ipswich in New England, Seaman, a parcel of land in Ipswich, near the west meadows, being a part of my farm, containing about three acres more or less, with ye appurtenances belonging thereunto, and is within ye fence of said Metcalf his farm.

"To have and to hold the said three acres of land, be it more or less with the appurtenances to ye said Joseph Metcalf his heirs and assigns forever in exchange for certain land hereinafter in this present writing mentioned. And the said Joseph Metcalf hath granted unto said Sawyer a parcel of land about four acres, more or less with ye appurtenances thereunto belonging, being on the Northeast side of ye said Metcalf's farm in Ipswich aforesaid.

"To have and to hold the same four acres of land, be the same more or less, with the appurtenances to the said Samuel Sawyer, his heirs and assigns forever, in exchange for land first above mentioned in this present writing. In witness whereof to the one part, the said Samuel Sayward hath set his hand and seal. Dated Aprill 9th Anno: Dom: one thousand six hundred sixty and one, 1661.

Signed, Sealed and dl in presence of

SAMUEL SAYWARD.

THOMAS IVES.

PETER CHEEVER.

"Samuel Sayward personally appearing, acknowledged the above written to be his act and deed this 25th day November, 1687.

before me BARTHO GEDNEY.
One of the Council."

The name was undoubtedly written Sawyer instead of Sayward through the mistake of the scrivener who prepared the deed. April 5th, 1875, John Knowlton of Ipswich writes as follows:

"To his very loveing Friend Saml Sayward, living at York, this Deliver.

Loving and kind friend; My hearty love remembered unto you, be my respects to your Uncle and Aunt. Be unto the Selectmen of the town with the rest of my Loveing friends for whose honor sake farther I am obliged to rendr unsayd & be hearty thankfulness, occassion of my present writing is such wch I take little pleasure in, or one consideration wn I was last with you which is to let you understand yt it is best in my opinion for me not to remove to you. If I should goe therefor seeking to follow other imployment than my trade will not be to my comfort, neither redound to your content. Gs as for my trade for the sake of wch you wood pleased lyberally to accomodate mee, God by his providence hath more unfitted me the same to follow by reason of an impediment in my sight wch doth Inforce me in great part to leave it off. Now my soull desire is that neither yourself nor any other person shall be wronged. So I hope you Samuell y the rest of my friends there will with just prudence mannage affairs that I may not be too much damnifyd in the house. I know not unto whom to Surrender yt better than unto ye self yet yt standing as upon this Land my respected friend Capt. Davess gave to me upon my settling there, I think it most convenient to confer with him of this matter whose Assistance & advice I question not will be most advantagious both to you and also to mee. Wt Capt. Davess his Acont cometh to I purpose to give im wn he comes to this town. I pray you order the rest with as much discresion as may be for the content of all men concerned herein, only let mee not loose all.

So at present I rest your loveing friend
April 5,'75.

John Knowlton.

One thing more I did forget,

Two fforks which I delivered to Mrs. Sayward, wch come to 0-7-6 I also left wn I was there at Thomas Sympson one spade ye cost me 0-00-6, one shovel 5&6d, one mattock 8d, those things I know in my work were little the worse, take ye yourself if you do good, they cost mee in good pay all 2s-8. Also the nayls I found about the house were two thousand, one hundred, one thousand 28lb. pr cwt, the rest 84s pr cwt, ye things 38b.

The "uncle and aunt" referred to were undoubtedly Henry Sayward and his wife who were then residing at York. There is no further record of Edmund

Sayward, but his son Samuel recovered judgment for costs at a court held at Wells, June 30, 1680, against Major Clark and Jonathan Curwin.

He took the oath of allegiance at Town Meeting in York, March 22, 1681 and November, 1685, he was one of the jury who viewed the body of Samuel Treattrey.

The records throw no more light upon this family and they have left no footprints upon the sands of time by which they may be traced further.

HENRY SAYWARD.

Henry Sayward was undoubtedly a brother of Edmund. He came to this country from England in 1637, as appears from his petition to the General Court of Massachusetts in 1669. The first record of him after he landed in this country is to be found in the records of Hampton, N. H., which is as follows, viz: "14: 2 mo: 1641. To Henry Sayward is granted ye 4th lott instead of ye third mentioned 23°." He contemplated building a mill at Salisbury, Mass., the same year, as appears from the records of that town, viz:

"1641: 25: 11 mo. At a general meeting of ye ffreemen, there was granted to Abraham Morrill and Henrie Sayward yree score Acres of upland so near the falls as may be convenient, on ye consideration yat yey shall before October next sett up a mill which may be sufficient to grind all ye corn which ye town shall need and in case of fayling yerein ye same grant to be void."

There is no evidence that the mill was ever "sett up." The following year he contemplated building a mill at Hampton, N. H., as the records of that town show, viz;

"8:5 mo., 1642. Granted unto Henry Sayward the one half of the lott that should have been Richard Knight's, the further part thereof upon condition as followeth, viz: that he dwell upon it and build a mill there: but if he should go away it is to be forfeited to the town."

"Voted 28: 8 mo: 1642, Granted to Hen: Sayward 5 pole square on the hill beyond Will: Fuller's lott to sett his mill on, and a waye of 16 1-2 feet to it."

The same records show that he was in Hampton in 1645, to wit: "23; 12 mo. 1645. Henry Sayward received one share in the cow common." It appears by the same record that he left that town about 1650, to wit:

"30: 1 mo. 1650. Henry Sayward of Hampton, now of Strawberry Bank, sells his land to Thomas ffilbrick."

"Oct. 9, 1652, Henry Sayward of Sagamore Creek in Strawberry Bank sells to John ffilbrick of Hampton one share of commonage in Hampton."

He remained at Strawberry Bank until 1658 when he appears at York, Me.

"Wee the Selectmen of the Town of York have given to Henry Sayward twelve acres of upland lying upon the Southeast side of the new mill creek that runneth near a lot of land of Robert Knight towards the main river of York. July 4, 1658

The town of York granted him three hundred acres of upland on the west side of the York river and the selectmen laid the same out to him June 20, 1667.

He was a carpenter and millwright by trade, and soon after he settled in York he built a saw-mill on the York river and carried on a large business.

In 1665 he built the meeting-house in York. The following agreement made with the selectmen of York throws some light upon the man and his business, viz;

"Articles of agreement made between the Selectmen of the Town of York on the one part & Henry Sayward of sayed Town, Mill Wright, on ye other party.

1. The sayed Henry Sayward doth hereby engage himself & his assigns unto ye Townsmen in behalfe of the sayed Town to build or

cause to be built for the Town of York a good and sufficient Meeting house of the Dimensions as followeth:

The sayed House is to be forty foote in length, twenty eight foote in breadth & sixteen foote stood between joynts, to have two diameters, one at each end & a complete Turret on the top and a pulpit convenient for the minister with a table fit for ye sayd house.

- 2. The sayd meeting house is to be sufficiently floored with good two inch plank & thoroughly finished with convenient seats, suitable for an house of such proportions. Wr of the two fore seats, the one for the men, the other for ye womin, to be made with barresters,
- 3. The sayde Hen. Sayword doth ingage himself to inclose the sayde meeting house with good sound plank slabs, three inches thick & to batten the sayde planks sufficiently on the out side & to civer it with good inch boards on the top and with 1 inch and 1-4 boards underneath & to make two Sufficient doors in the sayde house & eight or ten windows weh shall be most necessary. Only the town is to find nayls & glass for all the house.
- 4. Hee doth further promise to help to rast down the tymber when the frame is ready to be brought to the Town & to send one or two hands if need require, to help down with the rast w^n the town doth send up for the same.
- 5. Henry Sayward doth ingage to secure those marshes of Edw: Rishworth in ye ould Mill Crick, as also those marshes on that side of the river belonging to ye Town from any damage wch may occur from himself or any others that shall draw tymber for him by his or these owner treading or eating up the same.
- 6. Hee, the sayde Henry Sayward doth further ingage himself that ye sayde house according to its several dimensions, as above expressed, shall be begun & finished at or before the last of August next insewing (only the Turret, the place wr of in the mean tyme is to make tite by inclosure) with the Dyameters & some part of the seats wch hee hath Lyberty to make & finish until the 14 of May following, 1667, for the true performance of the premises all & every part thereof, I the sayde Henry Sayward, doe ingage myself & my assigns in a bond of two hundred pounds unto the Selectmen of ye towne of York upon Henry Sayward, his building & finishing of the Meeting house & performance of such other condition as here are within expressed, wee the Selectmen of ye Towne of York doe ingage ourselves in the Towne's behalf to make good unto the sayde Sayward or his assigns the consideration following:
- I: Wee doe give unto him the free use and liberty of the pine swamp lying on the Southwest side of ye York river, to cutt pine tymber on for the use of his Saw Mill, beginning on the Westermost side of the sayde Crick & soe back two miles from the River side, soe far as the bounds of the Towne doth extend, the use of wch tymber shall be rent free for the full term of six years from the date hereof, amounting in the whole to the value of forty eight pounds.

- 2ly. Wee doe further grant & give unto the Sayde Henry Sayward & his assigns forever according to what interest the Town hath therein, one tract of land lying & being in the furthermost side of the River, adjoining to ye tract & parcel of land wch formerly was Tho: Beesons & now the sayde land is in the possession of Edw: Rishworth containing the quantity of three hundred & fivety acres & a parcel of grassy swamp about twenty acres lying near thereunto & one parcel or two of meadow or swamp to make marshes of, whether they doe ly behind or about that land aforesaid or within or behind any part of that swamp wr Henry Sayward butts his loggs, so far as the bounds of the town doth extend, in case such a meadow or meadows can be found.
- 3. We doe likewise grant and give unto him one hundred and fivety acres of land lying & between Scituate Marsh & Cape Nattick Pond near unto which there are three slipps of marsh as alsoe twenty acres of grassy swamp, be the same more or less,
- 4. Wee do likewise grant unto the sayde Sayward an addition of twenty pooles to bee added to the Northerly bounds of his home lott according to ye full extent thereof & thyrty pooles of land to be added to Abra: Prebels lott lying next to Hen: Saywards land, on condition that ye sayde Preble do grant Hen: Sayward a convenience for watering of his cattle out of his land.
- 5. Wee doe further ingage according to the best right the Town hath or shall have in the Tymber & land aforesaid & doe confirm the privileges unto the sayde Hen. Sayward & his assigns as above expressed provided hee or they doe pay or cause to be payed annually such cheese rent unto such proprietor or proprietors under his Majesty as from tyme to tyme shall have power to demand & require the same & if it soe fall out that through change of tyme the sayde Hen: Sayward should be deprived of ye tymber or lands or any part thereof wr by he cannot injoy it or them as above expressed, then wee ingage to make good the value of what may be taken away either in whoole or in part, sd Henry Sayward unto him in honest merchantible pay, the full compensation thereof for finishing the house, amounting to one hundred & twenty pounds, wch payed by this agreement the rent of the tymber cometh to forty eight pounds & the land to Seventy two pounds out of which rent or lands according to a part thereof is or may be taken away, wee promise to make a proportionall allowance as aforesaid for ye same answerable to ye value thereof.
- 6. Wee doe likewise promise to remove the seats from ye Old Meeting-house to the new at the Town's charge ye being removed, Hen: Sayward doth ingage to place them there at his own charge for ye most convenience. And further, wee the Selectmen as intrusted for ye Town in the Town's behalf do ingage in a bond of Two Hundred pounds unto Hene Sayward upon the fulfilling of his covenant & condition Wr by hee stands obliged to us to perform our agreement as above mentioned unto the sayde Sayward.

In testimony wr of I have hereunto put my hand & seal this 2nd day of March in Seventeenth year of Our Sovereign Lord King Charles the 2nd, 1665.

HENRY SAYWARD.

Witness
Samuel Wheelwright
Samuel Austin.

Wee the Selectmen of the Town of York & Henry Sayward doe mutually agree, conclude, & stand to this covenant made about building the meeting house in all particulars therein mentioned to all intent & purposes, only doe covenant that ye tyme for the building of the sd house shall bee inlarged unto the last day of August next insewing at wch tyme according to former conditions mentioned in the covenants above sayde is to be done & finished, as witness my hand this 8th day of June, 1667. I further agree that for fear of the want of nayles that the house must bee done with stoods.

HENRY SAYWARD.

Witness
William Hooke
Thomas Withers,"

York Co. Registry of Deeds, Vol. 2, p. 362.

In 1669 his saw-mill was burned and he lost about thirty five hundred dollars. After his mill was burned at York, at the earnest solicitation of the people of Wells, he built a mill on the Cape Porpoise river and had a tract of land granted to him between that river and the Kennebunk river a mile square. But he had doubts about the title which the town of Wells gave him, and as Massachusetts then exercised jurisdiction over that part of Maine, he presented the following petition to the General Court of Massachusetts for a confirmation of his title, to wit:

"To the honored General Court now Assembled att Boston the 15th of October, 1669.

"The petition of Henry Sayward humbly Sheweth. That whereas your petitioner have beenne an inhabitant in the Countery for the space of thirty two years and upwards since he came from England, in all which tyme hee hath benn wholly employed in ffollowing his calling in building of Mills and such like, having thereby neglected looking after Land for himself and family as others have done, by

which calling, by the blessing of God, hee hath bene very benifitiall to the country and many persons therein, though through seaverall afflictions by the providence of God, it hath bene butt little to his own benefitt, but most espetially by reason of a sad providence thatt hapened in burning of his Mills at Yorke, wherein your petitioner Lost about a thousand pounds, which hath brought him much bee hind hand for the recovering of which in part there are seaverall workmen to whom your petitioner have bene very benefitiall by instructing of them in his calling that voluntary offer him there helping hand. Moreover alsoe seaverall of the towne of Wells have informed your petitioner of a convenient place for seating of a saw mill upon a river called Cape Porpose River that hath alsoe a small tract of meadow that may be suitable to accommodate such a design, butt most of the timber and alsoe the meadow is conceived to Lye outt of there townshipp or any other, namely in the vacan wilderness, butt where the mill is to be raised and sett up is within the bounds of Wells and your petitioner hath the grant of the towns men for itt with many encouragements.

"The humble request therefore of your petitioner is that this Courtt would bee pleased in that place to grant your petitioner such a Quantity of meadow and upland as in your wisdom you shall think meet and convenientt with Lyberty of Timber to saw upon the land a jacentt which may bee by God's blessing a supportt and means to help him in the clearing of his engagements and after his desease may bee left as a memoriall of your Worshipps favour to his wife and children and your petitioner shall as in duty bound ever prav.

15: (8). 1669"

Mass. Records. Book 59, p. 114.

The Court granted his petition and he built a saw mill and grist mill and did an extensive business there for several years. In 1674 he extended his operations and purchased a large tract of land in Casco Bay, now North Yarthmouth, in company with Bartholomew Gedney, of Salem, as appears by the following deed, viz:

"To all christian people to whom this present writing shall come, Thomas Stevens of Kenebeck & Margaret his wife send greeting: Know yee that wee Tho: Stevens & Margaret my sayde wife for & in consideration of a considerable some to us already in hand payed by wch wee acknowledge ourselves fully payed & Satisfyd before ye sealing & delivering hereof, well & truly payed by Henri Sayward of Yorke & Bartholomew Gedney of Salem in New England hath given, granted, bargained, Sould, aliened, infeoffed & confirmed & by these presents doeth fully, clearly & absolutely give, grant, bargain, sell,

aliene, infeoff & confirm unto the Sayd Hene Sayward & Bartholomew Gedney all that land and River lately purchased of Terrinniquin Abamhamon Robin Hoode, Weramby & Robine Indean, Sagamores belonging to Cascoe Bay, being all that tract of land & River lieing & being in Cascoe Bay from the first Fall above Mr. Ryall's house called Pumgastucke alias Westcutogoe from the aforesayd falls to ye head of ye River & of every Branch & Creek thereof or thereunto belonging & in breadth of land two miles on each side the sayd River & soe to runn the aforesayd breadth of two miles on each side to the uttermost extent above mentioned with all the marshes, woods, underwood, Tymber, Trees, with all my estate-right, title interest, use property, possession, Clayme & demand Wt soever of in or to the bargained premises with all ye privileges yr to belonging & apptayning, as fishing, fowling, meadow &c.

Dated Oct. 20, 1674.

Thomas Stevens
The Mark of A"
Margaret Stevens."

Before they purchased this tract Sayward had built a dam on the Ryall river and raised the frame of a saw mill and grist mill and then he sold one half of the dam and mills to Gedney as appears by the following deed recorded in the York County Registry of Deeds at Alfred, Book 2, page 430.

"To all christian people to whom this present writing shall come. Henry Sayward of York in the county of Yorkshyre, in New England, Sendeth Greeting.

"Wr as the above named Sayward is jöynt partner with Bartholomew Gedney of Salem in New England in the perchase of a tract of land & River at Cascoe Bay, as by the deed of sayd appeareth, & hee the sayd Sayward having already sett up a dame upon the first falls called Pungustucke or Wescoetogoe & raysed the frame for a saw mill & corne mill at the place aforsayd: now know ye that ye Sayde Henry Sayward for a valuable consideration to him in hand payd before the sealing & delivery hereof, well & truly payd by Bartholomew Gedney & his heyers forever, all the moety or half of the dame & mills prementioned & doth further covenant & promise to & with the sayd Gedney for himself, heyers, executors & administrators & assigns in consideration of ye aforesayd payment already made Wr by hee the sayd Sayword is fully satisfyd, compleatly to build up the sayd Mills & substantially to finish the same and to make a substantial roof and covering to the sayd Mills and alsoe to build and finish a dwelling house suitable to entertayn such workmen as shall be employed in managing ye Mills Wn built and alsoe to fit and provide upon his own pper charge all such iron work or works as are needful to bee used in such Mills and alsoe a Bownes needful to keep the Loggs above the Mill & all & Singular things whatsoever are needful in every respect for the making the sayd Mills for use & p'fett of the sayd Gedney his heyers or assigns: Hee the sayd Sayword doth absolutely sell & Ingage the true performance of the premises, the one half of wch as aforesayd to bee the sayd Gedney's own proper for himself, his heyers & assigns forever & the sayd Sayword for himself, his heyers, executors, administrators & assigns, doth promise to & with the sd Gyeney, his heyers & assigns that hee hath full power in himself & lawful authority to grant, bargain, sell & confirm the aforesayd Mills & that ye same is free & cleare from all or any ingagements of any kind Wt soever whether by Titles, Dower power Thyrds by his wife, or otherwise to be challenged to or in the same & that the savd Sayward doth hereby ingage for himself, his heyers, Ex., adm., & assigns that the bargain premises, shall by himself & his own proper charges bee fully compleated at or about the middle of May next insewing the date hereof and ye bargained premises shall bee to ye Sayd Gydney & his heyers &assigns forever, peaceably to injoy as their own in fee simple & alsoe doth further ingage to & with ye sayd Gedney his heyers & assigns upon reasonable and lawful demand, shall & will perform or doe or cause to be performed and done any such act or acts further, whither by way of acknowledgement of this present deed: or release of Dowery in respect to Mary his wife or in any kind yt shall or may bee for the full compleating, confirming and sure making of the afore bargained premises unto the aforsayd Bartholomew Gydnev his heyers or assigns according to ye true intent hereof. In witness Wr of the sayd Sayward hath set his hand and seal this fourteenth day of Oct. 1674, in the twenty sixth year of Sovereign King Charles the Second Signed, sealed and delivered in presence of HENRY SAYWARD. (Seal.) Obed Walker, Ephraim Marston Mary Patshall."

On the same day he mortgaged his half of the mills and land to Gedney.

"The condition of this obligation is that if the sayd Soward doe cause to be payd unto the sayd Gydney the full and just some of one hundred and tenn thousand foote of Mr chantable pine boards at the tyme of payment already agreed upon, then the obligation to be voyd."

These mills were completed and Gedney leased his part to Sayward for two years as appears from the following instrument, viz:

"Know all men by these presents that Wr as Henry Sayward of Yorke and Bartholomew Gedney are joynt and equal partners in the new mill vidge. one Saw Mill with two saws & one corne mill & all the appurtenances that are now building at Pungustuck alias Westaigtegoe in Cascoe Bay & Wr as the Sayd Gidney hath disbursed his full share for the compleating, furnishing & accomplishing the sayd Mills to the content & satisfaction of the Sd Sayward, & the sayd Sayward having in consideration thereof ingaged fully to finish the sayd Mills. ther know that ye sayd Gedney hath let or put to rent his part of the sayd Mills to the aforesayd Hene Sayward in manner & form as followeth: 1. The sayd Sayward is to have the aforesayd Mills to improve for his own proper use the next Summer following the date hereof until the 29th day of September, one thousand Six hundred & Seventy five in consideration of wch hee the sayd Sayword doth ingage to pay or cause to be payde to the sd Gydney or his order Tenn Thousand foote of Merchantable boards at the sayd Mills any tyme in September above mentioned Wn demanded at the sayd mills, & further the savd Gydney doth let or set to rent the sayd mills his part of them to ye sayd Sayword to be improved to his own proper use from the Twenty ninth day of September, one thousand six hundred & seventy five, the tearme of two full yeares ending the 29th day of September, one thousand six hundred seventy & seven. In consideration of wch hee the sayde Sayward doth ingage himself, his heyers, executors, administrators & assigns to pay or cause to be payd unto Bartholomew Gydney, his heyers, executors, administrators & assigns fivety thousand foote of Mr chantable boards and the tyme of payments are as follows, in the month of May one thousand six hundred seventy & six, tenn thousand of Merchantable boards & soe four foward to pay tenn thousand per month till the full some of fivety thousand foote of Mr chantable boards bee payd for that year, Wch payments are fully to bee compleated in the month of September for that year & then in the yeare one thousand six hundred seventy & seven, the sayd Sayward doth ingage as above sayd to make like payments as above mentioned vidgt: in the moenth of May, June, July, August & September in each moenth tenn thousand foote of Mr chantable boards at the mill, unto the sayd Gydney or his order, to say one hundred thousand foote of Mr chantable boards to bee fully payd as aforesayd besides the tenn thousand that are to bee payd for ye next Summer as aforesayd. for ye full & true performance of the premises the sayd Sayward doth ingage to give any further security as the sayd Gydney shall at any tyme demand & alsoe the sayd Sayward Ingage both himself, his heyers, executors, administrators & assigns that during the tearme aforesd to any person or persons and at the end of the tearme aforesayd of two years the sayd Sayward doth ingage himself, his heyers, executors administrators & assigns to give to the sayd Bartholomew Gydney his order or assigns the full possession of the whole mills aforesayd to bee managed at the discretion of the sayd Gedney, he the sayd Gydney delivering unto ye sayd Sayward or his order the produce of sayd

Sayward's part as it riseth & the mills produce. In witness hereunto the sayd Henery Sayward and Bartholomew Gydney have sett two their hands and seals this fourteenth day of October one thousand six hundred and seventy and four, to bee alsoe understood that the sayd Sayward doth alsoe ingage at the end of the tearme aforesd of two years, hee shall leave unto the sayd Gydney or his ye sayd Mills in good and sufficient repair in all respects Wt soever or any of the appurtenances thereto belonging and Wt soever is needful thereunto and alsoe what stock of loggs shall then be found at ye mills the sayd Gydney is to have the one half, to be alsoe understood that Wr as it is sayd that ye sayd Gydney is to have the full power of managing the sayd mill of the tearme above mentioned, the sayd Gydney is to take advice from the sayd Sayword in putting in hands on the Sayward's part of the Mills.

Signed, Sealed & delivered in presence of us Witness { Hene: Sayword (seal) Bartholomew Gydney. (seal) }

Obed: Walker, Ephraim Marston, Mary Paleshall."

Judge Bourne in his history of Wells and Kennebunk gives the following interesting account of Henry Sayward.

"We now turn our attention to the eastern part of the town, and chiefly to that portion of it which constitutes the present village of Kennebunk. Perhaps a more beautiful and romantic locality was not to be found on the coast of Maine than was, at that time, presented by the Mousam river and its vicinage. Could it have retained its original wildness until this day, when there is so much demand for water privileges and mill sites, and when in almost every town there is such a demand for manufactories, it is doubtful whether a community of intelligent and refined tastes would have consented to the desecration of the beautiful scenery by substituting in its place the noise, activities, and even profits of any of these establishments. extended nearly half a mile, being in its whole descent about forty feet, and from the beginning to the end was overhung with magnificent oaks, standing on each side of the river and intertwining their branches, so that the stream glided along under an arch surpassing in grandeur and beauty any work of man which could be substituted in The stately pines, outvieing any now to be found in the vicinity, towering far above all other trees of the forest, stood along the banks, as watchmen, to guard against any vandalism which would attempt to intrude upon and violate its sacred magnificence. accustomed seasons, the stream was crowded with salmon, while the wilderness adjoining was vocal with the music of innumerable songs-The whole scenery was entrancing in the highest degree. mance here might have found indulgence to the full, and well the

sons of the forest have called the place Kennebunk, meaning, as some Indian linguists say, the place "where he thanked him."

"But the men of that day thought but little of romance or beauty. Life's earnestness was upon a far different errand. The pioneers did not come here to enjoy its splendid scenery. They were not educated for merely visionary life. They had not grown up in the midst of the refinements of aristocracy, or been trained to an education which finds its enjoyment in the contemplation of the marvellous works of the Almighty. Their daily bread was the great, moving impetus. They were compelled to bend all their energies to the support of their families and the acquisition of such a surplus of life's necessities as would meet the demands of feeble and declining years. They wrought for physical life and comfort, and nothing was beautiful to them which did not contribute to this important end. All this grandeur and magnificence, therefore, only awaited the pleasure of the first adventurer who should see on this stream an apt location for his saw-mill.

"HENRY SAYWARD came over to this country from England in 1637. He resided a few years at Hampton and Portsmouth, and then came to York. He was by occupation a millwright and carpenter; a man much needed, as mills were the principal sources of income to the new settlers. Lumber had come to be in great demand, and every encouragement was given by the government toward their erection. He devoted himself to this employment for many years, and to the instruction of others in the like business. In this last respect he was of great service to the people of the town of York, to the towns adjoining, and perhaps to other parts of New England. He speaks of himself as having been so unremittingly employed in this way as to "have thereby neglected looking after land for himself and family, as others have done," while "by the blessing of God, he hath been very beneficial to the country and many persons therein, through several afflictions by the Providence of God it hath been but little to his own benefit; but most especially by reason of a sad Providence that happened in burning of his mills at York, wherein he lost a thousand pounds, which hath brought him much to be behindhand.'

"The misfortunes which thus fell upon him were not unmingled with good, for they brought to him unmistakable testimony of his high appreciation with the people. He had the best sympathies of all, and though they were poor, those who had had the benefit of his instructions and labors voluntarily came forward and did what they could to alleviate his distress and make up for his loss. The people could all say as was said of the centurion, 'he loveth our nation and hath built us a synagogue.' He built the church in York in 1667; and meeting houses in those days, by those who had any sense of their relationship to the Almighty, were reverenced as indispensable to any community, and the builder drew to himself the interest, friendship, and good-will of those who were to have the benefit of his labors.

"But it is to his misfortunes that we are to attribute the origin of the village of Kennebunk. Why he did not rebuild on the site of his burnt mill, we cannot answer in any other way than that the people of Wells so understood his character and usefulness that they pressed him to come here, and offered him all the encouragements in their Several of them had been to see him and told him of this fine site on Cape Porpoise river, in the midst of abundance of timber, to which easy access was to be had for the transportation of lumber. duced by these favorable representations, Sayward in 1669, abandoned his home in York and came to Wells, and being satisfied with the eligibility of the situation, petitioned to the town for the necessary grant of the privilege. His petition was favorably received, and a grant of 300 acres on the east side of the river, and one acre on the west side, adjoining the falls, was made to him, provided he made improvements on the same in one year. At the same time a grant was made to James Johnson, of York, and a similar grant to Thomas Pattv, of Wells on the northeast side, subject to the same condition. There was also given to the three liberty to build a saw-mill, and also the privilege of the river for the transportation of lumber, with the right of cutting pitch-pine timber on the river for the use of the mill, upon the joint obligation of all to pay five pounds sterling annually, in lumber, to the town, payment to be made in merchantable boards at the market price, at some convenient landing place to which a boat might have access. The mill was to be built forthwith, as the first payment was to be made in one year. No particular examination of the land had been made, and the extent and quality of the growth on it was unknown. The town was anxious for the erection of the contemplated mill.

"This grant was surely a highly favorable one to the grantees, when viewed in all its relations. The falls, extending so far down, gave them an opportunity of building the dam at the beginning of the descent, and carrying the flume to any distance necessary to obtain the proper power. The expense of the dam was thus very small, the depth of the water being only four or five feet. It was thirty or forty rods above the present one.

"In consequence of the difficulties which had arisen in regard to the proprietorship of the province of Maine, it was feared that this grant from the town might not give a reliable title, and therefore Sayward made application to the general court of Massachusetts for liberty of cutting timber on the neighboring land, and for so much meadow and upland us they, in their wisdom, might think meet and convenient, which might be, "by God's blessing, a support and means to help him in the clearing of his engagements, and after his decease be left as a memorial of their worship's favor to his wife and children." The grants were made agreeably to his request, 'he not entrenching on any man's propriety.'

"The first step was to provide for themselves suitable shelter and household accommodation. They accordingly erected a small house in the field opposite the beginning of the falls, six or eight rods west of Alfred street. This was the only house on the territory of Kennebunk village for the following half century. The site of the cellar is still to be seen.

"Before they began the erection of the mill, Johnson sold out to Sayward all his interest in the privilege. Patty then followed his example, and also transferred to him his right. The prospect, from some cause or other, was not very encouraging. They were away from all civilized men. Settlers had selected the seaboard as places of habitation. There were yet no roads for the accommodation of those who thus sat down in the wilderness. Their only companions were to be Indians, not always reliable as friends, yet up to this time there had been no manifestations on their part, adverse to the improvements which civilization was attempting, though two or three years previously some of the leading men had entertained fears that an unfavorable feeling had been engendered in the bosoms of the natives, which might break forth in much trouble to the settlers. Johnson and Patty may have abandoned on this account, but it is more likely that Sayward's projects were on too large a scale to commend themselves to his co-partners. He was for laying out an establishment which would outvie anything yet set on foot in Maine. There was here an opportunity of erecting buildings of a superior order, worthy of the civilization which had just been introduced to these shores. But Johnson and Patty did not cherish such high aspirations. The expenditures of the projected mills looked to them too large for the means under their control, and they retired from the concern. Sayward had thus the whole burden of the work upon himself, but he was unmoved from his purpose. He may not have well considered the enterprise on which he had embarked, and did not exercise that prudent and cautious foresight which would have brought to his vision the difficulties which he must necessarily encounter in the progress of the establishment. He had not the pecuniary means to meet the required expenditures. It required no small amount of lumber, at that time, to pay for imported articles which he must need. All the materials necessary for the operation of the mill, and all supplies for family use, must be obtained from Boston by means of the coasters. Whether there were any accommodations for females in the small house which had been built we do not know. The millmen alone, we think, occupied the house.

"Sayward was not satisfied with the land which he now possessed, and before beginning on his mill he purchased of Daniel Eppes, of Ipswich, the farm previously belonging to Gooch Austin, on the river below, promising to pay for it in boards; and if not paid for at the time specified, the deed was to be void, and he to pay double rent. Perhaps the farm was obtained tor the accommodation of his wife and

family. The purchase may speak well for his affection and domestic attributes, but it savors too much of that inconsideration and rashness which mark the action of many kind hearted and easy men of the present day. We have no knowledge of this Gooch Austin. His name does not appear again. It is probable that he was an inhabitant of some town at the west, perhaps Ipswich, where Eppes lived. Though it is called a farm, we think it was never brought under cultivation.

"Sayward went forward in the work of building his saw-mill, and completed it in the year 1672. But this erection did not satisfy his idea of what ought to be done here. He must also build a grist-mill. Where the grist was to come from he did not stop to inquire. Some of the Alnaki Indians had, indeed, accustomed themselves to the annual raising of a little corn, and possibly their number was sufficiently large in the neighborhood to justify the conclusion that their patronage would partially remunerate him. He evidently calculated on a large business from some quarter. He placed two sets of stones in the mill, and thus prepared to do a good deal of work. He gave to the whole establishment the name of Mousam mills, by which they were always thereafterwards called. The reasons for this appellation have not been ascertained. Previously to this period, the river had been known by the name of Cape Porpoise; soon after, it was called Mousam. The change was probably wrought by this designation of the works on it. It would be natural, in referring to the Mousam mills, as common in the intercourse of life, to give the same name to the territory about it and to the river on which the business of the mill was done. But why Sayward gave it the name Mousam neither record nor tradition reveals to us. The mills afterward built on the falls next above were called Cat Mousam mills, from some singular catastrophe, which has now escaped our memory, to the domestic animal, a material concomitant of almost every family. Perhaps some peculiar or unusual incident, in which a mouse was involved, in the progress of his work, led Sayward to apply this name to his mill, and the upper was called Cat Mousam, as significant of superiority of that mill over the lower We do not believe that the name was of Indian origin. There is no apparent reason why, at this time, it should have been substituted by them for the ancient name of Cape Porpoise.

"In order to complete his works, Sayward had involved himself in debt to a considerable amount, and he had no sooner finished his building than he was called upon by his creditors to secure their demands against him. He had spent his all in their construction, and was now owing large debts in Boston. Robert Gibbs called upon him for the payment of his account of twelve or thirteen hundred dollars, and he was obliged to mortgage the whole mill and privileges, with his dwelling house and all his land on the east side of the

river, to secure to him the payment of that sum. The next year he was obliged to mortgage the same to Simon Lynde of Boston, excepting one-half of the house. Two years after, in 1675, he sold his land below the mill to John Brown and James Carr. But it does not appear that this sale helped him in the troublesome exigency to which the expenditures on the mill had brought him. He did not pay his debts, and in a short time, in 1675, worn out, we suppose, by his exposure in accomplishing this work, and by the anxiety growing out of his large indebtment, all his grand projects were terminated, and he was called to pay the great debt which nature requires of all.

"Sayward was one of the best of men, but enterprise was too prominent an element of his character. He needed cautiousness and discretion to check his zeal. He anticipated no failure. Ardent in his pursuits, he never doubted their successful termination. He gave himself to his work, as confident of a favorable issue as if already reached; and thence, from a want of considerate previous examination, disappointment came from all his exertions. He was in no degree extravagant in his domestic economy. There was no opportunity for a thoughtless and lavish expenditure. He lived on the plainest fare, and all the furniture which his wife had to carry on her household administration, was, three beds, a few old pewter dishes, three keelers, two iron pots, two brass kettles, two old tubs, a tramel and pot-hooks, a spit and irons, two water pails, a pair of cards, two table boards, a spinning-wheel, meat-trough, and chest. should now regard as rather poor provision for comfortable life. Chairs were not then in vogue very extensively. But all his struggles, notwithstanding his economy, left him in complete insolvency at the close of life; so that nothing remained for his wife and children but her dower in his real-estate, and the memory of his virtues and manly character. Fifty years' hard labor, closing in poverty, seems to have been a severe destiny for him.

"The next year, 1678, James Lynde, of Boston, gave public notice that he objected to any grant of administration on these mills, and to any inventory of one-half of the house and one-half of the mills, as the property of Sayward, claiming that they were his by virtue of the mortgage. In 1679 Simon Lynde made a similar objection, claiming that all was his. And in the same year Jonathan Corwine and his wife cautioned all persons against inventorying this saw-mill and three hundred acres of land as Sayward's, as the same were forfeited and belonged to Robert Gibbs, and that he now had possession of the same by virtue of his mortgage.

"These mills were all completed just before the commencement of King Phillip's war, and a road was ordered by the court, from Wells by them to Saco. Previously to this time unbroken amity had prevailed with the Indian tribes. Probably in the progress of the work Sayward had availed himself of their aid, and the idea of any dangerous conflict with them had never entered his mind. The Indian

character was very imperfectly understood. Its more complete development was now about to be realized. They were peaceful and inoffensive when everything went on to their satisfaction, but when any wrong came home to them it awakened in their untutored breasts a vengeance, not to be satisfied by merely rendering a return of evil equal to that received. They were then engaged in almost continual wars with each other, and at such times vengeance had no limits in the amount of injury to be inflicted. Every cruelty was resorted to, and they wreaked out their malice with an unsparing hand.

"It may well be supposed that the position of all property here must have been exceedingly precarious; and that Sayward could not but feel that all his hopes might be blasted in a moment. Phillip's war began in 1675. At this time there was not a single inhabitant, excepting his own workmen, whom he could call to his aid at the mills, which were remote from the inhabited part of the town. The site of the present village was an entire wilderness. The dense forests of oak and pine had not been interfered with by the woodman's axe. The Indian, the wolf, the bear, claimed all around as their dominion, where they had liberty to follow their impulses unrestrained. But there was little fear of the wild beasts. The red man, inspired as he was by the labors of the French Jesuitry with the assurance that the English were about to wrest from him his long enjoyed hunting grounds, had now become ready, on any trifling occasion, to assert his rights and vent his vengeance on these intruders upon his God-given domain. The tomahawk and the scalping knife awaited only their fit opportunity. The terrors of Indian warfare soon manifested themselves to the scattered settlers of New England; and Sayward was of necessity obliged to abandon his works and flee for refuge to some of the garrison houses. Of what avail could it have been for him with his single arm to remain there? He must fight his own battles against whatever odds. It would have been madness to fight an enemy where defeat and captivity or death were sure. He was not without consideration of his moral responsibilities; understanding his relationships to God and man. He did not bury himself in the woods to escape his social and civil obligations. Though seven or eight miles from the house of God, he was a liberal supporter of public worship, which fact throws much light on his character. Though, as a general postulate, no personal attributes were a protection against Indian violence, yet there were persons whose gracious deportment toward the sons of the forest, was not without its effect on the savage heart. We are inclined to think that Sayward was one of that class, for although he fled from his mills, leaving them to the mercy of the savage foe, yet they remained safe through all the ravages and desolation of this Indian war.

"Notwithstanding the cautions of the several mortgagees, these mills were included in the inventory of the estate of Henry Say-

ward. They were appraised at £1,200, about 4,000 dollars. And as all this value was given to the mills alone, the land at this time being of little worth, they must have been built in a style altogether beyond the demands of the age.

He was constable of York in 1664 and one of the Selectmen in 1667 and Grand Juryman in 1668 and 1669. In 1677 he was chosen by the town of York on a committee with Edward Rishworth and Richard Banks to prepare and give instructions in writing to Samuel Wheelwright, the deputy to the General Court in regard to carrying on the Indian war, as appears from the following from Mass. Archives Vol. 69, Leaf 121, under date of May 18, 1677.

"Instructions given to Mr. Samuel Wheelwright, choosen Deputy for the towns of York and Wells by sayd towns.

I. To Indeavour fully to understand the mind of the General Court in what capacity hee now stands in. In reference to the carrying on of the charges of this present war wherein if hee finds any obstructions respecting ours, hee is to declare our willingness to cast ourselves under the publique charges for carrying on of the present and future warr & for payment of such arrears as are already due with contentment under such comon charges for the future as the rest of the jurisdiction doe.

· Edw: Rishworth Jos. Bolles

Henry Sayword William Simonds Ric. Banks Fr. Littlefield

His wife's name was Mary and it has been claimed that she was the daughter of John Cousins of Casco Bay, now North Yarmouth.

This claim is based upon a deed from John Cousins to Mary Sayward, dated April 4, 1679, and the deposition of Hannah Hazelton and a claim of Mary Sayward for the land conveyed to her by Cousins.

"Be it known unto all men by these presents that I, John Cousins of Westgostuggo in ye province of Maine, husbandman, for and in consideration of that love, favor and friendship, maintenance, Dwelling and Entertainment that I have already received heretofore of Mary Sayward of ye Town of York, widdow, and for and consideration that

ye sd Mary Sayward by her deed under her hand and seal hath covenanted, promised and agreed with me, ye sd John Cousins for to take care of me and provide for me both food and rayment, Lodging and attendance with all other things convenient and necessary for a man of my age, Degree and Quality and consistant with the ability of ye sd Mary Sayward during my natural life Both as well in sickness as in health."

He conveys a tract of land on Cousin's Island in Casco Bay with the dwelling-house and barn thereon, containing by estimation three hundred acres and also one-half of Hog Island in Casco Bay.

"The deposition of Hannah Hazelton, aged about sixty eight years Testifieth and saith yt when she was about sixteen years of Age she lived at a place at the Eastward in Casco Bay now called North Yarmouth, on a Piece of Land called the Neck of Land wch divided the Branches of Cozens' River & that marsh adjoining to ve Said Land was together with ye said Neck of Land in the possession of one John Cozens. And yt the said Cozens let out ye same to my Father for some years on a certain condition made between them and ve Island called Cozens' Island, my father bought the One Half of said Cozens, on which he also lived some time, but upon the warrs, with ye Indians, he Removed up to York, but Two of my Brothers Lived upon said Island and were both killed by the Indians as they were looking after their cattle: the said Cozens kept the other moiety of the Island & Improved it. And I never heard any person claim any part of the said Land or Marsh or ye Island above mentioned, except the said Cozens and my Father. The said John Cozens above mentioned was the same Man yt was wounded by the Indians & came to York to Mrs. Seward to get his Hand cured, with whom he lived till his death and at her charge was burried.

York SS, April 3, 1728.

The above named Hannah Hazelton appeared and made oath to the Truth of ye foregoing Deposition with was taken in Perpetuam Rei Memoriam

Before us, Wm Pepperell, Jus Una Quorum John Penhallow, Just. Peace."

Willis Mss., N. 149.

"Mary Sayward of the Town of York, widow, Claimes all that barn now Standing upon a Certain tract of land Called by Indian name Susgusong, or Cozens his place, being in Casco, together with all the ruins of that Mansion or Dwelling house whereunto sd Barn did formerly Belong, together with all the upland and Marsh unto sd ruined barn & house now or heretofore belonging which was John Cozens' heretofore for the space of forty years or more formerly past

Occupyed Possession & Injoyed, which so tract of land is by Estimation three Hund. acres more or less, lying near a tract of land now or late the Possession of William Royall, bounded by a hill called Kerock Hill on the South East or thereabouts, and on the North West by the North River which runs to Certain falls called Susguesong or little river, and the other bounds are the common, also the moiety or half of that Island called or known by the name of Hogg Island, or otherwise called Cousens' Island lying and being in the middle of Casco Bay or thereabouts, the other Part or Moiety of sd Island John Cousens Granted by deed unto Richard Bray under his hand, both of John Cousens as pr Coppy of a deed exhibited bearing date April 4, 1679. acknowledged Before Edward Rishworth Just. Peace, June 26 1682.

Transcribed out of the Original Deed Compared by Samuel Donnell, Just. Peace."

But there is no evidence in either of these documents that Mary Sayward was the daughter of John Cousins. On the contrary there is a strong presumption that she was not his daughter, for had such relationship existed, it is very probable that such fact would have been set forth in the deed from Cousins to Mary Sayward. And further, it is quite likely that Hannah Hazelton would have known of such relationship and would have stated the fact in her deposition, and it is quite certain that Mary Sayward, when she made her claim to the land which she acquired by virtue of the deed of John Cousins, would have mentioned the fact that she obtained this property from her father, had such been the fact. And further, in after years, when the grandsons of Mary Sayward conveyed their interest in this land which they derived from their grandmother, they make no mention of such relationship. In those early days it was almost the universal practice to set forth the relation of the parties to each other in such documents. It would seem that these documents prove that Mary Sayward was not the

daughter of John Cousins. There is no means of proving who she was or where Henry Sayward married her. He died in 1679. At a Court of Associate, April 1, 1679, the following order was made.

"Wr as Henry Sayward, lately deceased, dyed intestate & his estate by wt debts do appear seemeth not to be Solvent & no administration appearing. It is hereby ordered that ye Clerk of the Writts shall with all convenient speed take an Inventory of said est. in such places wr it lyeth & shall make a true return of his Doeings yr in unto ye next County Court, who shall take order for his satisfaction in reference to his care & trouble in the premises. Abra. Preble is alsoe appoynted yr in to assist him."

July 19, 1679, his widow petitioned the Court to have her interest in her deceased husband's estate set off to her and commissioners were appointed to set off her dower.

At a Court of Sessions held at Kittery, April 6, 1680, she was appointed administratrix of his estate, viz:

"According to the advice of the Honor'd President Administration granted unto Mary Sayward, Relict or widdow of Hene: Sayward deceased, provided shee give in bond according to law of all such moveables belonging to the aforesaid estate, Wee, Mary Sayward, James Grant & Robert Young do hereby Ingage or selves In a bond of two hundred pounds unto the Treas, of this Province that the sd Mary Sayword, administratrix, shall take a true Inventory of the Moveables of the estate of Henery Sayword, deceased, & shee shall make return yr of & of her doings unto the next Court of pleas to bee holden for the province and to procure some honest indifferent men to make appraisal & what other estate Hene: Sayword was possessed of in Lands & Mills are to be brought in although not appraised."

The date of his widow's death is not known, but she died before Dec. 26, 1689.

There is no record of the birth of any of their children, as the records of the Town of York were destroyed by the Indians in the attack which they made upon the town Feb. 5, 1692. But there is in the following depositions and deed evidence that they had six children, to wit:

I. John.

II. JONATHAN.

III. HANNAH.

IV. JAMES.

V. MARY.

VI. SARAH.

"The deposition of Samuel Came of York, in the County of York, Esq., aged eighty five years, Testifieth & Saith, That he well knew and remembers Mary Sayward, late of York, desd. That she was the reputed wife of Henry Sayward. That he knew and well remembers James Sayward, her reputed son as also Jonathan Sayward, another of her reputed sons, and Hannah Sayward her reputed daughter, which Hannah was afterwards the reputed wife of Capt. Abraham Preble, all of whom this deponent well knew. That Henry Sayward and Saml Sayward of Cape Ann were reputed sons of said James Sayward. That Elder Joseph Sayward of York was the reputed son of said Jonathan and that Jonathan Preble, now of Georgetown, is one of the reputed sons of said Hannah Preble, formerly Hannah Sayward.

York, June 13, 1761.

Samuel Came.

"The within Samuel Came further deposeth and Saith that John Sayward and Hannah Swett, (late wife of Mr. Joseph Swett.) both of York deceased, were the reputed grand-children of the within named Mary Sayward and that Nathl. Bray late of said York dec. was the reputed Great Grand Son of the Said Mary.

Saml Came.

Jan. 7, 1762.

Alfred Registry of Deeds.

Vol. 37, Page 134.

"The Deposition of Mary Black, of York, in the County of York, aged about eighty five years, Testifieth and says That She well knew and remembers Mary Sayward, late of York dec. that she was the reputed wife of Henry Sayward, decd. That John Sayward, late of York decd & Hannah the wife of Mr. Joseph Swett, and Eld. Joseph Sayward, late of the same York decd, were the reputed grandchildren of the aforesaid Mary Sayward & that Nathl Bray, late of York decd, was the reputed Great Grandson of the said Mary. That Joseph Young, now living in York aforesaid, is also the reputed Grandson of the said Mary Sayward decd, all which Persons the Depon't well knew and was acquainted. The Deponent further saith that Jonathan Preble of Georgetown is the reputed son of Hannah Preble by her husband Capt. Abraham Preble, both decd, and the said Hannah was the reputed daughter of the first named Mary Sayward.

York, June 13, 1761.

Mary Black, her mark."

Alfred R. Vol. 37, Page 134.

In a deed from John Sayward to Jonathan Preble, dated July 18, 1717, recorded Alfred R., Vol. 8,

P. 235, occurs the following language which proves that Henry Sayward had a son John:

"All the right of my Grandmother Mary Sayward had to a tract of land being the same conveyed to her by Cousens, date of deed, April 4, 1679, as John Sayward stands related unto ye estate of my grand mother ye sd Mary Sayward decd being ye only son now surviving of John Sayward, ye son of said Mary Sayward decd, my part of sd Cousen estate."

The evidence that they had a daughter Mary is to be found in the Court Records at Alfred, Me., "July 4, 1676, in which Mary Sayward alias Young is defendant in a suit and Robert Young Ingages to answer in his wife's behalf."

The following from a deed from John Sayward and other heirs of Henry Sayward to William Moody, dated Feb. 9, 1724, Alfred R. Vol. 11, P. 188, throws further light upon the subject:

"That Edward Preble, Joseph Swett & Hannah his wife, John Sayward, Joseph Sayward, Abraham Batting and Mary his wife & Joseph Young, all of York * * * * * Edward Preble being ye only surviving son of Susannah Sayward afterwards Susannah Preble one of ye grand daughters of Henry Sayward, formerly of York aforesaid deceased, ye said Hannah Sweat, John Sayward, Joseph Sayward, Mary Batting & Joseph Young being grand children of said Henry Sayward deceased."

These parties convey by this deed their interest in a tract of land granted to Henry Sayward by the Town of York, March 2, 1665.

Mary married Robert Young about 1676 and had by him two children, viz: Joseph and Mary, who married Abraham Batting. After Robert's death, she married Bray, as appears from the distribution of her sister Sarah's estate.

The only account of the daughter Sarah is found in the Records of the Probate Court at Salem, Mass. which is as follows, viz:

"1694. Admin. of all and singular the goods, chattels, rights &

credits of Sarah Sawyard, late of Haverhill, deceased, granted unto James Sayward her brother, who hath given bond with sureties for his administration according to law."

Vol. 3, OS p.172.

"The Inventory of the estate of Sarah Sayward of Haverhill, decd, which is as followeth: It. 140 acres of upland lying westward of Haverhill abt. 6 miles

E20, 0 s, 0 d.

It 6 acres of meadow lying at ye same place.

Taken July 14, 1694.

£30 0 0"

Vol. 3, O S, p. 191.

"James Sayward, admr of the estate of Sarah Sayward, late of Haverhill, decd, the account of his administration on said estate exhibited to the Hon. Barth^o Gedney, Esq., Judge of Probate of Wills for said county. Octob y 25, 1694.

The said Estate Cred.

The real estate as per Inventory

£30 - 0 - 0

The personal estate as p ditto

"Ye Hon, actant prays allowance for the following charges payments & disbursement by him made since he accepted said trust.

The said Estate is Dr.

It. bond & letter of administration & recording ye Inventory 6s - 6d.

It. soe much due to Joseph Peasley for the said Sarah for being in his house

£3 - 0 - 0

It. Paul Richard Bray as pr receipt

It. Stating the account & recording the Settlement

5 - 0

It. allowing the account settling & dividing the estate

A quietus 4 - o

It allowed the administrator for his time, trouble & expense

Remains to balance

The balance of the above accompt being

3 - 0 - 0

21 - 14 - 6

The balance of the above accompt being
Is divided as followeth, viz:

It To the administrator James Sayward

It Mary Bray sister of the dec'd

It Hannah Preble sister as aforesaid

£4 - 6 - 10

4 - 6 - 10

It The children of John Sayward dec'd 4 - 6 - 10

being a brother of the dec'd, 5 in all

It The children of Jonathan Sayward dec'd Bro. of the dec'd 2 in all

4 - 6 - 10
21 - 14 - 6

In a deed from James Sayward to William Moody, dated May 23, 1727, recorded with York Co. Deeds, Vol. 12, page 141, is the following which is evidence of the son James, viz:

"James Sayward of Gloucester in the County of Essex, in the Provence of Mass. Bay in New England, the only surviving son of Henry Sayward late of York, in the county of York deceased, whereas my Hon, Father, Henry Sayward had a tract of land in York afore-

said on the south side of York River containing the Quantity of three hundred and fifty acres as by articles of agreement made and concluded upon between the Selectmen of the town of York and the aforesaid Henry Sayward which sd tract of land was in part for building a meeting house for the town of York as by articles of agreement bearing date the 2nd day of March, 1665, may appear."

The following from the Court records of Sept. 9, 1685, proves that he was born in 1667.

"James Sayward of York coming to them desired yr allowance of William Smyth alias Gowin to bee his Guardeon, the tyme of his Guardeonship who now being eighteen years of age continues in yt capasity until ye age of twenty one years, by whom said Smyth so to bee, by this Court is allowed and confirmed."

On the Sayward Farm on Cider Hill in York, Me., now owned by Mr. Plaisted, a point of upland juts out boldly into the river, on which is an old burying-ground, where Henry Sayward and his wife, surrounded by many of their descendants, are at rest. It is a beautiful spot, overlooking the site of his mill and the country where much of his life work was wrought. No headstones mark their resting places, and no one knows which of the many graves contain their dust.

THE SAYWARD FAMILY.

PART II.

GENEALOGY.

bbreviations:— b., born; bap., baptized; m., married; pub., published intention of marriage; unm., unmarried; s., son; dau., daughter; d., died; d. e., died early; where numerals are prefixed, the name is to appear in the following generation.

FIRST GENERATION.

- 1. HENRY SAYWARD was born in England and came to America in 1637. He resided in Hampton and Portsmouth, N, H., and in York, Me., where he died 1679. His wife, Mary, died at York before Dec. 26, 1689. CHILDREN:
- 2. I. JOHN.
- 3. II. JONATHAN.
- 4. III. HANNAH.
- 5. IV. Mary.
- 6. v. Sarah.
- 7. VI. JAMES.

SECOND GENERATION.

2. JOHN, son of Henry (1) and Mary, was probably born about 1657 while his father was residing at Strawberry Bank, as Portsmouth was then called.

The earliest record of him is to be found in the town records of York, Me., June 26, 1679, when the town granted him "a Lott of land near about the folly." May 1, 1685, the town granted him the "Remainder of the ox Pasture."

He was a mill-wright and carpenter and owned one fourth part of the saw-mill at Cape Neddick. He took the oath of allegiance with Samuel Sayward (probably his cousin) at a town meeting in York, March 22, 1680.

He was a grand juryman in 1684 and one of the Selectmen of York 1685.

He married Mary, daughter of Edward Rishworth of York, about 1680. This has been disputed, but Rishworth, in a deed to Mary Sayward, Oct. 16, 1682, Vol. 3, p. 121, York Co. Deeds, conveys certain land in consideration of the "love & affection which I bear unto my beloved daughter, Mary Sayward, wife of John Sayward." John Sayward, in a deed dated Oct. 17, 1682, recorded Vol. 3, p. 122, conveys land, "by me purchased of my father-in-law, Edw: Rishworth." These two witnesses seem to settle the matter beyond controversy.

Edward Rishworth was a very prominent man in Maine. He married Susan, daughter of John Wheelwright and was at Exeter with Wheelwright for a time where he was clerk of the Courts.

He held many important offices in Maine. He was a magistrate, recorder and one of the assistants and also representative from York for thirteen years.

He owned large tracts of real estate and was engaged in lumbering and milling.

Children:

S. I. Mary,
b. April 4, 1681.
g. II. Susannah,
b. May 9, 1683.
io. III. Esther.
b. March 7, 1685.
II. IV. Hannah.
b. June 21, 1687.
m. Joseph Swett.
v. John.
b. Jan. 2, 1690.

He died 1689.

"Dec. 26, 1689, a committee of the town of York laid out fifty acres of land unto Mary Sayward widdow, Relict and Administratrant to John Sayward deceased, which land lyeth above York Bridge on the Southwest side of John frost land, which land was granted to Mr. Edward Rishworth Mch ve year 1671—2.

His widow was appointed administratrix of his estate and rendered the following account:

"Mary Sayward, administratrix of the estate of John Sayward, the account of her administration on said estate exhibited to the Hon. Ichahod Plaisted, Esq., Judge of Probate of Wills & Granting Letters of Administration & within the county of York, May 30, 1715.

"Your Hon'l accomptant prays allowance for the following charges, paments and disbursements by her made since she accept said trust.

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By the personal estate as per do.	163	-	15	-	٠,
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To Susannah Sayward At Canada, to Mary Sayward 19 - 2 - 11 1-3 19 - 2 - 11 1-3

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Mary Plaisted.

Administratrix."

This account was sworn to, May 30, 1715.

The widow of John Sayward married James Plaisted of York, by whom she had several children. When the Indians made the attack on the town of York, Feb. 5, 1692, she had just been confined and was taken captive with her little babe and her children, Mary and Esther Sayward, and carried to Canada. Mather, in his Magnalia, gives the following account of that terrible journey:

"Mrs. James Plaisted, the wife of James Plaisted, was made a captive by the Indians about three weeks after delivery of a male child. They then took her with her infant off her bed and forced her to travel in her weakness the best part of a day without any respect of pity. At night the cold ground in the open air her lodging, and for many a day she had no nourishment but a little water with a little bear's flesh, which rendered her so feeble, that she with her infant were not far from totally starved. Upon her cries to God there was at length some supply sent in by her master's taking a moose, the broth whereof recovered her. But she must now travel many days thro' woods, and swamps and rocks and over mountains, and frost and snow until she could stir no farther. Sitting down to rest, she was not able to rise, until her diabolical master helped her up, which, when he did, he took her child from her, and carried it unto a river, where, stripping it of the few rags it had, he took it by the heels and against a tree dashed out his brains and flung it into the river. So he returned unto the miserable mother, telling her she was now eased of her burden and must walk faster than she did before,"

She was carried to Montreal, where she remained until October, 1695, when she was ransomed by Matthew Cary.

Children of James and Mary (Sayward) Plaisted.

- 1. Lydia
- b. Jan. 4, 1696.
- 11. Olife
- b. May 1, 1698.
- III. Joseph
- b. 1700.

3. Jonathan, the second son of Henry (1) and Mary Sayward, resided in York. Very ltttle can be learned concerning him. The earliest record of him is in a grant of land from the town of York, viz;

At a Town Meeting held May 26, 1687.

"Granted unto Jonathan Sayward twenty acres of Marsh or Swamp to make marsh of upon the northwest branch of Little River going to Wells, provided it be free from any former grant."

He died before 1699, as appears from the following town record of York, viz:

At a legal meeting Mch 29, 1699.

"Granted unto Jonathan Saward's heirs all the right this town hath to the Land that sd Saward did formerly purchase."

The early records of the town and church were destroyed by the Indians in their raid on the town, Feb. 5, 1692, but from the court and probate records at Alfred, Me., it appears that he married Mary, the daughter of Matthew Austin of York, about 1684.

They had at least two children, as appears from the probate account of James Sayward, administrator of the estate of Sarah Sayward, viz:

13. I. Joseph,
14. II. Hannah,
15. Dec., 1684.
16. Dec., 1684.
17. Swett, had a son Joseph.

After the death of Jonathan, his widow married Capt. Lewis Bean, of York, and he and his wife made the following agreement with her son Joseph:

"Whereas Capt. Lewis Bean married with Mary Sayward, Relict of Jonathan Sayward, deceased, and administratrix to said Saward's estate and her son, Joseph Saward, desiring to know what of said estate belongs to him of his deceased father, Saward, that it may so be settled that no trouble may happen between sd Bean, Mary his wife and sd Joseph Saward.

"It is mutually agreed between sd Bean. Mary his wife, and sd Joseph Saward, as follows: and first Lewis and Mary his wife doth by these presents Relinquish, renounce and deliver up unto sd Joseph Saward and forever quitclaim unto him all the lands belonging to Jonathan Saward (in the town of York) father of sd Joseph Saward and that it shall be in the liberty of sd Joseph to have, hold, possess,

improve and enjoy all said lands as his own proper estate, without any let or hindrance or interruption of him the said Lewis Bean and Mary his wife, administratrix as aforesaid, Always provided and it is to be understood and the said Bean doth still refuse liberty to himself and his wife that it should happen that sd Joseph Saward shall be negligent and not improve sd land as it ought to be improved, or that sd Bean or his wife should have occassion, it shall be in either their Liberty to enter into, take, have, hold and enjoy ye sd Mary's third part of said lands during her natural life as fully as if this agreement had never been made, for the consideration hereof each party have hereunto set their hands and seals this 8th day of January, 1706-7, and pray the Judge of Probate allow and confirm the same.

Lewis Bean, (seal)
Mary her mark, Bean, (seal)
Joseph Sayward, (seal)

Signed, sealed and delivered in presence of us as witnesses.

Joseph Stover, Joseph Heath."

4. Hannah, daughter of Henry (1) and Mary Sayward m. Abraham Preble, (b. 1642) son of Abraham and Judith Preble, the common ancestors of all of the name in this country.

Commodore Preble, in the "Preble Family in America," says this Abraham Preble m. Hannah Kelley, but the records prove conclusively that his wife was Hannah Sayward, the daughter of Henry and Mary Sayward.

In a deed from Hannah Preble to Jonathan Preble, recorded in the York Co. Registry of Deeds, Vol. 8, p. 234, she uses the following language: "I, Mrs. Hannah Preble, widow, of York," in consideration of a certain sum and "especially ye natural affection & True love she hath * * for her natural & well beloved son, Jonathan Preble of sd York." By this deed she conveys her interest "in the tract of land that Mrs. Mary Sayward, the mother of ye sd Hannah, late of sd York, dec'd, purchased &

bought of John Cousens, of Casco Bay, as a deed from sd Cousens unto ye sd Mary Sayward bearing date ye fourth day of April, 1679."

In a deed from Hannah Preble to William Moody dated May 25, 1727, and recorded in York Co. Registry, Vol. 12, p. 141, by which she conveys her interest in the three hundred and fifty acres of land granted to Henry Sayward by the town of York for building the meeting house, she describes herself as "Hannah Preble, widow, the only surviving daughter of Henry Sayward, late of York, deceased."

In the distribution of the estate of Sarah Sayward by the administrator, (page 29) "Hannah Preble, sister," has a share.

Samuel Came and Mary Black, in their depositions, (page 27) say that Hannah Sayward was the wife of Capt. Abraham Preble.

She d. May 9, 1751.

Abraham and Hannah (Sayward). Preble had eight children, viz:

- I. Mary, b. June 8, 1686, m. her cousin Abraham Preble, son of Nathaniel Preble and surviving him, Howell.
- 11. Abraham, b. Aug. 21, 1687. d. unm. Mch 30, 1720.
- 111. Caleb, b. July 7, 1689
- iv. Hepzebah, b. Mch 28, 1691, d. unm.
- v. Miriam, b. June 14, 1692. m. Benj. Stone, d. 1721.
- vi. Jonathan, b. April 11, 1995.
- vII, Ebenezer, b. Mch 26, 1698.
- viii. Samuel, b. April 19, 1699, m. Sarah Muchmore, of Isle of Shoals, 1725.
- 5. Mary, daughter of Henry (1) and Mary Sayward, m. [1] Robert Young, of York, about 1676. Their children:
 - I. Joseph.
 - 11. Mary, m. Abraham Batting.

Her second husband was a Bray, probably Nathaniel, son of John Bray of Kittery, by whom she had several children:

- 6. SARAH, probably the daughter of Henry (1) and Mary Sayward, d. unm. at Haverhill, Mass., about 1694.
- 7. James, the youngest son, and probably the youngest child of of Henry (1) and Mary Sayward, was born at York, Me., 1667.

The earliest record of him is the appointment of a guardian, Sept. 9, 1685. (p. 30)

At a town meeting at York, March 15, 1680-1:

"Given and granted unto James Sayward, the son of Henry Sayward deceased, any land near the saw-mill at York which the Town hath power to grant and which hath not been granted unto any other person by the Town of York."

He moved to Gloucester, Mass., and settled about 1693 or 4. The birth of his daughter Deborah is recorded in Gloucester, June 14, 1694. In a deed, dated May 23, 1727, he describes himself as follows:

"James Sayward of Gloucester in the County of Essex, in the Province of Mass. Bay, in New England, the only surviving son of Henry Sayward, late of York, deceased, whereas my Hon. Father, Henry Sayward, had a tract of land in York aforesaid on the south side of York river containing the Quantity of three hundred and fifty acres as by articles of agreement made & concluded upon between the Selectmen of the Town of York & the aforesaid Henry Sayward, which sd tract of land was in part for building a meeting house for the town of York as by articles of agreement bearing date the 2nd day of March 1665, may appear."

March 16, 1696, he had a grant of land from the town of Gloucester, of "half an acre of ground between the run that runs to Cripple Cove and Cripple Cove Hill situate on the south side of the hill and north side of the run; butting house to highwater mark."

"On this spot he was bound to build a home within twelve months or forfeit his grant on failure to do so without sufficient reason. By subsequent grants and purchases, he became a large owner of pasturage and other lands in that section of the town, and his descendants still own the land first granted to him and there perpetuate the name."

He served the town of Gloucester as Selectman for the years 1720-1-2-8. He was elected to represent the town in the legislature for the years 1720-3-4-6-7 & 8 and 1733.

He was one of the Ruling Elders of the First Church in Gloucester for many years.

He married about 1691 and resided at York for two or three years where his first child was born. His wife's name was Deborah, but no trace of her maiden name can be found.

Children:

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1. Elizabeth,
                           b. 1692, m. Elias Wise, Dec. 22, 1722.
15.
                            b. June 14, 1694. m. James Stevens, July
16.
         11. Deborah,
                15, 1717.
                            b. Nov. 15, 1697, d. Nov. 26, 1697.
         III. James,
17.
                            b. Aug. 18, 1699, d. at York, Me., Nov.
         iv. James,
18.
                30, 1724, unm.
          v. Samuel,
                           b. April 21, 1701.
19.
         vi. Henry,
                           b. Feb. 19, 1704.
20.
                           b. June 14, 1706, m. Moses Bradstreet,
         vii. Mary,
21.
                Jan. 16, 1731.
                           b. March 1, 1708.
              Joseph,
        VIII.
22.
         ix. Hannah,
                           b. July 31, 1712, m. John Sanders, Jan.
23.
                22, 1735.
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The mother of these children died July 13, 1734. Inscription:—

"Here Lyes Burried ye Body of Mrs. Deborah Sayward, wife of Mr. James Sayward, aged 67 years, Dec'd July ye 13th, 1734."

"She was to us i' the Day of her sweet Life

A tender Mother and a golden wife.

But now She's gone unto a Place of Rest,

God's will in Life or Death is always best, Us left in Time for her to mourn and cry, God grant that we may all get good thereby."

Elder James Sayward married Mary, widow of Ebenezer Davis, of Gloucester, Jan. 30, 1735. Her maiden name was Wharf.

He died in the sixty-eighth year of his life and was buried in the old burying-ground in Gloucester beside his first wife. Inscription:-

"Here Lyes Burried ye Body of Elder James Sayward who Died February the 13th, 1736-7, in the sixty eighth year of his age."

His will was proved June 6, 1737.

"In the Name of God, Amen, The eleventh Day of February, in the year of our Lord God, one Thousand Seven hundred & Thirty Seven, I, James Sayward, of Gloucester, in the County of Essex, in New England, Being of sound mind & memory, Thanks be to God for it Putting to mind the Uncertainty of Life: Do make, Constitute, ordain, & Declare this my last Will & Testament in Manner and Form Following, Revoking & nulling by these presents all other and every Testament or Testaments, Will or Wills, heretofore by me made & Declared either by word or Writing, and this to be taken only for my Last Will & Testament & none other. And first of all I commit my Soul to God that gave it, Hoping through the merits of Christ, my Saviour, to obtain Eternal Salvation, And my Body to a Christian & Decent Burial at the Discretion of my Executor Hereafter named.

"Now for the Settling my Temporal estate & Such Goods, Chattels & Debts as It hath Pleased God far above my Deserts to Bestow upon me, I Do Order, give & Dispose the Same in manner and form Following, That is to say, In the first place, I Will all my Just Debts and Duties as I owe In Right or Conscience to any Person or persons whatsoever shall be well and Truly Paid within Convenient Time after my Decease By my Executor hereafter named.

Imprimis, I Give & Bequeath unto my Dear & Loving wife Mary all that I Received of her former Husband's Estate with her, viz: one Cow, one Bed & furniture, Twelve Chairs, An Oval Table, one Chest of Draws, a negro woman & Child, also:

item— One Third part of my Plate to be Delivered to her By my Executors. My Debts & funeral Charges being Paid I will & Bequeath to her & hers forever one Third part of my personal estate.

item- For her comfortable Subsistance I will & Bequeath to her my Dwelling House & Thirty Pounds a year to be Paid her annually By my Executor During her Widowhood, and the use of the Chaise house the same term of time; of What remains then of my whole estate, Real & Personal, I Do Will & Bequeath unto my Daughter Elizabeth, one Silver Tankard and Five & forty Pounds of money to be paid her In three years after my Decease, By my Son Henry.

Item— I Will unto my daughter Deborah one Silver Tankard and five & forty Pounds of money to be paid her In three years after my decease by my Son Joseph.

Item— I will unto my son Samuel one Half of my Real estate in Gloucester, paying forty & six pounds to my Daughter Hannah, excepting my Dwelling house & shaise house Which I have already given to my wife During her widdowhood. Item excepting also one half acre of Land & one third of the wharfe & ware house, also Paying fifteen Pounds pr annum to my executors During my wife's Widdowhood.

Item— I Will my Son Henry my Interest in North Yarmouth. In Casco Bay, and also an half acre of Land adjoining to his house and on part of which his Dwelling house stands and a Third part of the wharfe & ware house, paying five & forty Pounds to my Daughter Elizabeth.

"Note all ye interlineations & amendments were made Before Signing & Sealing.

Item— I Will unto my Son Josèph one Half of my Real estate in Gloucester, excepting one third part of the wharfe and ware house and one half acre of Land Given to my Son Henry, paying five & forty Pounds to my Daughter Deborah; excepting also my Dwelling house & chaise house which I have already given to my wife During her widdowhood, Paying also fifteen Pounds annually to my executors During my wife's widdowhood.

Item— I Will to my Daughter Hannah one Silver Porringer and forty and six Pounds of money to be paid her In three years after my Decease By my Son Samuel.

Item— I will my Daughter Mary eighty Pounds in money to be paid her within three years after my Decease, by my Son Joseph.

Item— I Will & Bequeath to my Grand Daughter, Martha Somes, the sum of forty Pounds, to be paid her within three years after my Decease, By my son Samuel.

Item— I Will to Daughter Abigail Sayword, a small Silver cup capable of containing about a Jill, also a Silver Spoon.

"And finally I Do By these presents, Nominate, ordain, constitute & appoint my trusty friends Lieutenant William Haskell, Deacon William Parsons, Capt. Thomas Sanders. Sen'r and my Son Joseph to be sole executors of this my Last Will & Testament, to see it prov'd & Duly executed as the Law Directs, In Witness whereof I have to these presents set my hand and Seal the Day & year above written.

James Sayward. (Seal)

Signed, Sealed & Declared In presence of Joseph Gardner,

Stephen Somes, Aaron Smith."

Will proved June 6, 1737.

His estate was appraised as follows, viz:

Dwelling house with three acres of land	I, £ 620	-	O	-	О
Wharf and ware house,	100	-	О	-	O
Orchard, mowing ground with cider mi	ills,				
2 barns with pig house and garden sp	oot, 720	-	O	-	O
6 acres Salt marsh,	180	-	О	-	0
79 acres pasture land,	1580	-	О	-	О
2 lots of land at the cove,	110	-	0	-	O
A quarter of a lot,	10	-	О	-	О
4 acres at Eastern Point,	27	-	О	-	o
Cash,	226	-	14	-	6
Notes of hand,	70	-	О	-	o
Bond,	100	-	0	-	О
Plate,	118	-	О	-	O
Wearing apparrel,	33	-	О	-	О
Beds, bedding, cows, oxen, young cattl	e, sheep &				
swine,	660	-	3	-	6
negro man,	100	-	О	-	o
Total.	£ 4654	-	18	-	0

THIRD GENERATION.

8. Mary, b. April 4, 1681, dau. of John (2) and Mary (Rishworth) Sayward, was captured by the Indians, Feb. 5, 1692, and carried to Canada and placed in a Catholic Nunnery, at Montreal, where she was baptized Dec. 8, 1693. Her name was changed to Mary Genvieve Sayers. She resided at the Congregation Notre Dame and was called "Sister des Anges." She died March 2, 1717, and was buried at Montreal.

^{9.} Susannah, b. May 9, 1683, dau. of John (2) and Mary (Rishworth) Sayward, m. Abraham, son of

Nathaniel Preble, and had two children:

- 1. Edward, (known as Capt. Edward) b. Aug. 23, 1702.
- II. Nathaniel, b. April 8, 1704.
- 1(). Esther, b. March 7, 1685, a dau. of John (2) and Mary (Rishworth) Sayward, was taken captive with her mother and sister, by the Indians, Feb. 5, 1692, and was carried to Montreal, where all trace of her is lost. Her name was changed to Mary Joseph Sayers.
- 12. John, b. Jan. 2, 1690, the only son of John (2) and Mary (Rishworth) Sayward, was a millwright and carpenter and owned a part of the saw-mill at Cape Neddick, called the "Cape Neddick Old Mill." He was a grand juror in 1712 and 1714. In 1716 he was on the committee to examine the Selectmen's accounts; 1717, Constable; 1718, Highway Surveyor and trial juror; 1719, John Wheelwright, Esq., Charles Frost, Esq., and Mr. John Sayward, were Commissioners for York County to regulate the tax lists and valuations; 1722 he was captain of a military company. In the Mass. Hist. Coll. is this item: "Feb., 1722, Capt. Sayward with a company of Volunteers, went as far as the White Hills, a hundred miles into the enemy's country" in pursuit of the Indians. In 1731 he was Lieutenant of a military company. In 1733, he was moderator of the Town meeting and Selectman and Assessor, and was Selectman in 1736 - 7 & 9.

His will, dated Feb. 8, 1742, is as follows, viz:

"In the Name of God, Amen, I, John Sayward, of York, in the County of York, Gent, being at this time under weakness of Body, but

of perfect mind and memory & understanding, for which praised be Almighty God, and considering the certainty of death & ye uncertainty of time when Do, in the fear of God, whose I am & whom I endeavour to serve, make this my last will & Testament. And principally & first of all, I resign my Soul unto my Redeemer, the Lord Jesus Christ, who, I trust, has redeemed it by his Blood & in & through whom alone & his Glorious merit & Redemption I humbly hope for Eternal happiness & Salvation.

"And my Body I comitt to the Earth to be buried in a Christian like Grave & Decent manner at the Discretion of my Executors hereafter named, nothing doubting but at the general Resurrection, I shall receive the same again by the Mighty Power of God & in hope of a joyfull Resurrection to everlasting felicity & happiness, and as for such Worldly Estate as God in his infinite mercy has bestowed upon me in this Life I give, bequeath & dispose of the same in the following manner.

Imprimis,— I Do Will that all my Debts & Funeral Expenses shall be justly paid.

Item,— I do give & bequeath to Mary, my Dearly beloved Wife, the Use & improvement of the one half of my Homestead, includeing Buildings, Tillage, Orchard, mowing, Salt & fresh with the fencing now upon it and the one half of ye Liveing Stock of Cattle & Sheep, the one half also of a piece of Pasturing Land adjoyning on the South Westerly upon Land belonging to Joseph Plaisted, Esq., on ye North West on Capt. Cames Land on ye North East on Abel Moulton's Land & on ye South East on a Road leading into ye Woods, also a third part of a Wood Lott for Cutting of ye wood or for feeding bounded as follows, beginning about three Rods North East from Joseph Moulton's at an Oak stump and running West north West according to the return about one hundred & thirty Poles containing about twenty Acres as may appear by ye Original Grant, also about one third of a Tract of Pasture Land adjoyning partly on John Bane's Land & partly on the widow Preble's Land on the Southwest side, beginning at the Southern Corner a few Rods from Ellwife Brook so called & running about fourteen Rods as ye Road goes, from thence on a straight Course about half a Rood to the Northern side of a Spring in a Valley or Brook known by the Name of Teagle's Brook, continueing said course about two Rods further then near about a square over to the upland then Bounded by the edge of the upland down to the Mouth of the Brook then to shute of to the Main Creek & Bounded by ye Creek to the said Preble's Land or opposite against it.

"The Western end of my Dwelling house, Lower Room Chamber & Garret, half the Kitchen and ye innermost part of the Cellar so long as She shall Remain my Widow, moreover I do give and bequeath to the sd Mary, my wife, the Sale property of one half my Books, two Beds with their furniture, ye bigest Brass Kittle, a warming pan, a Case of Drawers, an Ovel Table, half ye Pewter and Household fur-

niture, also a Horse and Chair and furniture for ye Chair. I Do also give and bequeath to Mary, my beloved wife, the use and improvement of a third part of a Saw Mill also the use and benefit of Half my Husbandry, Tackling and furniture So long as She shall Remain my Widow.

Item,— I Do give and bequeath to my well beloved Son John, the Remainder of the afores'd Tract of Land Joyning upon John Bane's Land and ve Widow Preble's Land and bounded by the Fence and the strait Line with all ye Marsh and Thatch Beds thereto adjoyning and the whole of it I Do will to him at the Death of my well beloved wife or at her Marriage as also a piece of upland containing about 20 Acres and a Piece of fresh Marsh and Swamp Land thereto adjoyning, containing nine or ten Acres, lying near Cape Natick Pond. I Do also give and bequeath to him the sd John, my Son, a parcle of Land containing about 30 Acres with a piece of Meadow Adjoyning, containing about five Acres and half lying in the Crotch of Josias' River, so called, laid out with the Grant of Capt. Jonathan Bane as appears by a Return on Record, also a Piece of Land containing about 60 or 70 Acres lying near George Jacobs' Mill as appears by the Return with half my Common Right by him freely to be possessed and Enjoyed, he paying such Legacies as shall be hereafter Named and none of the afores'd Articles to be Disposed of till the Legacies be well and truly paid.

Item,— I Do Give and bequeath to my well beloved Son Ebenezer the one half of my Homestead, including Buildings, Tillage, Orchard, mowing, Salt and fresh with the fenceing, also the other half of ye afores'd Pasture, Joyning upon Capt. Cames' Land and the two thirds of the afores'd Wood Lot with a Grant of ten Acres that is yet to be Laid out near sd wood Lott, also two thirds of the Saw Mill & Iron work & furniture with ye privilidge of ye Stream & Timber belonging to sd Privilidge, also the other half of ye Living Stock of Cattle & Sheep, he running ye Hazzard of all Casualties with Respect to his half and ye whole of each of these sd articles, the Homestead, Pasture, wood Lot & c., I Do Will & bequeath to my Son Ebenezer, after the Death or Marriage of my well beloved sd wife.

"I Do also give & bequeath to ye sd Ebenezer the other half of my Husbandry, Tackling & Furniture, and Will the whole ot it to him after ye Death or Marriage of my sd W ife. I Do also give him the one half all my Comon Rights, he paying Such Legacies as shall hereafter be Named & none of ye aforesd Articles to be Disposed of till ye Legacies be well & truly paid.

Item— I Do Will that my sd Son John shall pay to my well beloved Son James, when he is at the full age of twenty one years, the sum of one Hundred Pounds old tenor, & at ye end or one year after, fifty pounds more, old tenor, & at ye end of two years after he is of age, fifty pounds more, old tenor, to be paid in Money or Land, as they

shall agree.

Item— I Do Will that my Son Ebenezer aforesd shall, when he comes to the age of twenty years, pay to Esther, my well beloved daughter, the Sum of ten pounds, old tenor, Yearly, till it amount to Seventy pounds, old tenor. And I Do Will that he shall pay to Hannah, my well beloved Daughter, when he comes of age, the sum of ten pounds, old tenor, Yearly, till it amount to sixty pounds, old tenor, & that he Do pay to my well beloved Daughter Marah, ten pounds, old tenor, till it amount to fifty pounds, old tenor.

"I Do likewise Will that a piece of Marsh, beginning at ye Bridge over the New Mill Creek & bounded on James Grant's Land, Includeing all the Marsh, Thatch Beds & Coves be for the use & benefit of my three Daughters Equally to be Divided untill my Son Ebenezer comes of age, they leaveing as good a Fence upon it as at this present & I Do Will that if my Son Ebenezer come to be of the Age of 21 years, then the upper part from a small Creek that empties into the Main Creek & upward to fall to my sd Son John & the Lower part to my Son Ebenezer and all the Marsh on the opposite side of the Creek, I Do Will to my Son John.

Item,— I Do Will that if Either of my Sons Should Die without Lawfull Issue, then his part & Portion by this Will bequeathed to him be Divided amongst the Surviving Children, a Double Portion to the Son or Sons & a single Portion to the Daughters.

Item.— I Do Will that all my wearing apparill be Disposed among my three Sons as my Wife shall see fit.

Item,— I Do will that the Bond against James Grant be Divided amongst my Eldest Son & three Daughters, the Son having a double Portion, the Daughters each a single one & to be prosecuted as they think fitt, and upon ye Reception of ye Bond, my Son John to give up a promisory note to my wife of fifteen pounds, old tenor.

Item,— I do will & bequeath the Sole Property of ye one half of my Living Stock of Cattle & Sheep, notwithstanding what is fore mentioned with Respect to the Use & Improvement of them heretofore to Mary, my well beloved wife.

Item,— Whatsoever moneys, Debts, or Quick Stock, or whatsoever Estate within Doors or without to me belonging & not herein mentioned, I give & bequeath to my well beloved Wife Mary, to dispose of as She shall think fit.

"And I Do hereby Constitute, appoint & Ordain my well beloved wife Mary Sayward & my trusty Friend John Bradbury, to be Executors of this my last will & Testament and I Do hereby utterly Revoak & Disannull all & every other Wills & Testaments, Legacies, bequests & Executors by me in any way before this time named, willed or bequeathed,

"Ratifying & Confirming this and no other to be my last Will and Testament.

"In Witness whereof I have hereunto Set my hand and Seal the

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Eighth Day of February, 1742.

Signed, Sealed, Published,
Pronounced and Declared by
ye sd John Sayward as his
last Will and Testament in ye
presence of us, the Subscribers,
Thos. Bragdon,
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Thos. Bragdon, Paul Nowell, Sam'l Chandler,

This will Probated 31 March, 1743.

Inventory returned at £ 865 - 3 - o."

He married Mary Bane of York, Dec. 13, 1713. He d. Mch, 1743.

Children:

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b. Jan. 14, 1715, m. Josiah Beal.
          I. Esther,
24.
          11. Hannah,
                         b. May 31, 1716, m. Jeremiah Moulton.
25.
                         b. April 23, 1718, m. John Sewell.
26.
         III. Mary,
                         b. May 21 1721, d. Mch 11, 1743, unm.
          IV.
27.
              John,
28.
          v. James,
                         b. Jan. 24, 1724.
29.
          vi. Ebenezer, b. Sept. 10, 1727.
         vii. Susannah, b. Mch 29, 1730.
30.
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13. Joseph, b. Dec., 1684, was the son of Jonathan (3) and Mary (Austin) Sayward. At a town meeting at York, Mch 17, 1702-3, the town "Granted to Joseph Sayward, thirty acres of Land on the Northeast side of Cape Neddick River, if he can find it clear of all former grants." He was a Juryman for "tryals" 1713-14 and grand juryman 1715, when the town made him another grant of twenty acres.

He was a constable 1716; moderator and Selectman 1721; At the same meeting, "voted that Mr. Joseph Sayward shall have the full management to build a sufficient fortification about our Parsonage house of ten foot high and fifty foot square with two good buskins or flancers of ten foot square, all to be built of square hard timber of ten inches thick, to be built forthwith, and said Sayward to keep a just

and full account of ye cost and charge thereof and the said Mr. Sayward shall be allowed and paid for said work by the Town, to be built of pine and hemlock timber."

This fortification was built around the house of Rev. Samuel Moody, or "Father Moody," as he was called. Joseph Sayward was a Ruling Elder in Father Moody's church and seems to have been his right hand man, for he went with him as a delegate to ecclesiastical councils and assisted in ordaining ministers by the laying on of hands.

Nov. 16, 1722, Elder Sayward assisted in ordaining the Elders of the Church at Durham, N. H.

1722 he was moderator of the town meeting.

1723 moderator and Selectman.

The Indians were troublesomethis year. A company went from York in pursuit of them as appears from the following from the Mass. Archives.

A journal of the Volunteers under Capt. Bragdon.

- "Nov. 22, 1723. Mustered and Marched to the Out Skirts of ye town & there incamped.
- 23d. Marched North into the Country: travelled 20 miles & Scouted some miles each way over the head of Great Works river & incamped.
- 24. March'd north into the country. travelled 4 miles & came to Gratdese Pond & travelled 10 miles to Squinonk Pond, then 2 miles & found * * * * * & a pretty river & a brave Swamp of large white & red Elder Trees. This day travelled & Scouted 17 miles & incamped.
- 25. Marched north 7 miles into the country, came to a branch of Mousam river. Searched up the river & came to a carying place into Anonket Pond & Scouted & then marched up the River 8 miles, found Wigwams & where the Indians got much Beaver, then Scouted & travelled 17 miles & incamped.
- 26. Stormy weather, tarried at the old camp. Sent out 3 scouts, 18 men. Scouted 7 miles, came to White Oak Pond, then returned to the old camp.
 - 27. This day Sergt. Lowell taken sick with a fever. We left some

men with him & Scouted some miles up to Tobasick Falls, then returned to our old camp this evening, ye Sergtt., to our joy, much better.

- 28. This morning trees, wet brooks & swamps full of water, no possibility of Travelling, So Scouted round about & tarried at the old camp.
- 29. Very Stormy in the morning, cold and a great Freshet, bad travelling, forced to lie still.
- 30. Moved out for the head of Salmon Falls river, travelled Southeast some miles, came to abnash pond, afterwards to a branch of Salmon Falls river. Scouted the river, found where the Indians had been killing beaves, but they had gone some time, travelled 20 miles this day, incamped.
- Dec. 1. Moved down the River & scouted the branches, came down to the head of the Mast road & came to Salmon falls, travelled 24 miles to day.
 - 2. Travelled home to York with some men sick.

Joseph Sayward."

- 1724, he petitioned for a Block House at Richmond Island.
- 1725, he was one of the Committee to run a line between York and Wells and was moderator of the town meeting.

1730-1, he was committee to sort and count votes. June 19, 1732, the town of York passed the following vote:

"Whereas Mr. Joseph Sayward, one of the Elders of the Church of Christ, in this town, has been for some years much involved in Debt, which has been a great Discouragement to him & very much hindered his eminent usefulness in that Station. Therefore voted unanimously that Samuel Came, Esquire. Capt. Peter Nowell & Mr. John Harmon or any two them be a committee fully empowered in this Town's behalf to make sale of what common Land is on the Cape Neck to the best advantage and to execute a good Deed or Deeds for the same and to Dispose of the money coming thereby for and towards compounding with said Sayward's Creditors and Paying his just debts and render an accompt to the Town of their Proceedings."

June 20, 1732, the town granted him eight shares in the Common Lands.

Dec. 30, 1733, Elder Joseph Sayward moderator of town meeting.

1734, Grand juror and "tryal" juror.

1735, moderator and grand juror.

1738, moderator.

1740, moderator and grand juror.

He m. Mary, dau. of Samuel and Deborah Webber, of York, 1709.

Children:

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31.
               Mary,
                           b. Nov. 24, 1709, m. James Donnell.
               Susannah, b. Oct. 2, 1711, m. John Milberry.
32.
          III. Jonathan,
                           b. Nov. 9, 1713.
33.
           Iv. Hannah,
                           b. ——, 1715.
34.
                           b. Jan. 5. 1717, d. Jan. 26, 1749, unm.
           v. Joseph,
35.
               Henry,
36.
          VI.
                           b. Mch 1, 1719.
               Jeremiah,
37.
          VII.
                          b. Aug., 1721.
         viii. Merriam,
                          b. Mch 7, 1724.
38.
           1x. Nathaniel, b. Mch 1, 1726, d. Jan. 30, 1728.
39.
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He d. Dec. 25, 1741, and his widow, Aug. 1, 1759.

They were buried in the old graveyard in York Village. Inscription:

"Here lies the body of Elder Joseph Sayward, aged 57 years, Dec'd, Dec. ye 25th, 1741."

"Here lyes burried the body of Mrs. Mary Sayward, wife of Elder Joseph Sayward, died Aug. 1st, 1759."

His will was probated May 17, 1742, and is as follows, viz;

"In the Name of God, Amen, the Eighth Day of December, Anno Domini, one thousand seven hundred & forty one, I, Joseph Sayword, of York, in ye County of York & Provence of the Massachusetts Bay in New England, being very sick & weak in body, but of perfect mind and memory, thanks be given unto God, therefore calling unto mind the mortality of my Body & knowing that it is appointed for all men once to Die, Do make & Ordain this my last Will & testament, that is to say, Principally & first of all I give & recommend my Soul into ye Hands of God that gave it and my Body I Recommend to ye Earth to be Buried in Decent Christian Burial at ye Discretion of my Executors nothing doubting but at ye General Resurrection I shall receive the Same again by the mighty Power of God.

"And as touching such worldly Estate wherewith it hath pleased God to bless me in this Life, I Give, Demise & Dispose of ye same in following manner and form.

Imprimis,— I Give & bequeath to Mary, my Dearly beloved Wife, all and singular my one halfe of the Dwelling Hous I now live in & Land thereto belonging with half ye barn & garden together with my Eight Shares of the Comon & undivided Lands in York aforesd and all my Grist Saw Mills all situated in York aforesd by her freely to be possed and enjoyed during her natural Life only it is my Will that my Just Debts, Funeral Charges & Legacies hereafter named be paid out of ye Incomes & profits of my aforesaid Mills if they be sufficient to pay ye same besides the support of my Family and if not, then such a part of ye said Mill or Mills as shall be sufficient shall be sold for the payment thereof.

Item,— I Give & Bequeath to my two Daughters, Mary, the Wife of James Donnel & Susanna, the Wife of John Milberry, five pounds each besides what they have already received.

Item,— I Give & Bequeath to my four Sons, Jonathan, Joseph, Henry & Jeremiah, all my aforesaid Grist & Saw Mills in York aforesd to be possessed & enjoyed by them immediately after my Wife's Decease & to be Divided among them in the following manner, that is to say, to my Son Jonathan, one quarter part of my said Mills & privilidge, to my Son Joseph, one half part of my said Mills & privilidge, and to my Sons Henry & Jeremiah, the remaining quarter part to be Divided between them.

Item,— I Give and Bequeath to my two youngest daughters, Miriam and Hannah, Fifty five pounds each, to be paid them respectively at their marriage Day.

Item,— I Give to my Son Jeremiah aforenamed my half of my dwelling Hous aforesaid with ye Land belonging thereunto one half the Barn and Garden to be possessed by him immediately after my Wife's Decease.

Item,— my Will is that after my wife's Decease my Comon Rights or Shares aforesaid shall be equally Divided among my Sons which shall then be liveing.

"And I hereby Constitute, make and ordain my aforesd Wife, Mary and my Son Jonathan, my joint Executors of this my last Will and Testament and I Do also hereby utterly Disallow, Revoak and Disannull all and every other former testaments, Wills, Legacies and bequests and Executors By me in any ways before named, Willed and bequeathed, Ratifying and Confirming this and no other to be my last Will and Testament. In Witness whereof I hereunto set my Hand and Seal ye Day and Year first afore written.

Joseph Sayword, (seal)

Signed, Sealed, Published, pronounced and Declared by ye sd Joseph Sayword as his last Will and Testament in the psence of us the Subscribers, Sam'l Milberry, Nathaniel Preble, Dan'l Moulton."

His will was probated May 17, 1742.

19. Samuel, b. April 21, 1701, third son of James (7) and Deborah Sayward, m. Lucy, daughter of Francis Norwood of Gloucester, April 7, 1729, and resided in Gloucester, Mass.

He d. intestate 1762, and administration was granted his son Samuel, Mch 29, 1762. His estate amounted to £ 316. Among his assets were three slaves, viz: a negro man, Kitt. £6–13–4, a girl Ella, £ 26, and a girl Dinah £ 24. His estate was distributed "To David Searl in right of his wife, Judith, a daughter of the deceased, £ 13–8–3.

"To legal representative of Daniel Sayward, dec'd a son of deceased and the remaining £ $26-6-6\frac{1}{2}$ to rest in hands of administrator Samuel Sayward, eldest son of the Intestate."

Children:

- 20. Henry, b. Feb. 19, 1704, the fourth son of James (7) and Deborah Sayward, m. Abigail Sargent of Gloucester, Jan. 20, 1730.

Children:

Abigail, b. April 16, 1730, m. Samuel Hodgkins jr., Mch 15, 1753.
 Mary, b. Sept. 1, 1735, m. Abraham Sawyer,

Apr. 13, 1758.

- 45. III. Stover, b. April 19, 1741.
- 22. Joseph, b. Mch 1, 1708, fifth son of James (7) and Deborah Sayward, m. Sarah Giddings, Jan. 20,

1730, d. in Gloucester, 1779. Children:

46. b. Nov., 1730, m. Zebulon Parsons, of Glou-Sarah, cester, Feb. 13, 1752. Joseph, b. Sept. 10, 1732. 47. b. Nov. 5, 1734. III. James, 48. IV. Deborah, bap. April 10, 1736, m. Samuel Tarbox, June 49. 19, 1755. v. Elizabeth, bap. June 15, 1738. 50. vi. Hannah, bap. June 6, 1742. 51. bap. June, 1744, m. Henry Tarr, Nov. 14, 1762. vii. Mercy, 52. viii. Lydia, bap. Aug. 24, 1746, m. Andrew Woodbury, 53. June 14, 1773. bap. Sept. 10, 1749. ix. John, 54. bap. July 14, 1751, m. Benj. Tarr. 3d, Aug. 9, x. Lucy, 55. 1772. George, bap. May 27, 1753. 56. XI. Moses, b. ——— 1755, d. young. XII. 57.

FOURTH GENERATION.

28. James, b. Jan. 24, 1724, second son of John (12) and Mary (Bane) Sayward, was a joiner by trade and resided in York, Me.

He seems to have taken great interest in military affairs and was a man of much executive ability. In 1756 he purchased the excise on coffee, tea and china-ware and in 1758 he was appointed farmer of the excise for York County.

In 1760 Gov. Pownall commissioned him a lieutenant and he was sent to Halifax with his company, which belonged to Col. Jonathan Hoar's regiment. April 8, 1761, he was commissioned first lieutenant. He returned to York in 1761 and was there recruiting for his regiment, as appears by the following letter addressed:

"To Lieut. James Sayward att Old York.

Halifax, November 27, 1761.

Sr. I wood aquaint you that their is orders for most of the Regtm. to Be discharged this Winter or as soon as transports comes from New York. So I wood advise you to not Be in a hurry to come to the Regment Before for there orders from Col. Thwing, or from me for I dont know Bout I shall stay as thear is three Capt., to Lieut., seven subis, Eighteen enCampheners, tow hundred and forty Privates to stay as it is not settled as yet, I cant say hou stays or hou Coms hom.

Johnson Moulton.

P. S.

"All frends are well at Present at this Place and I hope this Line will find you so at hom and al frends at hom.

"I will Right to you as soon as the fewe Is Setcld. Due Be Kind enough to Right to me the first oportunety.

Liut. Bean is very ill. My Copt. to Mr. Bradbury. To Liut. James Sayward,

York.

J. M."

"Lieut. James Sayward, Sir:

The rest of the letter, with signature and date, is lost.

In 1762 he was promoted to a captaincy and his commission read as follows:

FRANCIS BERNARD ESQ.,

Tho. Bernard. Captain General and Governor-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Province of the Massachusetts Bay in New England and Vice Admiral of the same,

To James Sayward, Esq., Greeting.

By virtue of the Power and Authority in and by His Majesty's Royal Commission to me Granted to be Captain General & c., over this His Majesty's Province of Massachusetts Bay aforesaid. I do by

these Presents (reposing especial Trust and Confidence in your Loyalty, Courage and good Conduct) constitute and appoint you, the said James Sayward, to be Captain of a Company of Foot in the Regiment whereof Jonathan Hoar. Esq., is Colonel, raised by me to be employed in His Majesty's Service under the Commander-in-Chief of His Majesty's Forces in North America.

You are therefore carefully and dilligently to discharge the Duty of a Captain in leading, ordering and exercising said Company in Arms, both inferior Officers and Soldiers and to keep them in good Order and Discipline and they are hereby commanded to obey you as their captain and you are yourself to observe and follow such Orders and Instructions as you shall from time to time receive from your colonel or other your superior Officers according to the Rules and Discipline of War, pursuant to the Trust reposed in you.

Given under my Hand and Seal at Arms at Boston, the Day of May Sixteenth, In the Second year of the Reign of His Majesty, King George, the Third, Anno Domini, 1762.

By His Excellency's commands.

Jno. Cotton, Dept. Secry."

His commission and the "Pay-Roll of the Company in His Majesty's Service, Under the Command of James Sayward, Esq., Captain," and a part of the Order-Book, are still preserved. He entered the service as captain, March 4, and was discharged Dec. 15, 1762, and received £ 92 - 4 - 11 for ten months and seven days' service. He and Thaddeus Trafton were the only men in the company who were not charged with beer in settling their final account. Captain Sayward was the only man who had drawn no pay until the discharge of the company.

Thaddeus Trafton of York was lieutenant. James Dillaway and James Allen, both of York, Elijah Lewis of Hingham and Alexander Gerrish of Berwick, were sergeants. Jonathan Hart of Falmouth, was drummer and there were forty-two privates, viz:

Jonathan Allen of Falmouth. Jeremiah Abbott, Barwick. Nath'l Abbott, Barwick. Tho. Anderson, Falmouth. Josiah Beal, York. Jos'h Dill, York. Wm. Dealing, Wells. Jas Emmery, Kittery. Paul Ford, Barwick. Jno. Ford, Do.

Edmond Bridges, Do. Eleaz'r Forguson, Kittery. Will'm Babb, Do. Phineas Forguson, Do. Amazi'h Goodwin, York. Jos'h Bracy, Do. Sam'l Bracy, Do. Patri'k Gowen, Barwick. Moses Butler, of Barwick. Jos'h Goodridge, Do. Jos. Bradbury, of York. Joshua Goodridge, Do. Dan'l Bragdon, Martin Grant, York. Zach'h Bragdon, Do. Ebenz'r Grant, Do. Rich'd Bangs, Sam'l Grover, Do. Do. Jacob Boyden, Do. Benj. Grover, Do. Wm. Gerrish, Kittery. Wm. Baley, of Falmouth. Josiah Cocks, Char. Hutchins, York. John Cross, Barwick. Jno. Hodgdon, Barwick. Arthur Dillaway, York. Joshua Hamilton. Do. Nath'l Carter, Saco. Patrick Haley, Kittery. Jos'h Challis, Falmouth. Nich. Henderson, Do.

The captain received $\pounds 9$, the lieutenant $\pounds 5$, the sergeants 37s-7d, and the privates 36s per month.

The members of the company spent a large part of their earnings with Greenleaf & Cutler, the sutlers. Each private had fourteen shillings charged to him for beer.

The following orders are from the Order Book of Captain Sayward:

"HALIFAX, 19th July, 1762.

G Orders.

Parole Abbington.

For the day tomorrow Capt. Hay. The guards and working Parties as usuall.

The 77th Gives the officers for the main Guard tomorrow. The troops are to hold themselves in readyness to encamp at a moment's warning.

After Order half Past 10 o'clock.

Lieut. Colo'l Winslow with 2 Capt'ns, 6 Subbs, 8 Serg'ts, 8 Corp'ls, and 200 Private men of Colo'l Hoar's Provinciall regement, with arms and ammunition Compleat, To march to morrow morning at 6 o'clock to the Slips on the Beach in Order to Embark For Cornwallis Island.

All The regulars off duty to Parade to morrow at the usuall hour for the works.

R Order,—For the day tomorrow Capt'n Sayward, Lieut. Weston, Lieut. Lowder, Ens'n Flagg."

Regt Orders,— July 22, 1762.

That a Regementall Court marshall Be held Imediately For the tryall of all Prisoners that shall Be Brot Before them.

Captain Sayward, President.

Lieut. Jackson,
Lieut. Martyn.

| Martyn. | Members. | Lieut. Lowder,
| Ens'n Flagg.

Parole Winchester.

R. O. For the day tomorrow Capt. Sayward, Lt. Weston, Lt. Low-der, Ensign Flagg."

"27th July, 1762.

G Orders,-

Parole Exeter.

The guns on the Batterey at Point Pleasant are to be Scall'd to morrow morning and the New England Troops Encamped at Point Pleasant are to Post a Centry on the Magazeen with Orders not to suffer any person to meddle with any of the Ordnance Stores or the Batterys except those who are permitted By Capt. Ferguson commanding the royal attillery.

R Orders,— For the day tomorrow Capt. Sayward, Lieut. Trafton, Lieut. Cheever,"

August 2d, 1762

G Orders,— Parole Abergavenenny.

The detachment of Colo'l Hoares Regement at Cornwallis Island is to return Imediately to Town and Encampon their old Ground at the Back of the Citadell hill.

R. Orders,— For the day tomorrow Capt. Sarward, Lieut. Trafton, Lieut. Cheever.

"Proceedings of A Garison Court Martial held by Order of Col. Foster, Halifax, 18 Oct., 1762.

Capt. Sayward, President.

Lieut. West, Lieut. Tuckerman.

Lieut. Gillispie, Ensign Mackdoneld. | Members.

Joseph Foster of the provencials, confind by William Lloyd, conducter, for Disobaying his Orders and striking him in the Fortification Lumber Yard.

He pleads not guilty.

Mr. Lloyd Informes the court that he bad the prisoner on the 16th Instant put down his tools, but he refused & persisted in carrying them away, upon which he took hold of him & the prisoner scuttled with him till blows Insued on both sides.

Corporal Forgusin Informs that he heard Mr. Lloyd tell the prisoner to lay down the tools, but he was going off with them, upon which Mr. Lloyd took hold of him & took them from him, and struck him, the prisoner, with his thumb rule, upon which the prisoner took hold of Mr. Lloyd by the Brest and held him off from him but did not see the prisoner strike Mr. Lloyd but afterward Mr. Lloyd threw him down.

The prisoner in his Desence says the tools he had was not any that they were at Work with, & that he was going to lay them Aside with the rest of the tools.

Its the oppinion of the Court that the prisoner is guilty of the first part of the crime, but on Considering that he was beat & Abus'd by Mr. Lloyd, do Acquit him."

After his discharge from the service, he went to New Bristol, on Frenchman's Bay, and resided at a place called "York township near Mount Desert," where he died of "nervous fever," August 6, 1774. After his death his wife and children returned to York, but had a very hard journey and were near starving on the way.

He m. Berthula, daughter of Dea. John Bradbury, of York. They were published April 19, 1746.
Children:

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1. Esther, b. Jan. 12, 1747.
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       11. Jerusha, b. Feb. 9, 1749.
      111. James, b. Dec. 9, 1751.
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       iv. Infant, d. e.
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        v. Sarah, b. May 16, 1757.
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       vi. Berthula, b. Dec 9, 1760.
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                                          Born at New Bristol.
      v11. Abigail, b. May 30, 1765.
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     vIII. Mary, b. May 24, 1771.
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29. EBENEZER, b. Sept. 10, 1727, third son of John (12) and Mary (Bane) Sayward, lived in York. He is described in a deed in 1749, as "husbandman."

In 1751 he was elected a constable but declined to serve and presented John Leavitt as a substitute, who was accepted and qualified.

He was elected field driver 1753, Grand juryman 1768. Petit juror and highway surveyor 1772. Petit juror 1779 and highway surveyor 1781. He d. at York, April, 1783. His will, dated Mch 30, 1782, was proved April 21, 1783.

He married Mary, daughter of Capt. Thomas Bragdon of York, Nov. 16, 1749. She d. Jan. 14, 1781.

Children:

- 65 I. John, b. Oct. 4, 1750.
- 66 11. Theodore, b. Feb. 4, 1753.
- 67 III. Hannah, b. June 2, 1755; m. Benj. Trafton, of Alfred.
- 68 Iv. Jonathan, b. Nov. 27, 1758.
- 69 v. Mary, bap. April 8, 1764.
- 70 vi. Henry, b. May 4, 1766; d. Nov. 20, 1788; unm.
- 71 vii. Ebenezer, bap. July 12, 1767.
- 72 viii. Mercy, bap. April 15, 1770; m. John Traston.
- 73 ix. Samuel, b. Feb. 14, 1773.
- 33. Jonathan, eldest son of Joseph (13) and Mary (Webber) Sayward, resided in York, Me. In a deed dated April 9, 1735, he describes himself as "Laborer," and in a deed July 19, 1740, as "Coaster" and in 1750 as "Trader." He began to take an interest in public affairs early in life. He was chosen town clerk, Dec. 23, 1736, and constable 1741. He enlisted in the expedition against Louisburg in 1745, and was commissioned by Gov. Sherley to command the sloop "Sea Flower." His commission reads as follows:

WILLIAM SHIRLEY, ESQ.

Captain-General and Governour in Chief in and over His Majesty's Province of the Maffachufetts Bay in New England.

"To Jonathan Sayward, Marriner, Greeting. Being inform'd of your Ability and Fitnefs to serve as Master of a Transport-Veffel in the Expedition against Cape Breton, I do hereby authorize and impower you to take upon you the Charge and duty of Master of the Sloop Sea Flower, taken up for His Majesty's Service as a transport in said Expedition; and to officiate in all Things proper to your Duty in the said Officers, willing and commanding the other Officers and the Company on board the said Sloop to behave themselves with all due Respect and Obedience to you; and yourfelf to observe and sollow such Orders and Directions as you shall from time to time receive from the Commander in Chief of the Forces in sd Exped'n or from the Principal Commanding officer by sea.

"And for your faid Place and Office of Mafter of the faid Sloop this shall be your sufficient Warrant Given under My Hand and Seal, at Boston, the Seventh Day of March, 1744.

"In the Eighteenth Year of his Majefty's Reign.

W. Shirley."

He took part in the capture of Louisburg and brought home some rare china ware, two very large candle-sticks, a pair of andirons, a warming pan and brass tongs, all of which are now in a good state of preservation in the possession of one of his descendants, George O. Barrell, of York.

He was a committee to sort and count votes in 1749 and 1750, and sealer of wood and highway surveyor in 1752.

He was appointed a Justice of the Peace for York County, Nov. 20, 1761, and was reappointed in 1763 and 1774.

In 1762 he was on a committee to build a work-house.

He was chosen representative to the General Court in 1766, 7 and 8.

The following letter to Gov. Hutchinson indicates the interest he took in trying to improve himself and the practice in the courts, which in those days was very loose and uncertain.

"York, October 6th, 1770.

Honord Sir:

I remember with gratitude the obligation you have laid me under in the late appointments of justices in our county. I am sure of their abilities and Disposition to do all the good they can.

"Give me leave to hint an affair to your Honor for the good and use of all the Justices of the Province, which is this: there is no Direct and Particular Plan of Duty Pointed out that I know of for a Justice his rule to bring on and carry a Pross. unless he can pick it up out of our law or some authority which are calculated more for the Island of Great Britain than for us: however, we in the country cannot borrow those authoritys, nor are we at hand with Persons Cappable of giving advice, though to our honor, I may say we have some in the

country that are connissieurs in the Duty of their office: if your honor would advise that some would undertake to publish a small tract on that subject, it would add to the many obligations the province are under already to you. The late Mr. Gridley took in subscription for that purpose. Perhaps he partly executed his plan before his death; if so, that might be got and the sooner finished I think it would not only be a public good, but that the author might raise a Personal benefit. Our dependence on Mr. Gridley's performance Prevented our Laying out for other helps. I submit the whole to your Honor's consideration, and now say one word on Polliticks, this hath been the cry with us, better the ministry take away our Priviliges than we give them away, my answer is they had better take them than we throw them away, which in my weak oppinion we are doing fast. I am with all submission your Honor's most obliged and obedient Servant,

Jonathan Sayward.

To The Honorable Thomas Hutchinson, Esq."

Mch 18, 1772, Gov. Hutchinson appointed him a Special Justice of the Court of Common Pleas and Judge of Probate for York County. The following is a copy of his commission:



"George the Third, by Grace of God, of Great Britain, France and Ireland, King, defender of the Faith and to our Trusty and Well beloved Jonathan Sayward, Esquire, Greeting.

T. Hutchinson,

"We in your loyalty, prudence and ability very much confiding, have constituted and appointed and do by these Presents constitute and appoint you to be Judge for taking the Probate of Wills of all and every person or persons deceased or that shall hereafter decease being at the time of death, dwellers or residents of the County of York, within our Provence of Massachusetts Bay, having goods, chattels, rights credits or estate in the Same county. And also for granting Letters of Administration on the goods, chattels, rights and estate of all and every Person or Persons being dwellers or residents as aforesaid in the County of York who have or hereafter shall die intestate.

"And we do hereby authorize and Impower you to audit, examine and allow the accompts of Executors, Administrators and to order the distribution of estates of Intestates in the County aforesaid according to the Laws of our Province aforesaid, and to make out all such

processes or Orders and determinations with reference to the Premises and every thing necessarily depending thereon as is proper and usual in the like cases and to do and perform in the county aforesaid all and whatsoever to the office of a Judge of Probate of Wills and for granting Letters of Administration, doth of right appertain.

"In testimony whereof We have caused the public seal of the Province of Massachusetts Bay aforesaid to be hereto affixed.

Witness, Thomas Hutchinson, Esq., Governor and Commander in Chief of our said Province, at Boston, the eighteenth day of March, 1772.

In the twelfth year of our Reign,

"By his Excellency's command with the advice and consent of the Council. Thos. Flacker, Secy.

Province of the April 14, 1772.

Massachusett Bay. Jonathan Sayward, Esq..

within named, took the Oaths appointed by act of Parliament to be taken instead of the Oaths of allegiance & Supremacy, repeated & Subscribed the Test or declaration in the act contained together with the Oath of adjuration and also took the Oath respecting the Bills of credit of the Neighboring governments and the Oaths of office.

Before me R. Sparhawk, Appointed by Dedimus."

He was for many years extensively engaged in shipping with Dr. Sayer of Wells and at one time owned about twenty vessels, which were employed in the Southern and West India trade. He was one of the most extensive land owners in York and was one of the proprietors of the town of Shapleigh, Me. He was a leader in the church and one of the ruling elders and highly esteemed by his townsmen. When the Revolution broke out, he had five or six vessels and several cargoes in the West Indies and eight or ten thousand dollars invested in personal securities on the income of which he enjoyed a satisfactory and honorable independence, but all was swept away in the struggle for Independence.

During the early excitement of the Revolution, Judge Sayward was suspected of adherence to the King, and when the new appointments were made, he was not among the new appointees. The offices

which he held under the royal government and the large amount he had invested in commerce, made him cautious and conservative concerning the first Revolutionary measures.

But however much he may have been distrusted in the early days of the great struggle, he seems to have regained the confidence of his townsmen for in 1780 he was elected moderator of the town meeting, May 22 and Oct. 17.

He was auditor of selectmen's accounts in 1782.

Moderator, April 7, 1783.

Moderator, June 15, 1784.

He died May 8, 1797, and was buried in the old burying ground in York village. The inscription on his grave-stone is as follows, viz:

"In memory of Jonathan Sayward, Esq., Amiable and Social in address: instructive and entertaining in conversation: benevolent, charitable and pious, uniting the Gentlemen and Christian. Various offices, civil, judicial and ecclesiastical with honor and reputation sustained, he died May 8, 1797, æ 84."

The following obituary is from the Columbian Centinel, Saturday, June 3, 1797:

"At York, on the 8th ult., at his seat there, Jonathan Sayward, Esq., in the 84th year of his age.

He was descended from ancestors distinguished for piety. His mental powers were strong and brilliant: for although destitute of a liberal education he acquired an extensive knowledge of men and things. He was several years a representative in the General Court: and in various judicial departments in the county.

"The office of a ruling elder in the church he sustained at his death. His hospitality to strangers and his liberal distribution of the good things of this life (which a kind Providence had bestowed on his laudable exertions.) among the needy and necessitous, many, very many, with gratitude and pleasure recollect. The social and useful manner of receiving and enter taining his numerous and extensive acquaintances and connections, which he uniformly exhibited through life, was peculiar to himself, and in which few. if any, exceeded and rendered him uncommonly agreeable to all classes of people. His exemplary behavior in the possession and practice of those duties which

adorn the Christian character, was apparent in every place and station in which he was called to officiate. A very large and respectable collection of citizens on the 11th ultimo, with undissembled marks of esteem, respect and affection, attended the interment of this amiable good man."

His will is as follows, viz:

"I Jonathan Sayward of York, in the County of York, Esqr., being of sound mind and memory, but considering the uncertainty of these, and other earthly enjoyments, do make this Instrument in writing to be my last Will and Testament, and my Estate, Real & personal, after my Just debts and funeral expenses are paid and satisfied, which I desire may be done in Convenient time after my decease, I give and devise as follows, viz:

Imprimis,— I give and bequeath to my only child, Sarah Barrell, the wife of Nathaniel Barrell, Esq'r, Twenty Pounds in Cash, to be paid her prefently after my decease. I also give her one Bed & bedding to use and dispose of as she pleases. I likewise direct my Executor to pay her annually the Interest that shall arife and accrue from Three hundred Pounds of my best securities during her life. I also give her my Farm in York, at a place called Beech Ridge, the Stock of Cattle and husbandry tools and utensils that may be found thereon. And the Wood lott near thereunto, which I purchased of Caleb Cushing Esqr. and about Twenty acres of Wood land laid out to me in Number Six of the second division of the Common lands, so called in York: to hold during the term of her natural life, the reversion and remainder thereof I give and bequeath to my Grandson, John Barrell, his heirs and assigns forever, provided he arrives to the age of Twenty one years, or should have ifsue of his body lawfully begotten; But in cafe my said Grandson should die under the age of twenty one years or without ifsue as aforesaid, liveing his Brother, George Barrell, then my Will is, that the said George Barrell shall have and hold the reverfion & remainder to him, his heirs and assigns forever in case he attains the age of twenty one years; or has ifsue of his body lawfully begotten, but in cafe said George shall die under the age of twenty one, and without ifsue as aforesaid, then my will is, that after the deceafe of my said Daughter, the said Premises be equally divided among the Children of my said Daughter, that shall arrive to the age of twenty one years, their several and respective Heirs and assigns forever.

Item,— I give and bequeath unto my Son in Law, Nathaniel Barrell, Esqr., a decent suit of apparrell for every part of his Body, as also the Walking cane he gave me.

Item,— I give and bequeath to Elizabeth, my Wife, in addition to the agreement made with her before marriage, Thirty Pounds in cash. I also give her one Bed, with one third part of the bedding, Sheeting and table linen, which she has or shall make, while she is my Wife: also one square mahogany Table, one tea table, one looking Glafs, a

Bearough, the Desk I bought of Capt. Hatch, Six mahogany Chairs, seated with green, a Japan Tea board, Shovell & Tongs, 1 pr hand Irons, a warming Pan, small brafs kettle, two large Silver Spoons and Six Silver Tea Spoons, one Iron Pot, one Tea kettle, one pail, a powdering tub and Pork Barrell with other small necessary house furniture.: One third part of liquors and provisions that may be in my House, or appropriated to my family's use at my decease; and all the household goods she bro't me at marriage, to dispose of as she pleases. I also give her during her Widowhood the North West end of my dwelling Houfe from the Garrett to the Cellar, inclusively; and authority to open a passage way from the West room, thro' the bedroom to the kitchen if she pleafes: one quarter part of the Garden called Nowell's Garden, the keeping of one cow Summer & winter, on my homestead, five C'rds of hard wood and five C'rds of hemlock or Pine to be delivered annually at the House; the use and improvement of my horfe & Shayse, in common with my executor, and a seat in my Pew, where she usually sits on the Sabbath, I also give her during the period aforesaid, the ufe and improvement of my Easy Chair, two leather chairs, and one cane chair.

Item, - I give and bequeath unto my Grandson, Jonathan Sayward Barrell my homested, with the buildings of every kind thereon & appurtenances thereunto belonging: the land I purchased of Sir William Pepperrell & Sufanna Prebble, called Nowell's field, & c., with about three fourths of an acre of land in Black's pasture, so called, purchased of said Sufanna my land at Cape Neck: the lands I purchased of Richard Milbery & Joseph Kingsbury, (chiefly woodland) the whole of my interest in the mills adjoining my homested, the House and acres of land in York I bought of James Horne, since deceafed, and the Pew in the meeting House my wife usually sits in (under the incumbrance to my wife as aforesaid) to hold to him, said Jonathan Sayward Barrell, his heirs and afsigns forever, provided he has Ifsue of his body, lawfully begotten; But in cafe my said grandson shall die without ifsue as aforesaid, liveing his brother George Barrell, then my will is that the said George Barrell shall have and hold the said described Premifes (under the incumbrance to my wife as aforesaid) to him, his heirs and afsigns forever, provided he has Ifsue of his body lawfully begotten, but in case the said George shall die without ifsue as aforesaid, then my will is that the said Premifes be divided among the children of my said Daughter and her my said Daughter, equally, their several and respective Heirs & assigns forever that is, my said Daughter is to have an equal share thereof, as one of her children and if any of her children shall be dead (at the time this Contingency shall happen) leaving Ifsue, such ifsue is to take the Share that its deceafed Parent would have taken, my clock, a large map of North America, the Family & other Pictures are to be taken and considered as appurtenant to my Mansion House. And it is my Will that in case by the limitation over as aforesaid, my Grandson George Barrell shall Inherit in Fee my homested, then the limitation over to him of the Real Estate at Beech Ridge, and the other lands therewith Connected devifed over to him upon the death of my Grandson, John Barrell, shall be Void and of no account, anything in my will notwithstanding: But the same shall vest equally in all the children of my said Daughter Barrell that shall survive her, and the Ifsue of such of 'em as shall be dead.

Item,— I give to my grandson, George Barrell, Two hundred Pounds of the three hundred, the Interest of which I have directed to be paid his mother during her natural life, provided he shall Inherit neither of the Real Estates devifed over to him upon the death of his Brother, as is in this my Will before mentioned: But if He, said George, shall Inherit in fee, either of the said estates by virtue of the limitation over to him as aforesaid: Then the said two hundred pounds is to be equally divided among all the children of my said Daughter Barrell, that shall survive her, and the lineal descendants of such of them as may decease before her, the lineal descendants to be recorded in the room of their deceased Parent.

Item,— I give to my Grand Daughter, Sally Sayward Theating, the sum of Twenty five Pounds in Addition to what she has already had.

Item,— to Ruth Sewall, the wife of Mofes Sewall, Twenty five Pounds, in addition to what I have already given her.

Item,— to Olive Emerson, the wise of Doc. Samuel Emerson, Twenty five pounds in addition to what I have already given her.

Item,— to Maria Moody, the wife of Joseph Moody, Twenty five Pounds in addition to what I have already given her.

Item,— to Hannah Barrell, and Charlotte Barrell, unmarried Daughters of my Daughter Barrell, I give and bequeath the Sum of Seventy five pounds each, upon their arriving to the age of Twenty one, or upon their marriage, if it should happen at an earlier period.

Item,— I give the Rev. Isaac Lyman ten pounds, and in case of his death before me, then I direct the said Sum to be paid his Widow.

Item,— to Richard Travett of York the Sum of five pounds as a mark of my respect and esteem for him.

Item,— in case my outstanding debts shall be insufficient to pay the several pecuniary legacies asoresaid the deficiency to be made up from the Sale of my out lands in the several Checks in York Commons, Which my executor is hereby fully authorized to make Sale of, for that purpose, according to his best discretion. The Pue I purchased of my brother Jeremiah, dec., in the meeting House in the first Parish, is to be and remain for the use of my Daughter and her children & descendants, as they may have Occasion to make use of it during her life.

Item,— the Refidue and remainder of my Estate, Real and Personal, not particularly herein given and bequeathed, I give, devife and bequeath to my Grandson Jonathan Sayward Barrell, his Heirs

and assigns forever, Subjected, however, to the paiment of the pecuniary legacies aforesaid, whom I constitute, make and appoint Executors of this my last Will and Testament hereby revoking and annulling all others heretofore made, as witness my hand and seal the 30th day of March, Seventeen hundred & ninety Three.

And as a doubt may arife whether, at the decease of my Daughter my Grandson George will be entitled to receive the two hundred pounds, before the contingency is ascertained respecting his Inheriting either of the Real Estates devised over to him—to remove which it is my intention, that presently after the decease of my said Daughter (in case George shall have attained the age of twenty one) the same two hundred pounds be paid over to him—and if he shall, after having received the same, in pursuance of the limitation over as asoresaid, Inherit either of the said Estates divised his brother—that the Real Estate thus taken by him shall stand charged with the said two hundred Pounds, or as much of it as he shall have antecedently received, for the uses and purposes before in my will expressed.

Signed, Sealed and declared by the Testator as his last Will & Testament in prefence of us Who Subscribed the same as Witnesses in his Prefence. David Sewall Nathaniel Sargent Daniel Sewall"

Jonathan Sayward. [seal] .

He m. (1) Sarah Mitchel, pub. Nov. 13, 1736. She d. Sept. 12, 1775. (2) Elizabeth,—d. Sept. 14, 1810. Children:

74. 1. Sarah, b. Jan. 22, 1738.

36. Henry, b. Mch 1, 1719, the third son of Elder Joseph (13) and Mary (Webber) Sayward, was a joiner by trade and lived and died in York. His will is dated May 24, 1748, and was probated Oct. 18, 1748.

"I Henry Sayward, of York, in the County of York, in the Province of the Massachusetts Bay in New England, Joyner, being thro the Goodness of God, of a Sound Mind & Memory at present, and apprehending my departure out of this Life is near by reason of my present bodily Indisposition, I do make this my last Will and Testament, as to what worldly good Things God has graciously been pleased to bestow upon me and accordingly after my just debts & funeral charges are paid, I do hereby dispose of my Estate, Real and Per-

sonal, as follows:

Impr.— I give & bequeath to my well beloved wife, Hannah Sayward, all my Real & personal Estate, she paying ye Legacies hereafter mentioned.

Item.— I give & bequeath to my only Daughter, Lydia Sayward, Four hundred pounds old tenor, equivalent to Fifty pounds Proclamation Money or coined Silver at Six Shillings and Eight pence an Ounce to be paid by my executrix when she Shall Come to the Age of Eighteen or time of her marriage.

Lastly,— I do appoint my well beloved Wife, Hannah Sayward, the Sole Executrix of this my last Will & Testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal this twenty fourth day of May in the year of our Lord God, One Thousand Seven Hundred and forty eight.

Memor'm. the words (old tenor) interlined before Signing & Sealing.

Henry Sayward. (seal)"

He m. Hannah, daughter of Samuel Sewall of York, Nov. 27, 1739.

Children:

75. I. Samuel, b. Nov. 6, 1740, probably d. y.

76. II. Lydia, b. July 5, 1743, m. Joseph Bragdon of York.

77. III. Hannah, b. Nov. 18, 1745, d. y.

37. JEREMIAH, b. Aug. 1721, fourth son of Elder Joseph (13) and Mary (Webber) Sayward, was a mariner.

He m. Elizabeth Weare, pub. Feb. 12, 1743. Children:

- 78. . 1. Mary, b. Nov. 10, 1744.
- 79. II. Jeremiah, b. June 4, 1747.
- 80. III. Elizabeth, b. Dec. 19, 1748.
- 81. IV. Joseph, b. Aug. 1, 1750.
- 82. v. Henry, b. Sept. 9, 1752, d. Nov. 20, 1788, unm.

4(). Samuel, b. Oct. 28, 1730, eldest son of Samuel (18) and Lucy (Norwood) Sayward, was a mariner and for many years was captain of a vessel sailing from Gloucester. He was pub. to Mary Sanders, Feb. 28, 1761, but m. widow Susannah Lord,

dau. of Elder Daniel Giddings of the Chebacco Parish, Ipswich, April 20, 1761. He died at Gloucester, Feb. 13, 1812.

Children:

- Susannah, b. June 7, 1762, m. Capt. Saunders of Glouces-83. ter and moved to Dresden Island, in the Kennebec river and reared a family of twelve or fourteen children.
- Samuel, b. July 2, 1763. He was a ship master and was 84. lost at sea. He was engaged to marry Susan Coos.
- Lucy, b. Feb. 3, 1765, m., 1st, John Foster, 2nd, B. K. 85. Hough, a prominent merchant of Gloucester.
- 86. IV.
- Daniel, b. Oct. 3, 1766. m dan h Cyrlers

 Jonathan, b. April 18, 1768, was a seaman and d. at sea, 87. unm.
- John, bap. Dec. 24, 1769. 88. VI.
- Judith, bap. Oct. 24, 1772, m. 1st, —Medicks, 2nd, How-VII. 89. ard B. Sargent.
- Henry, hap. June 5, 1774. 90. VIII.
- Epes, b.—was a shipmaster and d. at sea, unm. IX. 91.
- Mary, b.— d. unm. 92.
- Stover, b. April 19, 1741, son of Henry (20) and Abigail (Sargent) Sayward, was a sea captain. He m. Sarah, dau. of James and Deborah Sawyer, of Gloucester, Dec. 13, 1763.

Children:

- 1. James Stover, b. Sept. 18, 1764. 93.
- 11. Abigail, b. Aug. 23, 1766. 94.
- James, b. Oct. 4, 1767. 95.
- Deborah, b. Dec. 4, 1769. 96. IV.
- Sarah, bap. Mch 15, 1772. v. 97.
- Mollie Sargent, bap. July, 1774. 98. VI.
- Stover, bap. Aug. 4, 1775. VII. 99.
- Joseph, b. Sept. 10, 1732, eldest son of Joseph (22) and Sarah (Giddings) Sayward, was captain of a vessel sailing from Gloucester, in early life. He was keeper of Thatcher's Island lights for nineteen He m. Abigail Smith, pub. Sept. 13, 1755.

He d. April, 1814,aged 82. His widow d. June 9, 1814. Children:

- 1. Joseph, b. Sept. 9, 1759. The record of Markey.

 11. James, b. June 5, 1761. The Eliza Witham 100.
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- III. Benjamin, b. Feb. I, 1763. m Jenne Laten
 IV. William, b. Jan. 8, 1765. m shape Ingentle 103.
- v. Elizabeth, b. Oct. 20, 1767. 104.
- vi. Abigail, b. Nov. 19, 1769. 105.
- VII. Pamelia, b. Mch 20, 1773. m rm Ortes jan 7, 1791 (Int.) 106.

48. James, b. Nov. 5, 1734, second son of Joseph (22) and Sarah (Giddings) Sayward, was a mariner. He d. of smallpox in a foreign port about 1760. He m. Abigail Westway, pub. Sept. 30, 1756. Children:

- 1. Sarah, b. July 31, 1757, m. James Rowe.
- 11. Mollie West, b. Aug. 4, 1759, m. David Luskin, June 21, 108. 1780.

56. George, bap. May 27, 1753, was the fourth son of Joseph (22) and Sarah (Giddings) Sayward. He was second Lieutenant in the first company of Artillery and was stationed at Gloucester in 1777, under Capt. William Ellery. He was discharged in December, 1777, and reinlisted. He was one of the party engaged in the destruction of the tea in Boston Harbor. He served in the army and was present at the surrender of Cornwallis. He resided in Gloucester until 1784, when he removed to Thomaston, Me., where he d., 1836.

He m. Susannah Palfrey, Feb. 14, 1774. She was b. July 18, 1753, and d. Dec. 26, 1843.

Children:

- 109. 1. Lydia, b. Oct. 18, 1774, m. Moses Keller of St. George, Me. She d. Jan. 25, 1873.
- 11. George, b. July 6, 1776. 110.

- 111. John, b. Feb. 22, 1778, d. Nov. 10, 1798.
- 112. IV. Sally, b. July 15, 1780, m 1st, Matthew Keller, 2nd Isaac Hill. d. July 15, 1862.
- 113. v. Richard, b. July 15, 1782.
- 114. vi. William, b. June 11, 1784.
- 115. VII. Susan, b. April 22, 1786, m. James Littlehale of Union, Me., died Oct. 20, 1858.
- 116. VIII. Judith, b. June 15, 1789, m. Abiel Gay.
- 117. 1x. Joseph, b. May 9, 1792.
- 118. x. James, b. Oct. 6, 1794, lost at sea off Cape Cod, 1830.

FIFTH GENERATION.

59. James, b. Dec. 9, 1751, was the eldest son of James (28) and Berthula (Bradbury) Sayward. He was at New Bristol with his father and after his marriage resided in Castine, then called Bigaduce, and was engaged in lumbering until the troubles of the Revolution began to thicken, when he was compelled to leave early in 1775. He started for York on a dark and tempestuous night in an open boat, taking his wife, a little babe, and such household goods as he could carry, and coasted along the shore by night, and laid in the woods during the day to avoid the British Cruisers which were then hovering about the coast and reached York after a long journey.

The following poem, written by Miss S. Jennie Sayward, was read at the reunion of his descendants held on the Sayward Farm in Shapleigh, Me., Aug. 28, 1884.

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As mist indriven before the coming gale, Enfolds the mountains, fields and running streams, So night, the harbinger of coming dreams, Enwrapped the trees that stood like warriors hale Round Bigaduce; the night was dark and wild; The starry heavens with weeping clouds were veiled: The trees, by rude winds swept, like banshees wailed, Or moaning, tossed like a weary suffering child, Across the threshold of his much loved home, With wife and sleeping babe, our ancestor, Passed out to brave the night and raging war. 'Tween earth and sky;—the time they feared had come, When England's yoke too heavy bore, her friends, Too near, too glad to further all her ends.

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With one sad gaze where each familiar thing. Each rock and bush, the favorite tree close by, There stood outlined against an inky sky. They turned where stately ships with snowy wings, Today, move down Penobscot to the sea, More safe with winds and waves than British foe. While rolling waves mount high and fierce winds blow, They launch their craft in quest of liberty. The angry winds drive their frail bark like down Before a summer gale; the waves defy, And death beneath their seething foam seems nigh. Still other ills they feared than Storm King's frown, For British cruisers coasted near the land To see that none might reach a friendlier band.

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With anxious heart they kept their weary way,
And who shall tell their fears, as through the night,
Some ship sails near, their rising hopes to blight,
Or through their hearts what terrors crept by day,
When, hid from British eyes within the sheltering wood,
No food they find each day but berries wild,
No shade, but God's own roof-tree, undefiled;
No rest, but where wild beasts before have stood.
But danger o'er, they rest with friends at last.
Those days are o'er, thank God for freedom won!
Thank God, our native land, oppression's done!
The years it felt it's iron heel have passed.
The Bell of Independence pealed it's knell
Long years ago; take heart for us, 'tis well!

4.

Our ancestor sought and found another home. Today we stand upon it's soil and view
The selfsame hills and vales that once he knew,
The brooklet near, above, the sky's blue dome;
But he has gone before, with many a friend
Who since has climbed these hills and roamed these fields.
O'er us, her mighty sceptre memory wields
And brings back many a dear one gone, whose end
Was peace;—from many a home we've come today
To meet dear friends and clasp the kindly hand.
We welcome all and when for us Life's sand
Is run, our earth work all well done, we pray
In heaven, where'll reunite God's family,
That we may spend a glad eternity.

Early in the same year he moved his family

to Shapleigh, Me., and settled in the southeastern part of the town on the farm since owned by Lindsey. He resided there until about 1783, when he bought the "Sayward Farm" in Shapleigh, where he built a log cabin, moved his family into it and began to clear the wilderness.

He is described as being about five feet eleven inches in height and weighing about one hundred and seventy pounds. He had light complexion and dark brown hair which was very thick and gray at his death. He was noted for his skill with the axe and in sawing lumber. He was a great reader and, for the times, had a considerable library. In those days books were rare and costly and newspapers scarcely known outside of the large towns. He had among other works, a bible, Paradise Lost, Tale of a Tub, Dodridge's Rise and Progress of Religion in the Soul, Familiar Letters, Johnson's Dictionary, The Vicar of Wakefield and the Book of Common Prayer. He was a subscriber to the Weekly Visitor, a newspaper printed at Kennebunk, Me.

He was amiable and cheerful, a good conversationalist and a very entertaining and pleasant companion. His wife was Amy Joy, of Saco, whom he m. 1774. She was quite tall, with a fine form, and was a woman of queenly appearance. She was b. Dec. 18, 1744, and d. Mch 6, 1837; he d. Aug. 7, 1829. Both are buried on the old homestead in Shapleigh, Me.

Children:

- 119. 1. James, b. May 19, 1775, at Castine,
- 120. II. Abigail, b. June 23, 1777, d. Aug. 22, 1779.
- 121. III. Benjamin, b. Sept. 30, 1780.
- 122. Iv. Berthula, b. Nov. 3, 1782, d. Nov. 12, 1782.

- 123. v. Ama, b. Feb. 9, 1784, m. 1st. Phineas Low, 1823.
 2nd. James Randall.
 d. May 22, 1858.
- 124. vi. William, b. Aug. 31, 1786.
- 125. VII. Nathaniel, b. Oct. 12, 1790.

The second reunion of the descendants of James and Amy Sayward was held at the Old Homestead in Shapleigh, Me., August 7th, 1889. A Large number were present who spent the forenoon in rambling about the old farm and visiting the places of interest. At noon the company assembled in the maple grove where dinner was served.

After dinner, on account of a thunder storm, the company adjourned to the barn, where Charles A. Sayward, of Ipswich, delivered an interesting address on the history of the Sayward family.

The following poem was revised fo the occasion by Miss S. Jennie Sayward:

The Old Homestead.

Welcome, ye pleasant dales and hills,
Where happy passed my youthful days,
Ye cliffs and glens and laughing rills,
That sing unconscious hymns of praise;
Welcome. ye woods with tranquil bowers,
Embathed in summer's golden sheen,
Where careless childhood gathered flowers
And slept on mossy carpets green.

The same bright sunshine gently plays
About the porch and orchard trees;
The garden sleeps in noontide haze,
Lulled by the murmur of the bees;
The sloping meadows stretch away
To upland fields and wooded hills,
The soft blue sky of peaceful day
Looks down upon the homestead still.

I hear the humming of the wheel— Strange music of the days gone byI hear the clicking of the reel,
Once more I hear the spindle fly.
How then I wondered at the thread
That narrowed from the snowy wool,
Much more to see the pieces wed
And wind upon the whirling spool!

I see the garret once again,
With rafter, beam, and knotty floor.
I hear the pattering of the rain
As summer clouds go drifting o'er,
The little window toward the west
Still keeps its web and buzzing flies,
And from the cozy childhood nest
Jack's beanstalk reaches to the skies.

I see the circle gathered 'round
The open fire-place glaring bright,
While birchen sticks with crackling sound
Send forth a rich and ruddy light;
The window-sill is filled with sleet,
The maples crack before the blast,
But warm hearts make the contest sweet
Sheltered from storm, secure and fast.

Oh! loved ones of the long ago,
Where memories hang in golden frames
Resting beneath the maple's glow,
Where few e'er read your chiselled names,
Come back, as on that winter night
And fill the vacant chairs of mirth!
Ah me! the dream is all too bright,
And ashes lie upon the hearth.

Below the wood, beside the spring,

Two little children are at play,

And hope, that bird of viewless wing,

Sings in their hearts the livelong day;

The acorns patter at their feet,

The squirrel chatters 'neath the trees,

And life and love are all complete—

They hold Aladdin's lamp and keys.

And, sister, now your children come To wander near our favorite pool;

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And though 'tis changed and hid from sight,
The fountain gurgles o'er with joy,
And pours its waters just as bright
As in those days without alloy.

No other spring in all the world
Is half so clear, and cool, and bright;
No other leaves by autumn curled,
Reflect for me such golden light.
Of childhood's faith this is the shrine;
I kneel beside it now, as then;
And, though the spring's no longer mine,
I kiss its cooling lips again.

The dear old home! once more we meet

To find each well-remembered spot,
Old friends and stranger ones to greet

While memory speaks of others ne'er forgot.

Five times the horologe of time

Since last we met, has struck the year;

Five times its knell, with solemn chime

Has floated to the listening ear.

Old home! loved ones we miss to day
Who met with us five years ago.
We miss their forms along the way,
Their voices where the waters flow,
As to earth's ties we bid adieu,
And life, and parting scenes are o'er,
Old home, not here, but in the new,
We'll greet our friends who've gone before.

65. John, b. Oct. 4, 1750, eldest son of Ebenezer (29) and Mary (Bragdon) Sayward, was a farmer and millwright. He left York in 1770 with a company of emigrants and settled in that part of Sanford, now Alfred, Me., where he purchased five hundred acres of land on the middle branch of the Mousam river, on which he erected a saw-mill, and with his brother Ebenezer was extensively engaged in the lumber business for many years. He owned a large farm on the Mountain Road where he resid-

ed. He owned at his death about one thousand acres of land.

He m. 1, Elizabeth Trafton of York, Dec. 12, 1776. She d. Oct. 30, 1823. 2, Sarah Lewis of Alfred, Dec. 1, 1824. She d. Feb. 29, 1840. He d. Sept. 28, 1836, and was buried by the side of his first wife in the family lot on his farm in Alfred, Me. Children:

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126. I. Henry, b. May 16, 1778.
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- 127. II. Hannah, b. Jan. 20, 1780, m. Nathaniel Farnham.
- 128. III. John, b. Oct. 20, 1783.
- 129. Iv. Mary, b. June 20, 1785, d. Feb. 1, 1808. unm.
- 130. v. Joseph, b. June 20, 1787.
- 131. vi. Rusus, b. May 19, 1789.

66. Theodore, b. Feb. 4, 1753, second son of Ebenezer (29) and Mary (Bragdon) Sayward, was a mariner. He owned "a house and land adjoining the county road leading to the Great Bridge over the York River" which he purchased of Cotton Bradbury, May 5, 1781. He sold these premises to John Savage, March 22, 1783, and soon after moved with his family to Georgetown, Me. He was lost at sea about 1800. He m. Lucy Donnell of York, Feb. 25, 1775. She d. at Bath, Me., 1820.

Children:

- 132. I. Theodore.
- 133. II. James, was a mariner, lost at sea, unm.
- 134. III. Lucy, b. 1778, d. at Bath 1841, unm.
- 135. iv. Mary, b. 1779.
- 136. v. Luther, d. in Cuba, unm.
- 137. vi. Abby, m. Robert Treavett. Lived and d. in Wiscasset.
- 138. v11. Sarah, b. 1783, d. at Bath 1857, unm.
- 139. v111. Susan, m. (1) Joseph Allen of Waterboro, Me., (2) Tristram Scribner. She d. May 23, 1831.
- 140. 1x. Samuel, b. 1790.
- 141. x. Hannah, b. 1796, m. Darius Wilds, d. Jan. 15, 1859.

68. Jonathan, b. Nov. 27, 1758, third son of Ebenezer (29) and Mary (Bragdon) Sayward, was a mariner and was captain of several vessels. In the Revolution he was a member of Capt. Samuel Leighton's company in the regiment under command of Col. Ebenezer Francis and was discharged at Dorchester Heights, Nov., 1777. June 29, 1780, he again enlisted and was discharged Dec. 6, 1780.

During the war of 1812 he was engaged in privateering. His vessel was captured by the British and he was taken prisoner and carried to Halifax and imprisoned for some time but finally escaped.

He declared that he would never be imprisoned again by the British.

In 1814, soon after he returned home, he again went to sea in command of a privateer, which was soon after captured by the enemy and a prize crew placed on board and the vessel ordered to sail for some harbor on the coast of Nova Scotia. One night while all the prize crew except the watch, were asleep, Jonathan Sayward proposed to one of his crew named Benson, who belonged in Portsmouth, N. H., that they two should kill the two men in charge of the vessel and release their comrades who were confined in the hold, and overpower the prize crew and take the vessel home.

It was a bold proposition and one requiring great nerve and determination to execute. Benson agreed to the proposition. Each armed himself with a sword and selected his man and at a signal Jonathan Sayward struck down his man, but Benson faltered, an alarm was raised, the prize crew rallied, and on learning the facts, killed Sayward on the spot and threw his body overboard.

It is said that Benson, after his release, returned to Portsmouth, where he soon after became insane from brooding over his failure to carry out the part assigned him, which cost his friend his life.

Jonathan Sayward had two wives but there is no record or legend who his first wife was, or when or where he married her, but they had the following children:

142. I. John.

143. II. A daughter who ma Mr. Roberts.

Jan. 13, 1790, he m. Anna Low of Gloucester, by whom he had

144. I. Jonathan, bap. May 7, 1791.

145. II. Betsey, m Theodore Grant of York.

146. III. Hannah, bap. June 26, 1798, m. Jesse Young of York, Oct. 24, 1819,

After the death of her husband Anna Sayward lived with her husband's brother. Samuel Sayward, on the old Sayward homestead on Cider Hill in York, where she died May 13, 1817, aged fifty-seven.

71. EBENEZER, bap. July 12, 1767, fifth son of Ebenezer (29) and Mary (Bragdon) Sayward, moved from York to Sanford with his brother John and owned a large tract of land in that town. He owned part of the saw-mill with his brother on the middle branch of the Mousam river and carried on an extensive lumber business. In public affairs he took an active part and in 1794-5-6-7 was elected constable of Alfred and was afterward appointed deputy sheriff of York County and was keeper of the jail at Alfred for many years.

He m. Tabitha Trafton of York, Nov. 27, 1788. Children:

147. 1., Theodore, 1790.

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148. 11. Hannah, b. 1791, m. John Phillips of Kittery, Me.
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73. Samuel, b. Feb. 14, 1773, the youngest child of Ebenezer (29) and Mary (Bragdon) Sayward, was a farmer and lived in York on the farm at Cider Hill, granted to Henry Sayward in 1667. He m. Mary, dau. of Edward Moulton, of York, Mar. 1, 1818, and died without issue Sept. 29, 1829. On the day before his death he conveyed all his real estate to his nephew, Rufus Sayward of Alfred, Me. His widow d. 1833.

74. Sarah, b. Jan. 22, 1738, only child of Jonathan (33) and Sarah (Mitchell) Sayward, was a great belle in her time and was the general favorite of the village. About 1756 she met Nathaniel Barrell, then a merchant at Portsmouth, N. H., where he was born July 21, 1732. The parties became interested and the acquaintance ripened into a marriage engagement. But their experience was like that of many other couples, as appears from the following letter written by the young lady and addressed

"To Mr. Nathaniel Barrell

Merchant In Portsmouth.

Mr. Barrell.

I sincerely condole you under your Indisposition & Thought I said enough to your Brother to convince him I felt the most tender

^{149. 111.} Susannah, 1793, d. 1808.

^{150.} IV. Samuel, b. Nov. 4, 1795.

^{151.} v. Ebenezer, b. April 20, 1798.

^{152.} vi. Jonathan, b. 1800.

^{153.} vii. Henry, b. 1802, d. y.

^{154.} viii. Susan. b. 1804, m. Joel Young of York.

solicitude on that account, My being abroad I imagined a sufficient apology for not writing you. Your accusations are certainly very unkind & pardon me if I should suppose your disorder has made you pevish.

"But I hope you will soon have a recruit of health & good humour & in person congratulate me on the recovery from the Toothache which this day prevents my attendence on publick worship. An hour's Indisposition convinces me more of the vanity of this world than a thousand lectures from the Desk. I fear your expectations from terrestrial things are too sanguine & that you have not yet credited that melancholy truth that all below the sun is vanity. May this short indisposition, as Heaven grant it may prove, have this happy effect & put you on the pursuit of more lasting & superior Joys. Joys more suitable to the dignity of our Rational and Immortal nature than any thing this world can furnish us with & you will have no reason to regret it. Romantick as you Insintuate my conduct to you has been, I shall never require any proofs of your affection. Inconsistent with the Christian and the Gentleman. Pray be so great a novelty as a Rational Lover for the future & let no Crimea of your fragrant Invention wreck your quiet.

I ain your

Delia

P. S. Excuse Tatitology & Impertenance if you can read this. if not bring it to York & I will stand Linhester."

They were married at the judge's mansion in York, Nov. 23, 1758. They resided in Portsmouth for several years and then moved to York and resided on the farm now owned by Charles C. Barrell Esquire, where she d. April 23, 1805, and he April 4, 1831, aged ninety nine years.

Children:

- Sally Sayward, b. Oct. 1, 1759, m. (1) Richard Keaton, Nov. 23, 1778, (2) A. Wood, Oct. 28, 1804. She d. June 6, 1855.
- 11. Nathaniel, b. Mch 4. 1764, d. Sept. 16. 1765.
- 111. Ruthy, b. June 22, 1765. m. (1) Moses Sewall. Feb. 7, 1786. (2) Arnold, Mch 7, 1814. She d. May 25, 1848.
- 1v. Betsey, b. Feb. 22, 1767, d. Feb. 27, 1767.
- v. Olive, b. Feb. 9, 1768, m. Samuel Emerson. Aug. 15, 1791, d. June 13, 1844.
- vi. Maria, b. Oct. 23, 1769, m. Joseph Moody. Oct. 14, 1792, d. Oct. 7 1860.
- vii. Jonathan Sayward, b. Feb. 21 1772.

- viii. Hannah, b. Jan. 27, 1774, m. David Sewall, Sept. 7, 1793, d. Aug. 21, 1853.
 - 1x. John. b. April 7, 1776.
 - x. Charlotte, b. June 11, 1798, m. Nathaniel Cheever, Sept. 16, 1804, d. at Greenport Long Island, June 17, 1859.
 - x1, George Guelphs, b. Nov. 24, 1780, d. at Barcelona, Spain, Nov. 12, 1838.

JONATHAN SAYWARD BARRELL b. Feb. 21, 1772, son of Nathaniel and Sarah (Sayward) Barrell, m. 1. Mary Plummer, Feb. 5, 1795, by whom he had eight children, viz:

- 1. Nathaniel, b. Nov. 30. 1795. d. July 28, 1853. unm.
- 11. Jonathan Sayward, b. Sept. 10, 1797.
- 111. Elizabeth, b. Aug. 26, 1799.
- 1v. George. b. Sept. 29. 1801.
- v. Mary, b. Aug. 2, 1803.
- vi. Oliver Keating, Feb. 15, 1806, d. April 10, 1860.
 - vii. Joseph. b. April 16, 1808. d. July 1, 1862.
- v111. Octavius, b. Nov. 12, 1810, d. Sept. 13, 1839.

The mother of these children died Dec. 8, 1814. Jonathan S. Barrell m. 2, Anna Plummer, Oct. 6, 1816. She d. July 16, 1826. He d. May 25, 1857. JOHN BARRELL, b. April 7, 1776, son of Nathaniel

and Sarah (Sayward) Barrell, m. 1, Abigail Kingsbury Jan. 1, 1807, by whom he had four children, viz:

- 1. William, b. Nov. 1, 1807, d. Jan 29, 1849.
- 11. Sarah, b. Aug. 18. 1809, d. Aug. 30, 1812.
- 111. John, b. July 28. 1812, d. at sea Oct. 1833.
 - iv. Benjamin, b. Aug. 8. 1814. d. Aug. 20, 1839.

His second wife was Theodosia Lyman, whom he m. March 14, 1816. They had two children, viz:

- v. Charles Colburn, b. Jan. 12, 1817.
- vi. Sarah, Abby. b. Jan. 14, 1819. d. Nov. 5, 1843.

None of these children married except Charles C. Barrell, who now resides on the old homestead in York.

Jonathan S. Barrell. b. Sept. 10, 1797, m. Julia Manent of Portsmouth, N. H., Oct. 28, 1845. He d. August 28, 1866. They had one child, George Octavius, b. March 25, 1848. He is the present owner of the homestead of Judge Sayward on the York River in York, Me.

The mansion was for many years owned and occupied by Elizabeth and Mary Barrell, daughters of Jonathan S. Barrell and grand-daughters of Jonathan and Sarah (Mitchell) Sayward, who took great pleasure in exhibiting the house and the many interesting relics and heirlooms of their grandfather. A correspondent of the Boston Journal, writing from York some years ago, gives the following description of the house and its furniture:

"Among the most interesting of the many historic houses in the old and ancient town of York, is that owned and occupied by two maiden ladies, the Misses Barrell, and contains all the original furniture, books, paintings, etc., with which it was furnished by the builder, Judge Jonathan Sayward, whose full length portrait, with that of his wife, with costumes of their times, adorn the walls; also, the full length portrait of their daughter, Sarah, at the age of twenty-three, painted by Blackburn, a pupil of Copley. The latter was painted at Charleston, in 1761, says the inscription on the back. As works of art, these paintings are pronounced by connoisseurs as exceedingly fine. The family coat of arms of the Saywards occupies a conspicuous place over the mantel piece: also, a commission from Governor Sherley to Jonathan Sayward, the owner of the house, to command the sloop "Sea Flower," in the expedition against Cape Breton, which took Louisburg in 1745. In the mansion are a great number of articles worth the attention of those of historical, antiquarian taste."

In the Massachusetts Historical Society's Collection, vol. 16, page 387, is the following concerning the picture of Judge Sayward's daughter, Sarah:

"Among Blackburn's pictures is 'Mrs. Barrell.' This lady, who was a daughter of Mr. Sayward, is represented in a beautifully painted picture of three-quarters length, in a standing position. Colonel Henry Lee, when he saw the portrait, thought that it must be a Copley, and it was so entered in the list of works of that artist. Subsequent inquiry, however, has proved it to be one of Blackburn's finest works. It is in the possession of descendants, the Misses Barrell, of York, Me."

A copy of the Sayward coat-of-arms is given on the third page, with the statement that its authenticity could not be vouched for; but since that was written the author has seen a copy of the Sayward escutcheon now in the possession of Charles C. Barrell, Esq., of York, Me., with the following memordum on the back, which proves conclusively that it was legally granted:

[&]quot;Seward,

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[&]quot;Sayward,

[&]quot;Seyward.

[&]quot;London, July 1st, 1762.

[&]quot;The arms of Jonathan Sayward, Esq", of Old York, in the Province of the Massachusetts Bay, in New England, Merchant, Rec'd this

1st of July, 1762, from the College of Arms, Herald's Office. The painting, Vellum, Frame & Glass as it now stands cost 32||6 Sterling. Rec'd by his most dutifull, Humble Servt. NATH. BARRELL.

"Gules on a fess Argent, 2 Chevrons, Ermine, 3 Leopards' Faces, Azure."

The motto on the coat-of arms is,

"AURUM NON OPTO."

76. Lydia, b. July 5, 1743, daughter of Henry (36) and Hannah (Sewall) Sayward, m. Joseph Bragdon of York and d. without issue.

The inscription on her gravestone in the old cemetery at York Village is as follows: "Lydia Sayward widow of Joseph Bragdon, long a member of Judge Sewall's family. Died July 24, 1826, Æ 83 years."

- 81. Joseph, b. Aug. 1, 1750, son of Jeremiah (37) and Elizabeth (Ware) Sayward, probably m. a dau. of Capt. Samuel Frost of Portsmouth, N. H.
- 86. Daniel, b. Oct. 3. 1766, eldest son of Samuel (40) and Susannah (Lord) Sayward, was a mariner and captain of a packet ship between New Orleans and Liverpool. He retired from seafaring pursuits in middle life. He was one of the pioneers in the fishing business as now conducted in Gloucester and owned one of the three or four square-stern fishing vessels sailing from Gloucester half a century ago, the "Delegate." The firm was originally Daniel Sayward & Sons, and thus continued until his death in 1834. He had his wharf and lived and car-

ried on the business on the family estate granted to his grandfather, Elder James Sayward, March 16, 1606. "Half an acre of ground between the run that runs into Cripple Cove and Cripple Cove Hill. Situate on the South side of the hill and North side of the run, butting home to high-water mark." The property came to him by inheritance and purchase through two generations, and still remains in the family. He d. April 1, 1834. He m. Sarah, dau. of Captain William Coos, of Gloucester, who was a Revolutionary Privateersman. Pub. April 10, 1789. Children:

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1. Sally, b. Jan., 1790, m. William Sayward, son of Wil-
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            liam Sayward the pilot of Gloucester. d. Sept. 26, 1834.
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Daniel, b 1793 d. y. 156 II.

Susan, b. Jan. 12, 1795, m. (1) Oakes, (2) Job III. 157 Rowe, d. 1883.

Adeline, b. 1798, m. William H. Dolliver, of Glouces-158 ter, d. Jan. 10, 1868.

v. Harriet, b. Jan. 27, 1799. 159

vi. Daniel, b. Sept. 3, 1802. 160

161 vii. Epes, b. Sept. 10, 1804.

vIII. Judith, b. 1805, m. John Smith, of Gloucester, d. 1853. 162

1x. Fitz William, b. 1809. 163

88. John, bap. Dec. 24, 1769, third son of Samuel (40) and Susannah (Lord), was a sea captain, and lived in Gloucester. He m. Abigail, dau. of William Coos, Oct. 26, 1796, who d. Dec. 17, 1855. dren:

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164 -
         1. Samuel, b. 1799.
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166 III. Lydia.

167 Mary. IV.

John, b. 1802. 165 II.

Henry, bap. June 5, 1774, son of Samuel (40)

and Susannal: Lord) Sayward, resided in Gloucester, Mass. He was a shipmaster and sailed from that port for many years in the employ of David Pearce, by whose failure he lost the earnings of a lisetime. He was captain of the ships Neptune, Flora and Sea-Horse. He m. Lydia Ingersoll of Gloucester, pub. Aug. 28, 1798 and d. at Gloucester, Feb. 1814, and his widow d. May, 1838.

Children:

- 163. 1. Henry, b. 1800, d. on the night the light on Ten Pound Island in Gloucester Harbor, was first lighted, aged 14.
- 11. Maria L., b. June 1809. m. Frederick J. Clark and re-169. sides in Mount Pleasant, Iowa.
- 170. 111. Joseph, b. Jan. 29, 1811.

93. James, Stover, b. Sept. 18, 1764, son of Stover (45) and Sarah (Sawyer) Sayward, is described as "mariner and trader" and lived in Gloucester. He was twice married and his first wife was Betsey, dau. of Isaac Elwell of Gloucester, whom he m. about Jan., 1807. She d. after May, 1813.

His second wife was a doctress and her name was Jane. He d. at Gloucester Dec. 28, 1845, of "old age," aged 81 yrs, 3 mos., and 10 days. Children:

171. I. James II., b. 1808.

^{95.} James, b. Oct. 4, 1767, second son of Stover (45) and Sarah (Sawyer) Sayward, was a mariner and lived in Gloucester, He m. Polly Smith of Gloucester, Jan. 19, 1789.

Children:

- 172. 1. Sukey Maria, bap. Feb. 8, 1795, d. y.
- 173. II. Tammy Davis, bap. Sept. 3, 1797, d. y.
- 174. Tammy Davis, bap. Apr. 20, 1800, d. y.
- 175. Iv. Mary, bap Sept. 25, 1803.
- 176. v. Lucy, bap. July 12, 1807, d. July 13, 1807.
- 99. Stover, bap. Aug. 4, 1775, youngest son of Stover (45) and Sarah (Sawyer) Sayward, is described as "fisherman." His home was in Gloucester, Mass. He m. 1, Esther Elwell of Gloucester, Pub. Nov. 21, 1798 by whom he had one child, she d. 1799. 2, Betsey Davis of Gloucester, pub. Oct, 11, 1800.

Children:

177. 1. William Elwell, b. Jan. 17, 1799.

100. Joseph, b. Sept. 9, 1759, was the eldest child of Joseph (47) and Abigail (Smith) Sayward. There is no record of his marriage. He died before 1816 when his father's real-estate was divided among his brothers James and William and his sisters Abigail, wife of Benjamin Stevens, and Elizabeth, wife of Capt. Samuel Brown of Northport, Me., and Pamelia Oakes of Gloucester, being one-half of a house and land on Eastern Point in Gloucester and "Pew No. 22 in the Gallery of the First Parish meeting house, which came to us by our Hon'd father Joseph Sayward, late of Gloucester deceased."

The same year "Betsey Sayward of Gloucester, singlewoman," conveyed to James Sayward of Gloucester, mariner, "all the Right, title, interest, claim

and demand which I now have or heretofore had in and unto all the real-estate of my Hon'd Grandfather Joseph Sayward, late of Gloucester aforesaid, deceased, said real estate being situate on Eastern Point in Gloucester."

On June 3, 1815, James Lord of Exeter, N. H., "with Mary my wife in her own right" conveyed to James Sayward of Gloucester, "pilot" her interest in the real-estate of Joseph Sayward, late of Gloucester, deceased, situate on Eastern Point. It is probable that Betsey Sayward and Mary Lord were daughters of Joseph. b. Sept. 9, 1759.

101. James, b. June 5, 1761, was the second son of Joseph (47) and Abigail (Smith) Sayward. He was a sea captain and sailed from Gloucester to foreign ports in early life. He was a pilot for many years and was afterward keeper of the light on Ten Pound Island in Gloucester Harbor. He d. Feb. 2, 1835, and his will was proved April 7, 1835. He m. Elizabeth Witham of Gloucester, Sept. 4, 1784, and she d. at Gloucester of "old age" Feb. 25, 1850. Children:

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178. 1. Betsey, b. Aug. 2, 1785, d. y.
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^{179. 11.} Sally. b. Nov. 3, 1787.

^{180. 111.} Pamelia, bap. Nov. 21, 1789, d. y.

^{181.} Iv. Betsey, bap. Nov. 11, 1791.

^{182.} v. Pamelia, b. Feb. 2, 1795.

^{183.} vi. James, b. Dec. 31, 1797, lost at sea.

^{184.} vii. Timothy Witham, b. July 16, 1800, lost at sea.

^{102.} Benjamin, b. Feb. 1, 1763, third son of Jo-

seph (47) and Abigail (Smith) Sayward was a mariner and resided in Gloucester. Although he had but one hand, he was an able seaman and could go aloft and reef sail. He m. Jemima Oakes of Gloucester, July 23, 1784 and d. in 1800. She d. in 1815. Children:

- 185. 1. Polly, bap. Sept. 11, 1785.
- 186. 11. Joseph, bap. July 3, 1791.
- 1(13. WILLIAM, b. Jan. 8, 1765, fourth son of Joseph (47) and Abigail (Smith) Sayward, was a seacaptain and for many years a pilot of Gloucester. He m. Abigail Ingersoll of Gloucester, Nov. 23, 1788. She d. Mch 15, 1847, aged 77 yrs. 3 mos. and 10 days. He d. Apr. 18, 1849. Children:
- 187. 1. William, b. Mch 8, 1790, de ply Jun 27, 180
- 188. 11. Joseph, b. Jan 28, 1793, d. of a fever at sea, unm.
- 189. 111. Eliza, b. May 25, 1800, m. Samuel Wanson of Gloucester
- v. Mary Ingersoll, b. Apr. 20, 1804, m. George Friend of Gloucester.
- 192. v1. Caroline, b. Aug. 1, 1806, d. May 13, 1809.
- 193. VII. Caroline, bap. July 23, 1809, m. Josiah Friend of Gloucester.
- 110. George, b. July 6, 1776, eldest son of George (56) and Susannah (Palfrey) Sayward, was a seacaptain and resided in Rockland, Me. He sailed from Portland, Me., in command of the ship Nestor, Oct. 1804, and was never heard from. He m. Lydia B. Snow of South Thomaston, Me., Nov. 23, 1802. She d. at Rockland, Oct. 27, 1855, aged 53. Children:

- 1. Almira W. b. Sept 15, 1803, m. Charles Glover of 194. Rockland, Me., Sept. 27, 1821, who d. at Rockland Feb. 6, 1877. She d. Feb. 2, 1888.
- 11. Joseph, d. y. 195.
- 111. JOHN, b. Feb. 22, 1778, son of George (56) and Susannah (Palfrey) Sayward, was a seaman and died unm. in the West Indies, Nov. 10, 1798.
- 113. RICHARD, b. July 15, 1782, son of George (56) and Susannah (Palfrey) Sayward, was a farmer and lived in St, George and in Thomaston and afterward in Union, Me., where he d. Mch 15, 1854. He m. Eliza Bradford of Plymouth, Mass., Oct. 13, 1808. She was a descendant of Gov. Bradford of Plymouth. She d. Nov. 2, 1860.

Children:

- 1. Hezekiah, P. B., b. Sept. 2, 1809, d. May 21, 1810. 196.
- 11. George, b. June 19, 1812, d. at sea Aug. 1, 1832. 197.
- IĮI. Eliza, B., b. Aug. 29, 1814, m. Rev. Ephraim H. Small 198. June 1, 1834, d. in Winthrop, Me., Sept. 9, 1876.
- IV. Lucy P. b. Aug. 20, 1817, d. Sept. 12, 1818. .199
- v. Richard K. b. May 19, 1820. 200.
- VI. Sarah P. b. Sept. 26, 1822, m. (1) Thaddeus Sheppard 201. May 1, 1842. (2) Thomas H. Peavey of Union, Me., resides in Epworth, Iowa.
- v11. Perez B. b. Dec. 22, 1823. 202
- 114. WILLIAM, b. June 11, 1784, son of George (56) and Susannah (Palfrey) Sayward, was a sea captain and resided in Thomaston, Me. In later years he managed his father's farm and took care of his parents in their declining years. He d. March 16, 1818. He m. Elizabeth Robinson Dec. 24,

1812. Children:

203. 1. William T. b. Oct. 10. 1813.

204. 11. James Wheaton, b. Oct. 1, 1814.

117. Joseph, b. May 9, 1792, fifth son of George (56) and Susannah, (Palfrey) Sayward, was a farmer and lived in Thorndyke, Me., where he d. April 21, 1881. The Republican Journal printed at Belfast, April 28, 1881, says:

"Mr. Joseph Sayward died April 21, at the residence of his son in Thorndyke at the advanced age of eighty-nine years. Mr Sayward was born in Thomaston, then including all the territory now known as Thomaston, So. Thomaston and Rockland, in 1792. In 1820 he moved to Twenty-five Mile Pond Plantation, now Burnham, and in 1824 took an active part in the incorporation of that town.

"In 1828 he moved to Thorndyke, nine years after its incorporation, and from the virgin forest commenced to clear the farm on which the last fifty-three years of his life were spent.

"He was a pensioner of the was of 1812, having been one of the historical "minute men" for a number of months, and afterwards being engaged in the naval service. Previously a Democrat, in 1839 he became a Whig and acted with that party until 1856, when he became and has since remained a Republican. He cast his vote for sixteen successive Presidential elections. In 1871 he represented his class in the legislature. Although deeply interested in political affairs and zealous in the support of his opinions, his was a genial, social nature, that sought and enjoyed the pleasures of home and hospitality rather than political honors. Possessing a wonderful retentive memory and being an attentive as well as close observer of the affairs or the country, his conversation was enriched by reminiscences of men and things at once interesting and instructive to his friends.

"He married Martha Wheeler of Thomaston, who died in 1869. Seven children were born to them, five of whom now survive. His remains were interred in the cemetery near his home, a beautiful spot that his own hands had cleared and overlooking the scene where so much of his life-work was wrought."

He m. Martha Wheeler, Dec. 28, 1813. Children:

204. 1. Mahala, b. May 9, 1815, p. Thomas Janes, Jan. 16, 1839.

205. 11. Joseph, b. Aug 27, 1817.

- 206. 111. John W. b. Oct. 19, 1820.
- 207. IV. Albert T. b. Jan. 27, 1823.
- 208. v. William Henry, b. May 1, 1826.
- vi. Margaret K. b. May 30, 1829, m. John S. McCool Apr. 7, 1870, and lives in Denver, Col.
- 210. v11. George W. b. April 30, 1833.
- 118. James, b. Oct. 6, 1794, son of George (56) and Susannah (Palfrey) Sayward, was a sea captain and resided at Thomaston, Me. He was lost at sea off Cape Cod, May 30, 1830. He m. Lucy Wheeler of St. George, Me., pub. July 4, 1818.

Children:

- 211. 1. Lucy A. m. Francis Harding of Union, Me., June 16, 1850.
- 212. II. William P.

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119. James, b. May 19, 1775, eldest son of James (59) and Amy (Joy) Sayward, was a farmer and lived in Parsonfield, Me. He d. Dec. 19, 1852. He m. 1, Sally Abbott about 1798, and she d. 1801, 2, Lydia Witherell, 1803.

Children:

- 213. I. John, b. July, 1799.
- 214. II. Salfy, b Sept. 1, 1804, m. Nathaniel Abbott of Shapleigh.
- 215. III. Betsey, b. May 22, 1806, m. Robert Huntress of Effingham, N. H.
- 216, Iv. Berlinda, b. 1808, m. Benj. Russell, d. 1874.
- v. Lydia, b. Aug. 1811. m. Leander Staples of Limingham, Me.
- 218. vi. Amy, b. 1813, m. Wm. Perkins of Parsonfield. Me.
- 219. VII. Hannah, b. 1816, m. Richard Bennett of Freedom N. II.
- 220. v111. James. b. 1818, d. Oct. 1824.
- 121. Benjamin, b. Sept. 30, 1780, son of James

(59) and Amy (Joy) Sayward, was a farmer and resided several years in Parsonfield, and afterward in Shapleigh, Me., where he was elected moderator of the annual town meeting held in March, 1830. He d. Oct. 16, 1853. He m. (1) Rebecca Witherell in 1803, by whom he had six children. (2) Martha Clouff Dec. 11, 1830, by whom he had one child. Children:

- 221. 1. Judith, b. Sept. 9, 1804. m. Jeremiah Lord June 28, 1829, d. Dec. 1888.
- 222 11. Ebenezer, K. b. Aug. 1 1808.
- 223. 111. Hannah. b. Dec. 10. 1810, d April 16. 1816.
- 224. Iv. Benjamin, b. 1812, d 1812.
- v. Rebecca, b. Nov. 30, 1813, m. (1) Benjamin Huntress, (2) Samuel Nevett, (3) Alfred Weaver.
- 226. v1. Sabra, b. Sept. 5, 1815, m. John Pike of Shapleigh, Me. June 21, 1844.
- 227. v11. Charles Marquis, b. Feb. 8, 1832, d. 1848.

124. WILLIAM, b. Aug. 31, 1786, son of James (59) and Amy (Joy) Sayward, was a farmer and lived in Shapleigh, Me., on the Sayward homestead. He was engaged in early life in lumbering and teaming. That section of the country was then covered with heavy timber and cutting and hauling lumber to the markets at Wells and Kennebunkport and other seaboard towns was the chief employment of the early settlers in that part of Maine. He assisted his father in clearing the farm and making it more productive and adapted to cultivation. Having agreed to remain at home and care for his parents in their declining years, in 1811 his father gave him a deed of the farm, reserving to himself and wife a life estate therein. He at once made arrangements to build a better and more comfortable and convenient house than the log cabin in which he was born, and in the following year he erected the western part of the dwelling house which now (1890) stands on the old farm, where he resided until his death. He was a man of considerable mechanical skill, and framed and superintended the raising of many buildings in the town. He was a Whig in politics and later voted the Freesoil ticket, casting the first Freesoil vote ever given for that party in his native town. He was an active business man, and was well informed on all the public affairs of his time. He was elected on the board of selectmen at the annual town meeting, 1837. He was a regular attendant on public worship, and in middle life became a member of the Baptist Church at Shapleigh Corner and continued until his death to take an active interest in the welfare of the church and in all religious work. He was an honest, upright man in all his dealings, and respected by all who knew him. He had dark brown hair, light complexion, and was six feet one inch in height, and weighed about one hundred and eighty pounds.

He married Betsey, daughter of Simon and Molly (Hooper) Ricker, of Berwick, Me., May 14, 1812. She was born in Berwick, Feb. 27, 1790, and was a descendant of Maturin Ricker, one of the first settlers of Dover, N. H., who, with his brother, George, was killed by the Indians, June 4, 1706. Rev. John Pike, in his journal, says: "George Riccar and Maturin Riccar, of Cocheco, were slain by the Indians. George was killed while running up the lane near the garrison; Maturin was killed in his field, and his little son (Noah) carried away."

This tragedy occurred just south of Garrison Hill, Dover.

The ancestors of Betsey Ricker are as follows: Maturin and wife, Sarah; had four children, I Maturin, 2 Joseph, 3 Noah, who was captured by the Indians when his father was killed, and was carried to Canada and educated, and became a Catholic priest and remained there—and 4 Sarah.

Of these children, Joseph m. (1) Elizabeth Garland, of Berwick, and had nine children, among whom was Noah, bap. July 20, 1726, who m. Margaret, daughter of Simon Emery, of Kittery, Me., and had seven children, the eldest of whom was Simon, bap. 1758, who m. Molley Hooper, of Berwick, 1780, by whom he had thirteen children, viz:

- 1. Susannah, b. 1780.
- 11. Noah, b. 1781.
- 111. Samuel, b. 1782.
 - iv. Molley, b. 1784.
 - v. Simon, b. 1786, d. y.
- vi. Margaret, b. Jan. 5, 1788, m Stephen Pillsbury, of Shapleigh, Me., d, March 5, 1857.
- v11. Betsey, b. Feb. 27, 1790, m William Sayward.
- viii. Patty, b. 1792, m. Paul Patch, of Shapleigh.
 - 1x. Simon, b. 1794.
 - x. Jacob, b. 1796.
 - x1. John, b. 1798.
- x11. Esther, b. 1800.
- xIII. Sally, b.

They were married before the new house was completed, but it was ready for occupancy in September, 1812, when they moved in, and for sixty-eight years it was their home. Here ten children were born to them, all of whom, except one, lived to go out into the world and make homes for themselves. He d. August 16, 1870, aged 83 yrs. 11

months and 15 days, and she d. March 20, 1876. aged 86 yrs. Both are at rest in the family burial lot on the Old Homestead in Shapleigh, Me.

Children:

- 228 Cyrus K., b. January 18. 1813.
- Bradbury, b. March 3, 1815. 229 II.
- James, b. February 6, 1817. 230 III.
- Abigail, b. September 22, 1819, m, William Mead, of 231 Lawrence, Mass., December 12, 1872. He d. 1876
- Esther, b. September 29, 1821. m. (1) Eliphalet Randall. 232 of Limerick, Me., November 9, 1851. Children: Ella H., b. August 13, 1852, m. W. Scott Young. of Parsonsfield, January 1, 1874 He d. Septem-Laura I., b. March 25, 1855, m. ber 3, 1889. George H. Chick, of Springvale, Me., May 1. 1875, one child, Lorenzo B, b. August 1, 1876. Edith S., b. December 1, 1858, d. December 6. Mr. Randall d. at Limerick. October 8. She m. (2) Isaac N. Fogg, of Limerick. November 10, 1862. She d. at Springvale, September 9, 1889,
- William Augustus, b. September 25, 1823, d. August 233 VI. 17, 1835. Simon Dana, b. September 25, 1823.
- 234 VII.
- Sarah Jane, b. April 24, 1830, m. (1) John Warren. of -35VIII. Cadiz, Ill., April 15, 1856. He d. June 28. 1885. aged 60 yrs., 2 months, 26 days. Children: 1. Charles W., b. September 4, 1857, m. Elsie Parker, of Rush, Ill., March 29, 1882. 2. Henry, b. October 4, 1859, m. Olive A. Parsons November - 21, 1883. 3, Edith May. b. December 12, 1861. 4. Verdie Abbie, b. October 3. 1867. (2) George Beach, August 18, 1886, and now resides in Munroe. Wisconsin.
- 236 IX. Charles Woodbury, b. July 8, 1834.
- Julia Ann, b. July 17, 1836, m. William Cunningham, of 237 Litchfield. Me, January 31, 1861. and resided in Litchfield. Children: 1. Ernest. b. December 27, 1861, d. unm. September 29, 1883. S., b. February 27, 1869, d. August 22, 1871.

The Springvale Advocate of September 13, 1889. published the following notice of the death of Esther:

"After a few weeks' illness, Mrs. Esther Sayward Fogg passed quietly to the rest that remaineth to the people of God, on the morning of September 9th. The funeral services were conducted by her pastor, Rev. F. G. Davis, at the Baptist Church, on Wednesday af-She had been a Christian believer for half a century, and was at the time of her death a member of the above named church in For several years the condition of her health permitted her but a very limited participation in the public activities of a Christian life; but she manifested its spirit in the home duties which the relationships of life made hers. She was unselfish in spirit; solicitous for the welfare and comfort of others; busied with the ministries of daily life; yet not unthoughtful of her church relation, and an attendant at its services when circumstances permitted. She had nearly attained her sixty-eighth year, and was a member of a large and godly family, (the Sayward Family, of Shapleigh) seven of the ten children of which yet survive her at a ripe age. At the recent reunion of this family and its descendents, she was unable to be present, being stricken with illness at the time for which it was appointed. She has, instead, passed on to a more perfect reunion with those who went before, and to which the rest shall follow."

126. Henry, b. May 16, 1778, eldest son of John (65) and Elizabeth (Trafton) Sayward, was a farmer and lived in Waterboro, Me. He m. Ruth Phillpot, of Somersworth, N. H., 1801. He d. April 12, 1812, aged 34 years and 11 months, and his widow d. March 9, 1867, aged 84 years and 8 months. Children:

^{238 1.} John, b. July 25, 1802.

^{239 11.} Mary Elizabeth, b. 1804, d. March 7, 1815.

^{240 111.} Richard P., b. 1806.

¹v, Lucinda, b. August 28, 1808. m. Daniel Dam, of Newfield, Me, October 27, 1830. She d. January 21, 1855. Children: (1) Mary E., b. March 20, 1832. d. June 21, 1835. (2) Abby C., b, December 9, 1833, m. John H. Piper, May 31, 1857, d. October 26, 1857. (3) Joseph Henry, b. December 28, 1835, m. Martha A. Eaton, July 5, 1857, d. May 12, 1865. (4) Hannah W., b. December 4, 1844, m. Leander S. Huntress, of Dover.

v, Hannah, b. March 27, 1811, m, Jamverin F. Wiggin, of Dover, N. H.

- 127. Hannah, b. January 20, 1780, eldest daughter of John (65) and Elizabeth (Trafton) Sayward, m. Nathaniel Farnham, of Alfred, Me., pub. Aug. 17, 1799. He was a farmer, currier and shoemaker. Children:
 - 1. John, a physician of New Gloucester, Me.
 - 11. Roswell.
 - III. Abiel.
 - Iv. Henry.
 - v. Nathaniel.
 - vi. Rufus.
 - v11. Mary, m. Pillsbury.
 - viii. Elizabeth, d. unm.
- 128. John, b. October 20, 1783 son of John (65) and Elizabeth (Trafton) Sayward, was a farmer and lived in Alfred, Me. He m. Mrs. Mary Donnel, Nov. 30, 1811. He d. July 27, 1846, without issue. His widow d. October 29, 1854.
- 130. Joseph, b. June 20, 1787, son of John (65) and Elizabeth (Trafton) Sayward, resided in Alfred. He was a deputy sheriff for many years. He m. Lydia R. Phillpot, of Somersworth, N. H., December 9, 1817. She was b. November 14, 1798. He d. August 11, 1869. She d. in Alfred, Me., April 28, 1880. Children:
- 243 1. Henry, b. November 29, 1818.
- 131. Rufus, b. May 19, 1789, youngest child of John (65) and Elizabeth (Trafton) Sayward, was a farmer and resided in Alfred, Me. He m. Mary

Hall, of Alfred, February 2, 1819. She was b. May 21, 1798. He d. April 11, 1839, and his widow d. November 16, 1872. Children:

- 244 1. John Henry, b. July 30, 1821.
- 245 11. Abial H., b. September 30, 1823.
- 246 III. Mary Elizabeth, b. January 5, 1827, d. unm. September 5, 1879.
- 1v. Rufus Samuel, b. March 8, 1831.
- v. Julia Appleton, b September 29, 1835, m. Russell Lewis, of Portland, Me., November 9, 1879.
- 132. Theodore, son of Theodore (66) and Lucy (Donnell) Sayward, was b. in Georgetown, Me., about 1776. He was a mariner and ship carpenter. He went to Nantucket about 1800, where he was for many years engaged in whaling. He was mate of several whaling vessels. He m. Polly Cethcart, of Nantucket, the widow of Robert Cethcart. Her maiden name was Swain. She was a descendant of John Swain, b. September 1664, who married Experience Folger, aunt of Dr. Franklin. He d. at Nantucket, January 5, 1826, and his widow September 14, 1863. Children:
 - 1. Lucy D., b. 1812, m. Samuel Woodward, of Nantucket, November 27, 1834. Children: (1) Theodore S., b. March 4, 1837, d. March, 1853 (2) Mary S., b. April 25, 1839, d. May 10, 1840. (3) Caroline T., b. April 26, 1841, m. John T. Freeman August 4, 1862, resides in Rosindale, Mass. (4) Sarah J., b. December 2, 1845, m. Kimball H. Eldridge, d. February 13, 1879.
 - 133. James, b. about 1777, second son of Theodore (66) and Lucy (Donnell) Sayward, was a mariner. He sailed from Baltimore for Europe during the war of 1812, and was empressed by the British, and afterward committed to Dartmoor prison, where

he was held until peace was declared, when he was released. He was lost at sea about 1820. He was never married.

- 135. Mary, b. 1779, daughter of Theodore (66) and Lucy (Donnell) Sayward, m. James Robinson, of Georgetown, Me., 1798. He d. January 4th, 1839. She d. April 9, 1850. Children, born in Georgetown and Bath, Me.:
 - 1. Philena, b. September 27, 1799, m. George C. Hunt, May, 1824; d. April, 1852.
 - 11. Gilbert T., b. April 27, 1801; d. September 16, 1820.
 - 111. Robert H., b. August 7, 1802; d. October 6, 18c4.
 - Iv. Lucy Donnell, b. July 27, 1804; m. Nathaniel Clapp, Feb, 1841 She d. October 3, 1876.
 - v. Eleanor B., b. April 1, 1806; m. William D. Crooker, March 4, 1832. He d. February 15, 1850.
 - vi. Samuel Sayward, b. April 4, 1808; d. at sea, 1835.
 - v11. Mary Ann, b. February 23, 1810; d. September 21, 1849.
 - viii. James D., b. February 21, 1812; m. Mary E. Robinson, December 13, 1838.
 - 1x. Jane Traverse, b. February 21, 1812; m. Ephraim Delano, September 23, 1834; d. January 20, 1884.
 - x. Luther Sayward, b. July 15, 1814; m Mary F. Clapp, August 10, 1837; d. June 22, 1839.
 - x1. Charles Sewall, b. August 15, 1816; m. Mrs. Mary F. Robinson, April 2, 1842; d. July 5, 1859.
 - x11. Truman A., b. December 8, 1819; d. at Albion, Ill., December 15, 1853.
 - x111. Sarah S., b. December 8, 1819; m. Charles P. Wood, June 9, 1847.
 - xiv. Edward W., b. May 19, 1822.
- 137. Abbie, b. 1782, dau. of Theodore (66) and Lucy (Donnell) Sayward, m. Robert Treavetts, of Wiscasset, Me. Children:
 - 1. Joshua.
 - 11. Theodore.
 - 111. James.

- Iv. John.
- v. Emeline.
- vi. Catherine.
- vii. Lucy Jane.
- 140. Samuel Duncan, son of Theodore (66) and Lucy (Donnell) Sayward, was born in Bath, Me., 1790. He was a contractor for house and ship joiner work. He went to St. John, N. B., where he settled and did an extensive business, and accumulated a large property, which he lost by the failure of a man with whom he was connected in business. He m. Jane Traverse, of St. John, in 1812. She d. July, 1834, and he d. at St John, May, 1835.

Children:

- 250 1. James, b. 1813; d. December 23, 1827.
- 251 11. Elizabeth Jane, b. 1816; d. in Bath, Me., 1838, unm.
- 252 111. Samuel Luther, b. 1818.
- 253 IV. Lucy Donnell, b. in St. John, 1820; m. John L. Thomp-

son, of Bath, 1841. He is a mariner, and was b. in Elsinore, Denmark. side in Bath. Children, all b. in Bath: (1) James Luther, b. February 24, 1843; d in Boston, 1880. (2) Jane M., b. December 24; 1844; m., resides in Cambridgeport, Mass. (3) Fred L., b. October 20. 1847; d. 1850. (4) Samuel D., b. September 16, 1849; lives in Bath, ship joiner. (5) Charles S., b. August 1, 1851; resides in Bath, engineer. (6) Frank N., b. July 20, 1856; resides in Bath. [7] George **E**., b. September 3, 1859; now of Bath. Levi T., b. August 30, 1861; resides in Bath. [9] Elmer E., b. August 30, 1861. d. y. George E. and Frank are dealers in clothing, &c., in Bath, under the firm of Thompson Bros.

- v. Edward, b. 1822; d. y.
- vi. Martha, b. 1825; m. Samuel Seabrook, of Buffalo, N. Y.,

1851. He d. 1855. Ch., b. in Buffalo: [1] Emma L., b. December 29, 1853. [2] Ella E., b. Jauuary 28, 1855; d. in Bath, 1857.

- 141. Hannah, b. 1796, daughter of Theodore (66) and Lucy (Donnell) Sayward, m. Darius Wilder, of Wiscasset, Me., 1812. She d. at Wiscasset, January 13, 1859. He d. July, 1867. Children:
 - 1. Lucy A., b. 1813; m. Samuel Morton, 1845.
 - 11. Sarah, b. 1815; m. Edward H. Burgin, 1840.
 - 111. Darius, d. aged 19 yrs.
 - iv. Thomas, b. 1819.
 - v. Nathaniel, b. 1821.
 - vi. Mary S., b. 1823; m. David H. Clap, of Wiscasset, 1844.
 - v11. Theodore, b. 1827.
- 144. Jonathan, bapt. May 7, 1791, son of Jonathan (68) and Anna (Low) Sayward, was a seaman. He was in the United States naval service during the war of 1812, and was steward of the United States Gun Boat No. 168 at the time of his death in 1818. His sister, "Hannah Sayward, of York, singlewoman," was appointed administratrix of his estate, August 17, 1818. The administration account was rendered May 20, 1820, by Jesse Young and his wife, Hannah, in her right as administratrix, and she was ordered to distribute the balance of the estate "among the two sisters of the deceased, viz: Betsey, wife of Theodore Grant, and Hannah, wife of Jesse Young."
- 147. Theodore, b. 1790, eldest son of Ebenezer (71) and Tabatha (Trafton) Sayward, was a farmer and lived in Waterboro, Me., where he d. October 21, 1846. He m. Eunice Knight, of Waterboro,

1810. She d. April 3, 1874, aged 93. Children:

- 256 1. Elbridge G., b. February 19, 1811.
- 257 11. Julia Ann, b. November 23, 1812; m. Samuel Roberts. She d. February 8, 1861.
- 258 111. John, b. January 15, 1815.
- 259 iv. Rufus, b. January 9, 1817.
- 260 v. Henry, b. March 15, 1819.
- vi. Euuice, b February 28, 1821; m. Ivory Smith, of Waterboro, Me., November 11, 1847. Resides in Waterboro. Ch. (1) Frank H., b. February 19, 1849; m. Addie A. Phoenix, of Alfred. May 31, 1877. (2) Emma L.. b. July 28, 1852; m. James H. Downes, of Lyman, Me., May 16, 1871.
- 262 v11. Theodore, b. April 10, 1823; d. August 10, 1844.
- 263 v111. Joseph, b. April 18. 1825.
- 1x. Lydia, b. August 10, 1828; m. David Worcester; d. at Great Falls, N. H., November 8, 1850.
- 150. Samuel, b. November 4, 1795, son of Ebenezer (71) and Tabatha (Trafton) Sayward, was a farmer and resided in Wells, Me., where he d. April 11, 1869. He m. Abigail Eaton, 1820. She d. August 25, 1870. Children, born in Wells:
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 1. Bersheba, b. May 30, 1821; m. John H. Downing, of Portsmouth, N. H., 1845, where they reside. Ch. (1) Sarah E., b. March 14, 1846 m. Ashbel S. Brown, October 4, 1868; d. November 17, 1887. (2) Mary A., b. May 25, 1847; m. Edward L. Stone. (3) Josephine, b. November 9, 1848; m. William H. Gardner, May, 1872. (4) Charles H., b. September 8, 1850; m. Kate E. Hoyt February, 1872. He d. January 15, 1877. [5] Franklin P., b. February 4, 1853; m. Matilda Morrill, November 15, 1876. [6] Elmer E., b. April 2, 1863; d. June 26, 1882.
- 266 11. John E., b. April 11, 1823.
- 267 Ebenezer, b. November 15, 1827.

1v. Hannah, b. April 4, 1828; m. Reuben Mitchell, of Kittery, Me., June 22, 1846. Ch. (1) George W., b. March 12, 1849; m. Abbie G. Getchell, November, 1873. (2) Horace, b. March 13, 1857; m. Lucy A. Frost. December 24, 1884. (3) Arabella M., b. September 1, 1859; m. Herbert L. Baker, April 6, 1885. (4) Phila, b. March 22, 1862; d. July 25, 1872.

Tabatha, b. February 28, 1830; m. John C. Call. of Kit-269 tery, December 29, 1851, and resides in Kittery. Ch. (1) John J., b. July 24, 1854: m. Lizzie J. Randall. of Kittery, 1887; d. November 8, 1889. [2] Charles W., b. November 1, 1856; m. Jane Williams, of Kittery, November 27, 1879. [3] Howard M., b. December 23, 1858; m. Annie B. Parker, of Lynn, Mass., October 22, 1887. [4] Everett W., b. December 15, 1860; m. (1) Adda Tobey; (2) Mary A. Deningburg; (3) Emma Manson, of Kittery, July 28, 1887. (5) Martin L., b. September 3, 1863; m. Olive Knights, of Kittery, November 26, 1888. (6) Almon D., b. April 1, 1866; d. August 11, 1887. (7) Henry C., b. July 25, 1869.

270 vi. Charles H., b. January 11, 1833.

271 vii. Infant, d. y.

272 viii. Susan, d. y.

Susan Y., b. September 20, 1841; m. William A. Hamil-273 ton, of Kittery, April, 1861, by whom she had one son, William E., b. June 1, 1861. Hamilton enlisted in the Tenth Maine Regiment, and was killed by rebel cavalry just after the battle of Antietam Creek. William H. Perry, July 3, 1864, and resides in Kittery. Ch. (1) Frederick H., b. [2] Ida E., b. March 5, April 8, 1865. 1867; m. Samuel H Hodgdon, of South Berwick, November, 1885. [3] Harriet E., b. October 13, 1870. [4] Charles E., b. March 25, 1877.

151. EBENEZER, b. April 20, 1798, son of Ebenezer (71) and Tabatha (Trafton) Sayward, was a

farmer and lived with his uncle, Samuel, on the Sayward Homestead on Cider Hill, at York, where he d. about 1820, unm.

152. Jonathan, b. 1800, fourth son of Ebenezer (71) and Tabatha (Trafton) Sayward, was a farmer and resided in Alfred, Me. He m. Patience Trafton, of Alfred. Pub. February 9, 1822. He d. June 16, 1846, and she d. March 1, 1876.

Children:

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274 1. Infant. d. y.
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- 159. HARRIET F., b. January 27, 1799, fifth child of Daniel (86) and Sarah (Coos) Sayward, m. William Ellery, of Gloucester, February 12, 1826. She d. January 9, 1889. Children:
 - 1. Harriet Ann, b. August 30, 1826.
 - 11. William, b. March 2, 1828.
 - 111. Sarah Eliza, b. December 23, 1829.
 - iv. Franklin, b. March 20, 1832.
 - v. Alphonso, b. December 1, 1833.
 - vi. Henry Clay, b. March 5, 1836; d. July 27, 1872.
 - vii. Edward Everett, b. April 8, 1838; d. September 16, 1839.
 - vIII. Harrison, b. September 6, 1841.

²⁷⁵ II. Infant. d'y.

^{276 111.} Ebenezer, b. 1824; d. April 25, 1842, unm.

²⁷⁷ iv. Catherine, b. July 20, 1826; d. April 20, 1842.

v. Mary Ann. b. 1831; m. John E. Sayward, April 9, 1848.

vi. Esther Jane, b. March 25, 1834; m. Hiram Tobey, of Kittery, March 24, 1864, where they reside. Ch. (1) Ethlyn, b. June 4, 1866. (2) Patience S., b. June 10, 1867; m. John Fatch, of York, September 14, 1887. (3) Schuyler, b. August 9, 1869. (4) Marrion, b. August 23, 1873. (5) Hiram, b. February 22, 1887.

²⁸⁰ vii. Joseph, b. March 1, 1836.

²⁸¹ v111. George H. b. May 10, 1838.

The Cape Ann Advertiser, of January 18, 1889, has the following notice of her:

"Mrs. Harriet Foster Ellery, a native of this eity, died at her residence in Chelsea, Mass., on Wednesday morning, the 19th inst.. lacking but 18 days of her 90th year.

She was the widow of the late William Ellery, of Chelsea, a native and former active business man of Gloucester, through whom she was a pensioner of the war of 1812; by whom she had six sons and two daughters, six of whom survive her with families. She was born in Gloucester, January 27, 1799, and was the last survivor of nine children, the sons being well known business men of that place.

Her mother was the daughter of Captain William Coos, a noted naval commander in the Revolutionary war, and her father, Captain Daniel Sayward, was captain and part owner of a packet ship sailing between New Orleans and Liverpool.

With the exception of her paternal grandmother, who was a sister of the wife of Col. Jos. Foster, (whence her name) and daughter of Elder Daniel Giddings, of Ipswich, she was almost entirely of old Cape Ann stock, being of the fifth generation from Elder James Sayward, a noted millwright of York, Me. She was born on or near the spot where Elder Sayward lived and where his descendants have up to the present time continued.

Mrs. Ellery was a woman of great energy of character, and possessed. in a marked degree "New England faculty." She was of a lively temperament, and is remembered as one of the sprightliest girls in her native town. This element in her character continued through her long and useful life, and up to her very last year her step was as elastic, her spirit as buoyant and her repartee as apropos as in the prime of life. She was very warm-hearted and cheerful, ever looking on the bright side of life and of a most forgiving nature.

During the last year of her life she gradually approached her endand without disease or pain fell asleep in death. Her remains were brought to this city for interment in the family lot at Oak Grove.

She looketh well to the ways of her household and eateth not the bread of idleness. Prov. xxxi: 27."

160. Daniel, b. September 3, 1802, son of Daniel (86) and Sarah (Coos) Sayward, was a sea captain and resided in Gloucester. He was engaged with his brother, Epes, in the fishing business under the firm of Epes Sayward & Co. The firm dissolved in 1855, and Captain Daniel continued the

the business alone for many years. He d. May 8, 1883. The CAPE ANN ADVERTISER paid the following just tribute to his memory:

Gone Before.

"Mr. Daniel Sayward, an aged and highly respected citizen of Ward One, passed on to the better land on the 8th inst., in the 81st year of his age. He was a son of Daniel and Sarah (Coos) Sayward, and was born September 3. 1802. His early life was passed in fishing, being master of the Schooner Delegate and others. In 1834 he formed a partnership with his brother, Epes, and carried on the fishing business. They continued together until about 1855, when the firm dissolved, and Mr. Sayward went into business for himself. pression which marked the business in 1878 was severely felt by Mr. Sayward, and the shrinkage in the values of vessel and wharf property proved most unfavorable, and he was obliged to submit to the inev-He acted in a thoroughly honest manitable and suspend business. ner, and at an advanced age in life saw the savings of a lifetime disappear. But he bore the loss bravely and did all in his power to retrieve it. He was a man of untiring industry, strict integrity of character and of genial disposition, who saw in hls long life the fishing business of his native place rise from its small beginnings to its present mag-His funeral occurred yesterday, and was attended by Ocean Lodge of Odd Fellows, of which the deceased was a most worthy member.

He m. Ann Maria, daughter of Moses Gilbert, of Gloucester, December 15, 1830. She d. March 10, 1877. Children:

282 1. Daniel, b. October 25, 1831; d. April 30, 1832.

283 11. Charles Edwin, b. August 13, 1834

284 III. Harriet Gillert. b. November 14, 1836; m. Benjamin H. Smith, Esq., a prominent lawyer of Rockport, May 8, 1860. She d. January 8, 1874. He d. November 23, 1880. Ch.: (1) Hattie S., b. september 6, 1862; d. April 10, 1863. (2) Anna S., b. October 16, 1864. (3) Hester S., b. September 22, 1868.

285 Iv. William A., b. January 22, 1845.

161. Epes, b. September 10, 1804, son of Daniel (86) and Sarah (Coos) Sayward, resided in Glou-

cester on the estate originally granted to his ancestor, Elder James Sayward. He d. October 4, 1884. The Cape Ann Advertiser of October 10, 1884, contained the following notice of his death:

Death of a Venerable Citizen.

Mr. Epes Sayward died at his residence in Ward One on Saturday, after a long and painful illness, at the venerable age of four score years. He was the last surviving son of Daniel and Sarah Coos Sayward, and his long life was passed upon the famlly estate originally granted to his ancestor, Elder James Sayward March 16, 1696, "half an acre of ground between the run that runs into Cripple Cove Hill situate on the south side of the hill and north side of the run, butting home to high water mark." This property came down through three generations, by inheritance and purchase, to the deceased and his brothers, and still remains in the family. Here his father, Capt. Daniel Sayward, established himself in the fishing business after retiring from seafaring pursuits in middle life, and the business has been continued at the old stand through three generations, though not under the same firm name, as is the case with the Mansfields at the other end of the city.

Capt. Daniel Sayward was one of the pioneers in the fishing business as now conducted and owned one of the three or four square-stern fishing vessels sailing from Gloucester half a century ago, the Delegate.

He had a small wharf or landing where the business was conducted, the only structure of the kind along the shore between Dea. Andrew Parker's wharf to Parsons' wharf, with the exception of a small landing belonging to Daniel Norwood opposite the foot of Hammond Street and up to about 1824 there was not a vessel sailing from the upper cove, above Duncan point. that carried a bowsprit. The firm was originally Daniel Sayward & Sons and thus continued until the death of the father in 1834, when the sons Epes and Daniel (an older brother who died last year in his eighty-first year) formed a copartnership under the style of Epes Sayward & Co., and for many years conducted an extensive business, About 1855 the firm dissolved, Mr. Daniel Sayward going into business on his own account, and his brother remaining at the old stand. The latter retired from business in 1865. since which time the business has been energetically pursued at the same place by his sons Epes and George, under the style of Sayward Brothers.

Mr. Sayward was a man of industry and integrity, of good business capacity, liberal views and agreeable manners. He lived to witness marked changes in the place of his birth, and a marvelous development of the industry to which he devoted himself in a small way in his early days, a calling which he pursued through his life with quiet

assiduity, nor sought for political or other preferment. For several years past he has been incapacitated for business by ill health. He was married in December 1829 by the Rev. Thomas Jones to Mary S. (daughter of Amos) Story, who, with three sons and four daughters, survives him. Messrs. Epes, George and Horace Sayward, Mrs. E. L. Cook, of Gloucester, Mrs. Andrew Geyer, of Cambridge, Mrs. Granville C. Smith, of Ipswich, and Miss Estelle Sayward.

He m. Mary Ann Story, of Gloucester, November 13, 1829. Children:

286 1. Epes, b. October 16, 1830.

11. Mary Ann, b. July 28, 1832; m Edwin L. Cook, of Gloucester, May 18, 1853. He d. March 30, 1887. Ch.: (1) Mary L., b. August 31, 1854; d. August 22, 1855. (2) Annie R., b. June 11, 1856; m. John J. Babson. of Gloucester, July 19, 1877. (3) Herman E., b. June 27, 1858; d. April 8, 1879. (4) Eddie, b. May 10, 1860; d. January 5, 1861. [5] Laura S., b. April 25, 1862; d June 3, 1863. [6] Harriet S., b. September 10, 1864; m. Samuel V. Colby, April 24, 1889. [7] Loring, b. May 31, 1867. [8] Horace, b. May 12, 1872; d. May 12, 1872.

288 111. Amanda, b. July 6, 1834; d. March 14, 1835

289 Iv. Sydney, b. November 21, 1835; d. February 25, 1838.

v. Amanda, b. July 30, 1837; m. Andrew Geyer, February 17, 1861. He d. April 15, 1890. Resides in Cambridge: one child, Frederica S., b. October 4, 1862.

291 v1. Sydney, b. October 14, 1839; d. March 12, 1841.

vii. Laura, b. September 13, 1841; m. Granville C. Smith,
October 31, 1869; resides in Ipswich. Ch.
[1] Edwin H., b. February 4, 1873; d. February 8, 1873. [2] Amanda G., b. April 28, 1875,

293 v111. George, b. December 30, 1842.

1x. Horace, b. September 30, 1849; unm., resides in Gloucester.

295 x. Estelle, b. April 25, 1852.

The Cape Ann Advertiser of April 18, 1890, published the following notice of the death of Andrew Geyer:

Andrew Geyer,

who engaged in the drng business in this city some thirty-five years ago, died at his home in Cambridge Wednesday morning, after a week's illness of pneumonia. He was born in Boston 53 years ago, coming to this city when a young man as clerk in the drug store of his brother, Charles R., and afterward succeeding to the business, at first in partnership with his brother Dexter D., and afterward on his separate account. He afterward removed to Ipswich and later to Cambridge, where he has resided for the past fourteen years, having built up a prosperous business, which he personally conducted.

Mr. Geyer was of an inventive turn of mind and has constructed several inventions in general use among the trade, among which is a very ingenious guard to be placed on bottles containing poisons. A patent nursing bottle in general use was invented by him, also and at the time of his death he was engaged on yet another invention, which it was his intention to put upon the market at an early date.

Mr. Geyer was married in this city February 27, 1851, to Miss Amanda, daughter of Epes Sayward, who with one daughter survives him.

He was a prominent member of the Masonic fraternity, being a member of Putnam Lodge of Cambridge and of the commandery at Salem.

Mr. Geyer will be remembered by many of our readers as a genial and social companion, and his visits here since his removal were warmly welcomed by many of his former associates. He never forgot a friendship, and on his last visit here, in a call at the Advertiser sinctum, spoke of the pleasure he experienced in making another visit to his former home and recalling the recollections of by-gone days.

Motley School, Springfield, Ill.

^{163.} Fitz William, b. 1809, youngest son of Daniel (86) and Sarah (Coos) Sayward, resided in Gloucester, and was engaged in fishing in early life, and was afterward a member of the firm of Epes Sayward & Co. He m. (1) Eliza Howard, of Gloucester, November 17, 1883; she d. February 14, 1842. (2) Abigail Day, of Gloucester, April 16, 1843. She d. December 27, 1857. He d. April 13, 1855. Children:

^{1.} Eliza H., b. September 23, 1834, lives in Gloucester, unm 297 II. Maria Haskell, b. August 15, 1838; Superintendent of

- 298 111. William Franklin, b. March 10, 1840; d. March 17, 1841. 299 1v. William Franklin. b. December 10, 1841; d. June 12,
 - 1869; unm.
- v. Elizabeth O., b. April 6, 1845; m. Joseph D. Roper, of Springfield, Ill., April 30, 1879. Ch.: (1)
 Abbie S., b. December 30, 1884.
- vi. Clarabel, b. January 16, 1847; m. Thomas W. Catlin, July 17, 1875. Residence, Deer Lodge, Montana. Ch.: (1) Mabel S., b. in Havana, Ill., March 8, 1880. (2) Olive B, b. November 28, 1885. (3) Margaret B, b. November 11, 1886. (4) Walter, b. April 16, 1889; d. August 17, 1889; last three born in Deer Lodge, Montana.
- 302 v11. Abbie Day, b. June 18, 1848; d. March 5, 1884; unm.
- 303 viii. Martha, b. September, 1850; d. September 24, 1853.
- 304 1x. Son, b. May 12, 1853; d. y.
- 305 x. Daughter, b. November 28, 1854; d. May 3, 1855.
- 306 x1. Son, b. February 26, 1855; d. y.

The following account of the death of Abbie Day above named is taken from the CAPE ANN ADVERTISER, March 14, 1884:

"Miss Abbie Day Sayward, the youngest daughter of the late Fitz W. and Abbie Sayward of this city died at Chicago, Ill., March 5. She was one of five sister, we I known and highly esteemed in this city, who have resided for many years in the West. where they all won an enviable reputation in the profession of teaching. Miss Sayward was a young lady of charming qualities and exalted character, who bore up under the protracted assaults of the fell destroyer, consumption, with patience and cheerful resignation. Her last visit to her native city, and reunion with the friends of her early years was made in the summer of 1882."

164. Samuel, b. 1799, son of John (88) and Abigail (Coos) Sayward, is described as "Master Mariner." His will is dated November 1, 1862, and was probated February 3, 1865, his wife was executrix. He m. Caroline B. Bates, of Boston, published January 9, 1831. He d. November 9, 1862.

Children:

- 307 1. Daughter, b. April 22, 1845; d. y.
- 308 11. Son. b September 4, 1846; d. November 13, 1846.
- 309 tii. Samuel G., b. February 22, 1849; d. April 5, 1849.
- 310 Iv. Mary G., b. May 28, 1850; d. August 14, 1851.
- v. Caroline B., m. Robert Leighton, Superintendent of Schools, Brooklyn, N. Y.
- 312 v1. Infant, d. April 14, 1852.

165. John, b. 1802, son of John (88) and Abigail (Coos) Sayward, was a merchant and resided in Gloucester, Mass. He m. his cousin, Eliza Parsons, of Gloucester, May, 1826. He was one of the old school merchants, noted for strict integrity and a high sense of honor in all his business, as well as social relations. He was successful in business, and left a large estate. He d. June 23, 1860, and his widow was appointed administratrix of his estate, giving a probate bond in the sum of thirty thousand dollars. She d. in Gloucester, May 3, 1882.

Children:

- 313 I. John, b. May 6, 1829.
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 11. Eliza Ann, b. July 23, 1831; m. John Piper, Esquire, Register of Probate for Worcester County,

 Mass., and resided in Fitchburg, where she d. May 8, 1856.
- 315 III. Benjamin Parsons, b. September 17, 1833.
- 316 Iv. Caroline Center, b October 6, 1836; d. October 22, 1852.
- 317 v. Samuel, b. July 22, 1842.
- 318 v1. William Henry, b. January, 1844; d. July 25, 1865; unm.
- 319 vii. Edward Elwell, b. October 7, 1845; d April 9, 1869; unm
- 320 viii. Mary Abby, b. October 22. 1848; m. John Piper, Esquire, her deceased sister's husband, October 29, 1866; d. August 2, 1870.

17(). Joseph, b. January 29, 1811, son of Henry (90) and Lydia (Ingersoll) Sayward, resides in Gloucester. He was station agent of the Eastern Railroad at Gloucester for thirty-two years and nine

months, resigning February 14, 1878. He m. (1) Emily, daughter of Captain Joseph Babson, of Gloucester, January 1, 1839, by whom he had one child. She d. 1855. (2) Mary B. Williams, of Gloucester, December 16, 1857. Children:

321 1. Joseph Henry, b. 1841; d. 1843.

322 11. Joseph Hale, b. October 10, 1861; is a druggist and resides in Lynn, Mass.

171. James H., b. 1808, son of James Stover (93) and Betsey (Elwell) Sayward, was a Unitarian clergyman, and preached for a time in Townsend, Mass., but in December, 1842, he moved to Fitzwilliam, N. H., and became the pastor of the First Congregational Society (Unitarian,) where he continued to preach until until December, 1843, when his health failed and he was obliged to give up work. He d.. January 13, 1844, aged 36, and was buried in Mansfield, Mass. "He was very much beloved, not only by his own society, but by the other denominations. At his funeral the ministers of all denominations were invited to assist, which was looked upon by some as a very strange proceeding." He m. Mary B. Pratt, of Mansfield, Mass., but left no issue. His widow m. — Kensill.

187. WILLIAM, b. March 8, 1790, son of William (103) and Abigail (Ingersoll) Sayward, was baptized June 27, 1802, and is the same William numbered 190. His father did not have two sons of that name as previously stated. He was a master mariner, and sailed from Gloucester. He died on the voyage home from Surrinam in 1825, and was buried at sea

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He m. Sally, eldest daughter of Captain Daniel Sayward (86), of Gloucester, August 11, 1811. She d. September 26, 1834. Children:

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323 I. July, b. 1813; d y.
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324 11. William, b. February 12, 1815.

325 111. George, b. September 18, 1819.

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IV. Julia Ann, b. January 5, 1822; m (1) William H. Oakes.

son of Sussn (157) (Sayward) Oakes,

December 1, 1839. He d. January 5, 1882.

Ch.: (1) Sarah E., d. y. (2) George H.,

F. August 29, 1844. (3) Fitz A., b. September 12, 1846; d. March 22, 1848. (4)

William E., b. December 25, 1847 (5)

Salie S., b. October 24, 1849; d February

12, 1872. [6] Julia Ann, b. August 26,

1852. [7] Roscoe H., b. October 16, 1860.

[8] Elmer E., b. March 6, 1862; d. March

24, 1875. m. [2] Thomas Sadler, October

23, 1887. Residence, Everett, Mass.

v. Sarah Abigail, b. November 16, 1824; d. December 2. 1838

200. RICHARD K., b. May 19, 1820, son of Richard (113) and Eliza (Bradford) Sayward, was a farmer and lived in Union, Me., where he d. October 21, 1886. He m. Olivia V. Robbins, of Union, July 2, 1857. Children:

202. Perez B., b. December 22, 1823, son of Richard (113) and Eliza (Bradford) Sayward, was a farmer and resided in Limestone, Me. He served on the School Committee and Board of Selectmen for several years, and was elected Supervisor of Schools in 1880. He was a Trial Justice for Androscoggin county at his death. He d. March 4,

^{328 1.} Olivia E., b. April 10, 1858.

^{329 11.} Sarah A., b. July 4, 1863.

^{330 111.} James W., b. June 26, 1866.

³³¹ Iv. Ralph K., b. August 9, 1874.

1887. The following resolutions were published in the Annual Report of the town of Limestone, 1887:

"Whereas, Divine Providence has seen fit to suddenly remove from our midst the Chairman of our Board and esteemed fellow townsman, P. B. Sayward,

Resolved, That, as an officer of our town, we acknowledge his sterling qualities, and shall greatly miss his ability and labor for us.

Resolved, That we extend our deepest sympathy to the family of the deceased, and, while we feel to mourn with them, would point to that other shore, where the little ones have gone before, and where parting is unknown.

R. B. Leavett. C. L. Davis."

He was post master of Limestone at his death. He m. (1) Augusta L. Elake, of Union, Me., September 29, 1856. She d. August, 1874. (2) Sophia Durepo, December 1, 1877.

Children:

332 1. Joseph D., b. September 25, 1878.

333 11. Mary Rose, b. June 12, 1882; d. November 2, 1885.

334 111. Grover C., b. July 26, 1884.

335 iv. Charles B, b December 16, 1885; d. July 16, 1886.

203. William T., b. October 10, 1813, son of William (114) and Elizabeth (Robinson) Sayward, was a carpenter. He resided in Rockland, Me., where he was a Deputy Sheriff for several years. He went to California in 1849, where he was engaged in mining and trading for two years. In 1853 he was employed in banking in San Francisco. Afterwards he moved to Puget Sound, where, for twelve years, he was engaged in lumbering and shipping. Later he became interested in The Riverside Land and Irrigation Company at San Bernardino, California. He wrote and published a valuable work on irrigation. He d. at San Francisco, California, June 11, 1887. He m. Prescilla Lindsey

October 26. 1834. She d. January 30, 1852. Children:

7336 1. Ophelia, b. August 27, 1836; d. August 1, 1846.

337 11. Alfred K., b. November 27, 1844; d. June 27, 1846.

204. James Wheaton, b. October 1, 1813, son of William (114) and Elizabeth (Robinson) Sayward, resides in Riverside, California. He is a ship carpenter and mariner. He went from Rockland to California in May, 1850, where he was engaged in mining for two years. He returned to Rockland, and in 1853 built the bark "William T. Sayward" of four hundred and sixty tons burthen, in which he returned to California as master, taking his family with him. He was engaged in coasting on the Pacific coast for several years, in command of different vessels. In November, 1864, he took command of the ship Aquilla, owned by him and his brother, William T. In 1866, the ship sailed from Burnard's Inlet, British Columbia, with a cargo of spars, masts, and lumber, bound for Glasgow, Scotland, where he arrived late in the year, and took a cargo of pig iron and sailed for New York. January 7, 1867, the ship encountered a terrific gale which lasted for many days. The sails were blown away, the masts went by the board, and the ship leaked so badly that all hands were kept at the pumps to keep her afloat. In this condition she drifted about for twelve days, when the crew were taken from the sinking vessel by the bark Victoria, Captain Heughs, and carried to Baltimore. tain Sayward returned to California and settled at St. Helene, where he was engaged in grape culture, for thirteen years. July 20, 1881, he sold his vineyard and moved to the Temescal Valley in San Bernardino County.

He is six feet two inches in height and weighs two hundred and twenty-five pounds. He m. Mary E. Butler, of Brunswick, Me., February 14, 1841. She was b. in Brunswick, July 6, 1813, and d. at Riverside, August 22, 1887. No children.

205. Joseph, b. August 27, 1817, son of Joseph (117) and Martha (Wheeler) Sayward, resided in Rochester, N. H., where he was engaged in mercantile pursuits for many years. He d. July 24, 1889. He m. (1) Mary A. Getchell, May, 1840. She d. (2) Ann E. Wiggin.

Children:

- 338 1. Charles Francis, b. September 3, 1850; d. 1853.
- 339 11. Martha A., b. June 27, 1855; m. George E. Horn, of Rochester, N H.
- 340 111. Frank, b. October 6, 1857; d. December, 1859.
- 341 Iv. Fred B., b. December 25, 1858.

206. John W., b. October 19, 1820, son of Joseph (117) and Martha (Wheeler) Sayward, was a farmer in early life. He served three years in the 26th Regiment Maine Volunteers. Re-enlisted February 1864, and was severely injured in battle. He served ten years on the police force of Fall River, Mass. He now resides at Taunton, Mass. He. m. Relief G. Rich, of Thorndike, Me., April 27, 1844. Children born in Thorndike:

^{342 1.} Nettie, b. April 20, 1845; d. January 1, 1866.

^{343 11.} Valorous O., b. August 27, 1847.

^{344 111.} Ophelia, b. September 19, 1849; d. November 7, 1865.

³⁴⁵ Iv. John Fred, b. August 27, 1855; d. November 9, 1865.

v. Arthur B., b. March 1, 1857; lives in Taunton, Mass.; unm.

207. ALBERT T., b. January 27, 1823, son of Joseph (117) and Martha (Wheeler) Sayward. Resided in Rockland. where he d. March. 1874, He m. Elizabeth Burns, of Rockland, January 27, 1855. Children:

347 1. Carrie, b. September 18, 1865.

348 11. Annie, b. March 3, 1863.

349 111. Alberta, b. 1871.

208 WILLIAM HENRY, b. May 1, 1826, son of Joseph (117) and Martha (Wheeler) Sayward, was a farmer and mill-owner, and lived in Thorndike, Me, where he d. June 16, 1889. He m. Mary A. Merriam, April 1, 1855. Children:

350 1. Walter T., b. May 1856.

351 11. Ada C., b. July 6, 1860; d. September 11, 1864.

352 111. Alice G., b. July 6, 1860.

353 iv. Joseph H., b. March 23, 1863.

v. Jennie May, b. October 14, 1872; d. April 4, 1880.

210. George W., b. April 30, 1833, youngest son of Joseph (117) and Martha (Wheeler) Sayward, lives in Rochester, N. H. He m. Julia Dyer, January, 1853; She d. about 1877. Children:

355 I. Gracie Helen, b. February 25, 1858; m. Edward Towle, and resides in Enfield, Me.

211 Lucy A., daughter of James (118) and Lucy (Wheeler) Sayward, was born in Union, Me., May 19, 1828. She m. Francis Harding, of Union, June 16, 1850, where they resided until 1854, when they moved to Brighton, Mass., where he d. December 11, 1889. She now resides at Howard Place, Brigh-

ton. Children:

- 1. Frank Forrest, b. February 10, 1861.
- 11. Carrie Bell, b. March 4, 1866.

212. WILLIAM PARSONS, son of James (118) and Lucy (Wheeler) Sayward, was b. in Thomaston, Me., December 9, 1818. He was educated in the common schools, and early learned the carpenter's trade. His father died while he was a child, and he was thrown upon his own resources at an early age. He went to Boston when twenty-one years of age, and worked for awhile; then went to Florida, where he spent some time trying to get a start in life.

When the tidings came that gold had been found in California, he started for that country, and on his arrival he began to work at his trade, and obtained high wages. He soon acquired sufficient capital to start in business, and purchased a lumber establishment in which he met with great success. In 1858 he went up the coast and engaged in manufacturing and selling lumber, and erected a large mill at Saanach, where he remained until 1861, when he established himself at Victoria, B. C., where he now resides and is extensively engaged in the lumber business. He still retains his American citizenship, and consequently has never been eligible for office under the British Government. The British Columbia Edition San Francisco Journal of Commerce, of February, 1888, gives the following account of him and his business:

"Mr. W. P. Sayward's mill and yard are bounded by Constance street and the bridge, known as the first bridge on the road to Esquimalt, on the one side, and Rock Bay and the inner harbor on the other. It possesses storage accommodations for millions of feet of

lumber. A glance at some of the huge logs floating securely in the bay, and at a raft of some 200,000 feet which had recently been towed down from the timber districts, was suggestive of what a mighty thing was man's ingenuity over the giant products of the forest. As we watched we noticed that a log weighing thousands of pounds floated gracefully in the water; suddenly a man descends from the mill with a grappling hook attached to a heavy chain, sinks it into the log, and away it is whirled rapidly up a long slip, rolled skillfully on to a sliding platform, and in a few minutes is disposed of in various shapes and sizes about the yard. It is truly a wonderful thing. Mr. Sayward built his mill at a cost of some \$40,000 nine years ago.

He also owns a mill at Port Madison, and employs two vessels—a steamer and schooner—in the interests of his business. His lumber is towed from the East coast and mainland, and is received in rafts of from 200,000 to 500,000 feet. He does all his own planing, uses the improved double circular Spaulding saw and trimmers, and cuts an average of 30,000 feet per day. He manufactures about six million feet annually of pine, cedar and spruce, of which Oregon pine is held most in demand. His principal engine is a 75-horse power and drives the main saw, also furnishing the power for hauling logs up the slip. The second engine runs the planer, large saw and trimmer, and his Tatum & Bowen lath saw enables him to manufacture all his own He has also an improved log trimmer, and the slabs and sawdust that are apparently of such little value, he makes, by a most ingenious arrangement of shafts, do duty as fuel for his engines. also has built a square brick furnace, 16x25 feet, which being roofed over and grated inside, receives the surplus sawdust and consumes the same in a living bed of fire. This, Mr. Sayward asserts, he finds cheaper than carting away the stuff, there being little or no demand for it. With this constant glowing furnace Mr. Sayward might successfully run an engine of great power, such, for instance, as the electric light, or utilized for burning lime. Besides a number of men in the logging districts, he employs about thirty or forty hands in the mill. His own private wharf offers secure moorage for vessels of all descriptions, and his shipments up the coast and to local fields are large and extensive. In the past Mr. Sayward has made experiments in shipments to the Sandwich Islands and Australia, but has never found it very profitable on account of the high duty imposed. The duty of \$2 per thousand imposed by the San Francisco ports is rather a large one and prevents shipments from this Dominion, but it is more than likely that the tariff will some day be removed, which will allow this port to compete, and compete successfully, with Oregon. Washington Territory and the Northwest. Mr. Sayward has provided very well arranged hose, attached to a fire plug, easily reached, and commanding all parts of the yards and mill. His business is vast and profitable and he enjoys the respect and admiration of the trade and community.

It is a noticeable fact that all of Victoria's old pioneers are respected and prosperous citizens. They have watched the city during past decades in all its stages of prosperity and adversity. They have all seen feasts and famines, hardships and comforts, yet have never allowed their faith in the city to waver. Mr. W. P. Sayward, proprietor of the Rock Bay Sawmills before described, is a splendid representative of this class. He has been a resident of Victoria since 1858. tive of Thomaston, Maine, he left there at the age of 21, being possessed of a spirit of adventure, a level head, a strong arm, and an honest heart. He resided in Boston, as also in Florida for a few years, but during the gold excitement in California in '49, he with four or five companions, started for the newly discovered Eldorado, to seek out their fortunes. Contrary to the usual custom, Mr. Sayward on his arrival in California did not join the pick and shovel brigade, but commenced to work at his trade, which was that of a carpenter and builder. Skilled labor and men with a trade were in active demand, and in consequence were paid very high wages. Finding that the hills and valleys were not lined with gold, as many had been foolishly led to believe young Sayward with characteristic shrewdness, went to work at his trade, and in a short time had saved enough money to start in business as a baker in Sacramento with one of his companions—also a baker—who had accompanied him on his trip to California. At this time, of course, this was a most remunerative business, and it was here that Mr. Sayward can be said to have obtained his first start in life. In three years he made sufficient money to buy out the lumber establishment of S. S. Smith in San Francisco, and thus drifted into a line of business which came more directly under his knowledge as a practical carpenter. By honest and honorable deal. ings in the products of the forest, Mr. Savward built up a large fortune. In 1858 he came to the Northwest, which he thought possessed better scope for ability. He built a lumber mill near Saanach in 1861. There he remained, conducting a profitable and constantly increasing business until 1878, when he established his present plant.

Mr. Sayward is now 71 years of age, though he looks and acts like a much younger man, being to all appearances, active, strong and healthy as a young man of 35, and in as full possession of all his mental faculties. Although an American citizen, there are no residents in Victoria, more deserving of eulogy than Mr. Sayward. He has used both his capital and influence to forward such enterprises as were calculated to benefit the city and advance public interests, and has been closely identified with all noteworthy movements of a business character organized in the city. Mr. Sayward is a member of the Pioneer Association, as also the Order of Odd Fellows. By his customers and business acquaintances he is respected as a man of honor and integrity, and by his friends beloved as a man of warm heart, generous impulses, and charitable inclinations.

He m. Mrs. Anne Chambers, of Victoria, B. C., June 20, 1861. She d. August 17, 1870. Children:

1. Joseph Austin, b. July 17, 1862. 356

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213. John, b. July, 1799, son of James (119) and Sally (Abbott) Sayward, was a farmer and lived in Portland, Me., where he d. about 1835. He m. (1) Eliza Morse, 1822. She d. 1825.

Children:

1. Martha Ann, b. 1823; d. at Great Falls, N. H., 1842, unm. 357

358 11. Infant, d. y.

111. Hannah S., b. 1825; m. Jacob M. Goodrich, of Alfred, 359 Me., February 10, 1848; d. September 22, 1864. Ch.: (1) Sydney A., b. March. 1849. (2) Daughter, d. y.

His second wife was Lucy Davis, of Parsonsfield, by whom he had one child, which died young.

214. SALLY, b. September 1, 1804, daughter of James (119) and Lydia (Witherell) Sayward, m. Nathaniel Abbott, of Shapleigh, Me., March 28, 1828. He was a farmer and resided in Shapleigh, where he d. May 14, 1846.

Children born in Shapleigh:

- 1. Lydia An, b. August 9, 1835; m. Asa J. Lerned, of Lawrence, Mass., November 23, 1881; and resides in Lawrence.
- 11. James S., b. October 21, 1839; m. Angelia Sayward, January 6, 1866, and resides in Shapleigh, Me.
- 111. Asenath, b. July 22, 1842; m. Asa J. Lerned, January 6, 1866; d. December 9, 1880.
- 215. Betsey W., b. May 22, 1806, daughter of

James (119) and Lydia (Witherell) Sayward m. Robert H. Huntress, of Effingham, N. H., December 22, 1829. Children born in Effingham:

- 1. Elizabeth W., b. October 31, 1830; m. Samuel Allen, March 14, 1875; and resides in Effingham.
- 11. Nancy P., b. April 6, 1832; m. (1) Jonathan W. Griffin. September, 1862. He d January 7, 1884. (2)

 Daniel Lawton, of Vienna, Me.
- 111. Robert C., b. January 17, 1834; m. Annie B. Hosmer. Aug. 23, 1865, and resides in Stoneham, Mass.
- Iv. Jennie F., b. March 8, 1836; m. George Greenleaf, 1866.
 She d. October 30, 1870. One child,
 George W.
- v. John F., b. April 12, 1840; m. Emma Austin, June, 1868-Resides in Chicago, Ill.
- 216. Berlinda, b. July 30, 1808; daughter of James (119) and Lydia (Witherell) Sayward; m. Benjamin P. Russell, of Freedom, N. H., September 1838. She d. May 27, 1873. Me d. July 28, 1874. Children:
 - 1. Hannah, b. June 20, 1840.
 - 11. Eva. b. July 4, 1851; m. Lewis C. Clark, July 14, 1889 Resides in Freedom, N. H.,
- 217. Lydia, b. August 1811, daughter of James (119) and Lydia (Witherell) Sayward, m. Leander Staples, of Limerick, Me., April, 1844. She d. December 28, 1852. Children:
 - I. James S., m. Clarissa McElroy He d. 1887. Two children: Vernon H. Henry L.
 - 11. Elizabeth F., m. Wingate Lougee, of Somerville, Mass. She d, April 7, 1886, leaving a daughter Grace.
- 218. Amy, b. in Parsonsfield, Me. June 25, 1813, daughter of James (119) and Lydia (Witherell) Sayward, m. William H. Perkins, of Parsonsfield,

October, 1842. He d. November 17, 1864. She d. October 26, 1886. Children born in Parsonsfield:

- 1. Armindo L., b. August 12, 1843; m. Thomas A. Packard, of Readfield, Me., February 10, 1867. Resides in Stoneham, Mass.
- 11. Ancil B, b. August 20, 1845; m. Sadie Woods, September, 1864. Resides at Big Springs, Texas.
- 111. Annie R., b. August 20, 1845; m. James L. Craig, July 5, 1864. Resides at Stoneham, Mass.
 - Iv. Austin P., b. March 28, 1847; d. March 1, 1852.
 - v. Ira C., b. March 20, 1849; d. March 20, 1852.
- 219. Hannah, b. May 2, 1816, daughter of James (119) and Lydia (Witherell) Sayward, m. Richard Bennett, of Freedom, N. H., November 26, 1842. He d. August 30, 1856.

Children born in Freedom:

- 1. Sarah F., b. September 14, 1843; m. Mayhew Allard, November 12, 1865; d. January 9, 1867.
- 11. Winslow, b. January 18, 1845; m. Kittie Cross, August 20, 1870; d. October 14, 1873.
- 111. Luanna, b. December 14, 1846; d. August 30, 1860.
- Iv. Lydia, b. December 14, 1847; m. Henry Pingree, November 1, 1968; d. August 26, 1876.
- v. Austin, b. December 18, 1853; m. Louisa Kennison, December 17, 1879; d. June 26, 1882.
- vi. Almon R., b. June 13, 1855; m. Lillia Barker. Resides in Freedom, N. H.
- 222. EBENEZER R., b. August 1, 1808, son of Benjamin (121) and Rebecca (Witherell) Sayward, resides at York, Me., and is proprietor of the "Beach Home," at York Beach. He m. (1) Sally Smith, April 12, 1829. She d. November 1, 1855. (2) Marry H. Gilman, May 11, 1856.

Children:

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1. Dorcas Jane, b. in Hollis, Me., September 8, 1830; m. William A. McDonald, of Ryegate, Vt., July 10, 1849. They resided East until 1858, when they went to Mt. Gilead, Ohio, where they resided until April, 1870, when they settled in Bucyrus, Ohio, their present residence. Ch.: (1) Allie J., b. March 30,1860. (2) W. Belle, b. August 17, 1862; d. September 9, 1862. (3) W. Burr, b. April 16, 1864; d. August 9, 1864. (4) H. Scott, b. November 1, 1868.

361 11. Benjamin, b. July 15, 1836.

362 111. Abbie Wood, b. June 13, 1842; m. (1)Dr. C. S. Lyons, of Lawrence, Mass., August 4, 1861, by whom she had Edward S, b. November 4, 1868. Dr. Lyon d. about 1875. (2) Gen. Charles H. Fitch, May 30, 1876. They reside at 1213 South 16th Street, Omaha, Neb.

363 iv. Albert Alphonso, b. December 27, 1846.

226. SABRA, b. September 5, 1818, daughter of Benjamin (121) and Rebecca (Witherell) Sayward

m. John Pike, of Shapleigh, Me., January 21, 1843. He was a farmer and resided at Newfield, Me. He d. at Ross Corner, Me., April 11, 1868, aged 56

years. Children:

1. Helene C., b. November 5, 1844; m. Freeman C. Watson, of Limerick, Me., July 4, 1868; now resides at Sanford Corner, Me. Ch.: (1) Nellie E., b. March 19, 1870; m. William Batchelder, of Lancaster, N. H., September 22, 1888. (2) Florence, b. October 21, 1871.

ri. Benjamin L., b. October 7, 1847; resides at Winthrop, Mass.; unm.

228. Cyrus K., b. in Shapleigh, Me., January 18, 1813, son of William (124) and Betsey (Ricker) Sayward, is a farmer and resided in Shapleigh for many years, where he owned a large farm. He moved to Ipswich, Mass., in 1855, and resided on the Heard Farm for five years, and afterwards in

the Village until 1865, when he removed to Lawrence, Mass., where he now resides at 47 Summer Street. He m. Joan, daughter of Moses Spiller, of Ipswich, Mass., March 2, 1837. She was born in Ipswich, November 20, 1812, and d. September 29, 1837, and is buried in the South Cemetery in Ipswich.

She was a descendant of Henry Spiller, who was born in England about 1660, and came to Ipswich about 1680, and was employed by the town for many years as a teacher in the public schools. died about 1745, and his wife, Sarah, December 13, 1752. They had five children: (1) John. (2) Sarah, who married Joseph Berry, of Ipswich, and (3) Mary, who married John Filemore, of Ipswich, published November 28, 1724, and moved to Baltimore, Md., where they raised alarge family. Among her great grandchildren was Millard Fillemore, President of the United. (4) Henry, b. 1709. (5) Martha. Henry m. Sarah Newmarch, of Ipswich, published August 28, 1731, by whom he had five children, the eldest of whom was Henry, b. November 5, 1732. was a farmer and resided for several years on the Boardman Farm in Ipswich, situated on the southeasterly side of Giddings' Creek. He afterward lived near Heartbreak Hill on the farm formerly owned by Theodore Andrews, where he d. January 3, 1817, aged 84 years, and his wife January 1, 1817, aged 85 years. Both were buried in one grave in the South Cemetery in Ipswich. He m. Mary Hodgkins, of Ipswich,, March 4, 1754. They had eleven children, among whom was Moses, b. June 10, 1771. He was a farmer and resided in Ipswich.

He lived at Plum Island for two years and then moved to the Village, where he was engaged in butchering for several years. Later he lived on the Heard Farm in Ipswich, on the road to Eagle Hill.

He m. Anna Smith, of Ipswich, November 24, She d. September 8, 1846, aged 74 years; and he d. June 17, 1853, aged 81 years, 7 months and 7 days. Both are buried in the South Cemetery in Ipswich. Children:

- Infant, twins b. 1794; d. March 27, 1794. b. 1794; d. December 29, 1794.
- II.
- 111. Job, b. 1796; m. Maria Barker; d. October 18, 1823.
 - Iv. Elizabeth, b. October 21, 1798; m. Moses Seward, January 25, 1819; d. September 9, 1861; two children, Elizabeth and Mary.
 - v. Moses, b. August 27, 1800; m. (1) Sarah Bulder. (2) Ruth Ober; d. December 20, 1882.
 - Infant, b. 1802; d. y. VI.
- Mary, b. 1805; m. John Pinder, September 21, 1823. Ch.: VII. John, Sarah, Mary, Joann, Daniel, Caroline F. She d. July 6, 1860.
- Lucy, b. 1806; m. Nathan Jewett, December 3, 1828; d. Jan-VIII. uary 20, 1887.
 - Son, b. 1807; d. June 16, 1807. IX.
 - Infant, b. 1808; d. October 17, 1808. x.
 - Joseph, b. September 12, 1810; m. (1) Sarah B. Chapman. (2) Emeline Lord. Ch.: Joseph B. xI.
 - William, b. 1811; d. of a scald at Plum Island, March 4, 1812.
- Joan, b. November 20, 1812; m. Cyrus K Sayward.
- John H., b. April 3, 1817; m. Abigail L. Bean, May 3, 1838.

Cyrus K. and Joan Sayward had one child-

1. Charles Augustus, b. in Ipswich, June 28, 1837.

His second wife was Nancy, daughter of Stephen and Margaret (Ricker) Pillsbury, of Shapleigh, Me. She was born in Shapleigh, January 30, 1809, and was a descendant of William Pillsbury, who was born in England and came to Dorchester, Mass., in 1640, where he married and resided for ten years, and then removed to that part of Newbury now Newburyport, Mass., where he died in 1686, aged 71 years. He had ten children, among whom was Moses, who had four sons, of whom Joseph, the eldest, b. 1670, had by his wife, Sarah, three sons, of whom Joseph, b. January 16, 1694, m. Mehitable Weed, of Newbury, December 5, 1718, and had Nathan, b. September 22, 1719; Stephen, b. Janua-20, 1721, and Abigail, b. September 22, 1724.

Stephen had, at least, two children, viz: Stephen and Mollie. Stephen m. Betsey Joy, of Berwick, Me., probably a cousin of Amy Joy who m. James (119) Sayward. He moved from Berwick to Shapleigh about 1778. He had a son Stephn, b. in Shapleigh, 1782, who m. Margaret Ricker (124), 1807, and had eight children, all b. in Shapleigh.

- 1. Mary, b. December 29, 1807; m. Luther Thompson.
- 11. Nancy, b. January 30, 1809; m. Cyrus K. Sayward.
- 111. Tobias, b. October 9, 1810.
- 1v. Simon, b. April 27, 1816.
- v. Syrena, b. January 23, 1819; m. Hasty G. Wells.
- vi. Clara, b. December 12, 1821; m. Frederick Fernald.
- vII. Sarah Ann, b. October 18, 1824; m. Enoch Chick.
- vIII. Sophronia, E, b. November 13, 1827; m. Thomas Garvin.

They were m. at Shapleigh, Me., September 2, 1840. She d. at Lawrence, July 2, 1885.

Children born in Shapleigh.

- 365 11. Joan Spiller, b. February 18, 1842.
- 366 111. Elizabeth Margaret, b. December 3, 1844.

229. Bradbury, b. March 3, 1815, son of William (124) and Betsey (Ricker) Sayward, was a farmer and teamster, and resided at Springvale, Me., where he d. February 19, 1868. He m. Annah Ham, of Shapleigh, Me., November 18, 1838. She d. April

1, 1889, aged 74 years and 4 months. Children:

367 I. James Albert, b. October 11, 1840.

368 11. John B, b. August 21, 1843; d. November 22, 1843.

369 111. George Franklin, b. July 22, 1845.

370 Iv. Ellen C., b. October 19, 1852; d. April 19, 1867.

23(). James, b. February 6, 1817, son of William (124) and Betsey (Ricker) Sayward, is a farmer and carpenter and resides at Springvale, Me. His father gave him a deed of the farm upon condition that he should remain at home and care for his parents in their declining years, which he faithfully fulfilled. In 1881, after their decease, he sold the farm and it passed out of the family.

He m. (1) Abigail, daughter of Joseph Abbott, of Shapleigh, September 12, 1847. She d. January 21, 1867. (2) Elizabeth R. Carpenter, of Woodstock, Vt., August 25, 1869. She d. June 2, 1870. (3) Sarah T. Collins, of Springvale, Me., January 10, 1872. Children born in Shapleigh:

- 371 1. Angelia, b. August 12, 1849; m. James Abbott, January 6, 1866; resides in Shapleigh. Ch : (1)

 Perley E., b. June 23, 1866. (2) Myrtie E., b. August 18, 1875.
- 372 11. Sarah Jane, b. April 21, 1855. Teacher in Baltimore, Md.

373 111. Son, b 1870; d. y.

234. Simon Dana, b. September 25, 1828, son of William (124) and Betsey (Ricker) Sayward, is a tin-worker and plumber, and resides in Skowhegan, Me. He is in the employ of the Maine Central Railroad.

He m. Elizabeth H. Robinson, of Skowhegan, January 9, 1856. She d. March 8, 1876.

Children:

- 374 I. Eugene Estella, b. February 25, 1858; d. unm. July 27, 1889.
- 375 II. Charles Dana, b. March 1, 1862.
- 376 111. Nellie Blanch, b. April 25, 1869.
- 377 Iv. Joseph Robinson, b. January 7, 1876.

236. Charles Woodbury, b. July 8, 1834, youngest son of William (124) and Betsey (Ricker) Sayward, is a carpenter and resides at Woodstock, Vt., where he owns a large mill for the manufacture of doors, sashes and blinds. He enlisted August 31, 1862, at Shapleigh, Me., in Co. F, 8th Maine Regiment, and joined the regiment at Beaufort, S. C., where he remained until the spring of 1863, when the troops were ordered to Jacksonville, Fla., and then to Hilton Head, where they remained until early in 1864, when they were sent to Yorktown, Va., and formed a part of the Tenth Army Corps.

He was with his regiment in the battles around Richmond and Petersburg till May 28, 1864, when the regiment was assigned to the Eighteenth Army Corps and sent to Cold Harbor and was engaged in the battles in that vicinity. The regiment then returned to Petersburg and was under fire most of the time during the summer. In the fall of that year the corps was ordered to Spring Hill on the extreme right, where it remained through the winter, holding the works at that point. Early in the spring of 1865 the command was sent to the extreme left of the line south of Petersbug. He was engaged with his regiment in the battles around Petersburg and in the capture of that city and of

Richmond. After the capture of Richmond he went with the troops in pursuit of Lee, and was present at the surrender of the rebel army. He was discharged June 11, 1865, and was a sergeant at his discharge. He is chairman of the school committee of Woodstock, Vt. He m. Melinda Folansbee, of Woodstock, January 1, 1866.

Children:

- 378 1. Hattie May, b. July 7, 1867; m. Edwin P. Law, of Orange, Conn., December 12, 1888.
- 379 11. Bessie Adella, b. July 29, 1871.
- 380 111. Harry Leeds, b. September, 1873; d. April 26, 1874.
- 381 Iv. James William, b. September 23. 1875.
- 238. John, b. July 25, 1802, son of Henry (126) and Ruth (Philpot) Sayward, was a physician and lived in Waterboro, Me. He was one of the Selectmen of that town in 1833-4-5 and 1838. He m. Joan S. Sinclair, of Waterboro, June 4, 1837. He d. March 3, 1843.

Children:

- 382 1. Benjamin Franklin, b. December 3, 1838.
- 240. RICHARD P., b. 1806, son of Henry (126) and Ruth (Philpot) Sayward, was a merchant and lived in Dover, N. H., where he d. April 21, 1840. He m. Nancy E. Courrier, of Dover, 1831. She d. August 28, 1844.

Children:

- 383 1. Henry R., b. March 29, 1832.
- 384 II. Daughter, d. y.
- 385 111, Harriet, d. y.
- 243. Henry, b. November 29, 1818, son of Joseph (130) and Lydia (Philpot) Sayward, resides in

Dover, N. H., and is a member of the firm of Niles & Co.'s Express, running between Dover and Boston. He m. S. Augusta Adams, of Dover, November 15, 1847. She d. August 28, 1882.

Children:

386 1. George H., b. February 14, 1851.

387 11. Frederick Adams, b. February 26, 1856; resides in Denver, Col.

244. John Henry, b. July 30, 1821, son of Rufus (131) and Mary (Hall) Sayward, resides at 782 Congress Street, Portland, Me. He was a merchant at Alfred, Me., from 1844 to 1867, and postmaster in 1848. He was appointed postal clerk, railway mail service, in 1869, and continued in the service to 1885. He was Representative in the Legislature for Alfred and Kennebunk, Me., for 1860-61 and 1863-4. He m. Lucy S. Green, of Athens, Me., August 17, 1852.

Children:

388 1. William Sewall, b. May 11, 1854.

389 11. Charles Henry, b. May 20, 1856.

390 III. John Franklin, b. September 9, 1858.

391 Iv. Albert Hall, b. October 31, 1860.

392 v. Edward Lincoln, b. August 25. 1864.

393 v1. Rose Mary, b. September 26, 1867.

245. Abial H., b. October 8, 1823, son of Rufus (123) and Mary (Hall) Sayward, m. Mary E. Lewis, of Alfred, Me. He was injured in a railroad accident and d. in Elwood, Kansas, October 12, 1860.

Children:

394 I. Frank E., b. October 8, 1848; d. August 6, 1870.

395 I.. Elizabeth F., b. m. Byron L. Tiffiney, of Detroit, Mich.

247. Rufus Samuel, b. March 8, 1831, son of Rufus (131) and Mary (Hall) Sayward, was a merchant and resided in Little Rock, Ark. He m. Tacy J. Hayes, of Cambridge, Ohio, at St. Joseph, Kansas, September 8, 1868. He d. at Little Rock, Novembet 17, 1872. His widow resides at Riverside, Cal.

Children:

396 1. Infant son, b. October 21, 1869; d. October 22, 1869.

252. Samuel Luther, b. 1818, son of Samuel D. (140) and Jane (Traverse) Sayward, resided in Bath, Me., and in St. John, N. B., where he d. in 1859. He m. Elizabeth Jones, of St. John.

Children:

397 I. Nellie, b. in Bath, 1850; m.
d. in Lynn, 1884.
398 II George, d. y.
399 III. Luther, d. y.
400 IV. Samuel, d. aged 4 years.

256. ELBRIDGE G., b. in Alfred, Me., February 19, 1811, son of Theodore (147) and Eunice (Knight) Sayward, is a farmer and resides in Windham, Me. He m. Mary H. Dolly, of Windham, July 20, 1837.

Children:

1. Lydia Ann, b. December 2, 1839; m. Daniel Anthoine. of Windham, June 12, 1858. She d. May 29, 1866. Ch.: (1) Mary A., b. March 14, 1859. (2) George N., b. March 23, 1861.

402 11. Henry, b. April 9, 1843.

403 111. Theodore, b. February 15, 1847.

404 Iv. Albert N., b. December 13, 1851.

405 v. Elbridge F., b. February 12, 1858.

258. John, b. January 15, 1815, son of Theodore (147) and Eunice (Knight) Sayward, is a farmer and resides in Waterboro, Me. He m. Charity Ross, 1849.

Children:

406 I. Etta, b. August 28, 1850.

407 II. Ida, b. September 10, 1852; m. Thomas P. Roberts, of Lyman, Me., February 5, 1875.

259. Rufus, b. January 9, 1817, son of Theodore (147) and Eunice (Knight) Sayward, was a farmer and lived in Center Harbor, N. H. He held town offices for several years, and was several times elected Representative to the Legislature. He d. at Lake Village, N. H., August 9, 1878. The Laconia Democrat paid the following tribute to his memory:

"On Friday, the 9th inst., Mr. Rufus Sayward died at his residence in Lake Village. The breaking of his leg several months ago brought on a long and tedious illness, from which he had not strength to recover.

Mr. Sayward was sixty-two years of age and a native of Vaterboro, Me. For many years he was a well known and highly esteemed citizen of Center Harbor and Meredith. Mr. Sayward was a man possessing excellent traits of character, and thereby gained many warm friends. In all business transactions he was honest, upright and lenient with his debtors almost to a fault. At his home his friends never failed to receive a cordial welcome. He took pleasure in accommodating his neighbors, and in cases of need was always kind and liberal He leaves a family and numerous relatives who mourn his loss. His remains were brought to the cemetery at Meredith Village for burial."

He m. (1) Mary D. Boynton, of Center Harbor, January 12, 1848. She d. December 23, 1871. (2) Lydia B. Prescott, July, 1875.

Children:

408 1. Mary Fannie, b. May 1, 1850; m. Charles Talcott, of

Hartford, Conn., June 1, 1874. Ch.: (1) Ralph S., b. August 15, 1881. (2) Charles E., b. March 13, 1884.

409 11. John Henry, b. July 23, 1858.

260. Henry, b. March 15, 1819, son of Theodore (147) and Eunice (Knight) Sayward, was a farmer and lived in Wenham, Mass. He m. Hannah Maria, daughter of Thomas Hunt, of Danvers, Mass., February 19, 1839. He d. 1870.

Children:

410 1. Julia Ann, b. August 4, 1839.

263. Joseph, b. April 18, 1825, youngest son of Theodore (147) and Eunice (Knight) Sayward, lived in Boston, Mass. He enlisted as private in Co. B, 22d Reg., M. V., August 25, 1862, and was transferred to the V. R. C., November 11, 1862, for three years. He was wounded in battle and died at Camp Frye Hospital, Washington, D. C., June 22, 1864, and is buried in the National Cemetery at Arlington, Va., in grave 1, range 7, block 1, section A. He m. Eliza Jane Mealey, of Boston, 1848. She d. October 16, 1862, aged 31.

Children:

411 1. Isabella, b. May 3, 1850.

412 11. Joseph Theodore, b. February 19, 1852.

413 111. John Henry, b. August 6, 1853.

266. John E., b. April 11, 1823, son of Samuel (150) and Abigail (Eaton) Sayward, is a farmer and resides in Alfred, Me. He m. (1) Mary Ann Sayward (274), April 9, 1848. (2) Sally Yeaton, of Alfred, Me., May 11, 1860.

Children:

- 1. Benjamin F., b. March 6, 1849; d. y.
- 415 11. Alfred H., b. July 15, 1861.
- 267. EBENEZER, b. in Alfred, Me., November 15, son of Samuel (150) and Abigail (Eaton) Sayward,, is a farmer and resides in Wells, Me. He m. Lois Ellis, of Sanford, Me., January 2, 1852.

Children:

- 1. Maria J., b. May 8, 1852; m. Lyman F. Getchell, of Wells, July 27, 1872.
- 11. John L., b. September 1, 1855; d. April 14, 1856
- 418 111. Susan A., b. July 15. 1856; m. William H. Matthews, of Wells, September 28, 1875.
- 119 Iv. Orissa F., b. Setember 29, 1860.
- 420 v. Frank E., b. March 10, 1861.
- 27(). CHARLES H., b. January 11, 1833, son of Samuel (150) and Abigail (Eaton) Sayward, is a farmer and resides in Alfred, Me. He m. Marcia A. Junkins, of York, Me., July 4, 1855.

- 1. Mary Ann, b. June 21, 1856; d. January 15, 1860.
- 422 11. Everett W., b. March 2, 1857; d. January 15, 1860.
- 423 111. Charles E., b. July 23, 1861.
- 424 Iv. Lawton M., b. April 16, 1863.
- 425 v. Herman J., b. October 29, 1873.
- 426 v1. Carrie M., b. April 2, 1875.
- 280. Joseph, b. March 1, 1836, son of Jonathan (152) and Patience (Trafton) Sayward, was a farmer and resided in Belmont, N. H. He m. (1) Martha S. Allen, of Buxton, Me. (2) Josephine Izetta Woodman, of Belmont, January 13, 1866. He d. in Belmont of paralysis September 17, 1878.

Children:

- 1. Henry Wade, b. May 17, 1869.
- 428 11. Ethelbert French, b. October 15. 1871.
- 429 111. Mary Jane, b. March 10, 1876.
- 430 Iv. Lilly P., b. May 2, 1879.
- 281. George H., b. in Alfred, Me., May 10, 1838, son of Jonathan (152) and Patience (Trafton) Sayward, is a farmer and resides in New Hampton, N. H. He m. Mary J. Smith, of Tilton, N. H., March, 1872.
- 283. CHARLES EDWIN, b. August 13, 1834, son of Daniel (160) and Ann Maria (Gilbert) Sayward, is a painter and lives in Gloucester. m. (1) M. Louisa Wheeler, of Gloucester, August 7, 1860. She d. August 25, 1871. (2) Eliza G. Coos, of Gloucester, February 25, 1873.

Children:

- Mary Louisa, b. July 16, 1861; m. Edward Hodgkins, of Gloucester, January 15, 1882.
- 432 11. Harriet G., b. August 31, 1867.
- 433 111. Lydia G., b. October 10, 1874.
- 285. WILLIAM A., b. January 22, 1845, son of Daniel (160) and Ann M. (Gilbert) Sayward, is engaged in the fishing business and resides in Providence, R. I. He m. Lizzie G. Dyer, of Rockland, Me., September 2, 1865.

- 134 1. Arthur, b. December 9, 1866.
- 435 11. Jennie M., b. March 7, 1868.
- 286 Epes, b. October 16, 1830, son of Epes

(161) and Mary Ann (Story) Sayward, resides in Gloucester and is engaged with his brother George in the fishing business, at 65 East Main Street, under the firm of Sayward Bros. He m. Caroline Friend, of Gloucester, February 25, 1857.

Children:

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1. Alice T., b. July 14, 1859; d. May 20, 1880.
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293. George, b. December 30, 1842, son of Epes (161) and Mary Ann (Story) Sayward, lives in Gloucester and is engaged in the fishing business with his brother Epes under the firm of Sayward Bros. He m. Emily M. Prime, of Boston, January 11, 1866.

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1. E. Gertrude, b. December 4, 1866.
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- 294. HORACE, b. September 30, 1849, youngest son of Epes (161) and Mary Ann (Story) Sayward, resides in Gloucester, unmarried.
- 313. John, b. May 6, 1829, son of John (165) and Eliza (Parsons) Sayward, was a master mariner and lost overboard from the ship Tornado four days sail out from New York, bound on a foreign voyage, October 6, 1858, unm.
- 315. Benjamin Parsons, b. September 17, 1833, son of John (165) and Eliza (Parsons) Sayward,

^{437 11.} Carrie E., b. June 24, 1862; d. December 1, 1877.

^{438 111.} Mary S., b. July 23, 1870.

⁴³⁹ iv. Lncy F., b. December 14, 1874.

^{441 11.} Mabel Riggs, b. June 17, 1869.

was a master mariner. He was killed by accident on board a steamer in China, Jan. 9, 1864, and was buried at Shanghai. A handsome monument, erected by American merchants and shipmasters, covers his grave. He m. Eliza S., dau. of Captain Elias Davis of Gloucester, Nov. 16, 1858. Children:

442. 1. Benjamin Franklin, b. Nov. 28. 1859, d. Jan. 20, 1864.

317. Samuel, b. July 22, 1842, son of John (165) and Eliza (Parsons) Sayward, is a merchant and resides in Melrose, Mass. He m. Lizzie A. Goss of Cambridge, Mass., Oct. 3, 1865. She d. July 4, 1874. (2) Mrs. Luella S. Conklin of Kingston, N. H., July 27, 1875. She d. at Exeter, N. H., Oct. 18, 1880. (3) Nellie Hope Clarke of Springfield, O., April 3, 1884.

Children:

443. 1. Kittie Grace, b. Dec. 16, 1870.

444. II. Ella Louise, b. Oct. 2, 1878.

445. III. Samuel, b. June 26, 1886.

324. WILLIAM, b. in Gloucester, Mass, Feb. 12, 1815, son of William (187) and Sally Sayward, was a contractor and builder and resided in Dorchester, Mass. He was a member of the Boston Common Council in 1869 and 70 and was alderman in 1871-2. He was a member of the school committee of the old town of Dorchester for several years.

He m. Margaret Ann Gregson of Boston, 1838. He d. at Gloucester Sept. 2, 1789. Children: 446. I. Josephine, b. June 11, 1839, m. Clarence Sumner of Grafton, Mass., Dec. 23, 1864. Children:

d. 1881. 4. Margaret, b. 1870.

· 2. Clarence, b. 1866. 5. Josephine, b. 1885.

3. Edward, b. 1868. 6. Leslie G., b. 1883.

447. Georgianna, b July 21, 1840, m. Franklin Holden, Oct. 19, 1865. She d. Jan. 3, 1882. Children;

1. William S., b. Sept. 11, 1866.

2. Dudley P., b. July 15, 1870.

3. George F., b. March, 1875.

4. Alice S., b. Dec. 18, 1878.

448. III. William Henry, b. Feb. 20. 1845.

449. Iv. Elliot Eugene, b. Sept. 1, 1852.

325. George, b. Sept. 1, 1819, second son of William, (187) and Sally Sayward, was a mariner and shipmaster. He sailed from Gloucester for the coast of Africa in the schooner "Thorn" in 1842 as ship-carpenter, and died on the passage home, and with two of his ship-mates was buried on the island of Saul. He was never married.

341. FRED B., b. December 25, 1858, son of Joseph (205) and Ann E. (Wiggin) Sayward, resides in Rochester, N. H. He m. Helen Augusta Roberts, of Rochester, August 10, 1882.

343. Valorous O., b. in Thorndike, Me., August 27, 1847, son of John W. (206) and Relief G. (Rich) Sayward, is a carpenter and resides at Fall River, Mass. He enlisted as a musician at the age of fifteen in Co. C, 26th Regiment Maine Infantry, September 10, 1862, for nine months, and did duty with his regiment at Washington, Arlington Heights, Newport News and Baton Rouge. In the

spring of 1863, he went with his regiment under General Banks to Port Hudson, and thence down the Mississippi River to Algiers, and from there to Bayou Bluff, where the command started on the Red River campaign.

"We embarked on a steamer and went up the Tash River as far as Irish Bend, where the rebels gave us a little fighting. Our regiment lost about one hundred and fifty, in killed and wounded. We whipped the rebels and routed them. Our brigade and Nim's Battery were the only troops engaged in this battle.

After burying our dead and sending our wounded to Baton Rouge, we started up the Red River. On the way we confiscated a train of horses, cattle and negroes about eight miles long. Our regiment and an Ohio regiment were detailed to take them back to Brazier City. After disposing of them we joined our division, which, after leaving, went to Port Hudson.

We remained there through the siege and until the surrender, July 8, 1863. We did guard duty for about three weeks after the surrender, and were then ordered home, and were mustered out of the service August 27, 1863. We went out with nearly one thousand men, and came home with less than two hundred."

He enlisted again in Co. B, Maine Coast Guards, March 17, 1864, which did guard duty at Washington, D. C., till the close of the war, when he was mustard out June 24, 1865.

Enlisted in Co. D, 3rd Regiment, M. V. M., in 1869, and was promoted to a corporal, and January 11, 1872, to a second-lieutenant, and May 5, 1873, to a captain. He was honorably discharged November 29, 1876. He was elected first-lieutenant Co. M, First Regiment Infantry, December 17, 1878, and resigned April 16, 1883.

He was appointed on the police force of Fall River, June 17, 1889, which position he still holds.

He m. Eleanor Piercy, of Fall River, February 19, 1873.

Children:

450 1. Nettie O., b. April 26. 1877.

451 11. Frederic V. O., b. June 25, 1878.

452 111. Ada E., b. June 28, 1882.

350. Walter T., b. May 8, 1856, son of William (208) and Mary A. (Merriam) Sayward, is principal of the Franklin Grammar School, East Weymouth, Mass., where he resides. He m. Nellie W. Farrar, of Lincolnville, Me., August 28, 1888.

Children:

453 1. Marion A., b. June 30, 1889.

356. Joseph Austin, b. in Victoria, B. C., July 17, 1862, only child of William P. (212) and Anne (Chambers) Sayward, resides in Victoria, where he is engaged with his father in the lumber business. He m. Margaret Livingston, the adopted daughter of Captain James W. Sayward (204), of Riverside, Cal., March 12, 1884.

Children:

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1. William Parsons, b. February 27, 1890.

EIGHTH GENERATION.

361. Benjamin, b. July 15, 1836, son of Ebenezer K. (222) and Sally (Smith) Sayward, resided at Great Falls, N. H., where he d. December, 1854. He m. Eliza Downing.

Children:

1. Francis Augusta, b. August 16, 1854; m. Harry A. Hoffman, of Boston, October 10, 1879; residence, East Somerville, Mass. Ch.:
(1) Bennie Louis, b. February 13, 1881.

(2) Isaac A., b. March 24, 1882; d. August 12, 1887. (3) Charles H., b. April 6, 1884. (4) Rosey, b. March 23, 1887; d. June 7, 1887. (5) Max. Albert, b. June 9, 1888.

363. ALBERT ALPHONSO, b. December 27, 1846, son of Ebenezer R. (222) and Sally (Smith) Sayward, is a painter and paper hanger, and resides at No. 3 Dearborn Street, Portsmouth, N. H. He m. Florentine V. W. Yeaton, of New Castle, N. H., October 1, 1884.

Children:

456 1. Harold A., b. July 31. 1888.

457 II. Viola M., b. October II, 1889.

364. Charles Augustus, b. in Ipswich, Mass., June 28, 1837, only child of Cyrus K. (228) and Joan (Spiller) Sayward, is a lawyer and resides in Ipswich.

He fitted for college at the New London Literary and Scientific Institution, New London, N. H., graduating in the class of 1861, and entered Dartmouth at the fall term of that year. In March, 1862, he entered the law office of Hon. Daniel E. Safford, at Ipswich, and began the study of law. He entered the Albany Law School, at Albany, N. Y., at the spring term 1863, and graduated in March, 1864, and was admitted to the bar at Albany, N. Y.

In September, 1864, he was admitted in the Superior Court at Salem, Mass., to practice in all the courts of Massachusetts. He began the practice of

his profession at Ipswich, and continued there until April, 1866, when he went to Springfield, Mo., where he spent one year; returning to Massachusetts in 1867, and opened an office in Ipswich, and continued in the practice of his profession there until May, 1888, when he oponed an office in Salem, Mass.

He has served on the School Committee of Ipswich for eighteen years, and was treasurer and collector of the town in 1870 and 1871. He was elected Representative to the Massachusetts Legislature in 1871, and served during the sessions of 1872 on the committee on Probate and Chancery. In 1872 he was elected chairman of the Board of Selectmen, Overseers and Assessors of Ipswich, which position he held for four years, and has served as a member of the board for eight years.

In 1882 he was elected to the Massachusetts Senate from the fourth Essex district.

The Newburyport Herald of November 1, 1882, spoke of his nomination as follows:

"The Republican candidate for senator, Charles A. Sayward, of Ipswich, is a man well known in the community, and of considerable experience in public affairs. He has represented the Ipswich district in the House of Representatives, and for eight years was selectman, assessor and overseer of the poor, and he has also served on the school committee.

He is prominently mentioned for the position of district attorney to succeed Colonel Sherman, who is the Republican candidate for attorney general of the Commonwealth. Mr. Sayward is a lawyer of good standing at the bar, and that he is popular with those who best know him is indicated by the fact that he has been intrusted with important offices by the people of Ipswich, of which town he is a native. He is about forty-five years old, and a man of popular manners, and would doubtless worthily represent the district in the senate of the Commonwealth.

Neither party has nominated a better man for the office in any

late year. He deserves the hearty support of all Republicans."

He was chairman of the Joint Standing Committee on Taxation, a member of the Senate Judiciary Committee, and of the Special Committee on Elections, and Chairman of the Senate Committee on Bills in the Third Reading.

The Boston Daily Evening Traveller of Saturday, July 28, 1883, in a brief resume of the work of the Massachusetts Legislature of 1883, paid Mr. Sayward the following compliment:

"In the Senate, the laurels were borne away chiefly by the new members. Mr. Allen, of Middlesex, in spite of his youth, being awarded by common consent, the title of the most agreeable speaker; and Mr. Livermore, of Franklin, aud Mr. Sayward, of Essex, being little his inferiors, the latter being especially able in legal debate."

Mr. Sayward has been a member of the board of trustees and counsel of the Ipswich Savings Bank since its organization in 1874. He has been a Justice of the Peace and Notary Public for many years and Trial Justice for the County of Essex, having been commissioned by Governor Ames, in October, 1888.

He m. (1) Eveline Augusta, daughter of Captain William L. Rust, of Ipswich, February 24, 1875. She was a descendant, through her mother, of Henry Spiller (228) Thomas Spiller, son of Henry and Sarah (Newmarch) Spiller, bapt. April 12, 1756, m. (1) Sarah Andrews, by whom he had (1) Mary, b. 1780, m. Daniel Jewett. (2) Elizabeth, m. Isaac Poor. (3) David, b. July 22, 1785; m. Susanna Perkins, July 19, 1806, and had six children, viz: (1) David, b. January 12, 1808; d. 1811. (2) Susan, b. January 19, 1813. (3) Catherine, b. June

10, 1817; m. John H. Varrell. (4) David A., b. November 21, 1819. (6) Sarah A., b. May 5, 1822; m. Rufus LeBaron. Susan m. William L. Rust, of Ipswich, Dec. 11, 1831. and had children:

- 1. Susan M., b. July 9, 1832; d. October 2, 1849.
- 11. Ann M., b. November 4, 1835; m. Richard Horton; one child, Faustina M., b. June 23, 1855.
- 111. Elizabeth J., b. August 30, 1838; m. John S. Glover, March 5, 1863. Ch.: (1) Arthur C., b. December 9, 1869. (2) Walter S., b. May 22, 1872; d. April 23, 1879.
- Iv. John W., b. April 22, 1840. m. Eliza Crouse, Jan. 1, 1889.
- v. Eveline Augusta, b. November 28, 1844; m. Charles A. Sayward.
- vi. Susan Mary, b. September 11, 1852.

The Ipswich Chronicle of February 27, 1875, published the following item concerning their marriage:

"PRESENTATION. Among the pleasant incidents connected with the marriage of Charles A. Sayward, Esq., was a present from the members of the First Parish Church Choir, of which he is chorister. It consists of a beautiful silver hanging pitcher with accompanying goblets, being of exquisite design and made by the Meridan Britannia Company."

They had two children born in Ipswich:

- 458 I. Harry Morton, b. March 11, 1878.
- 459 11. Everett Rishworth, b. December 19, 1883; d. January 3, 1884.

The mother of these children died December 31, 1883. The Ipswich Chronicle of January 5, 1884, published the following notice of her death:

Death of Mrs. C. A. Sayward.

"Said an old Pagan writer, 'They whom the gods love die young,' and never was the truth of this remark more clearly shown than in the sudden death, on last Monday, of Mrs. Augusta Sayward, wife of Hon. C. A. Sayward, for certainly she was one whom the gods well might love—amiable, modest and unassuming, she was a model wife, a pleasant wife, and a kind neighbor. Mrs. Sayward,

whose maiden name was Eveline Augusta Rust. was the daughter of Captain William and Susan Rust, and was born November 27, 1848, and was married to Charles A. Sayward February 24, 1875. In every duty of her single and married life, she showed herself faithful, conscientious and efficient, and no greater meed of praise can be bestowed upon her, than to say she was a good woman,

"For whom morn well Might break, And April bloom."

Death came upon her in the midst of her young life, just when everything appeared all fair, and she seemed just entering upon the full fruition of her earthly hopes, but the

"Angels went envying her;
And that is the reason, as all men know,
That a wind came out of the south, chilling and killing."

So her life's work is done, and she has entered upon her eternal rest. leaving behind pleasant memories and loving hearts to mourn her loss. She had endeared herself to a large circle of acquaintances, and the large assembly of mourning friends who attended her funeral, in spite of the inclemency of the weather, bore testimony of their appreciation of her worth and excellence, and to do honor to a noble, generous hearted, womanly woman.

"Forgive my grief for one removed,
Thy creature whom I found so fair.
I trust she lives in Thee, and there
I find her worthier to be loved."

Mr. Sayward's second wife was Henrietta, daughter of James and Sarah F. Wilkins, of Henniker, N. H., whom he m. at Washington, D. C., January 27, 1886. She is a descendant of Bray Wilkins, who settled in Lynn in 1640, and, through her mother of Robert Fulton, the celebrated inventor of the steamboat.

267. James Albert, b. October 11, 1840, son of Bradbury (229) and Annah (Ham) Sayward, resides at Springvale, Me. He is station agent of the Portland & Rochester Railroad, which position he

has held since the opening of the road. He m. Miriam R. Lord, of Springvale, Me., June 6, 1869. Children:

460 1. Mary E., b. April 6, 1870.

461 11. Arlena, b. June 15, 1875.

462 111. George A., b. April 28, 1879; d. January 20, 1880.

359. George Franklin, b. July 22, 1845, son of Bradbury (229) and Annah (Ham) Sayward, resided in Springvale, Me. He m. Josephine H. Chadbourn, of Sanford, Me. He d. January 30, 1873. No children.

375. Charles Dana, b. March 1, 1862, son of Simon D. (234) and Elizabeth (Robinson) Sayward, is a tinsmith and plumber in the employ of the Maine Central Railroad, and resides at Waterville, Me. He m. Mary Ellen Clancy, daughter of James Clancy, of Newburyport, Mass., June 23, 1888.

382. Benjamin F., b. December 3, 1838, son of John (238) and Joan S. (Sinclair) Sayward, is a farmer and resides in Waterboro, Me. He m. Jennie L. Littlefield, December 6, 1866.

Children:

463 1. William A., b. May 19, 1870.

464 11. Minnie P., b. April 18, 1872.

383. Henry R., b. March 29, 1832, son of Richard P. (240) and Nancy E. (Courier) Sayward, is a boot and shoe manufacturer, and and a member of the firm of Bradley & Sayward, 133 Summer Street,

Boston. He resides in Cambridge, Mass. He m. Pamelia E. Whitman, of Winthrop, Me., January 1, 1868.

Children:

465 1. Annie M., b. November 29, 1869.

386. George H., b. February 14, 1851, in Farmington, N. H., son of Henry (243) and S. Augusta (Adams) Sayward, is a cotton yarn manufacturer, and resides in Oswego, N. Y. He m. Georgianna A. Adams, of Brunswick, Me., June 12, 1872.

Children:

- 1. Bessie, b. December 2, 1874.; d. December 2, 1874.
- 467 II. Harry E., b. in Dorchester, Mass., June 7, 1877.
- 468 111. Edwin A., b. in Boston, June 13, 1878.
- 1850. Iv. George F., b. in Malden, September 2, 1879; d. July, 1880.
- v. Arthur B., b. in Malden, October 3, 1880; d. November 3, 1880.
- vi. Ralph R., b. in Oswego, N. Y., September 13, 1886.

388. WILLIAM SEWALL, b. in Alfred, Me., May 11, 1854, son of John H. (244) and Lucy S. (Green) Sayward, is a member of the firm of Leland, Rice & Co., wholesale clothiers, Boston, Mass., and resides at Wallaston, Mass. He m. Ella Amsden, of Boston, February 8, 1876.

Children:

- 1. Mary A., b September 23. 1877.
- 473 11 Harold W., b. June 27, 1883; d. June 23, 1885.
- 474 111. Bessie H., b. April 23, 1887.

390. John Frankain, b. in Alfred, Me., September 9, 1858. son of John John H. (244) and Lucy

S. (Green) Sayward, is superintendent of steam heating for "The H. B. Smith Co.," New York city. Residence, New York city. He m. Minnie C. Grant, of Boston, June 18, 1880.

Children:

475 I. Edith L., b in New York, April 13, 1886.

- 391. Albert Hall, b. in Alfred, October 31, 1860, son of John H. (244) and Lucy S. (Green) Sayward, is traveling salesman for W. H. Palmer, of Boston, and resides in New Bedford, Mass. He m. Elizabeth A. Wing, of New Bedford, February 15, 1888.
- 392. Edward Lincoln, b. in Alfred, August 25, 1864, son of John H. (244) and Lucy S. (Green) Sayward, is traveling salesman for Kendall & Whitney, wholesale seedsmen, of Portland, Me., where he resides. He m. Harriet A. Jordan, of Portland, October 19, 1887.
- 4(12. Henry, b. April 9, 1843, son of Elbridge G. (256) and Mary H. (Dolly) Sayward, is a farmer and lives in Windham, Me. He m. Orravilla M. Cousens, of Baldwin, Me., October 15, 1865. He d. October 25, 1869, and she November 28, 1869. Children:

476 I. John H., b. April 2, 1868.

403. THEODORE, b. February 15, 1847, son of Elbridge G. (256) and Mary H. (Dolly) Sayward, is a farmer and lumber dealer. He resides in South

Windham, Me. He m. Mabel Sargent, of Cornish, Me., February 10, 1873.

Children:

477 1. George F., b. January 9, 1875.

404. ALBERT N., b. December 13, 1851, son of Elbridge G. (256) and Mary H. (Dolly) Sayward, is a farmer and resides in Windham, Me. He m. Martha I. Wescott, of Windham, May 15, 1877.

Children:

478 i. Charles, b. January 5, 1879.

479 11. Lydia, b. February 24, 1881.

480 111. Harlon, b. June 27, 1887.

- 405. ELBRIDGE F., b. February 12, 1858, son of Elbridge G. (256) and Mary H. (Dolly) Sayward, is a farmer and lives in Portland, Me. He m. Alice H. Hill, of Portland, January 1, 1885.
- 409. John H., b. July 23, 1858, at Centre Harbor, N. H., son of Rufus (259) and Mary D. (Boynton) Sayward, resides at 22 Green Street, Haverhill, Mass. He is a dealer in hardware, with store at 23 Washington Street. He m. Jennie B. Snow, of Haverhill, April 7, 1886.
- 412. Joseph Theodore, b. February 19, 1852, son of Joseph (263) and Eliza J. (Mealy) Sayward, resides in Boston, and is manager of the gold and stock telegraph office in the Merchants' Exchange. He m. Agnes H. Hennessy, of Boston, December 10, 1870.

- 481 1. Joseph T., b. May, 1871.
- 482 11 John Harry, b. June 22, 1875.
- 483 III. Edith May, b, 1879.
- 484 IV. Vincent R., b. December, 1880.
- 415. Alfred H., b. July 15, 1861, is a shoe maker, and resides in Newburyport, Mass. He m. Eliza E. Keyes, of Newburyport, November 1, 1883.
- 423. Charles E., b. in Wells, Me., July 23, 1861, son of Charles H. (270) and Marcia A. (Junkins) Sayward, is principal of Department of Arithmetic in Bryant & Stratton's Commercial College, 608 Washington Street, Boston, Mass. He is a graduate of Bowdoin College. Residence, 19 Weston Street, Waltham, Mass. He m. Alice Sidney, of Brunswick, Me., February 6, 1886.

Children:

- 485 1. Donald S., b. July 23, 1888; d. January 10, 1889.
- 486 11. Marion, b. December 18, 1889.
- 448. William H., b. in Boston, February 20, 1845, son of William (234) and Margaret A. (Gregson) Sayward, is a contractor and builder, and resides at 69 Monadnock Street, Dorchester District, Boston. He represented the 20th Suffolk District in the House of Representatives in 1883, and was a member of the Joint Standing Committee on Water Supply and Drainage. He took an active part in the debates on Woman's Suffrage, strongly opposing the measure.

He is secretary and treasurer of the Master Builders Association.

Mr. Sayward has been a very popular public reader, possessing rare powers of imitation, combined with a good physique, strong facial expression and great dramatic force. He m. Caroline Augusta Barnard, August 25, 1869.

Children:

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487 1. William H., b. June 3, 1871.
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488 . 11. Mary C., b. November 21, 1874; d. April 8, 1877.

489 111. Everett M., b. June 3, 1878; d. September 22, 1881.

190 Iv. Perceval, b. October 19, 1880.

491 v. Margaret E., b. May 28, 1886.

449. ELLIOT E., b. September 1, 1852, son of William (324) and Margaret A. (Gregson) Sayward, is a mason and resides in Dorchester District, Boston. He m. Julia F. Pinkham, of Salem, Mass., June 28, 1882.

Children:

492 1. Elliot T., b. June 22, 1884.

493 11. Carl Ober, b. May 5, 1887.

NINTH GENERATION.

476. John H., b. April 2, 1868, son of Henry (402) and Orravilla M. (Cousens) Sayward, is a farmer and resides in Windham, Me. He m. Katie F. Varney, of Windham, January 9, 1889.

Children:

^{*}494 1. Carrol E., b. July 18, 1890.

THE SAYWARD FAMILY.

PART III.

THE NEWBURYPORT FAMILY.

No record has been found which proves that this family is related to the family of Henry Sayward, of York.

There is a tradition that its ancestor was one of the early settlers of York, and the christian names of this family being, many of them, the same as those of the York family, lead to the belief that it is related to them.

It is possible that its members are descendant of Edmund Sayward,—mentioned on the fifth page—a brother of Henry, who settled in Ipswich, Mass., in 1634, and later moved to York, where he died. The records show that he had a son, Samuel, who was married, and that he died in York, in 1691. Two generations would bring the line down to the first of the name found in Newburyport, who was probably born about 1740. It is probable that he did not settle on the territory of Newburyport until after 1764, when the town was incorporated, for the Newbury records make no mention of the name. It is possible that he was a descendant of the same

family in England from which the York Saywards descended, who came over a hundred years later.

The following memorandum made by the late John S. Sayward, Esq., in his family bible, indicates that his grandfather was the first emigrant of this family in the country; but it is not inconsistent with the theory that he was from the same family in England from which Edmund and Henry sprung.

It is singular that Mr. Sayward did not mention his grandfather's name, but it is quite certain that it was John.

"Family Pedigree of the Saywards.

Married, in Newburyport, 1798, Henry Sayward to Mary Nelson. Their children consisted of eight, three of which died very young; there remain five, namely:

Henry B. Sayward, born 1800; m. Nancy Lunt, 1828, Newbury-port.

Mary Nelson Sayward, born 1802; m. Caleb Stark, 1830, Boston. John S. Sayward, born 1805; m. Margaret Ann Allen, Bangor, 1828.

Lydia N. Sayward, born 1807; m. Isaac Haines, Methuen, 1830. Richard W. Sayward, born 1811.

The grandfather of these children, on the male side, came from England previous to the Revolution; married Rachel Damon, who emigrated from Maryland and settled in Newburyport, where they had two children, viz: Samuel and Henry, the former died at the age of twenty-two years in the West Indies. Their father was lost at sea in 1774.

Rachel, his wife, lived to a good old age in Newburyport, an ornament and blessing to the grand-

children, who deeply feel and lament the loss of so good a counsellor and friend, so good a pattern of the Christian religion. On the female side were three children, viz: Hannah, married William Haskell, one child. Mary, married Henry Sayward. Samuel, married 2 wives; 1st, Lydia Newmarch; 2, Sarah Brockway. They have five children. Samuel, died 1830. Mary, died 1826. Her husband died 1828.

GENEALOGY.

1. John Sayward, b. about 1740, resided in Newburyport, Mass. He was a mariner, and was in the naval service in the Revolution, and lost at sea, 1774. He m. Rachel Damon, of Maryland, about 1765.

Children:

- 2 1. Samuel, d. in West Indies.
- 3 11. Henry, b. about 1774.
- 3. Henry, was a mariner and lived in Newbury-port. He was wounded in the war of 1812, while in the naval service. He was captured by the enemy and carried to England, where he was in prison for some time. He m. Mary Nelson, of Newbury-port, March 6, 1799. It is said she was a relative of Lord Nelson, the hero of Trafalgar. She d. March 17, 1827, and he d. July 6, 1829.

- 4 1. Henry Bond, b. December 15, 1801.
- 5 11. Mary Nelson, b. February 16, 1805; m. Caleb Stark, 1830.

- 6 III. John Shannon, b. December II, 1806.
- 7 Iv. Lydia Newmarch, b. August 3, 1809; m. Isaac Haines, 1830.
- 8 v. Richard, b. September 4, 1811; resides in Victoria, B. C., unm.
- 4. Henry Bond, b. December 15, 1801, was a mariner and lived in Newburyport. He m. Nancy S. Lunt, of Newburyport, December 21, 1828. He d. June 15, 1866, and she d. December 11, 1873. Children:
- 9 1. Faroline A., b. 1832; m. William Perkins; d. July, 1879.
- 10 11. Henry N., b. February 8, 1834.
- 11 111. Caleb S., b. 1837.
- 12 Iv. Mary N., b. 1839; m. John Burke.
- v. Moody L, b. March 27, 1842; resides in Newburyport, unm.
- 14 v1. John S., b. September 30, 1847.
- vii. Annie S., b. February 9, 1845; m. Leonard Kimball.
- 6. John Shannon, b. December 11, 1806, was for twenty years editor of the Bangor Whig, and for twelve years editor of the Kennebec Journal. About 1868 he purchased a farm in Boxford, Mass., where he resided until his death, which occurred August 30, 1875. The Boston Advertiser published the following notice of his death:

"John S. Sayward.

Mr. John S. Sayward, who died of typhoid rheumatism in Boxford, after an illness of about a week, on Monday, last, has lived a long, an honored, and a useful life. He was born in Newburyport, but removed to Bangor more than forty years ago, and was one of the founders of the Bangor Whig. For about twenty years he was editor of that paper, and made it an excellent journal in every way, and a real power for good in the community. About the year 1856, the old firm of Smith & Sayward having broken up, and the Whig

disposed of to Messrs. Wheeler & Lynde, Mr. Sayward bought the interest of the Hon. James G. Blaine in the Kennebec Journal, and removed to Augusta. His connection with the Journal continued until about seven years ago, covering a period of twelve years, when Stevens & Sayward sold the Journal to Owen & Nash, and Mr. Sayward removed to Boxford in this state, where he passed the remaining years of his life in the care of a farm which he purchased—an occupation which was always a delight to him

This is but an outline of the leading events in his life. It is but bare justice to say that no man who knew him ever distrusted him or suspected him of unworthy motives. He set a very high estimate upon the power of the public press, and was governed in all that he wrote by a very deep and real sense of his responsibility. One might search through all that he ever contributed to his own paper in more than thirty years of editorial work without finding a sentence that inculcated anything but what he believed to be absolutely right. What he was as an editor he was in private,—faithful, loyal and genial, with quick perception of what was true and beautiful, and with an extraordinary love for the young, and a never failing fund of sympathy and charity for them. No man was ever more respected and loved by those whom he employed, or made them more his companions and friends without laying aside his dignity.

His sparkling good humor and beautifully even temper were proverbial in the society of the two cities of Maine where the greater part of his life was spent; and the people of the country town where he ended his days were not slow in discovering the charming traits which had endeared him to a large circle of acquaintances in Maine. Mr. Sayward embraced the doctrines of the New Church of Swedenborgians, and held to them with characteristic enthusiasm.

But his heart was light and liberal, and there was not a tinge of narrowness or sectarianism in his composition. He was a lover of morality and of religion that made men better.

Perhaps, after all, nothing can be said of him better than that he made no friends who loved and revered him more than did his own children. He was a hero at home, and best loved by those that knew him best. Mr. Sayward was twice married, and leaves a widow and two married daughters. None of a somewhat numerous family by his first wife survive him."

He m. (1) Margaret Ann Allen, of Bangor, July 22, 1828, who d. December 12, 1833. (2) Elizabeth Huse Clark, of Tewksbury, Mass., September 22, 1835. She d. at Boxford November 28, 1878.

- 16 1. John H., b. May 11, 1829; d. October 15, 1868; unm.
- 17 11. Margaret E., b. June 30, 1836; d. November 20, 1836.
- 18 111. Edward, b. July 3, 1838; d. July 10, 1838.
- 19 Iv. Charles E., b. July 13, 1839; d. September 10, 1848.
- v. Mary A., b. August 20, 1841; d. September 24, 1841.
- vi. Mary Coggin, b. October 3, 1842; m. Edward C. Pierce, of Augusta, Me., December 31, 1867. Residence, 19 Clifford Street, Roxbury, Mass. Ch.: (1) Edward S., b. February 7, 1869. (2) Cora K., b. October 12, 1870. (3) Charles E., b. December 18, 1874; d. 1881.
- vii. Abby Clark, b. March 31, 1845; m. Fred W. Galbraith, of Augusta, April 16, 1867. Residence, Springfield, Mass. Ch.: (1) Sayward, b. March 6, 1870. (2) Fred W., b. May 6, 1874. (3) John S., b. September 29, 1875. (4) Archibald, b. September 22, 1877.
- viii. Elizabeth H., b. December 10, 1847; d. November 11, 1851.
- 1x. Margaret J., b. December 8, 1850; d. July 27, 1851.
- 9. Henry N., b. February 8, 1834, is a mariner and resides in Newburyport. He enlisted in Co. F, 4th Mass. Cavalry. He m. Abbie A. Perkins, of Newburyport, January 23, 1854.

Children:

- 25 1. Henry, b. June 24, 1855.
- 11. CALEB S., b. 1837, is a mariner and resides in Newburyport. He m. Emeline Perkins, of Newburyport, October, 1858.

- 26 1. Ann A., b. January 31, 1860; m. William Caswell, of Newburyport.
- 27 11. John S., b. August 2, 1865.

28 111. Susan M., b. August 22, 1871; d. January, 1887.

14. John S., b. September 30, 1847, enlisted in Co. F, 4th Mass. Cavalry, and died on a steamer on the James River, September 4, 1864, unm. The Kennebec Journal, of December 25, 1864, published the following notice of his death:

"Another Soldier Gone.

Intelligence has been received in this city of the death of John S. Sayward, private of Co. F, 4th Massachusetts Cavalry, aged 18 years. He was the youngest son of Henry B. Sayward, a brave and patriotic lad, who, at the very commencement of the war, when a mere boy, would have entered the service, and felt annoved at the delay on ac-Once he enlisted, and, after reaching camp, was sent Again he enlisted last January, and died home—not old enough. September 4th, on board a steamer on the James River, on his way from before Petersburg to the hospital at Fortress Monroe, suffering So, one after another of the defenders of our country go down to the grave; some, like young Sayward, scarcely having experienced what life is, and others who leave children and grand children to mourn them; some on the battte-field, where most a brave man would choose to die, and others broken down by labors and disease, wasting from earth. Alas, that such should be the demands of the crisis! but in a good cause they offer themselves up, dying for their country-martyrs of liberty."

"We copy the above from the Newburyport Herald of the 21 st inst., in memory of a nephew of one one of us whose name he bore. He died in the line of his duty. His great-grandsather gave up his life for freedom in the little navy of the Revolution; his grandsather was wounded in the war of 1812 while in the naval service, and his sather was only prevented from taking part by injuries received from ship-wreck, and his young life was not given in vain."

26. Henry, b. June 24, 1855, is a mason and resides in Newburyport. He m. Margaret Welch, of Newburyport, June 10, 1874.

- 29 1. William H., b. June 11, 1875.
- 30 11. Mary A., b. December 24, 1876; d. August 10, 1877.
- 31 111. Mary A., b. March 13, 1877.

28. John S., b. August 2, 1865, is a comb maker and resides in Newburyport. He m. Harriet Pike, of Newburyport, 1888.



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PART IV.

ADDITIONS AND CORRECTIONS.

ADDITIONS.

Samuel Sayward, son of Edmund, mentioned on the seventh page, died probably in 1691; for at the Court of Sessions held June 2, 1691, administration was granted on his estate, viz:

"The Court grants Administration to Daniel Manning of Ipswich of the Estate of Samuel Sayward late of York Deceased, and the sd Daniel Manning, James Sayward and Joseph Milton stand bound to our Sovereane Lord and Lady the King & Queen in the sum of thirty pounds that said Daniel Manning shall administer on sd Estate according to law."

He undoubtedly owned the Lavalette farm situate in Linebrook Parish in Ipswich, Mass., about half a mile from the road and northeast of the farm now occupied by William H. Lavalette. And it was a part of this farm which he conveyed to Joseph Metcalf in 1661 by the deed mentioned on the fifth page.

1. Henry Sayward, of York, died 1679. The court record of the administration on his estate:

"A true Inventory of the Estate of Moveabls belonging unto the Estate of Hene: Sayward deceased, Taken & apprised by us whose names are Subscribed the 22th of Aprill, 1679.

Imp 8 sheep 4£: a Nagg 2£: a mare 2£: a Coult 20s.			9£ - 00s -			
It. his wearring apparell given to his Attendants			-	О		
It. a peyer of sheets & one dozen of worn napkins	I	- 05	-			
It. Toules, a Small Gryndstone & ye Turning Mill						
Toules	1	- 10	-			
It. Toules for husbandry 20s; two cross cut saws 10s.	1	- 10	_			
Three Lodgings and bedding belonging thereunto	04	- 00	-			
Ould pewter dishes, a frying pann, a skellet and a						
musket	οι	- 05	-			
Twelve wooden dishes, Keelers and three Chayres	00	- II	-			
One chest 9s: 2 Iron potts, 2 brass Kettles, 2 ould						
tubbs, a tramell, pot hookes, a spitt, Andirons,						
two water bucketts	О	- 03	-	04		
A peyer of Cards, a spinning wheel & two table						
boards		- 10	-	00		
It. an ould bible & other Books at		- 10	-	00		
It. one meal Troffe & a chest at 4s; 2 ould Cannows 20s	3I	- 04	-	0		
It. 50 or 60 Acres of upland at 5s p Acher	12	- 10	-	O		
It. one pever Styleyards at 7s, 6d.		- 07	-	6		
	42	- 07	-	10		

This is a true Copy of ye Inventory unto wch these apprisers have set yr hands unto.

Mary Sayward Came into this Court & doth Attest upon her oath that this is a true Inventory of the Moveables of the Estate of Hene: Sayward her deceased husband, to the best of her knowledge, & if more do appeare hereafter shee stands bound upon the same oath to bring ym in.

Ric: Banks.
Samll Donell.
Hene: Symson.
Job Allcock.

Taken in Court 2 July, 1680, p as Attest,

Edward Rishworth, Re Cor.

As for ye Saw Mills & Corne Mills at Yorke & wt is else erected apprtaining thereunto we leave to better Judgmts, or whom the Honord Court shall see good to appoynt for their apprisall, also the mills at Cape Porpus river & ye Mill at Cascoe, with all the appurtenances belonging to them.

Ric: Banks.
Samll Donell.
Hene: Symson.
Job Allcock.

Wee whose names are underwritten, being requested by Mis Sayword, Administratrix to her deceased Husband Mr. Hene: Sayword to apprise the Mills at Mousam & all the appurtenances yr unto belonging which accordingly we have valewed at one thousand two hundred pounds. Witness or hands this 20th day of June, 1680.

John Littlefield. Samll Webber.

A true Copy of the Inventory above written given into ye Court of please at Wells, June 30th, 1680, by Mary Sayward Administratrix to her deceased husbands Estate transcribed out of ye Originall this 16 August, 1680.

Edward Rishworth, Re Cor.

A true Inventory of the Mansion or dwelling house yt Henery Sayword late deceased dwelt in & the Saw Mills & Grist Mills at Yorke & other things lest unapprised at the last apprisall Aprill 22, 1679, are hereby apprised by us whose names are here underwritten June 28, 1680.

Impr. one dwelling house valued worth	40£	-	os	-	o
It. one little Hould or sheep house	OI	•	O	-	О
It. one barn & Cow house fifteen pounds	15	•	0	-	О
It. one ould Shopp 10s; a Turneing Mill apprised 15£.	15	•	10	-	О
It. the Saw Mill utetences & Dame	150	-	0	-	0
It. Two Corne Mills & an ould shopp	60	-	I	-	o
	281	-	10	_	0

Also more Lands are apprised by us of Hene: Saywords whose names are subscribed. Twelve Acres of Land on South side of ye New Mill Crick 5s p acre

3 - 0 - 0

300 Acres of Land on west side of Yorke River & twenty acres of Swamp & 15 Acres of Land, the whole being 347 acres

30 - 0 - 0

Timothy Yeates.
Samuel Sayword.
John Freathy, his mark.

The estate was not ready for settlement until May 30, 1685, when the following appears on the records of the court:

"The committee ordered by the Court to settle the Estate of Hene: Sayward deceased the 3d Tuesday of May next ensewing, and desire to know from Widdow Sayward wr to meet & how they are to be provided for."

68. Jonathan, b. November 27, 1758, son of Ebenezer and Mary (Bragdon) Sayward, (page 78) m. (1) Sarah Ryan, of Newburyport, Mass., pub. December 23, 1780, by whom he had two children, John and a daughter who m. a Roberts.

PAGE 63. Elizabeth Barrell, daughter of John S. Barrell, d. at the mansion house of her grandfather, Judge Sayward, at York, November 12, 1883, aged 84 years, unm. Her sister Mary d. at the same place, June 6, 1889, aged 85 years, 10 months and 4 days, unm.

CORRECTIONS.

Page 6, third line; for 1875, read 1675.

Page 31, sixth line; for d. e. (died early) read d. y. (died young.)

Page 36, sixteenth line from bottom; for Hannah m. Swett had son Joseph, read Mary.

Page 39, fourth line: for Sarah probably the daughter, read Sarah probably youngest daughter.

Page 69, fourth line from bottom; for Samuel (18) read Samuel (19).

Page 93, second line from bottom; for Thomas

Janes, read Thomas Jones.

Page 96, ninth line from bottom; for Berwick, read Shapleigh.

Page 97, fifth line from bottom; for sixty, read fifty.

Page 98, ninth line; for he d. 1876, read he d. August 27, 1878. Nineteenth line; for Isaac N. Fogg, read Israel H. Fogg. Twenty-second line; for September 25, read September 15. Ninth line from bottom; for 1834, read 1832.

Page 105, ninth line; for Euuice, read Eunice.

Page 111, seventeenth line from bottom; for Granville, read Grenville. Tenth line from bottom; for Edwin, read Edward.

Page 112, seventh line from bottom; for 1883, read 1833.

Page 113, fifteenth line from bottom; for sister, read sisters.

Page 114, fifteenth line; for 1860, read 1865.

Page 131, fifteenth line; for Joseph, read Jacob.

Page 132, seventh line; for 1834, read 1832.

Page 133, sixth line; for Melinda, read Melissa. Ninth line; for Hattie May, read Katie May.

Page 144, third line from bottom; for Hoffman, read Koffman.

Page 161, sixth line: for Oct. 3, read Oct. 31. Eleventh line; for Charles E., read Charles C. Twelfth line; for 1881, read May 12, 1882.

Page 39, second line from bottom; for house, read home.

Page 40, first line; for home, read house. Page 78, last line; for Wildes, read Wilder.

JOHN H., (page 161) was the only child of John S., (page 161) and Margaret Ann (Allen) Sayward. He m. Sarah J. Moore, of Bangor, Me. He d. at Lowell, Mass., October 15, 1868.

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